

## Mustangs Edge 'Cats in Final Game

By GREG GREEN

Two pass interceptions by Dale Hedman and Allen McCabe late in the fourth quarter preserved a 28-24 victory for Heppner over Union Friday.

Union scored first on a 67 yard fumble return, early in the first quarter.

Heppner came back with a 9 yard touchdown play by Mike Bergstrom. The PAT by Rick Drake failed.

## Teen V.D. Increases 350%

Umatilla County Public Health Advisor Jerald Johnson, Edythe Connolly, Oregon State Health Division, and Extension Leader, Molly Saul brought pertinent facts about the tremendous recent increase in the incidence of venereal diseases to twenty representatives of Morrow County groups. Extension group leaders, 4-H leaders, school district personnel, and three high school students from Riverside were among those who learned that there has been almost an epidemic increase in V.D. especially among the 15 to 17 year group.

Mr. Johnson spent about an hour on facts about the two major "love diseases" in the group of the five whose classification "venereal" come from Venus, the goddess of love. He stressed the chain of transmission which builds up the rapid increase.

V.D. Statistics  
Oregon ranks quite high nationally - being 11th in percentage of cases in proportion to population in the 30 states. In 1961 the civilian cases of Gonorrhea in Oregon - counting only those between 15 and 30 years old - totaled 276 - by 1970 well over 3000 cases were reported. The 1971 total is much higher like 9,000 cases. Morrow County is far down on the list of counties - but the speakers said that incomplete reports have come in - because physicians often do not report cases - because persons often hesitate to go for help in their own counties. The current year has seen many more cases reported each week - and it is certain that about 4 million cases exist in the U.S. presently.

Mrs. Connolly stressed that 70 percent of the increase is in the 15 to 17 year group. She pointed out that girls are reaching puberty earlier than their mothers did. She stressed that the children of young mothers are often handicapped.

Some Recommendations  
It is known that the use of birth control pills by young unmarried girls leads to a big increase in V.D. Girls must understand that the pills make them more receptive to disease - and are in no way preventatives of gonorrhea or syphilis.

A survey by the American Social Health Association reports an apparent increase in the number of schools which include VD education in their curricula - and education and discussion is very worthwhile.

A number of community youth conferences on Responsible Parenthood are being arranged which are to be planned and conducted by local youth with assistance from professional persons. It is possible that this program will come to both Umatilla and Morrow.

The Mustangs scored twice in the second quarter. The first when Jerry Gentry tossed a ten yard pass to Dale Hedman in the end zone. Gentry then threw to Bergstrom for the two point conversion.

A little while later Hedman recovered a Bobcat fumble and ran 15 yards for the score. Gentry threw to McCabe for another two point PAT.

The only touchdown in the third was on a ten yard Union pass play.

In the fourth tackle Bill Jepsen forced a bad option pitchout in the Union offensive backfield, permitting Bergstrom to intercept the ball and carry it to the Mustang goal for Heppner's final TD.

Union set 6 more points on the scoreboard with three minutes left in the game and lost the ball twice to interceptions in the remainder of the game.

The contest was riddled with penalties with Heppner having 12 to Unions 10 violations.

Union outgained Heppner in total net yardage, 306 to 217.

Gentry passed 7 completions of 14 attempts (500) for 74 yards and 1 TD. Gentry had two interceptions. McCabe passed 2 for 4 for 20 yards.

Among the receivers Hedman led with 8 for 2 yards and a touchdown. Dave Eckman followed with 2 for 17 yards.

Hedman also led the defense with 13 tackles, 2 interceptions and one fumble recovery for a TD. Jepsen had 15 tackles.

This final win for Heppner brought their win-loss record to 7-1 for the season. This record presents an impressive showing for Head Coach Chuck Starr's first season at Heppner.

## VD Problem To Be Told

The venereal disease problem will be the lesson topic for all Home Extension groups in Umatilla and Morrow counties in November. reports Extension home economist Molly Saul. Leader teachers who will present the lessons were recently trained by Edythe Connolly, Health Education Consultant for the State Department of Human Resources, and Jerry Johnson, Eastern Oregon representative, State Department of Health.

