



Jim Parker heaves the shot put to a new school record.

# Parker leashes school record in shot put

Heppner's Jim Parker set a school record in the shot put with a throw of 51-10 3/4 at the Wallowa Invitational Track meet last Friday.

The old record was held since 1974 by Barney Marshall with a toss of 51-4. Margaret Kincaid tied the school record in the 100 meter

high hurdles with a tie of 18.7. Coach Dale Conklin said he was pleased with the toss of freshman girl Sherry Clement, who threw the discus

80-8. "It was a good meet because everybody got to place," Conklin said. The coach added that Fri-

day's girls meet at Pendleton is cancelled. Enterprise won the Wallowa meet in both the boys and girls competition.

Buck Estes was fifth in the 200 meters and the 100 meter dash and Wes Marlatt was fifth in the shot put.

## Pettyjohn sets lone 200 meter dash record (again) to lead girls to Arlington title

Kim Pettyjohn of Lone High School broke the girls school record in the 200 meter dash April 19.

Margaret Doherty did not let that record stand very long as she broke the new record April 22 with a time of 27.1.

Not to be outdone, Pettyjohn came back to break the record again last Saturday by running the distance in 26.7 seconds.

"The record has dropped a full second in the last week," said Coach Del LaRue.

In Saturday's meet at Arlington, Pettyjohn was first in three events, Lisa Meyers first in two and Doherty set a school record in the 400 meters to lead the girls to a win against four other teams.

Pettyjohn was first in the long jump at 14-4, first in the 100 meters at 13.1 and first in the 200 meters with the school record time of 26.7.

Meyers was first in the 1500 meters with a time of 5:56.3 and first in the 800 meters in 2:57.2.

Doherty set an Arlington Invitational meet record and an Lone High School record with a time of 65.3 second in the 400 meters.

Diane Morter picked up lone's other first place finish in the 3,000 meters with a time of 13:25.5.

Pettyjohn was second in the 400 meters, Patti Taylor second in the 100 meter high hurdles, Doherty second in the 200 meters and Taylor second

in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles.

Doherty was third in the long jump and third in the 100 meters. Michelle LaRue was fourth in the shot put. Taylor was fifth in the shot put and Meyers fifth in the long jump. LaRue was sixth in the discus.

In Tuesday's meet at Condon, lone's girls were second with 39 team points while Sherman had 67 and Condon 19.

Doherty set the school record in the 200 meters with a time of 27.1 seconds but it only lasted four days. That time was good enough for second place in the meet however.

Lone had just two first place finishes. Meyers was first in the 800 meters with a time of

2:52.7 and the 400 relay team of Pettyjohn, Doherty, Cindy Hill and Meyers was first with a time of 57.4 seconds.

Pettyjohn was second in the 100 meter dash in a time of 13.1 seconds. Meyers was second in the 100 meter high hurdles with a mark of 24.6 and Hill finished second in the 400 meters. Doherty was second in the long jump.

LaRue was third in the discus, Hill third in the javelin, LaRue third in the shot put, Doherty third in the 100 meters and Morter third in the 800 meters.

Hill was fourth in the high jump, Morter fourth in the discus, Morter fourth in the 1500 meters and Pettyjohn fourth in the long jump.

Parker was first in the shot put with his school record throw, first in the discus with a toss of 135-3 1/2 and second in the triple jump.

Dan Nix was first in the 3,000 meters with a time of 10:42.2 and fourth in the 1500 meters.

Earl Hammond was second in both the javelin and the long jump and was fifth in the high jump.

Todd Sherer was third in both the 800 meters and 400 meters.

Lisa Wilson was second in the 3,000 meters and second in the 1,500 meters.

Kim Miller was third in the long jump, third in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles and fifth in the low hurdles.

Margaret Kincaid was third in the low hurdles despite tying the Heppner school record.

Paula Palmer was third in the 3,000 meters and fifth in the 400 meters.

Mary Kincaid was fourth in the 800 meters and fourth in the high jump.

Suzie Jacobs finished fourth in the 400 meters and Clement was fifth in the discus.

Heppner's 400 meter relay team came in fourth place.

### Ten merchants aid race

Ten Heppner merchants are helping to sponsor the 15th Annual Eastern Half-Marathon May 24 along the John Day River from Service Creek to Spray on Highway 19.

Sponsors include the Blackhorse Tavern, Cal's Lounge and Cafe, Central Market, Chuck's Bucknum's Tavern, Country Shears, Court Street Market, Gardner's Men's Wear, Heppner Elks No. 358, The Wagon Wheel and Tom's Chevron.

