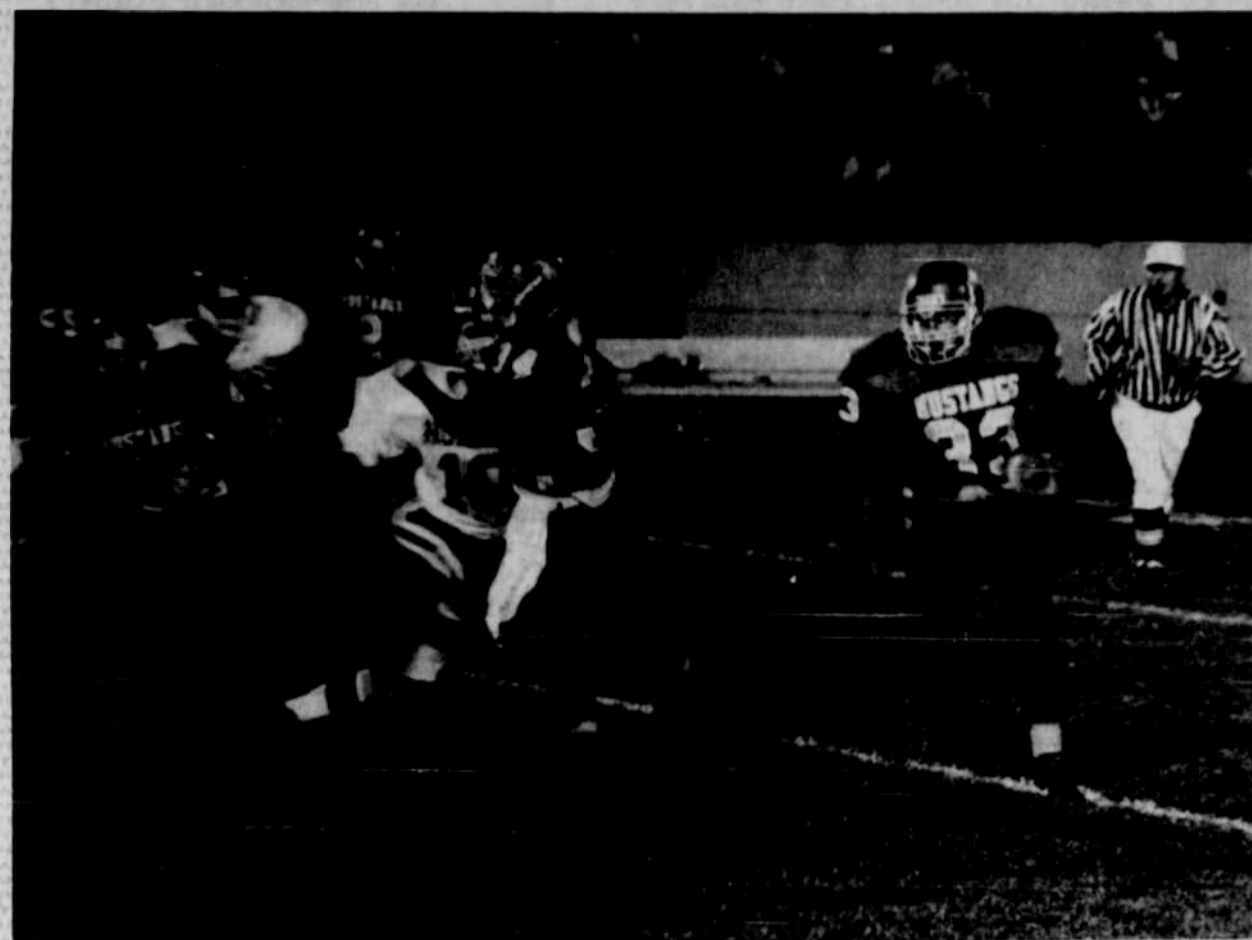


## Mustangs subdue Huskies 19-6



Heppner running back Chris Dickenson (33) picks up some of the 65 yards he gained against Elgin.

The Heppner Mustangs kept their 1993-94 football season record perfect with a 19-6 win over the Elgin Huskies at the Morrow County Fairgrounds Friday night, Sept. 17.

It wasn't easy as the senior dominated roster of the Huskies gave the Mustangs everything they wanted for the first half of play.

The Mustangs almost broke on top as Rick Koffler and Leonard Brittner teamed up for a 78 yard scoring play on the Mustangs' first possession. The play was nullified by a motion penalty.