The lesson will include information on the nature of venereal disease and statistics on its prevalence. For example, there has been 350 percent increase in teen-age VD in the United States since 1960. The rate of increase in Oregon is higher than the national rate. Oregon rates 11th in the nation in the number of cases of reported VD. The rate is increasing in both Morrow and Umatilla counties.

All interested persons are invited to participate in a study group lesson. There will be 5 extension lessons presented in Morrow county. Those wishing to attend should contact the nearest county Extension office for information concerning date and time of meetings. Presenting the lessons will be: Mrs. F.S. Highley, Mrs. Warren McCoy, Boardman; Mrs. Kenneth Nelson, Lexington; Mrs. Elmer Ladd, Ione; Mrs. George Luciani, Echo; Mrs. Bill Weatherford, Mrs. Ned Clark, Mrs. Barton Clark, Heppner.



Threatening Guards on the Mustang's Varsity: Jeff Marshall and Benham Malcolm.

## Halloween Accident Injures 4 HHS Students

Four Heppner High School students injured in a one-car accident Halloween night expected to be back in school this week.

Doug Johnson, 17 year old son of the Rev. and Mrs. Don Johnson was driving the family carryall out to the Marquardt ranch that evening. Riding with him were Lolita Marquardt, daughter of Carl Marquardt and Charma Marquardt, daughter of the Bill Marquardt, both of Lexington and Tom Duggins son of Dorothy Duggins of Heppner.

The accident occurred shortly before 10 p.m. The car went out of control on a curve on the Clark's Canyon Rd. and rolled several times and traveled about 100 feet on its side. Doug was thrown from the car. The other three stayed in the car. After the wreck they couldn't find Doug and they walked three miles to the Al Bunch home. Later Doug regained consciousness and he walked a mile in the other direction to Judge Paul Jones. The car was said to have been totaled.

All were taken to the hospital. Lolita by ambulance. Doug and Tom by the sheriff and Charma by her father.

Doug was released from the hospital Saturday. He had head cuts and 32 stitches were required on his side. Lolita was held overnight. She had a cut dangerously close to her eye. She also has a badly bruised knee.

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## GAA Plans Mother-Daughter Night

Heppner High School's GAA had their first meeting of the year Oct. 26. Officers for the year are Debbie Peck, president; Mary Healy, Secretary; Sandy Bennett, treasurer; and Kristi Haguewood, news reporter.

GAA is planning a Mother-Daughter night Nov. 16 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. in the gym. The girls have planned volleyball games, workouts on the apparatus, and other things to keep everyone busy. Refreshments will be served by the FHA and GAA.

Wayne Schwarzin On USS Midway  
Wayne Schwarzin writes from the USS Midway that he is in port in the Philippines. He has one day on and one day off which he uses to see the sights.

## Morrow County Has 34 at OSU

Nearly 12,800 of the 15,200 students attending Oregon State University this fall are from Oregon, 34 of them are from Morrow County.

About 2,100 students come from the 49 other states in the U.S. and nearly 300 from 43 foreign countries.

As expected, Benton County has the most students at OSU, 3,099. Multnomah is next with 2,453. Marion, 1,102; Lane 750; Linn, 688; Washington, 524; Clackamas 496; Jackson, 306; Douglas, 259; Yamhill, 243; Klamath, 223; Umatilla, 206.

Morrow County breakdown shows Heppner students number 14; 10 are from Ione, 4 each from Boardman and Lexington and 2 from Irrigon.

The include: Boardman: Charles W. Acoc, Lewis D. Barnhart, Michael G. Pool, Joseph M. Tatone Jr.

Heppner: Charles Anderson, Billy C. Bellamy, Linda S. Clough, Vanessa J. Cutting, Jeanne M. Daly, David M. Gunderson, John B. Hall, John T. Harris, Mark Lovgren, Sandra J. Matheny, Larry G. Pettyjohn, Randy W. Robinson, John J. Sumner, Robert F. Worden.

Ione: Shauna M. Bergstrom, Janice A. Brooks, Leslie G. Brooks, Cheri A. Carlson, Clinton H. Krebs, Joseph P. McElligott, Earl J. Pettyjohn, Paul J. Proudfoot, James L. Swanson, Deborah Warren.

Irrigon: Bruce R. Buchanan, Dennis W. Lamb.

