

# MOOSE DRAFT SPRING TEAM

TO ALIGN THEMSELVES AGAINST SPUDS SUNDAY.

Game to Give Regular Leaguers Excellent Workout Is Plan Now.

Local Moose will get together a ball team to give the Spuds a merry chase next Sunday afternoon for the mutual benefit of the team's playing practice and for the grand stand repair fund. Hector McInnis will be the pitcher that is going to oppose the leaguers, and the Moose uniforms will be filled with the best amateurs and semi-pros that can be mustered for the occasion.

The Yanigans were given a severe drubbing yesterday afternoon by the regulars, and with the exception of Peterson who was out for the first time, the regulars were aligned in something like the position they will occupy when they get down to business. It was the nearest to that at any rate that has yet been doped out. Peterson played short. The Regulars got away with the practice game nicely, however. The pitchers are still on the slow schedule, being refused the right to twist any over.

New players from other towns are drifting in daily anxious to work out. Among these is Goodrich, a well known player, who was with Boise for a time.

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# GUN CLUB'S TRAPS MOVED

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Less Wind to Hamper Shooters There Than Formerly, Believed.

La Grande's trap shooting will henceforth be done at Oro Dell, the La Grande Gun club having found it excellent range just below the Oro Dell bridge. It was found necessary to move from the East Adams avenue location yesterday when the owner of the land on which the traps were situated decided to plow up the ground, and in casting about for a suitable place to fight, the club officers found the Oro Dell range. It is believed there will be less wind there than elsewhere and that the range will be fully as convenient as the old one. The only difference is the matter of roads, which in the summer time will be passable, of course, but in early spring may cause some hindrance.

### TENNIS CAMPAIGN TALKED.

Triangle Club Takes up Matter of Preparing Courts Again.

That La Grande is to have two excellent tennis courts and maybe more became a certainty last night when the Triangle club took it upon itself to further plans to that end. It is likely that with the number of new people in the city who may be interested, it will become necessary to keep three or even four courts in order, but that the old B. M. A. courts are to be repaired, the fence rebuilt and otherwise improved, now is certain. Just who will be affiliated with the courts has not been determined, but the players will not be required to wait until hot weather comes to get to playing this year, as was the case last year. Immediate action is to be taken.

### INTEREST IN THE SESSION.

For the First Time in Many Years Democrats Control.

Elements in the extra session of congress are unusual. President Wilson has called the great body together at a time when his party has absolute control of every branch of the government relating to legislation.

This has not been the case before in twenty years. During that period of long ago when the Democrats were in power President Cleveland called an extra session, but the conditions were vastly different from now.

The extra session under President Wilson is remarkable because the lawmakers to a large extent are men of comparatively recent rise to prominence. Because of the fact that the Democratic party is providing a change from Republican rule for the first time in sixteen years great interest is centered upon the doings of congress.

Virtually a new generation of legislators has sprung up. With but a very few exceptions there are no men who figured in congressional doings of twenty years ago who are sharing the responsibilities of the body now.

Of only one thing has the public been absolutely certain, and that is that the tariff would be first and foremost among the subjects for work by the legislators, and that revision downward would be the purpose. The legislators themselves have not known just how the revision is to be managed, and it has been well understood that they would not all be pleased over all the details of the ultimate changes. The subject has been thrashed over so often and earnestly that its intricacies have become feared.

The ways and means committee, which has had the task of drafting the tentative form of the new tariff measure, has been unable to announce completion of its work in advance of the extra session, but the probability is that the measure will be taken up schedule by schedule.

The public has been led to expect that after the tariff is disposed of congress will consider currency, the income tax, Philippine independence and the Panama tolls questions.

Much publicity has been given to the proposed national income tax. The tax will probably apply only to incomes of over \$5,000 annually. Certain members of congress hold that this sort of levy would be confined to but a comparatively small proportion of the public and that the revenue would not be sufficient. They argue that an inheritance tax should be added to insure the needed revenue.

### THE CAMPFIRE.

It is Said to Have Been the Origin of the Smelting Furnace.

The origin of the smelting furnace was traced in a recent lecture to the campfire. If by chance a lump of ore, either of copper carbonate, tinstone or brown iron ore or hematite had been one of the ring of stones surrounding the camp or domestic fire and had accidentally become embedded in its embers, it would be reduced to metal.

The metals which occur—native copper, gold and iron—were the first to be known to man in the localities in which they occurred, but until the art of smelting metals had been invented the discovery and use of the native metals were insufficient to effect to any great extent the old stone age culture.

Gold, though doubtless the first metal to be known in many localities, owing to its wide distribution in the sands of rivers, was useless for any practical purpose. Copper, however, or an alloy of the metal with tin, antimony, or arsenic, was extracted from ores at a very remote period, and it or its alloy was first to be applied to practical use.

In fact, the first metal to be obtained by primitive man by smelting copper ores depended on their composition, and in the localities where tin did not occur it was a more or less impure copper.—London Standard.

### Also a Great Master.

The persons in the gallery who were most impressed with the J. Pierpont Morgan collection of pictures were two small girls, one eight and the other ten years of age. Unerringly they spelled out the names of the paintings, which conveyed very little, and they were truly moved, of course, by the dashing Duchess of Devonshire and the small princess by Velazquez, and the wonderfully engaging young lady by the unknown Spanish painter. Lastly they came to the portrait of Mr. Morgan himself, and from this they appealed directly to the attendant on guard.

"Please, sir," they asked, "did Mr. Morgan paint all these pictures?" "The guard was a true gentleman. "Not all," he answered.—New York Post.

### WEEK BY WEEK.

Each Week Appear the Statements of La Grande Residents. Last week it was a La Grande citizen who spoke. The week before, it

was a La Grande citizen who spoke.

The week before, and for many weeks before it was a La Grande citizen who spoke. And again this week it is a La Grande woman. You are not asked to act upon the word of a stranger. The best guidance that is humanly possible to give you—the encouraging word of neighbors, is always given.

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Resources.	
Loans and discounts	\$ 318,945.09
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
Other bonds to secure postal savings	5,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	436.98
Bonds, securities, etc.	18,459.01
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	28,807.40
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	7,478.18
Due from approved reserve agents	82,741.76
Checks and other cash items	1,705.76
Notes of other national banks	10,005.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.	211.81
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$33,039.35
Legal-tender notes	744.00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 560,074.24</b>
Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus fund	11,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	1,500.00
National bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other national banks	1507.27
Due to state and private banks and bankers	2,043.42
Due to approved reserve agents	1,222.82
Individual deposits subjects to check	243,633.07
Demand certificates of deposit	62,144.63
Time certificates of deposit	84,587.71
Certified checks	859.78
Postal savings deposits	1,075.26
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 560,074.24</b>

State of Oregon, county of Union, ss. I, T. J. Scroggin, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. J. SCROGGIN, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of April, 1913.

Notary Public. (Seal) F. S. IVANHOE, Correct—Attest: N. K. WEST, A. T. HILL, H. E. COOLIDGE, Directors.

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La Grande, Oregon, April 3, 1913. LEE WARNICK, Recorder of the city of La Grande, Oregon. 4-4-6t

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