

# MUSTANG HOMECOMING FRIDAY NIGHT

Homecoming events have filled this week at Heppner High School in preparation for the big game Friday evening at 8 p.m. with Elgin.

On Tuesday, the girls prepared a Box Social type lunch for the football team. On Wednesday at 12:30 the girls had a PowderPuff basketball game instead of a football game be-

cause of the snow. On Wednesday the pep assembly was organized by the high school boys.

**Thursday Events**  
The Pep Assembly on Thursday will be in charge of the faculty. There will be a tug-of-war at noon. Senior-Soph vs. Junior-Fresh. At 7:30 Burning of the E on the hill above the Fairgrounds. Band and Pep Assem-

ly at the Fairgrounds. Instead of the bell for the changing of classes, the school song will be played over the intercom to indicate class-change time. This is Blue and Gold day. Everyone is to wear the school colors. The Pep Assembly will be held at 3 p.m. Class floats will be judged at 4:15 before the parade down-

**Homecoming Court**  
Game time is at 8 p.m. Half time will include entertainment by the band and for the first time by the Drill team. The Homecoming Queen will be crowned. Members of the Homecoming Court selected by the H-Club are from the Senior class, Patty Luciani, June Led-

better, Jill Rugg and from the Junior class, Janet Gentry and Barbara Sherman. Selection of the queen will be made by the football team just prior to the game.

As a result of participating in a Kegger Friday night, the roster for this Friday's football game with Elgin is considerably shortened. Some of the young-

er boys are delighted because for the first time this season, they'll get a chance to punt, kick, pass and carry.

Seniors who will be playing their last game for the Mustangs are Ed Strahm, John Sumner, Rory and Beryl Stillman, Barney Marshall and Ted Bellamy.

The Homecoming Dance Interclub sponsored will be held at the high school from 10:30 until 1:00 a.m. Music will be by The Griffiths.

Invitations have been mailed to the graduates of the classes of 1969, 1970 and 1971. All alumni are cordially invited. Alumni registration will be held all week.

## Lake Penland Dam Receives Inspection

On a frosty Thursday morning, a group went to the new Lake Penland site for the official inspection.

The new lake is located 28 miles from Heppner. Construction was started last year by Baldwin Construction Co. of The Dalles, with the late Earl Baldwin in charge. His brother, Frank Baldwin, completed the project this year. Orville Cutsforth, a prime mover of the unique project, spent a considerable amount of time working on the construction.

Officials involved in the inspection last Thursday were Dale Boner of the Soil Conservation Service in Heppner. Other SCS men were engineers Elwyn Ross and Cotton Light, U. S. Forest Service Engineer Don Olson and Heppner Ranger W. S. Miller, and Oregon State Game Commission official Glen Ward of Heppner.

The State Game Commission provided \$15,000 for purchasing shoreline land. Total cost was something like \$45,000 for the dam. 25 land owners along the new lake provided most of the money with Forest Service paying for an access road, boat ramp, parking areas and developing 11 acres of a campground. In a preliminary way there are 14 camping units and 4 picnic units to start with. Forest Service camp area is adjacent to the dam and there is plenty of room for development. Plans are for some 60,000 visitor days per year at the campground.

Dam is 27 feet high and 350 feet long. The lake will cover some 67 surface acres. It is Morrow County's first lake.

Morrow County is doing new access and other road improvements in the area.

## Judge Jones Resigns From Admin. District

Judge Paul Jones resigned as chairman of the E.C.O.A.C. effective Oct. 26.

Judge Jones was elected temporary chairman of the old District 12 administrative district when it was first organized under an executive edict from the Governor's office.

Following the formation of each county into a separate inter-governmental unit, Judge Jones was then elected to head the East Central Oregon Assn. of Counties. This is an organization of the same name under a much more flexible agreement. This association has been successful in obtaining a number of federal grants for its member counties, the Judge added.

Judge Jones said he feels it was time for the chairmanship to pass to one of the other counties.

## Area Acolyte Retreat Held

Herman Winter's cabin was the base for 22 boys and 5 advisors who met at an acolyte retreat for instruction and fellowship this fall.

