

SUNSHINE WELCOMED

TRACK TEAM HAS BEEN HELD BACK

Big Preliminaries and Classic Means Hard Work From Now On

Balmier weather and prospects of a little real sunshine now and then has lent more ginger to work on the cinder path by high school strong-arms and fleetfoots who contemplate giving La Grande the laurels at the Eastern Oregon track and field meet at Baker this year. Extremely bad training weather has kept the work back, but in spite of the inclemency of the atmosphere, Coach Reynolds has his squad out regularly. However, comparatively little good results when the climate isn't warm and conducive to free perspiration.

Near approach of the day for the first cross-country, interclass meets and such other preliminaries to the Eastern Oregon classic to be held at Baker this year, is whetting interest in track work by the high school contingent.

Charles Reynolds and "Fat" Prescott will journey to Corvallis this week to attend the Far-Western, the biggest thing of its kind ever attempted in the west. The armory at Corvallis will be used for the meet. It is probable that other La Grander will attend. Both the men mentioned are O. A. C. grads.

VOLLEYBALL MATCH DOPED

LA GRANDE CRACKS TO GO TO BAKER

Team Representing Y. M. C. A. to Meet Baker Y. M. C. A. Soon

Baker and La Grande Y. M. C. A. volleyball teams will meet in Baker next Saturday evening. Secretary Shaw at Baker has accepted a challenge from Secretary Clark at La Grande. A team will be picked from the volleyball contingent at the Y. M. here and the trip will be made by automobile Saturday afternoon, and the game played that night.

Who's who in the La Grande team is yet to be announced.