Lexington: Thomas W. Cutsforth, Kristin S. Nelson, Charles A. Pointer, Steven C. Rhea.

THE LUTHER LEAGUE is going to the Heppner Pioneer Memorial Hospital with Pastor Mark Johnson to attend the worship service, November 12. We will visit and sing with the patients. Afterwards we are going to Hope Lutheran Church to have fondue and a discussion.

November 24-26, the Luther League hopes to attend the district convention in Portland.

Reporter: Sandra Palmer

## Ione Students Invite Science Lab Plots Look

Interested persons are invited to visit the Ione Science Lab plots on Nov. 27 during class time of 2:15 to 3:15. Students are anxious to show their progress in 24 experimental plots in grasses and alfalfa. Plots have been treated with various fertilizers in varying amounts. They include sulfur, phosphorus and nitrogen. Boys working on the plots are Fred Sherman, Kevin Gutierrez, Phil Carlson and John Marick. This is under the supervision of Jerry Martin with assistance from County Agent Harold Kerr.

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## Ione Jr. Hi Stages Scavenger Hunt

The eighth grade gave a Halloween party for the seventh grade.

It started off with a scavenger hunt. Each captain of a team received a list of articles to find. Then they went around finding them. The first group to get back by 7:30 won.

Then they started the music and (almost) everybody started dancing.

At 9:00 the King & Queen were announced. The King Leland White danced slow to the theme song, "Rider of the Storm", with the Queen Doreen Flack.

After two hours the dance quit.

Team	Won	Last
Weary Wives	21	11
Whizzers	19	13
Last Drops	17 1/2	14 1/2
Screwballs	15	17
Three Holers	13	19
The Dregs	10 1/2	21 1/2
High Ind. Game, Ginger Keithley-166		
High Ind. series, Ginger Keithley-464		
High Team Game, Last Drops-550		
High Team Series, Last Drops-1532		

## All about spiders

SPIDERS  
Spiders are members of the Arthropoda family. This large group of animals has jointed feet and a hard outer skeleton.

All spiders have eight legs, no wings, no antennae, hatch from eggs, and have two body parts called cephalothorax. Cephalothorax means the head and thorax are joined together to make one body part.

We don't know the kind of spider this is, for sure, but we feel it does not live around here.

Chris Riddle, Secretary



## Burnt Food Tops Off Dinner

Heppner High's chapter of National Honor Society held a progressive dinner Oct. 31, and an otherwise great evening was dampened slightly when the main course, spaghetti, was over-cooked, (burnt). The group of about twenty, and their advisor Mrs. Bill Rawlins, enjoyed appetizers at Robin Riddle's home, salads at Cycle Allstott's, spaghetti at Sherry Kemp's, and then came back into town for home-made ice cream at Tami Meador's home.

The group still has room in their chapter for some new members, so tapping and initiation will be held later this fall.

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# ANNUAL MEETING

**Nov. 15 -- Fossil, Ore.**

**High School Gymnasium**

**FEATURING: DICK and FAYE FROST Magician**

**REGISTRATION-11:30 A.M.**

**LUNCH-12:30 P.M.**  
(Served by Methodist ladies)

**MEETING-1:15 P.M.**

**Hear about the near-future plans involving your Co-op in the region, as well as the progress and financial reports of the past year given by Walter J. Jaeger, pres.; Paul Tews, sec.; Dave Harrison, manager.**

**PLAN TO ATTEND THIS IS YOUR MEETING**

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## Spirit Week At IHS IONE HOMECOMING

This past week, leading to Homecoming, has been a full scheduled Spirit week starting on Monday with ribbon and mismatched sock day. Tuesday was deemed hat and weird shoe day. Wednesday was clash and button day, and Thursday was yell day, and Friday was stuffed animal day.

Other activities included were a high school cleanup day on Wednesday on which the students cleaned up the grounds around the school. The freshmen finished making the Bonfire and finished making the 75 on the hill in honor of the Seniors.

On Thursday, the annual Noise Parade was held in which the students decorated cars and paraded through the streets of Ione. That night the traditional bonfire was held. This started with a hay ride and ended up at the school with a rousing pep assembly, the lighting of the 'I', and starting the Bonfire. Hot chocolate and cookies were served afterward in the cafeteria.

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