

Mustangs Edge John Day

Breaking a scoreless tie in the third quarter, Heppner High's football team punched over a touchdown that brought them a 7-0 victory over Grant Union at John Day Friday night.

Tim Driscoll scored on a crossback from the 4-yard line and Mark Murray kicked the extra point. The slim win gave the Mustangs their first Greater Oregon triumph of the season against one defeat. They have won all three non-conference games.

Stalwart defensive play kept the Prospectors from possibly tying the game late in the final period. Grant had intercepted a Heppner pass and brought it

back to the six-yard line where it was first and goal to go. However, on their first try, the John Day eleven suffered a 6-yard loss when Nalbro Cox broke through to nail the ball packer.

At the end of the series of downs the Prospectors had been forced back to the Heppner 14 where they gave up the ball. Looking ragged after their tough game with Wahtonka the previous week, the Mustangs lost the ball six times on fumbles. However, they scored two touchdowns that were called back. Jim Jacobs, back in the lineup after an early season injury, scored one that was nulli-

fied when Heppner was called on an illegal procedure penalty. On another, Jim Doherty tallied but an official ruled that he stepped out of bounds before going over.

Cox was credited with playing the best defensive game for the team by Coach Jim Potter, although Mark Murray was top tackler with 12 to his credit. Mickey Kindle and David Gray each accounted for nine tackles.

Ken Morgan was leading ground gainer with 55 yards on 10 carries for a 5.5 average. Driscoll was second with 52 yards on 11 tries for a 4.7 average.

Heppner had quite an edge in statistics, making a total of 189 yards to 93 for the Prospectors. Of the yardage, the Mustangs made 146 on rushing and 43 on passes while Grant picked up 87 on rushing and six on passing. Heppner made eight first downs to four for the losers. Of seven passes thrown by the Mustangs, four were completed.

Their output of 189 yards was probably the Heppner team's lowest of the season. Grant Union, although pretty well kicked around this year, gave the Mustangs a tough ball game.

"They kept us pretty well in the hole throughout the game," Coach Potter said. On the other hand, the Prospectors were unable to muster any substantial scoring threat except for the chance late in the game.

Mustangs Plagued By More Injuries

Injuries which have hampered the Mustang football squad this year cut deeper into the ranks this week when two jayvee players were hurt in the game with Pilot Rock Jayvees here Monday night.

Earl Ayres suffered a broken arm, the break being about four inches below the shoulder. He returned to school Wednesday after treatment to the injury. Jerry Healy sustained a back injury in the game that will put him out of action.

Gene Heliker, a first string back for the Mustangs who suffered a broken collarbone during the summer, returned to the injured list recently when the injury failed to heal properly and the bone was rebroken. Others out of action are Bob Dobbs and David Clark, both centers, who will not be back in play for the rest of the season.

Move to Idaho

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones moved Wednesday to Kendrick, Idaho, after living in Heppner since 1940. He will work for Maurice Hitchcock and Bill Turner in sawmill operations. Jones had been employed here by Kinzua Corporation and was with the company through the times that it operated under the names of Heppner Lumber Co. and Heppner Pine Mills. Their daughter, Ann, who was an honor student at Heppner High school, is a junior this year at the University of Oregon.



Bonnie Zimmerman Rejoins Peace Corps

Miss Bonnie Gene Zimmerman, daughter of Richard Zimmerman of Hermiston, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orian Wright of Heppner, has again joined her Peace Corps group in India. She flew from Washington, D. C., on October 5.

Miss Zimmerman was brought home during the illness and death of her mother, Joan Zimmerman, during the summer.

Her stay in India will now be for one year and four months. She is stationed in the West Bengal area in India.

Father Beard Home After Seeing Pope

Father Raymond Beard arrived home Friday with fine memories of his trip east to see Pope Paul during the Pope's visit to this country. Father Beard said that seeing Pope Paul was a thoroughly inspirational experience.

The trip was fine throughout, and the flights both to and from New York were good, he said. While there, he visited with friends.

Members of the parishes of St. Patrick's and St. William's churches contributed the funds for the trip as a gift to him.

Little Sisters 4-H Club is Organized

The Ruralettes Little Sisters 4-H club was organized October 5 at the school house in Lone after school. There are seven members. The leader is Mrs. L. A. McCabe. We had two visitors.

The officers are: Kay Bergstrom, president; Nancy Pettyjohn, vice president; Joan McElligott, secretary; Doris McCabe, news reporter; Mary Pat McElligott, song leader; Lori Bergstrom, game leader; and Marilyn Warren, health chairman. Our project is Home Improvement. We talked about courtesies and practiced making introductions. Our next meeting is October 19 at 3:30.