Trophies will be awarded for the first three finishers in the nine age divisions and to the oldest and youngest finishers. Trophies are paid for by the merchants.

Entry fee is \$4 before May 15 and \$5 after that. Entries may be obtained by writing Rahlie Goodell at the Corncob Creek Ranch in Fossil, 97830.

Buses will leave Spray High School at 7 a.m. for those who want a ride to the starting line. Runners must be at the Service Creek Trading Post by 7:15 a.m. Starting time is 8 a.m.

The 30th annual Spray Rodeo will follow at 1:30 p.m. May 24 and 25 preceded by a parade and followed by a dance at 10 p.m.

### Local Sports

**Heppner Golf:** Lew Welch Invitational at McNary today at 1:30 p.m. District Girls Golf Meet May 6 at Redmond. Heppner against Hermiston at Heppner May 8 at 1:30 p.m.

**Heppner Track:** Pendleton Invitational at 4 p.m. at Pendleton tomorrow. Umatilla Invitational at 11 a.m. at Umatilla Saturday.

**Heppner Baseball:** Against Condon at Condon April 6 at 4 p.m.

**One Tennis:** At Condon tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. Sherman at Lone Saturday at 10 a.m.

**One Track:** Big Sky Meet at Arlington at 10 a.m. Saturday.

**County parks open May 3**

Morrow County's parks—Anson Wright and Cutsforth—are scheduled to open this Saturday.

New rates in effect will be \$5 per day for campers with utility connections and \$3 for all other camp spaces.

Services at both parks include hot showers, electrical and sewage connections and recreational and picnic areas.

### Mustang baseballers

blow 8-0 lead;

Wahtonka wins 14-12

Heppner High School's varsity baseball team blew an 8-0 lead after three innings because of poor fielding and ended up losing an important league game to Wahtonka last Saturday 14-12.

With the loss, the team is tied with Wasco and Wahtonka for first place in the Columbia Basin League with 3-1 records. Seven errors in two innings plus two timely home runs led Wahtonka to its comeback victory.

Heppner scored five runs in the first inning on a single by John Bier, a triple by Doug Holland, singles by John Murray and Rick Cole, walks to Tim Hedman, Jim Hayes and Bier, and a single by Chris Zita. Three runners were left on base.

In the second inning, Heppner made it 6-0 on singles by Murray, Cole, and Hedman and walks to Hayes and Zita. Three more runners were left on base.

The Mustangs increased the lead to 8-0 in the third when Bier singled and Dale Holland

### Cardinal netters winning

lone's girls tennis team beat Umatilla 2-0 last Friday.

Kate Gutierrez won the first singles match in straight sets 7-5 and 6-3.

In the first doubles match, Patti Taylor-Lisa Meyers won 6-4 and 6-1.

"It was the first time they ever played together," Coach Duane Payne said.

Against Arlington earlier in the week, Gutierrez won the only girls match playing first singles.

The boys team beat Arlington 3-1.

Duane Fetsch lost the first singles match in split sets. Craig Gutierrez came back to win the second singles match. Fetsch-Chris Rietmann won the first doubles match for lone and the second doubles team of Troy Lindstrom-Roger Childers won in straight sets 6-4 and 6-3.

smacked a two-run homer hitting the scoreboard at the county fairgrounds field in Heppner.

Wahtonka got its first run in the fourth on a home run by Wall.

The Eagles got three more in the fifth to trail 8-4 but Heppner got two runs in the bottom of the inning on a double by Doug Holland and a two-run home run by Murray to make it 10-4.

Wahtonka got three runs in the sixth inning aided by three Heppner errors in a row, and two more in a row after a strike out.

Heppner increased the score to 12-7 in the bottom of the sixth when Zita singled, Groshens walked, Bier sacrificed, and Doug and Dale Holland hit singles.

Wahtonka won the game getting seven runs in the top of the seventh inning on a grand slam by Brown and Wall's second homer of the game, a three-run blast.

"The seven errors cost us the game but we sure hit the ball," Coach Dale Holland said.

Holland was also disappointed that 14 runners were left on base.

Of the seven errors, third baseman Rick Cole was charged with four.