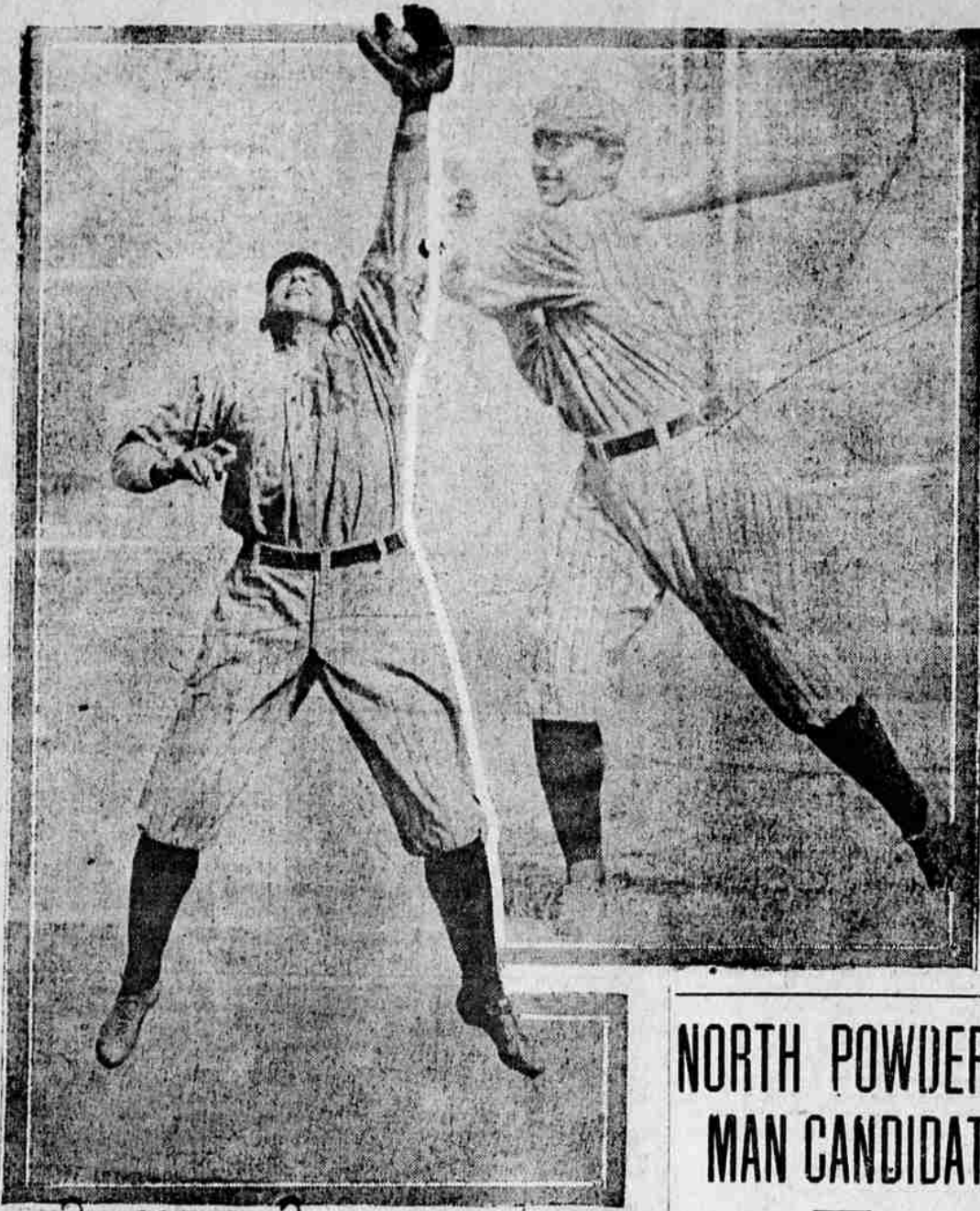
100,000 Squirrels Killed by Children

Spokane, March 28.—Reports to J. R. Shinn, farm expert of Spokane county, show that more than 100,000 squirrels were killed by school children in a contest conducted by the farm expert. One county school placed poison in 10,000 holes where squirrels lived, according to Mr. Shinn's report today.

K. of C. Heads Visit Baker

Baker, March 28.—State Deputy Wm. Barrett of Albany and District Deputy J. H. Pearce of La Grande made their annual visit to Baker Council Knights of Columbus last evening, the session being held at the residence of Rt. Rev. Bishop O'Reilly. Addresses were made by the grand lodge officers during the business ses-

HOME RUN KING, BOUGHT FOR \$25,000, IS BUSY AGAIN.



Home Run Baker

Frank Baker, the home run king, who was bought for \$25,000 by the New York American League Club, is very busy training at Macon, Ga. These photographs show he is active. He shows indications he will be in the form that made him famous with Connie Mack.

sion and Attorney A. A. Smith, Wm. J. Luchner, James Reiden and others of the Baker Council also spoke.

Rank Foolishness.

You occasionally see it stated that colds do not result from cold weather. That is rank foolishness. Were it true colds would be as prevalent in midsummer as in midwinter. The microbes that cause colds flourish in damp, cold weather. To get rid of a cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is effectual and is highly recommended by people who have used it for many years as occasion required, and known its real value. Obtainable everywhere.

Chamber of Commerce Elects Officers

Eugene, Or., March 28.—The Eugene Chamber of Commerce last night elected Joseph Koke, member of a printing firm, president, without opposition, to succeed C. D. Rorer, who has served during the past year. Frank Jenkins, managing editor of the Morning Register, was unanimously elected vice-president, and B. B. Brundage, cashier of the Bank of Commerce, was chosen treasurer without opposition. The trustees will elect a secretary at their next meeting.

Our Want Ads bring results.

NORTH POWDER MAN CANDIDATE

DEMOCRAT WILL SEEK COMMISSIONSHIP

Farmer, Stockgrower and Prominent Citizen Declares Self

W. M. Coughanour, North Powder ranch owner, live stock grower and grain raiser, who was and is a democrat, has come into the political world by announcing his candidacy for Democratic nomination to the office of county commissioner. Mr. Coughanour made the announcement last evening while in La Grande on business.

The candidate was born in Idaho but has lived in North Powder 10 years, now owning a 1400-acre ranch at that point. He is the son of W. A. Coughanour, of Payette, himself a well-known personage in this part of Oregon. His platform, tersely stated, he says, is:

"Every taxpayer in Union county shall have just consideration in all public matters."

Last evening Mr. Coughanour indicated he will make a strenuous campaign for the nomination, and if nominated, for election.

Political affairs in Umatilla county are stirring, especially among the Democrats. The Pendleton Tribune summarizes the situation there, making pertinent announcements the meanwhile, as follows:

Will M. Peterson, former chairman of the Democratic county central committee, filed with the secretary of state today his declaration of candidacy for delegate from the Second district to the Democratic National Convention in St. Louis this summer. In his declaration of principles, Mr. Peterson says:

"I am a steadfast believer in the tried and true, safe and sane, principles of the Democratic party, advocated and practiced by Jefferson, Jackson and Cleveland and now unflinchingly championed by our safe and sane leader, Woodrow Wilson, for whose reelection I firmly stand, and in whose administration, future generations will find much to praise and nothing to criticize."

"I desire to have printed on the ballot, 'For Woodrow Wilson, the man of the hour, greatest of all Presidents.'"

Matlock Urged

Another recent development in Democratic politics is the probability that Wes Matlock will make the race for the nomination as candidate for state representative. Mr. Matlock was raised in Umatilla county and has spent most of his life here. He is now in charge of the property interest of the Matlock estate. He has been prominent in Democratic politics for several years and for the past four years has been secretary of the county democratic committee. He has a large acquaintance in the city and in the county as a whole and may be expected to make a strong bid for election should he be nominated.

