

# Huskies and Savages Thump Mustang Team

By KIT ANDERSON

Heppner High's basketball season record slipped two notches over the week-end but the Mustangs remain in a third place tie in the Greater Oregon league's western division.

The Heppner hoopers lost to Sherman High of Moro Friday night in league play, 65-48, and tumbled in a non-counter Saturday, losing to Enterprise there, 63-59.

Foul's played an important part in the first game with a total of 36 personals whistles, 20 against Heppner and 16 on the Huskies. The Mustangs got 12 tallies at the line while Sherman collected one less.

Gene Heliker drew first blood for the visitors with a jumper on the first of his 13 points for the evening. Heppner went ahead, 6-3, before the home team got started. Once they got going there was no stopping them as they went on a 17-point scoring streak, while the Mustangs were scoreless. This was all the Huskies needed as they took a 20-11, first period command.

Sherman held a 14-point advantage throughout much of the second quarter and retained the margin at the half, 38-24. Midway in the third stanza they ran it to 19 at 46-27. The bulge was big enough and Sherman had its initial league win. Steve Gentry and Ray Eakin each had 16 to place the winners and Gene Heliker topped Heppner with 13, followed by Carl Bauman and Bill Snyder who added 10 each.

Saturday the Mustangs made the long trip to Enterprise without Mac Hoskins, who was ill, and the big boy's height was sorely missed. Enterprise controlled the boards and this was a factor in the Savages' win. Fabulous shooting paid off too, as the home team shot a 63% from the field and 69% in the second half.

Bill Strohm opened up the game with the first of a 19-point total. Not to be outdone, the Mustangs came back on Gene Heliker's jumper from the side. The lead see-sawed back and forth, but it was Enterprise who ended on top as the first quarter finished, 16-14.

The Savages opened up the split in period number two but not until the last minute. With :58 left Mark Bennett hooked in a layin and 46 seconds later Larry Aschenbrenner added a tip, and the home boys claimed a 31-25 halftime lead.

The Enterprise boys jumped to a big lead in the third stanza, in front at times by as much as 10 points. With this big bulge to coast on, they were never challenged until the last minute. The Savages withheld the onslaught to claim the victory. Strohm and Ensminger had 19 each for the home team and Heliker paced the Mustangs with 14.

HEPPNER	11	13	16	8-48
SHERMAN	20	18	9	18-65
Heppner	14	10	16	19-59
Enterprise	16	15	16	16-63



GENE HELIKER

Mustang high scorer on week-end road trips.

HEPPNER 48				
	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Bauman	5	0	1	10
Snyder	3	4	4	10
Spencer	0	0	3	0
Heliker	2	0	3	4
Doherty	2	0	0	2
Anderson	1	0	0	2
Driscoll	1	0	1	2
Dick	1	3	2	5
Jacobs	0	0	0	0
Wagenblast	0	0	0	0
Flaiz	0	2	0	2
Clark	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>48</b>

SHERMAN 65				
	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Ocheltree	1	2	0	4
D. Eakin	3	3	3	9
Gentry	7	2	1	16
Cole	3	1	2	7
R. Eakin	7	2	2	16
Ruggles	0	0	2	0
Stark	0	0	1	0
Carlson	0	0	1	0
T. Eakin	0	0	2	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>65</b>

HEPPNER 59				
	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Snyder	3	0	2	6
Bauman	2	2	0	4
Spencer	3	1	4	7
Heliker	6	2	2	14
Doherty	1	3	2	3
Dick	2	2	1	6
Driscoll	3	0	1	6
Evans	3	1	0	7
Flaiz	0	0	0	0
Clark	1	0	0	2
Jacobs	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>59</b>

ENTERPRISE 63				
	Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Aschenbrenner	4	3	2	11
Strohm	9	1	3	9
Ensminger	7	5	4	19
Bennett	2	1	1	5
LaDoux	1	1	2	3
Rahn	1	4	1	6
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# Sports

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## Ione Townies Win Three Last Week

Ione Townies added three wins to their record last week as they downed Hermiston 55-40, and Lexington, 102-43, in extras and the Condon Air Station, 66-47, in a Big Four league game.

Ione fought back from a 9-3 deficit against Hermiston and had a one-point halftime lead. A big fourth quarter gave the win to Ione. They scored 22 points while holding the visitors to 10.

Lexington was host to Ione as the lone "jayvees" had little trouble in downing the hosts, boasting five men in double figures with Jim Howton leading with 22 points. Bill Doherty had 11 for Lex.

Francis Rea led Ione as it blasted the Air Station. Rea played only two quarters as he hit a fantastic 85% from the field, connecting on 12 of 14 shots. Rea ended up with 26 points for the evening.