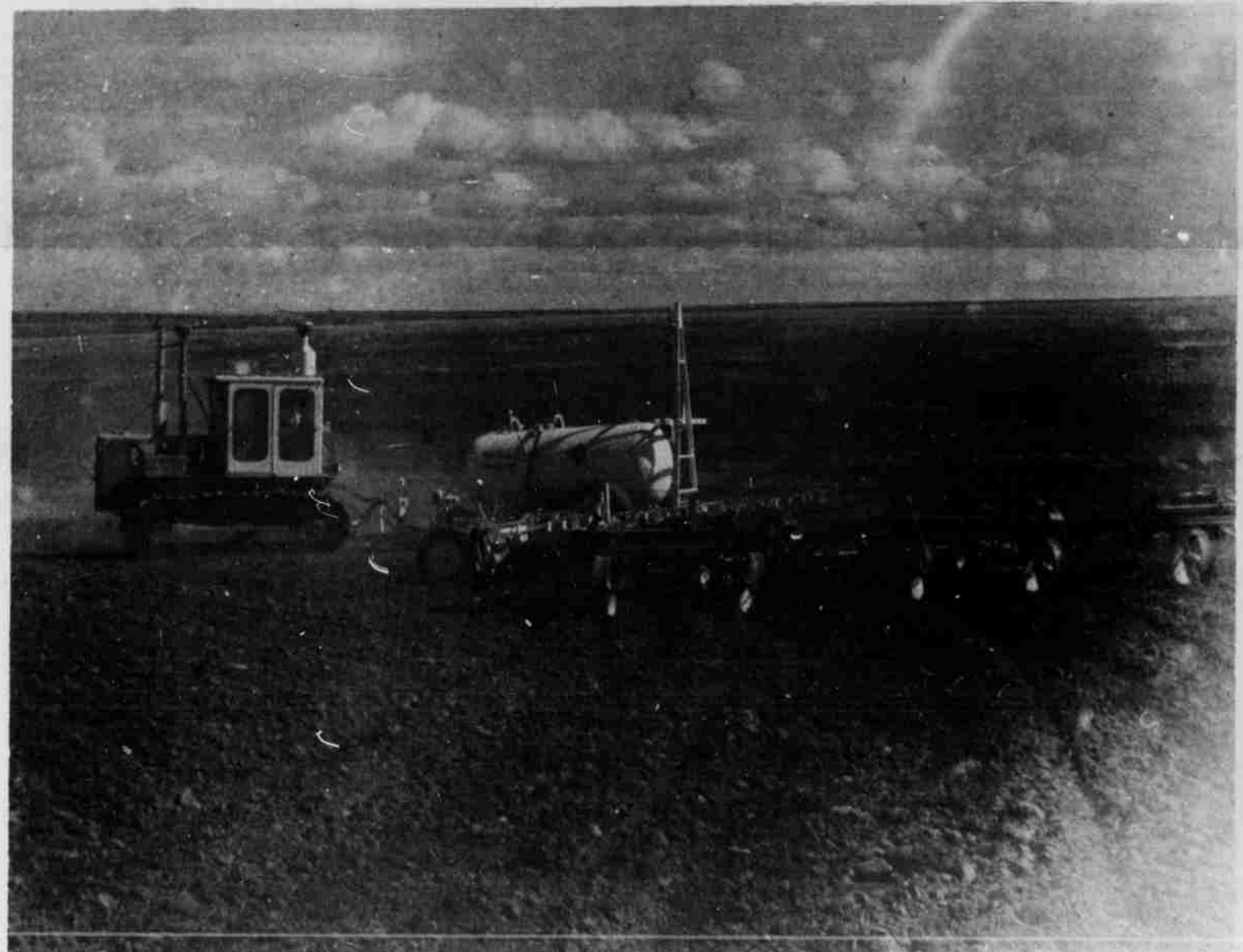
In the hitting department, Bier was 2-for-4, Dale Holland 2-for-5 with for RBI, Doug Holland 3-for-5 with one RBI, Murray 3-for-4 with three RBI, Cole 3-for-5, Hedman 2-for-4 and Zita 2-for-3 with three RBI.

Bier was the losing pitcher throwing five and one-third innings giving up five hits, four walks, six runs (three earned) and five strike outs.

Doug Holland pitched one and two-thirds innings and was ripped for eight runs (five earned) on six hits with three walks and two strike outs.

After 12 games, the team is 5-7. Doug Holland leads the team in hitting with a .567 average with Murray at .424 and Dale Holland at .400. The team batting average is .318. Bier is the leading pitcher with an earned run average of 2.87 in 31 and two-thirds innings. He has a 3-2 record.

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