Elgin opened the scoring with a nine yard pass from quarterback Casey Hallgarth to halfback Trever Heighes with 3:04 remaining in the first quarter. The 10 play drive was highlighted by a 17 yard gain by Heighes and a fourth down completion from Hallgarth to George Clarno.

Meanwhile the Mustangs were self destructing with Koffler throwing three interceptions and the Elgin defense stopping the Mustang ground game.

The Huskies, aided by some sloppy tackling, pushed the Mustangs around the field for the

remainder of the half, halfbacks Heighes and Garrett Clark ripped off big gains with their hard running. Clark gained 90 yards on 19 carries and Heighes had 77 yards on 12 carries.

Coach Monte Nash got greedy just before the half and it cost him. Elgin took over the ball on their own 15 yard line with 1:15 remaining in the half. After an 11 yard gain by Clark, Hallgarth was intercepted by safety Leonard Brittner who returned the ball to the Elgin six yard line with the help of an unsportsmanlike conduct penalty on the Huskies.

Senior halfback Jim Tellechea needed only two running plays to put the ball into the end zone. The pat was wide and Heppner went into the locker room with a 6-6 tie.

Whether it was the halftime talk, better conditioning or a fired up bunch of Mustangs we'll never know, but Heppner dominated the second half. Elgin ran only 14 plays in the second half and were the victims of better blocking, tackling and running by the Mustangs.

Running backs Kevin Payne and Chris Dickenson, were run-

ning with authority on a 15 play drive that took eight minutes of the fourth quarter. Payne gained 81 yards on 16 carries and Dickenson, seeing his first action of the season, had 65 yards on 13 carries. Payne scored from seven yards out on a sweep from the double wing formation for a 12-6 lead. The pat was wide again.

On the ensuing kickoff, Koffler squibbed a kick off a Husky blocker and the Mustangs recovered the ball. The Mustangs used the balance of the game on a nine play drive that ended with

Tellechea's second three yard touchdown blast. Brittner added the pat for a final score of 19-6.

The game was a good test for the Mustangs. The Huskies are bidding for a playoff spot in the Wapiti League with Vale and Enterprise and the Mustangs could see them again down the road.

Heppner opens defense of their league title on September 24, traveling to Moro to take on the Sherman County Huskies in a 7:30 p.m. ballgame.

	Elgin	Heppner
First downs	12	16
Rushing yards	36-19	50-238
Passing yards	41	2
Passes	4-12-1	2-10-3
Punts	2	4
Fumbles-lost	4-3	0-0
Penalties yds.	3-35	5-22

Football Class 2A Coaches Poll		Pts
School (1st)		
1. Vale (6)		78
2. Heppner (2)		70
3. Crow		61
4. Dayton		54
5. Kennedy		31
6. Yoncalla		28
7. Umatilla		20
8. Glendale		17
9. tie Santiam Christian		
Weston-McEwen		16
Others receiving votes--Warrenton 14, Neah-Kah-Nie 11, Regis 10, Lost River 9, Enterprise 5, Scio 2.		

## HCC cancels meeting

The Heppner Coordinating Council meeting scheduled for September 28 has been cancelled. The next meeting of the council will be October 12 at the GEODC office at 7:30 a.m.

Topics for discussion will be the swimming pool feasibility study, the Port of Morrow/Kinzua Industrial Park and the regional strategies program. The public is welcome to attend.

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A great big **THANK YOU** to everyone who made Cycle Oregon VI in Ione such a tremendous success. If you helped by working many hours, or were only able to help an hour, or even a few minutes: If you opened your home to a cyclist or let them tent in your lawn: If you allowed your property to be used for parking, consider yourself one who made Cycle Oregon the huge success it was.

A special thank you to all of the dinner and breakfast servers who arrived on time and with great big smiles! The Ione community came out in force, but so did numerous folk from the surrounding communities of Heppner, Lexington, Arlington, Hermiston, Pendleton, The Dalles and even Tri-Cities! As one cyclist commented "I've never seen so many people working together in a community."

We wish we could list the names of everyone who helped; but that would take the entire paper!

Watching Cycle Oregon VI from the beginning to the end was an incredible experience. The activity on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week really showed **'TRUE COMMUNITY SPIRIT'** at its best!

**Thank you all, from the bottom of our hearts**

Linda LaRue, Mayor      Jim Swanson and Nancy Brownfield, Co-Community Coordinators