IONE 55—Rea 26, McKinney 8, Rietmann 1, Howton 5, Padberg 2, Meyers 3, Brenner 4, Dockett 6, Mathews, Barnett.

Hermiston 40—Lowry 2, Alleman 11, Bush 2, Hunnicutt 8, Foster 2, Buddleston, Down 3, Phillips 2, Mowry, Hoyt 3, Gallard, Witheral 7, Warrington.

IONE 102—Padberg 18, K. Rea 16, Howton 22, Doherty 14, Brenner 24, Mathews 4, Barnett 4.

LXINGTON 43—Papineau 4, Huston 4, Jackson 9, Edwards 6, Doherty 11, Wallace 1, Klinger 9.

IONE 66—F. Rea 26, Padberg 2, Rietmann 4, Howton 6, Doherty 2, Meyers 2, McKinney 6, Mathews, Barnett 2, K. Rea 4, Dockett 12.

AIR STATION 47—Lowden 16, Londen 7, Smith 7, Jones 8, Sprague 8, Rasmussen 1.

Ione Townies ran their record to 11-3 with three basketball wins in the past week. The Ione club downed Boardman, 76-55, stopped Condon Air Station, 74-58, and whipped the Pendleton Boys club, 77-56.

Ione had four players in double figures against Boardman but the visitors had the top scorer. Talbott poured in 40 points to lead Boardman. Gene Dockett led Ione with 19.

In Sunday's game Ione got a strong hold on second place in the Big Four League as it downed the Condon Air Station, 74-58. Ione led all the way as Francis Rea paced them with 24 points. Campbell topped the Air Force boys with 19.

Ione had little trouble with the Pendleton team Monday night and Rea again took scoring honors with 20.

## Jayvees Win 7th Straight

Seven in a row! Heppner High's jayvee basketballers made it seven wins in a row this week-end as they clobbered the Huskies at Sherman Friday night, 59-33, and whipped the Enterprise Jayvees 51-42, on the Savages' home floor Saturday night.

Coach Pete Glennie's boys had little trouble in containing the Moro club as they took an early first period command, 15-7. After that the Huskies had nary a chance and Coach Glennie sent in his reserves to finish the game. Heppner's staunch defense allowed no more than 10 points in any period while the Mustangs were scoring freely.

Mark Brown paced Heppner with 14 points, and Steve Wagenblast was close behind with 12.

Saturday's game provided the Heppner boys a threat to their string and for a while it looked like they might break it as the Savages took an early lead.

However, big 15 point second period gave the Mustangs a six-point bulge at the half, 26-20. Enterprise would not give up but they were still down by six at the end of three, 36-30. Heppner outscored the Savages in the last period and the Mustangs claimed their seventh win in a row and a 10-3 season record.

HEPPNER 59—Jacobs 7, Wagenblast 12, Flaiz 9, Gray 4, Brown 14, Rauch, Leonnig 2, Baker 4, O'Donnell 3, Turner, Perkins 3, Johnston 1.

SHERMAN 33—Root 2, O'Meara 7, Richelderfer 2, Blagg, Long 3, Cole 4, Kenny 2, Bayer 11, Jones 2, Buyres, Geiser.

HEPPNER 51—Jacobs 12, Wagenblast 12, Flaiz 6, Gray 10, Brown 9, Rauch, Leonnig, Baker, Turner, Perkins 2, Johnston.

ENTERPRISE 42—King 9, Dutil 14, Miller 11, Fields 4, Freels 3, McGraw, Aschenbrenner.

HEPPNER 11 15 10 15-51  
ENTERPRISE 11 9 10 12-42

## Cardinals Stand Fifth After Week-end Losses

Ione High slipped two notches in their fight for the Umatilla Morrow League crown as they were downed twice over the week-end, losing to Riverside of Boardman, 73-56, and being whipped by Weston, 61-55 in overtime Saturday night.

The Cards now are in fifth in the league with a 7-5 mark. Riverside's tremendous shooting from the field gave them a 34-27 advantage at the half. They shot 56% from the field while Ione was shooting at a 40% clip. Riverside rebounded well against the Cards and turned in a fine performance at the foul line, hitting 13 of 21. Ione shot eight for 16 free throws. Jay Ball led the Cards with 14 and Dennis Gronquist led five Riverside scorers in double figures with 18 points.

Ione opened up a 10-point split at the half of Saturday night's game, 30-20, but went stone cold while Weston got hot in the third quarter. Weston held the Cards to a mere seven points while collecting 17 themselves. The two teams held their own in the final period, and the score was tied 60-all at the end of four. Weston drew first blood in the overtime and it was never a doubt after that.