Mr. Matlock will probably have either J. M. Scarborough of Hermiston or L. Hodgen of Free water as a running mate. Both these men have been urged by their friends to make the race but so far, neither had made a definite announcement of acceptance or refusal. Mr. Matlock's friends have been urging him strongly to enter the race and it is said on good authority that he will make an announcement within a few days.

Will Howard May Run
Principal Will C. Howard of Stanfield has been approached by friends from Freewater, Milton, Pendleton, Stanfield and Hermiston, in all of which towns he has a large circle of

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friends, in an effort to induce him to make the race on the Democratic ticket for county school superintendent. Mr. Howard has had great experience in school matters and his friends consider him one of the most able men in the county in school matters. He was for a time president of Columbia college in Milton.

It is confidently expected that the Democrats will place a full ticket in the field this year. Although Sheriff T. D. Taylor and Assessor C. P. Strain have not yet filed their intention to become candidates again, there is little doubt that they will seek re-election.

Horace J. Stillman has been suggested as a strong candidate for coun-

ty treasurer and Will D. Chamberlain, former county clerk, is said to be willing to make the race for the office again.

G. H. Bishop of Freewater, partner of Will M. Peterson of Pendleton, is said to be contemplating seeking the nomination as district attorney and Dr. T. M. Henderson is talked of for coroner. J. R. English of Weston may be put forward for the nomination as surveyor.

George Cressy of Hermiston has already filed his declaration of intention to be a candidate for the office of county commissioner and there is a possibility that Ralph B. Stanfield of Echo will come out at the primaries in opposition.

GROUP PICTURE OF ROYAL GWENT WELSH SINGERS WHO COME TO LA GRANDE APRIL 6TH.



The Royal Gwent Welsh Singers charm an audience with their singing as Orpheus of old charmed creation with his lute. There is a fascination in the singing of these men from Wales that makes a listener spellbound while his soul is transported on the pinions of inspiration into realms he never explored in his life before. It is worth a whole lifetime to spend only an hour under the influence of the music of this magnificent organization.

To miss a concert given by the Royal Gwent Welsh Singers is just like

slipping a notch in the wheel of musical progress. One need not persuade the really musical man or woman to go and listen to the Gwent Singers but it is the duty of every musical American to persuade the indifferent public to go and hear this chorus whenever it comes their way. They owe that much to art and education, and to men who sacrifice the love of home to tour in a distant land for the love of art. Encourage your friends to hear this most wonderful concert at M. E. Church on the evening of April 6th.

New Zeppelins Better

Amsterdam, March, 28.—The Zeppelin has been vastly improved lately. There is no doubt that the Germans take it very seriously as a fighting machine. Still greater aerial activity on their part may be expected soon.

The prediction is that of a neutral, recently arrived from Germany, where he had an opportunity to see and hear much concerning the Kaiser's plans for air raiding, but whose name, for obvious reasons, cannot be published.

According to his account the newest Zeppeline is much longer and narrower than its predecessors, the latest form having proved more readily manageable in heavy weather. The gondolas hang much deeper than formerly and a bridge connects them. Both gondolas and the bridge are

metal-plated, in the hope that they may prove bullet-proof.

Each new Zeppelin carries about ten machine guns and two or three small cannons. Formerly the cannons were mounted on special platforms. It was found, however, that these were often hit, diminishing the craft's efficiency; so at present both machine guns and cannons are inside the gondolas, protected by thick steel plates.

Several new bomb-throwing devices have been adopted. An equipment has also been provided for pouring out poisonous gases upon enemies.

The improved type of air ship is built almost entirely of a combination of aluminum and steel, the rudiments have been much simplified and the motors are of far more powerful than the older ones.

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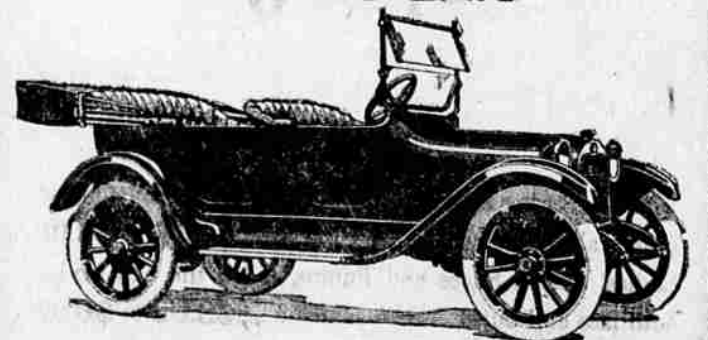
By this we mean the Overland is handled here every day in the year by an experienced Overland salesman. Also have recently installed a distributing point at Walla Walla where all parts and supplies are carried. The factory mechanic travels out of Walla Walla and will be in La Grande every few days. If you buy an Overland you get the benefit of this man's service.

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