

Cindermen Post First Place Win

By JON O'DONNELL

The Heppner High Cindermen won their first meet of the season on April 13, at Sherman.

Dave Hall led the team with the most individual points with three first places, totaling 15 points. Others earning top honors were Bill McLeod and Dean Kindle with 13 and 11 points respectively.

Total points for the meet were Heppner, 79; Sherman, 67; and Grant Union with 24.

440—1st, Coleman (S) 58.4; 3rd, J. Hall (H) 58.6; 100—1st, Kindle (H) 10.5; 3rd, Marquardt (H) 11.0; High hurdles—1st, D. Hall (H) 15.6; 880—1st, McLeod (H) 2:07.7; 2nd, Pettyjohn (H) 2:10.9; Javelin—1st, Lanz (GU) 150'5"; 2nd, Kindle (H) 142'; 220—1st, Tsubota (S) 24.9; 3rd, Hall and Marquardt (H) tie 26.2; Pole Vault—1st, Coates (S) 9'6"; 2nd, Sweeney (H) 9'6"; 3rd, Baker (H) 9'6".

Discus—1st, Richelderfer (S) 107'8"; 4th, Munkers (H) 96'; Shot Put—1st, Dobbs (H) 40'7"; Broad Jump—1st, D. Hall (H) 19'9"; 2nd, Kindle (H) 19'7"; 440 relay—1st, Sherman 47.6; 2nd, Heppner 47.9; Mile—1st, Tier (G) 4:47.7; 2nd, McLeod (H) 4:50.4; 3rd, Pettyjohn (H) 4:56.2; 180 yd. low hurdles—1st, D. Hall (H) 4:56.2; Two Mile—1st, Dick (H) 10:59; 3rd, Warren (H) 11:35; Mile Relay—1st, Heppner 3:47.3; High Jump—1st, McLeod 5'7"; 3rd, O'Donnell 5'5".

Diamondmen Face Sherman Saturday

By BOB DOBBS

Another league clash is on the schedule for the Heppner High diamondmen this week-end against the Sherman County Huskies. This first meeting of these clubs will be on Sherman's home field, Saturday, April 20, at 10:00 a.m.

Heppner's win-loss record is far from good but we feel the team is better than the record shows. The big problem has been with fielding the hit ball. Both mental and fielding errors have played their role as disaster-makers.

The infield work is very good, with the horsemen working hard and well for each play. In fact, we watched a double-play work to perfection in one inning but three errors then followed.

Batting doesn't seem to be a problem, with nearly everyone pulling off one or two hits a game. Mike Smith, Earl Ayres, and John McCabe have warmed the cowhide consistently throughout the year.

The Mustangs are a good club potentially, but the errors have been ruining their attempts to reach fame. The day they can combine limited errors with their pitching and hitting ability is the day they will start winning.

Madras Defense Holds Mustangs

By GARY KEMP

The Heppner High Mustangs bowed to Madras 4-0 and 5-1 in baseball games here last Saturday.

Russ Kilkenny pitched the first game, with Larry Pettyjohn catching. Russ did a splendid job as he allowed only one earned run. Earl Ayres led in the batting department, hitting 2 for 3.

John McCabe got the tap for starting the second game, with Terry Hughes doing an excellent job on the receiving end. John was relieved in the seventh inning by La Verne Van Marter. The big bats for Heppner were Baker and Pettyjohn, each 1 for 3.

Coach Dale Holland praised the defensive play of Madras shortstop Ron Phiger.

First game: Kilkenny and Pettyjohn; Ulter and Thornton. 2nd game: McCabe, Van Marter (7) and Hughes; Sanderville and Martinet.

Mrs. Clint McQuarrie traveled to Bend Monday to visit their son, Dan, who has been confined in the hospital there with a serious throat infection. He is a student at Bend Community college.

