

# Sports

## Heppner Tips Eagles, 52-46, To Tie for First

By JEFF TURNER

Heppner's Mustangs stood off a second half spurge by Wah-tonka Friday night to down the Eagles 52-46 in a league basketball contest. The victors extended their league record to 4-1 which placed them in a tie with Wah-tonka for first place.

The home team started fast and showed no mercy as it built up a 17-7 first quarter lead. The Mustang's H-men, Mac Hoskins and Gene Heliker, carried most of the scoring assignment.

Wah-tonka seemed to have trouble finding the basket, col-

lecting only seven points, which is a fine tribute to the Mustangs' defense.

The second quarter saw Wah-tonka slowly closing the gap, cutting Heppner's lead to seven with the Mustangs going to the locker room in command, 27-20.

Perhaps a good intermission pep-talk by the Wah-tonka coach encouraged the Eagles, as they returned for serious action and immediately closed the point spread to two with the score standing at 28-26 midway into the third quarter. The Mustangs turned cold, getting no field goals for almost three minutes. Then they went to work with Doherty and Clark combining for a quick seven points, to jump out to a 36-28 lead. Wah-tonka came back for six more while Heppner got two to end the see-saw third quarter, 38-32.

In the final stanza both teams tightened their defenses and the determined Eagles, led by Lucky Proctor and Terry Way, narrowed the gap to 45-44.

Then it was Heppner's turn. They held the Eagles at 44 points, showing a sparkling defensive effort, while Mac Hoskins dumped in eight.

Wah-tonka collected only two more before the buzzer, making the final tally 52-46.

Heppner's guards, Jim Doherty and Gene Heliker, turned in a fine performance, getting 12 and nine points respectively and keeping the ball moving well. Hoskins, high scorer for the night, had 18 tallies.

Way was high for the Eagles with 12 followed by Ricketts and Emmons with eight points.

HEPPNER (52)

Fg	Ft	F	Pts
0	1	2	1
2	2	1	6
8	2	1	18
4	1	2	9
5	2	1	12
1	4	3	6

TOTALS 20 12 10 52

WAHTONKA (46)

Way	5	2	1	12
Harmon	2	0	4	4
Hammel	3	0	5	6
Proctor	3	1	3	7
Ricketts	4	0	2	8
Emmons	3	2	3	8
Matheny	0	1	4	1

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The two teams battled at an even pace into the midway point of the last quarter. With 4:40 left to play in the game the score stood 45-41 in favor of the Mustangs. Then the Eagles pulled to within two points but Dave Hall sank three free throws to ice the game for Heppner.

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Dave Hall and Randy Stillman both hit in double figures for the Heppner crew with 14 and 13 points respectively. Perreault was the high scorer for Wah-tonka with 16 points, followed by Matheny with 10.

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## Cards to Play Stanfield, Helix

Five regular season games are left on the schedule for lone High's basketball team, which will play its last contest on February 25 before tournament time.

The team has two games this week-end, two the week-end of February 18 and 19, and a single contest on February 25. Three of the last five are at home.

This week-end, Coach Gene Dockter's boys, now holding fourth in their league with an 8-5 record, will entertain Stanfield, currently the league cellar dweller, at lone Friday night. Then they take the road to play Helix, eighth place team, Saturday night.

If league standings are any index, the Cards have most of their tough games behind them, although they will face second place Echo on February 18. They have the distinction of being the only team in the league to down league leading Pilot Rock, now running with a 12-1 league record.

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## JV's Stave Off Wah-tonka Rally To Win, 51-47

By RICK JOHNSTON

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