Acolytes serve at the altar by lighting candles and assisting in services. Fourteen boys were from the Church of the Redeemer, Pendleton. They were accompanied by Ivan Painter and Rev. Tom Winkler.

Local boys were Doug Gunderson, Rob Abrams, William Huston, David Schwarzin, Herman Winter, and Brian Thompson.

St. John's Church, Hermiston, and St. James Church, Milton-Freewater were also participants in this area retreat.

## School Menus Not Available

Due to the Monday holiday, the new Armistice Day, and to some illness in the school staff, we are unable to publish the week's menu for the Heppner schools. Menu is regularly published by courtesy of First National here.

## GRAIN PRICES

(F.O.B. Lexington, does not include warehouse chgs.)  
(Courtesy of Morrow County Grain Growers)

Soft white wheat	1.44 1/2 bu.
Red wheat	1.49 1/2 bu.
Barley	45.50 ton

## 88th Year



Price 10 Cents

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# MCGG Annual Meeting Monday

## Morrow Co. Fair Jumps to 5th Place

Morrow County came up in the ranks of County Fairs. The Fair jumped from 10th place last year to 5th this year. Out of a possible 1000 points, Morrow County Fair had 866 points. Points are based on administrative and management responsibility; fiscal accountability and operational procedures. The ratings help determine how much money the individual fairs will receive from the \$250,000 in state racing money which they share.

The eight-member County Fair Commission has ranked all the state's county fairs following on-site investigations. Lane County Fair was judged best in the state. Other fairs ranking in the top 10 in order are: Tillamook, Grant, Douglas, Morrow, Multnomah, Jefferson, Polk, Wasco and Crook. In 1970 Josephine County ranked first.

Jack Mulligan of Pendleton is the commission chairman. The County Fair Commission was formed by the 1969 legislature to determine a method of disbursing an additional one-tenth of the gross pari-mutuel racing receipts to county fairs in addition to the flat grant of \$20,000 that each county gets annually from the same source.

UNICEF is concerned about children's immediate needs and about their future place in the world. UNICEF finds a new source of high protein food for a village in Orissa, India. Villagers receive training in fish-raising and their ponds are stocked with baby fish with UNICEF's help.

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## County Has New Deputy Sheriff

Jack Campbell of Irrigon is one of the new Deputy Sheriffs for Morrow County. He is one of two new members of the department on the Public Employment program. Terry Corbin is the other new member.

Mr. Campbell is retired from the military having served 22 years in the army in Operations Intelligence. He served in the San Diego Police Department.

He is married to a Kansas girl. They have four children with three of them at home, Generva, John and William.

**Methodists Celebrate With Music**  
A great day of United Methodist singing was celebrated last Sunday when the quartet of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell James and Mr. and Mrs. John Maatta, and the newly revived choir directed by Mrs. Maatta led the congregation in vigorous vocalizing. The regular organist, Mrs. Warren S. Miller, who has managed the music alone so many Sundays, carried a larger role than usual in this special musical worship. John Maatta contributed a solo "I'll Go With God", and the Children's Choir made its first public appearance.

After the worship service the congregation continued singing before and after their family potluck dinner.

**Walthinsens Have Girl**  
Mr. and Mrs. Per Walthinsen are parents of a girl, Karen Ann, born Oct. 22 in Pendleton. Weight was 6 lb., 5 1/4 oz.

Grandmothers are Mrs. Freida Traut and Mrs. Dagmar Walthinsen of Portland. Great grandparents are the Henry Trauts of Portland.

## CPO Audie Privett In 'Shellbacks'

Navy Chief Petty Officer Audie J. Privett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Privett of Route 1, Heppner, recently crossed the Equator enroute to the Indian Ocean from Singapore aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Enterprise, and was confirmed a member of the mythical order of "Shellbacks" following traditional initiation rites.

## WEATHER

	Hi	Low	Prec.
Wednesday	57	35	—
Thursday	63	29	—
Friday	65	44	—
Saturday	49	41	.23
Sunday	55	35	—
Monday	59	31	—
Tuesday	59	37	.05

Wednesday at 7:00 a.m. the snowfall measured 1.6 inch. There were 6 inches at Hardman and a half inch at Lone, just a skiff in the North End.