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Men Assigned By State Police

Two young local men, Victor L. Groshens and Dan Brosnan, have received word that they have been accepted for duty with the Oregon State Police, to be effective starting May 1. Both will report for four weeks of specialized training in Portland on May 5.

Groshens will be assigned to the game division at John Day, where his wife and three sons will move April 29. He is a 1957 graduate of Heppner High school and is currently employed with Heppner Nor-Gas.

Brosnan's assignment will be with the traffic division in Newport. Mrs. Brosnan is a teacher in the Heppner school system, and will move to the new location at the end of the school term.

Brosnan is a 1961 Heppner graduate and attended Blue Mountain Community College in Pendleton for two terms. He is currently working on the Swede Carlson ranch near Ione.

Van's Plans Sale For Improvement

Van's Variety this week is announcing a stock reduction sale in order to clear merchandise to make improvements in the store. Mrs. Wilbur Van Blokland said Tuesday.

New asphalt tile will be laid on the floor soon, and it is hoped to clear some of the present stock to expedite the work. Reductions of 20% on most merchandise will be in effect during the sale which starts Friday and runs through the townwide Moonlight Sale the night of Friday, April 26.

Burns Invitational Calls Track Teams

The Heppner High track team will go to Burns this Saturday, April 20, to the Burns Invitational.

Teams from Redmond, Madras, Lakeview, Wahtonka and Grant Union are some of the contestants expected.

Last year the HHS cindermen placed eighth out of the nine schools there.

About 10 schools should be participating in this year's invitational.

Among those attending the Good Friday evening concert at the First Presbyterian church in Pendleton were Mr. and Mrs. Wes Sherman, Cathy and Jim. The concert featured the University of Oregon Singers, of which their son, Bill, is a member, and the university's chamber orchestra, both under the direction of Max Risinger. Bill spent the week-end with his parents, returning to the university Sunday afternoon with other college students, Tom and Margaret Green, Lee Daggett, Judy Jones, and Karen McCurdy, who were home for the week-end.

Robbie Allen, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nikander of Portland, spent last week visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nikander of Heppner. The Nikanders have spent several weeks in Portland, while Nikander was recuperating from minor surgery done recently at Physicians and Surgeons hospital. After visiting for a week with another son, LeRoy, the couple returned to Heppner, bringing their grandson here for a visit.

Spring Rummage Sale Scheduled For April 26-27

Mothers of the Heppner Civic League are once again busily making plans for their Spring Rummage Sale, which will be held Friday and Saturday, April 26-27, in the old Tryco building.

Co-chairmen of the sale are Mrs. Bud Peck and Mrs. Jerry Rood, who announce that this year's event will also include a plant sale.

A food sale will also be in progress the first day, starting at 9:30 a.m. Doors will be open for the first day of the sale from 8-5 p.m. and from 9-5 p.m. on Saturday.

A wide assortment of clothing, jewelry, toys, household articles and other miscellaneous items will be on hand for the sale. Anyone who has additional items that they wish to have picked up may call Mrs. Bud Peck, 676-5878; Mrs. Jerry Rood, 676-5391; Mrs. Jerry Hollomon, 676-5542; Mrs. Mike Gray, 676-5395, or Mrs. Vic Groshens, 676-5379.

In Lexington, contacts may be made with Mrs. Delbert Piper, 989-8404, or leave items at Del's Market.

Proceeds of this major fund raising project of the year enables the Civic League to purchase needed supplies for the kindergarten classes, now being taught by Mrs. John Maatta. Proceeds are also used to provide scholarships for kindergarten age children, whose parents would be otherwise unable to send them.

Final Clinics Are Scheduled

The schedule of the third of the immunization clinic series held in each of the county schools has been announced by Mrs. Lowell Chally, R. N., Morrow County Health Department, as follows: Thursday, April 25, 9:30 a.m. at Heppner Grade school (high school to follow); Tuesday, April 30, 10:00 a.m. at Ione Grade and High school; Tuesday, May 7, at 10:00 a.m., Boardman Elementary at the Grange Hall, Riverside High to follow; Tuesday, May 7, 11:00 a.m. at A. C. Houghton Elementary school at Irrigon.

