

CRACK KANSAS NINE COMING

LA GRANDE TEAM TO BUCK FAST AGGREGATION.

Famous Ira Bidwell Coming with Barnstorming Squad.

Although there will be no ballgame in La Grande tomorrow, on account of the races, the coming week is to have a special treat in store for fans. Tuesday June 11 beginning at 2:30 o'clock, the La Grande club in the Valley league, will do battle with the Kansas City Red Sox, under Manager Ira Bidwell, this team being now on a barnstorming tour playing generally with organized baseball clubs. Through Montana and Utah the team made a grand sweep, and will bring to La Grande probably the classiest bunch of ball players the city will see in some time.

The La Grande squad will be bolstered by Eddie Ford in the outfield, Carl Evans behind the bat, and some Portland city league players. It will without question be the classiest performance of the year. The admission is 50 cents.

Visiting Manager Unique.
Manager Ira Bidwell is a well known character in western baseball. A former player himself, he has been prominent in organizing ball clubs, leagues, independent and organized, in Wyoming, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska. Bidwell is known to fans of those states just as a major league town knows its favorites.

For three years Bidwell managed the Cheyenne Indians, a great ball club which traveled all over the west and won a majority of the games each year. Traveling teams are a hobby with Ira and he has had one or two out every season for the past six years.

Ira is a well known organizer. He has done much to put baseball on the map in many towns of the corn-belt states. He has sent up many a player to the majors, among them being Zabel and Hendrix, pitchers of the Chicago club team; Zack Wheat of the Brooklyn; Mack Wheat, his brother, who caught for Buffalo in the M. E. league and was with Brooklyn for a spell, and others. Herb Mester, who managed the Great Falls and Salt Lake clubs in the Union association; Gibson, who played the outfield for Great Falls; Turgeon, who was with the Butte club in 1913, and Trainor, formerly with the Buffalo, Wyo., league club, are all prodigies of Ira Bidwell, a go-getter in baseball.

The Enterprise team plays at Cove tomorrow.

Dave Garrick is having plenty of baseball experience in Enterprise this week, his club there having been in several games during the week. Concerning these contests the Chieftain says in part:

"After being beaten in two close and fairly good games during the week the Enterprise baseball team went to Joseph for revenge yesterday, and walloped the Elgin players 27 to 4. The two teams will meet later in Elgin, and other games are expected on the home grounds.

"Last Sunday Enterprise went to Wallowa and lost 3 to 2 in a game which all good fans called a thriller. Shelton, pitching for Wallowa, was in fine form, allowing the visitors only four hits. Garrick did even better, permitting only two, but Wallowa played such good ball that it got three runs out of those two. The two teams appear to be of about even strength, the Enterprise nine suffering somewhat because practically all the players are new comers, and have not practiced together much. So they give a fine exhibition one game, and then make a poorer showing at another game.

Enterprise players lost their first game to Elgin July 4th by the score of 4 to 3 and after working their heads off, scrapping every inch of the way and in spite of a very rough ground, playing a good class of ball. Their opponents played every bit as good a game and except for the error column the averages of both games is about the same.

"Several nice fielding plays were pulled by the outfield of both teams though the visitor's infield played the best game. Of the pitchers Garrick had a little bit the best of his opponent, Darling.

"Garrick struck out five men as did also Darling. Enterprise made eight hits against Elgin's four. Enterprise has nine bad errors to its credit against Elgin's one. Neither pitcher walked a man though Garrick struck an Elgin player with a pitched ball while Darling let one man go to first on a balk."

SPORT POUPOURRI.

Lem Day and Duncan McDonald are on their way to California in Mr. Day's car.

Wallace Kaddery, crack middle-distance man and sprinter at O. A. C., who is sojourning on the Reynolds ranch this summer, is urged by the Multnomah club to attend the far Western track meet and championship games of the N. A. U. at San Diego August 15th. Lester Fee of Pendleton may also go. The whole proposition is more or less undecided at this date.

The Y. M. C. A. Tennis Club tournament has been begun after some delay from bad weather. The first doubles to be played was put on last night Drahn and Currey winning over Birnie and Nelson 7-5, 3-3. Lefel has defaulted to Drahn, King has beaten Currey 6-0, 8-0 and Nelson has beaten Good 6-4, 6-1. There remain several matches yet to be played.

Imbler, July 7—(Special)—Several Imblerites are planning auto trips to

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Vic Berger has returned from Baker where he put his adversary to sleep in a recent bout there. The scrapper says his foe was not Jack Root at all, but Joe Bond, a Tacoma man whom Berger has been wanting to meet for a good while, and the duplicity on Bond's part, Berger says, was not disclosed until just before the match started.

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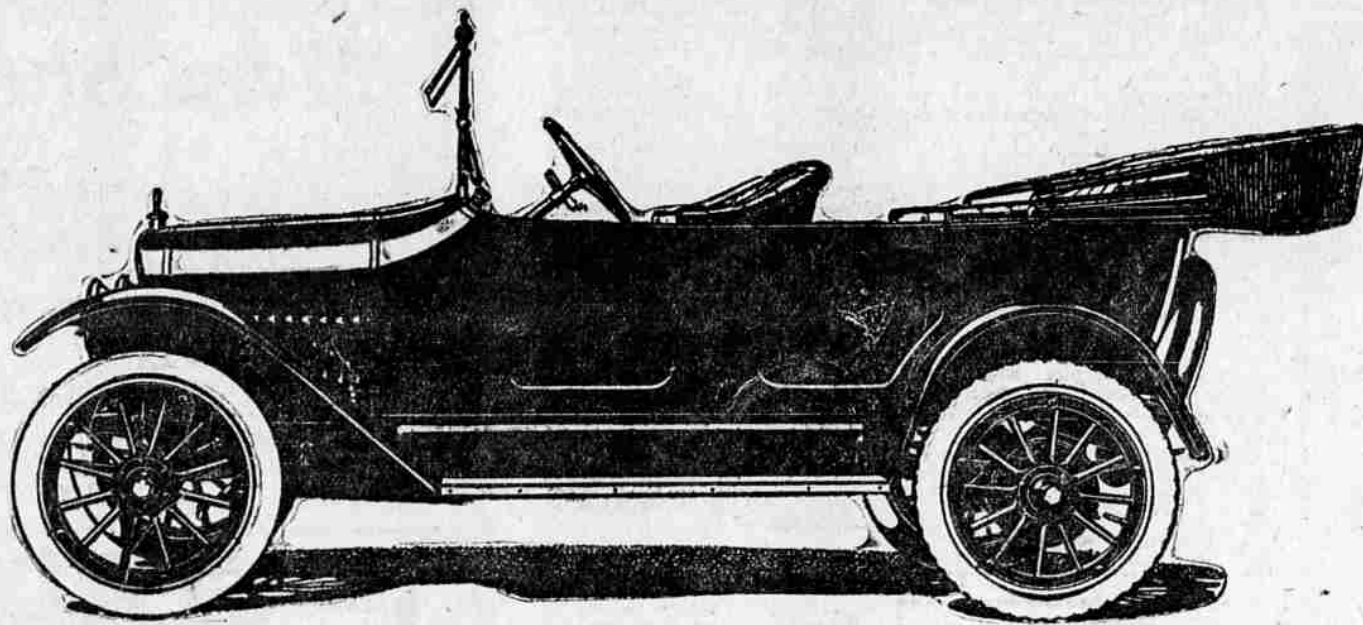
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