## 4th Grade Students Trick or Treat For UNICEF Sunday

When Mrs. Jessie Faye Morris' Fourth Graders call at your home Halloween evening for UNICEF, they will have familiarized themselves with the goals and accomplishments of the United Nations Children's Fund.

They will come with the official UNICEF collection container. As they enjoy doing for themselves as well, they will have their own sacks for treats, too.

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**MAYOR BILL COLLINS** gives the official welcome at the Community Welcome for Teachers and Newcomers. He urged the teachers and others to join in the community activities and organizations.

## Heppner Bows To Condon

In reality the Condon-Heppner football game as was an 8 to 6 ball game with two flukes that gave Condon the ball game 16-6. Heppner fumbled and lost the ball the first two times they had it. On the second fumble deep in their own territory, Condon went in for their first score. Condon's depth and experience showed well with their line outchargin' the Mustangs the entire game.

Heppner's defense didn't operate as in previous games. Too many absences from Wednesday's practice hurt them considerably. One bright spot on defense was Gary Watkins garnering 58 points—the most for a Heppner player this season.

Heppner's one TD came on a 60-yard pass from Gary Watkins to Rory Stillman. Heppner had 100 yards rushing and hit seven of 17 throws for 129 yards. Dean Wright of Heppner was the game's outstanding offensive performer with 77 yards rushing on 17 carries and five pass receptions.

## Becky, A Winner In College Rodeo

Becky Fullerton tied for all-around cowgirl honors at a college rodeo Saturday in Hermiston.

She won the barrel race and was third in goat tying there.

## OMEGA TAU RHO TAPS HAROLD GERKING

Harold C. Gerking of Portland has been inducted into Omega Tau Rho, an honorary fraternity of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

One of only 22 members in Oregon, Tau Rho medallion was presented to Gerking by Ward V. Cook, president of Realtors of Portland. Gerking was president for the Oregon chapter of the National Institute of Farm and Land Brokers, and is a member of the Society of Exchange Counselors.

The annual meeting of the Morrow County Grain Growers is to be held at 6:30 p.m., Monday, Nov. 1st at the Fairgrounds Pavilion, according to an announcement by Manager Larry Mills.

The meeting always starts out with a fine dinner.

Featured speaker will be a native son, William F. Barratt. Mr. Barratt is president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Spokane, a position he has held since March 1970. He joined the bank staff as Assistant to the President in 1964.

Prior to that time he had served two 3-year terms as a member of the board of directors of the Farm Credit Banks of Spokane and had served as a director of the Federal Land Bank Assn., Pendleton, and had been a member of the Northwest Livestock Production Credit Assn., Portland since 1950.

Mr. Barratt is a graduate of Oregon State University and after military service returned to Eastern Oregon to be involved in the sheep and cattle business, feed lot and other operations.

As a major lender to agriculture and a member of Morrow County Grain Growers it is expected that Mr. Barratt will discuss implications of the prevailing wage-price controls on the wheat industry and effects of inflation on agriculture.

## Grandma Gracie Has 92nd Birthday

Grace Rose of Cecil will celebrate her 92nd birthday today (Oct. 28). She is still employed as cook for Logan Bros. at Cecil.

Grandma Gracie is a prime favorite of her friends and neighbors and loves to tell about her grandchildren, great grandchildren and her great, great great! She is believed to be the oldest person in Oregon still working for a salary.

## Football at Lone

Jerry Martin's Lone Jr. High team won their game with Echo 68 to 20. Five different boys who made TD's were Bob Gates, Tim Gutierrez, Tod Peterson, Clay West, Joe Rietmann. Their coach thought the boys executed their plays and their blocking better than at any game this year.

Their last game of the season will be today (Oct. 28), at 3 p.m.

**Ione vs. Riverside**  
The Ione Homecoming game was a tear jerker for the Cardinals. The score stood at 20 to 0 up until the last six minutes of play. The Pirates recovered an Ione fumble on their own 28 yard line and started a drive for their first six points. Moments later Ron Baker hit Tony Barnhart in the end zone for another TD and Bog Ryan added a two-point conversion run. The next TD within a minute and a half of the end of the game came on a 49 yard pass from Baker to Wayne Downey. Ryan again added the two-point PAT run that won the game 22 to 20.