At these final clinics DPT and DT immunization series will be completed; as well as DPT, DT, Salk polio booster and small-pox vaccination missed by those signed up for injection and absent at previous clinics.

School Directors Hold Meeting

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"The primary reason for the deficit will be a lack of receipts," he said.

The board also discussed the reorganization of intermediate education districts. Daniels said that the reorganization committee had not been receptive to the Morrow county district's proposal that this district join with Umatilla and Union counties to form an I.E.D. because it would leave Wallowa county standing alone.

Instead, the committee has recommended to the state that Umatilla and Morrow compromise one district, Union and Wallowa another, and Malheur and Baker a third.

Wayne Gentry, 11, Suffers Eye Injury

Wayne Gentry, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gentry, is in Community Hospital, Pendleton, for treatment of a serious eye injury.

The accident occurred Saturday when he was in the mountains. He stepped on a stick that broke and one piece flipped up, striking him in the eye.

Wayne was given medical attention here and then was sent immediately to Pendleton for treatment by a specialist. It was feared at first that sight in the eye would be lost, but his physician here said Tuesday that the report from Pendleton is that he is showing improvement. There is good hope now that the eye will heal satisfactorily.

John Rea Suffers Accident to Eye

John Rea, 24, of Lexington, suffered a serious accident last Wednesday morning at Heppner Lumber Co. when a slab of wood going through a chipper flipped up and struck him in the right eye, crushing the eyeball.

It was necessary to remove the eye in surgery at Pendleton Community hospital where he was taken for specialist's care. Office at Heppner Lumber Co. reported Tuesday that he had called here earlier in the day. He said that he was improving rapidly. He was able to be up and around although the accident happened less than a week ago.

Recreation Boon Seen as New Dam Forms Reservoir

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Willows Park Developing

At the east side of the Willow Creek bridge at Heppner Junction is Willows park, where access is obtained by the new interchange. There will be a sheltered water area of several hundred acres here, he said, that will form a quiet zone when it is too rough to go out in small boats on the main reservoir. There will be a launching area, park and access road here.

The Willows park has great potential for future use. Located between the railroad and the reservoir it will be very convenient for highway travelers as well as for local persons.

At the Boardman park area, fillings have been driven in a protected area (the old gravel pit near the old Riverside school site). The port district will put in some docks, Slater said, and a small marina could be built.

At the Dunes area between Irrigon and Boardman will be headquarters for the Fish and Wildlife Service game refuge. While this will be a refuge, there will be certain areas designated for hunting, he said.

At Irrigon will be a park and launching area. Irrigon is putting in piling, and it is hoped to put in docks. This site does not have the potential for a full marina, he said.

A major marina will be located at Umatilla.

Waters Well Stocked For Trout Opening

Opening of trout season this week-end looks promising with the good stocking of creeks and ponds in the area, according to Glen Ward, state game agent.

The game commission has increased by 20% the allocation of trout stock over that placed in this area last year.

Deposits of 3,000 legal Rainbows were released in Rock Creek and at the pond at Wright's Park the first of the week. Willow and Rhea Creeks and the pond at Cutsforth Park were each stocked with 1,000 Rainbows, with an additional 1,000 for each on May 1 and May 16, if water conditions remain good.

Although some are below normal, water levels are fairly good at the present time, according to Ward, with some snow falling in the mountains this week. Road conditions continue to remain good.

Ron Daniels Offers To Talk on Budget

Ron Daniels, superintendent of Morrow County School District R-1, states that he will be available to speak on the county school budget for 1968-69 to any group which may desire to have more information on the budget. Any group interested may reach him by calling the county school office.

Notice To Water Users

Due to lack of sufficient recovery on city wells, it may be necessary to curtail the use of water early this year for large tracts and pasture irrigating.

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