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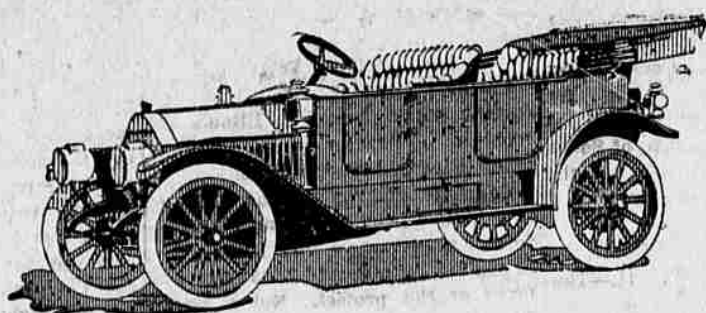
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LA GRANDE GETS 52 GAMES IN SEASON'S PLAYING.

Great Attendance Marks Organization Meeting at Pendleton.

With 52 games on the local grounds outlined in a schedule drafted at Pendleton last night by representatives of Boise, La Grande, Pendleton and Walla Walla baseball clubs, and officers elected for the tri-state baseball league added hues were lent to the professional baseball situation in La Grande, when the local promoters returned from Pendleton this morning. Over 50 promoters and ardent fans attended the meeting, many coming from Boise and Walla Walla to attend the session. The schedule will not be published until it has been carefully revised and corrected but it calls for 52 games in La Grande opening early in May and closing on labor day with Walla Walla in La Grande. All towns but La Grande have subscribed their required \$3,000.

Last evening after the general organization meetings the St. George hotel gave the delegates a banquet and though the sessions were long and tedious, the men from La Grande speak highly of the treatment accorded them. G. A. Lincoln and J. E. Bradley attended from La Grande. The Pendleton East Oregonian last evening said of the meetings:

The dreams of the fans of four towns have come true. With representatives from each town in attendance and with eagerness and enthusiasm manifested by all, the Tri-State league was this morning formally organized with clubs in Boise, La Grande, Pendleton and Walla Walla. W. N. Sweet of Boise was elected president, and J. E. Keefe, Jr., of Pendleton, secretary treasurer without a dissenting vote. Applications will be made at once to the national commission for protection as a Class D league and within a month the first season of what all agree is destined to be the greatest league in the inland empire will have been started.

The meeting for organization was held this morning, a meeting to consider the constitution and by-laws is being held this afternoon and another to arrange the schedule for the season will be held tonight, making practically an all day session. Harmony is the keynote of the session, the delegates all being imbued with the same spirit which places the success of the league above individual preferment.

Delegates From All Cities.

The first meeting was called to order at 11 o'clock by W. N. Sweet of Boise who, with J. W. Cody of the same city, was most instrumental in bringing about the meeting today. The official delegates from the four cities were Sweet of Boise, Grant Lincoln of La Grande, L. G. Frazier of Pendleton, and "Doc" Crews of Walla Walla, but there were other representatives from each city as well. Boise sent in addition to Sweet and Cody, W. E. Pierce, John McDevitt and W. F. Bosner, all prominent business men; La Grande sent James E. Bradley; Walla Walla sent August Bade and Chase Garfield, while Pendleton among others is represented by President Charles Bond, Carl Cooley, J. E. Keefe, Jr., and F. J. McMonies.

Officers Chosen.

Sweet was chosen as temporary president and Keefe as temporary secretary and these selections were made permanent following considerable discussion upon the advisability of combining the three offices of president, secretary and treasurer in one in order to expedite and facilitate the management of the league. Several of the delegates favored the idea but upon representation by Grant Lincoln of La Grande that fans in the other three cities not represented in the league officialdom might be inclined to criticize this centralization of power, it was decided to combine the office of secretary and treasurer but to make a separate office of the presidency and to select men from different cities for the two offices.

Probable Date of Opening.

President Charles Bond of the local club made the suggestion that the season open on April 26, but the La Grande and Walla Walla delegations

objected to the commencement of play at this early date on account of the necessity of time for the preparations of new ball parks in their cities. After some discussion, May 7 was set as a tentative date for the opening.

Officers Are Optimistic.

Following his election to the presidency, W. N. Sweet made a short and optimistic talk in which he predicted that next year the league would number six teams and that eventually it would include eight with the chain extending from Salt Lake to Spokane. He also prophesied that in a few years the Tri-State league would be the greatest on the Pacific slope outside of the Coast league and this statement was met with cheers.

Secretary Keefe upon his election declared his interest in baseball and his desire to be of service to the newborn league. Inasmuch as he already holds the secretaryships of the Commercial association and the Roundup he stated that if at any time the members of either of these organizations deemed that his league duties were encroaching upon the time of his other work, that he would resign from the league.

Upon motion, the four official delegates were named as a committee to draw up constitutions and by-laws for presentation this afternoon and the report of this committee is being considered this afternoon. Tonight, the matter of arranging a schedule will be considered.

Salary Limits \$1200.

By a clause in the by-laws the salary limit of the different clubs will be \$1200 a month and all of the representatives present believe that the gate receipts will pay these salaries. A two-cent rate will be secured from the railroads which will materially cut down expenses and the fact that the gate receipts in each city will be split evenly and that the receipts from all holiday games will be pooled will insure Pendleton and La Grande faring equally as well as the two larger cities. Each city has raised \$2500 to put the teams on a substantial starting basis and each has put up \$500 as forfeit in case the season of four months is not finished.

The Player Managers.

The representatives of the four clubs today announced the player-managers of the different teams as follows: Boise, Hugh Kellackey; La Grande, James E. Bradley; Pendleton, Jesse Garrett, and Walla Walla, August Bade.

Garrett arrived in the city this morning and has been attending the meetings today. He is a quiet, clean-cut man, the type popular with the fans, and his past reputation gives him a distinct prestige with which to enter upon his present duties. He will return to Portland as soon as possible in order to line up his material for the Pendleton team which will contend for the championship of the new Tri-State league.

This is My 60th Birthday.

Gen. Walter T. Duggan.

Brigadier General Walter T. Duggan, U. S. A., retired, was born in England, April 11, 1843. As a young man he came to the United States and settled in the West. At the beginning of the civil war he enlisted as a private in the Fifth Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry. He served from 1861 to 1863 and participated in a number of important battles. Two years after the close of the war he entered the regular army as a second lieutenant of the Tenth United States Infantry. He was promoted through the successive grades until he reached the rank of brigadier general shortly before he was retired for age in 1907. Since his retirement General Duggan has made his home in Los Angeles.

Congratulations to:

Dr. William Wallace Campbell, director of the Lick observatory, 50 years old today. John W. Weeks, representative in congress of the 12th Massachusetts district, 52 years old today.

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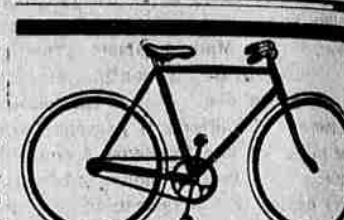
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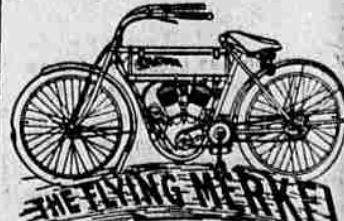
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