Doris McCabe, reporter

Friends of grade school days stopped in recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. D. Bauman to renew acquaintance. They were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Baumann (no relation) of Kennewick, Wa. The two men were chums when both attended grade school in Ridgefield, Wa., and had not seen each other since that time.

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Pirates Yield to Cards After Holding Half Edge

Riverside High's football team, pummeled by Lone High a week earlier at Boardman, came to the Cardinals' field Friday afternoon determined to even the series. They came closer than the final 25-7 score for the lone team indicated.

The Pirates held a 7-6 edge until the fourth quarter, but lone roared back with three touchdowns and made the result look like a lopsided victory.

"Riverside came out to play, that's for sure," commented Coach Gordon Meyers of the Cards after the game.

Lone opened in the first quarter with a touchdown on an aerial strike from Mark Halvorsen to Eddie Sherman for 20 yards. The point try failed.

The six-point lead wasn't enjoyed by the Cards for long. They kicked off to Riverside and Baird ran the ball back for 56 yards before Sherman finally tackled him on the lone eight.

The Cards valiantly held for three downs, but on fourth down, Glen Schmeder passed to Ron Hinkley for six points. Schmeder took the ball on a quarterback sneak to add the extra point, and the Pirates were ahead, 7 to 6, which was the halftime score.

A scoreless third period ensued, but in the fourth quarter, lone mustered a sustained march which took them to the Riverside 8. The Pirates stiffened and held for three downs. On the fourth try Halvorsen made what his coach called "a supreme effort" and bootlegged the ball around left end to score. He was trapped on the run but wouldn't quit and broke free. Jay Ball passed to Leon Magill for the extra point, and the count came to 13-7 for lone.

Fired by their go-ahead touchdown, the Cards turned on the heat from that point on. They held Riverside after the kickoff and came down the field on a march that found them ripping through the Pirates. The drive

was culminated with a 19-yard run by Ball through the middle to score. The conversion try was no good and the score was 19-7.

With the time ticking away, Riverside attempted a last ditch rally and took to the air. Bob Baker of the Cards picked off an interception and ran 38 yards for a final touchdown, making it 25-7. The point try failed again.

"We can't take anything from Riverside. They played a good ball game," Meyers said. "I will have to give my team credit for their work on offense in the second half."

In the first half, the Cards were particularly ragged on their blocking, the coach said. "They had us beat until we got in track," he added.

Lone gained 155 yards rushing and 66 yards passing against 78 for Riverside rushing and 8 on passing.

The Riverside showing was particularly good after lone had crushed Coach Dan Dalto's squad at Boardman the previous week, 33 to 0. The first meeting was a non-counting game, but the second was an official league game.

Department Seeks Highway Job Bids

Among bids on 17 projects to be received by the Oregon State Highway Commission in Salem on November 2 are three of interest to residents of this area.

One project, located in Gilliam and Morrow counties, involves elevating a bridge on the Willow Creek section of the Columbia River highway near the Heppner interchange east of Arlington. The project is 1.60 miles in length, with two 12-foot lanes to be paved with asphaltic concrete. Plans call for raising the existing structure and approach- es above the pool elevation of the future reservoir behind the John Day Dam. Completion date is set for August 31, 1966.

A second project is for the construction and signing of four 12-foot lanes to provide a freeway with wide landscaped median on the Irrigon Junction-Umatilla County Line Section of the Old Oregon Trail (I-80N) in Morrow county.

Plans for the 8.9-mile project call for placing of asphaltic concrete pavement, widening and resurfacing the existing two-lane highway, and construction of two additional lanes. Completion date is set for October 15, 1966.

In Wheeler county, a third project is set for construction of a bridge over Service Creek on the Service Creek-Mitchell Highway about 20 miles south of Fossil. Plans call for a structure 89 feet in length, with two lanes and a 32-foot travelway. The new bridge on revised alignment will replace an old narrow structure. Completion date is set for February 28, 1966.

Doris Morris Vies For College Queen

Doris Morris of Heppner is a candidate for homecoming queen at Eastern Oregon College, the college news bureau announces.

Miss Morris, graduate of Heppner High school and daughter of Mrs. Mildred Morris of Heppner, is sponsored by the Sabers. Another candidate is Nancy Baker of Pendleton who is sponsored by Dorion East. A graduate of Pendleton High school, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Bellomo, Pendleton.

Homecoming will include the Friday night queen coronation, pep parade, burning of the "O" and a hootenanny. On Saturday a parade in downtown La Grande will be at 12:15 and the EOC-OTI game will get underway at 1:30.

See us for envelopes of all kinds. The Gazette-Times.

NOTICE

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