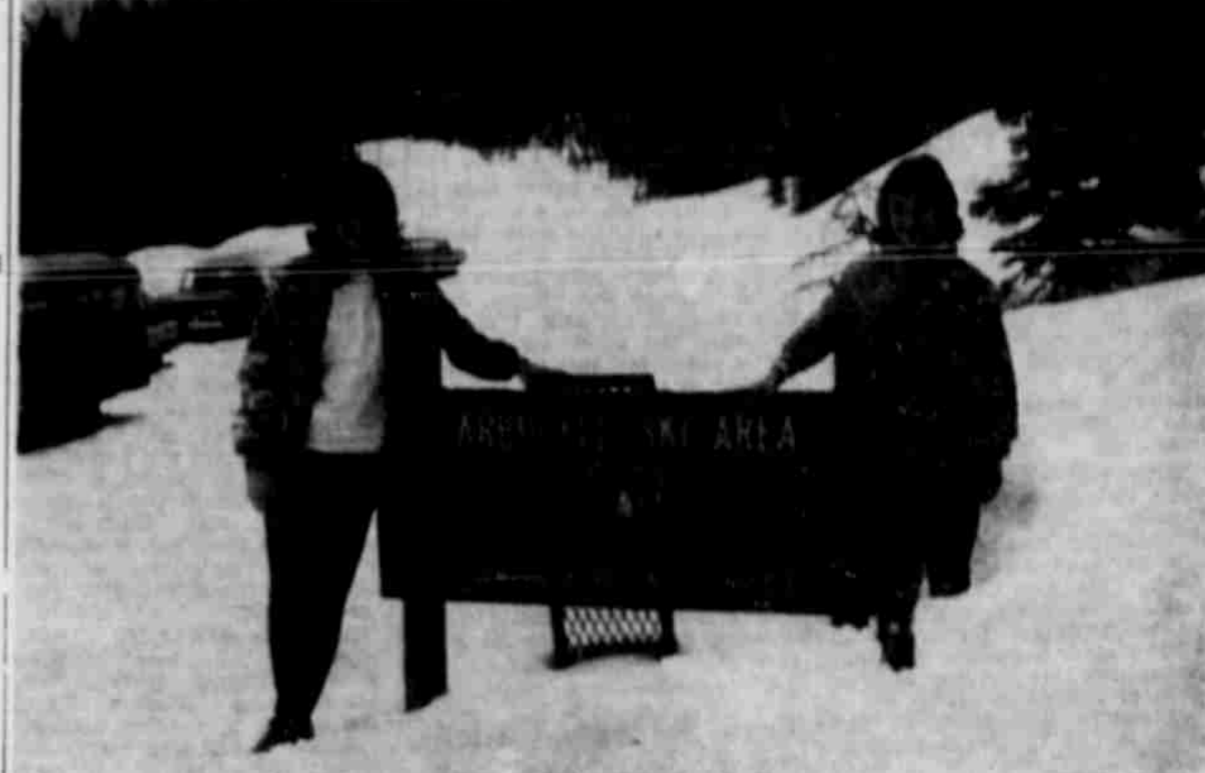
The Tigers out-rebounded Ione, 59-46, and also outshot the Cards 290 to 280. Coach Gene Dockett praised Ione for their fine defensive game and also held high esteem for B. Turney of Weston.

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RIVERSIDE 73  
Gronquist 8 2 18  
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WELCOME TO ARBUCKLE! So say these two girls, Ruby Fulleton (left) and Julie Ayres (right). The young ski enthusiasts were among those who took advantage of the new bus service to the ski slope over the week-end.

## Condon Townies Win in Overtime

Condon stretched its lead in the Big Four league but they took an extra period to do it as the lone Townies gave the Condon basketballers a go before tumbling, 90-89, on the lone floor Sunday, February 7. Heppner boasted three men in double figures as they polished off the Condon Air Station, 63-52, in the second game of the doubleheader.

Ione opened up a 20-9 first period lead over Condon and took command by 19 midway in the second quarter. The visitors were only four points down at the half, 42-38. The score was tied at the end of three periods, 60-60 and at the end of regulation time 80-80.

CONDON 90—Schadevitz 26, Lacey 12, Delaney 23, Fulton 16, Bare 5, Rothwell 8, Thorne.

IONE 89—F. Rea 30, Doherty 20, Howton 13, Dockett 17, Myers 5, Padberg, Rietmann 4, Brenner.

HEPPNER 63—Robison 2, Hughes, Glennie 13, George 6, W. Ball 10, Sager 6, Prock 3, Beamer 23.

AIR STATION 52—Campbell 19, Sprague 8, Lowden 9, Londen, Jones 6, Smith 10, Edwards.

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WHEE! Martha Peck, one of the better skiers at Arbuttle, comes swooshing down the slope to show how its done. She turned in time to avoid a crackup with the cameraman.

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