Riverside had 339 total yards, 174 on the ground. Baker completed nine of 22 pass attempts for 165 yards. Ione gained 331 yards with 138 rushing. Dick Snider gained 193 yards on 19 passes. His TD passes went to Jerry Pettyjohn, Kent Gutierrez and Clint Krebs.

## Two Auto Wrecks Hospitalize 4 Boys

The Kenney Turners were awakened Friday shortly after midnight with a loud banging at their front door. It was Mike Bergstrom bleeding at the mouth and hysterical because he thought he'd killed his buddy in a car accident down the road about a quarter mile. Kenney called the ambulance, the hospital and the sheriff and went with Mike to the scene of the accident. When Mike went to get help, his buddy, Lloyd Wilson, had been lying in the middle of the road. When they got back he had moved to the side of the road. Finally he got to his feet and Kenney and Mike helped him into the pickup. The Turners laid the boys on the front room rug and covered them with blankets.

The ambulance driven by Paul Heinrichs picked up the boys at the Turners and took them into the hospital.

The boys headed north in a Volkswagen apparently, hit the right side of the road and tried to get back in the road and rolled over every which way.

After the excitement of the night, the Turners were just getting settled when they heard a car come roaring up the road. It stopped at the scene of the accident and then took off with even a faster roar.

**Second Accident**  
Bruce Bergstrom and Mike Doherty in a 1959 Ford had their accident a short distance

up from 3-mile junction. Apparently they were airborne when they left the road and cleared the fence, came down on all four wheels and traveled 350 yards through the field. The theory is that if the car had tipped to the front or back it would have tipped over and rolled down into the canyon.

They were taken to the hospital. Mike Doherty has a cracked vertebra and is still in the hospital. Bruce Bergstrom had an eye cut that required stitches, a broken nose and other lacerations. He has been released from the hospital. Lloyd Wilson has a fractured skull, and has been having blood clots. Mike Bergstrom was released from the hospital Sunday night.

There was a keg party Friday night but according to reports the four boys had not made it out to the party.

## Pioneer Ione Firm Expands

Omar Rietmann explained that the work being done at his hardware store will add 56 by 42 feet of floor space. The Oregon - Washington Construction Co., Portland, is rebuilding the rear end of the building.

Mr. Rietmann says they are building right over the old back end and are making this section match the front part of the store. When the new construction is about finished, the old part will be torn out from under it.

Rietmann Hardware in Ione was founded in 1895 by Paul Balsiger, a cousin of Omar Rietmann's. Mr. Rietmann purchased the business in 1937 and has operated it since that time.

## Minor Accidents Get Attention

Accidents reported: Oct. 19 there was a rear-end collision on Main St. Janet Ann Strober driving a 1968 Mercury and Virginia Whitaker collided. The vehicles were driveable. The Whitaker car suffered \$350 damages. Mrs. Strober was taken to the hospital. She has been wearing a plastic collar for back lash.

On Oct. 16 two cousins collided on Gooseberry Road opposite Ione High School. Ann McElligott driving a 1965 Corvair sustained \$50 damage and the car Mary McElligott was driving had no damages.

On Oct. 13 Helen Natalie Salter driving a 1964 Ford Hardtop met a car on a narrow place on the Clark's Canyon-Rhea Creek Rd. near Bryce Keene's place. She hit loose gravel and rolled her car. The car sustained \$550 damage.

## Herman Winter Moves Office

Herman Winter, Heppner attorney and district attorney, recently purchased the former Columbia Basin Electric Co-op building at 471 North Main Street.

Cleaning and refurbishing has been going on in these offices. Mr. Winter is in the process of moving this weekend and will open up in the new location Monday, Nov. 1.

## Candle Making Demonstration

Monday evening at 7:30 the Mother's Club meeting at the Heppner Christian Church will be educational. Mothers will learn how to make candles from start to finish as the process is demonstrated by Ann Griffith and Betty Brown.