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CRAVATH READY TO SLUG WAY TO TOP AGAIN

BY H. C. HAMILTON
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
New York, May 10.—Gavvy Cravath, mourned a year ago as lost to the Phillies when he failed to open a campaign of fence busting, has headed his horses straight for fame again by starting the season with several home runs.

The demon slugger almost slid out of the National league last summer after he had been benched for inability to hit. Waivers were asked on him and he was headed for the Pacific Coast league. However, it was a wrong hunch, for the National leaguers wouldn't waive and Gavvy stuck around.

It was in 1915, the year the Phils won a National league championship, that Cravath banged out twenty-four home runs and hung up a record for the league. But when his team struggled into the world's series Gavvy and his heavy bat might just as well have been in a locker in the clubhouse. He fell down with considerable gusto.

That may have taken the pepper out of him. Anyway, it was a different Cravath who reported for duty the following spring, and when the season opened he was woefully weak at the bat. With his average suffering from a slump Gavvy rapidly be-



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Trying to Motor to La Grande.

J. E. Blovin, representative of the

Montersastrelli marble works, and R. I. Vonnum, auto polisher, set out this morning in a Ford to make the attempt to cross the Blue Mountains to La Grande. They went as far as Calhoun Hill yesterday and believe they can make it over the summit despite the snow and bad roads.—East Oregonian.

Fresh, strong, white, pure water glass—40c quart, 25c pint, \$1.50 gallon. La Grande Pharmacy. 5-5-tf

Last Night of the "Hip" Shows.
Tonight is the last night of the "Hip" shows. The circuit will be suspended during the summer season.

All motorcycle and bicycle accessories at cost. Now is the time to buy. Leighton Garage. 2-17-tf

A Real Charivari.

Upon their arrival home W. M. Pearce and bride received a warm welcome of the old-fashioned kind that is very seldom experienced but once and that is upon a wedding day. The Elks gave the new bride and groom the joys of a real "charivari" (yes that's the way "chivaree" is spelled.) Taking them on a joy ride last evening in Pat Foley's baggage cart hooked behind an automobile. After enjoying the sights of the city and music rendered by the boys they adjourned to the Pearce home where refreshments were served.

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game useless in other points of the game and he was finally stationed on the bench and then started for a minor league berth.

When the slugger showed up this spring the wise critics began to figure him for a pinch-hitting job and an occasional day of fly-chasing when the other outfielders needed rest. Claude Cooper was voted his job. Cravath, however, fooled them. His bat began doing its deadly work early in the training days and when the season opened there he was, doing patrol duty in his old right field berth.

Before the season was two weeks old Cravath had slammed out three runs and any number of the other kind of hits.

They don't all come back, but Gavvy Cravath is making an awful effort to disprove that one of them can.

Didn't Know War Was On.

London, May 10.—(United Press)—William Davis, escaped a fine as an army absentee on the plea that he didn't know England was at war. His inability to read or write supported the alibi.

EIGHT THOUSAND BUCKEYE KIDS WILL FARM

Columbus, O., May 10.—(United Press)—Seeking to lead its sister states in averting a food famine by producing bumper crops, Ohio this summer will place 8,000 boys and girls at work on farms and in gardens under the supervision of Ohio State University.

At least 2,000 of these children will be boys of the Ohio Corn Boys' Club. They will produce at least 50,000 bushels of corn, it is estimated.

Boys' and Girls' Club leaders of the state university will have direct supervision of the children's work.

Each boy will have at least one acre for corn growing. They should average 25 bushels of corn per acre. Other children will grow potatoes, raise pigs and poultry and do their bit in canning and garden clubs.

HARVARD MEN DRILLING.

Cambridge, Mass., May 10.—(United Press)—With all exams cleared away under a special arrangement, Harvard University students and graduates began intensive military training this week.

Students and graduates, the latter all under the age of 32, were spanked into form by a half dozen French officers—men who have seen actual service but are unfit for further service on the battlefields. The minimum age for these recruits for the reserve officers corps is 19.

From now on these men will train 10 hours a day for five days a week. At this rate it is expected about 2000 men will in a few months be prepared for service with the rank of lieutenant.

"The Hoe Behind the Gun!"

"When the eagle screams," says Farm and Fireside, "our thoughts will be those at the front rather than for the great agricultural army patiently serving at home."

Not necessarily. Already the national slogan has been changed to "the hoe behind the gun."

To Clean Polished Floors.
Use equal parts of linseed oil, turpentine, and vinegar. Put in a pan and use a rag as though you were washing with water. A teaspoonful of each will clean four ordinary rooms. This is nice for cleaning woodwork, and will dry in a few minutes.—Farm and Fireside.

Sergeant Wygant's Career.

Sergeant R. C. Wygant, of Company M, who left last night to join the Officers' Reserve has had an interesting career.

While attending the Oregon Agricultural College, he was designated by President Roosevelt for second lieutenant in the regular army. After a detail in the army service schools he spent four years in Panama under the Isthmian Canal Commission. In 1910 he was stationed under Major McInloe on district of Columbia River. For two and one-half years he was assistant state engineer of Oregon under John Lewis, in charge of topographical surveys and irrigation work.

On September 22, 1914, Sergeant Wygant enlisted with Company M. He was promoted to Corporal in October of that year and to Warrant Sergeant in the first of 1915. The summer of 1916 he spent on the Mexican border. He leaves for San Francisco tonight for a cavalry assignment on that branch of the line. He was notified that he was to receive a captaincy.

During Sergeant Wygant's stay in La Grande he has made a host of friends, who though rejoicing with him in his good luck, will greatly miss him.

CANADA HANGS AMERICAN CROOK.

Sandwich, Ont., May 10.—(United Press)—James Hogue, alias Steward, notorious American crook, today paid with his life for the murder of W. Marshall Jackson, Canadian deportation officer, of Winnipeg. He died on the scaffold in the Sandwich jail yard. Hogue shot down Jackson in the smoking compartment of a Canadian Pacific passenger train near Windsor, last January. He was in Jackson's custody, being brought to the border to be turned over to Michigan authorities.

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