# SPORT NEWS

## LA GRANDERS CONTINUE TO HIT 'EM OUT

In their game with Pasco at Pasco, Wash., Sunday the slugging Pirates kept up their hitting averages despite the fact that they made but four runs. Thirteen safeties were registered which brought the team average up to .283 for the season. The team Sunday hit .365.

Rube Davis is now leading the regulars with a percentage of .407. In 27 times at bat Davis has connected with 11 hits. Thelson is second with .391, Peckham third with .353 and Alexander fourth with .304.

Hector McInnis, who has been serving as a pinch hitter, has landed on the ball twice out of three times up giving him a percentage of .667. The official list follows:

| | AB | H | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| McInnis, u | 3 | 2 | .667 |
| Davis, 2b | 27 | 11 | .405 |
| Thelson, If | 23 | 9 | .391 |
| Peckham, 1b | 17 | 6 | .353 |
| Alexander, rf | 23 | 7 | .304 |
| Garity, cf | 7 | 2 | .286 |
| Peterson, c | 29 | 8 | .276 |
| Knight, 3b | 26 | 7 | .269 |
| Helms, ss | 23 | 6 | .261 |
| Bench, p | 15 | 4 | .222 |
| Rosenbaum cf | 6 | 1 | .167 |
| Team (Sunday) | 36 | 13 | .365 |
| Team (season) | 257 | 73 | .308 |

By winning the Sunday game Bench brought his total number of consecutive victories to five.

Next Sunday Walla Walla will play La Grande at La Grande, Pendleton will play Milton-Freewater at Pendleton, and Pasco will play Dayton at Dayton.

well and made few errors but were held out to the final frame of the 11th inning.

Bable pitched the entire game for the Ninth nine with Wirch receiving. In the preceding game between the two teams played several weeks ago the La Grande team came out the victor with a score of 12 to 5.

## Bone Expert Cannot Tell Why Cards and Browns Lose Contests

ST. LOUIS (INS)—Circuit Judge George E. Mix, presiding at the trial of a $15,000 damage suit brought by William C. Lowe, motorman, against the United Railways for alleged injuries, cast judicial dignity to the winds when Dr. Robert Hyland, witness for the plaintiff, identified himself as the official physician of the St. Louis American and National League baseball clubs.

Seeing visions of "inside dope" on the Cardinals and Browns, his honor leaned forward toward the witness, resting his chin in his palms.

"So you are the bone specialist for the Browns and Cardinals?" the judge asked, with emphasis on the "bone."

Dr. Hyland nodded.

"You are just the man I've been looking for for several years," the court continued. "No doubt you can tell me what is the matter with the St. Louis teams. Why can't they win ball games?"

"That's too deep for an ordinary physician," Dr. Hyland replied.

## Polo Victim

A. J. Devereaux, world-famed polo player and horseman, and wealthy Philadelphia society man, who was thrown so violently in several polo matches that his brain was injured. He was adjudged insane and sent to a Pennsylvania hospital for treatment.

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in far worse a state than anyone, except those on the inside, realized.

Experts say that the claim made that America is on a ratio of one compared with Japan's three is exaggerated, but it is believed here that the basis of three and a half to three is not far wrong.

Secretary of Navy Wilbur doesn't take kindly to these revelations, probably on account of the administration's talk of further disarmament. But recent leaks make further exposure difficult to forestall.

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Investigations by senatorial committees have been progressing so long that they are getting to be a bit stale. But they continue nevertheless.

Senate office building operators now call their floors something like this:

"Main floor—land fraud hearings!

"Second floor—world court and Wheeler indictment!

"Third floor—oil hearings and Muscle Shoals!

"Fourth floor—Daugherty investigation!"

### VETERANS CLOSE MEET

SALEM, Ore.—Edward L. Clark of Salem was elected commander of the disabled American Veterans of World wars at the closing session of the fourth annual convention of the organization here. Other officers elected included Theodore H. Green, Salem, state vice commander; H. E. Shaw, Corvallis, state treasurer, and M. Wesley Goss, Salem, state chaplain. Urban A. Keppinger, Corvallis, is state adjutant.

A number of resolutions were adopted by the convention, the most important of which indorsed without amendments the so-called Reed bill relating to assistance for veterans.

The meeting place for next year will be announced later by the state commander.

## O. A. C. POLO TEAM WINNER

VANCOUVER, Wash. (Special)—With Oregon Agricultural college's crack polo team leading, 15 to 2, at the start of the sixth chukker, Seattle staged a desperate rally in the last two chukkers and outplaying the visiting collegians in every phase of the game, scored three goals to the Aggies' one but the lead was too much for the Puget Sound team to overcome and O. A. C. won the fourth game of the Pacific northwest polo tournament here Monday afternoon, 18 to 5.

The Seattle team, playing its second match game since it was first organized showed itself to be a vastly improved team over the one that fell before Boise Saturday. The Puget Sound players, overawed by their experienced opponents, did not let themselves out until the last two chukkers but when they finally did get started they displayed polo skill and horsemanship hitherto unsuspected. At the end of the first half the score was 12 to 1 in favor of O. A. C. Lieutenant J. G. Christiansen proved the individual star of the day, scoring 5 goals. Captain F. M. Fuecker carried off individual honors for Seattle playing an excellent field game and scoring two goals.

Camp Lewis and Boise will meet tomorrow.

### Millers to Meet in Denver.

DENVER, Colo. (AP)—The Association of Operative Millers will hold its twenty-ninth annual convention in Denver during the week of June 2 to 7, according to a recent announcement. Membership in the association includes representatives from all parts of the United States, Canada and England, and even China and Japan. Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of 1,000 millers and their families.

Technical problems of milling operation and allied subjects will make up the major part of the convention program.

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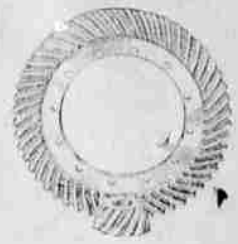

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## BASEBALL

National League

| Clubs | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 18 | 7 | .667 |
| New York | 14 | 8 | .636 |
| Chicago | 14 | 11 | .560 |
| Brooklyn | 11 | 11 | .500 |
| Boston | 8 | 10 | .444 |
| Pittsburg | 10 | 12 | .455 |
| St. Louis | 8 | 13 | .381 |
| Philadelphia | 6 | 12 | .333 |

American League

| Clubs | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 14 | 6 | .700 |
| Boston | 10 | 8 | .556 |
| Detroit | 11 | 9 | .550 |
| St. Louis | 11 | 10 | .524 |
| Chicago | 8 | 10 | .444 |
| Washington | 10 | 12 | .455 |
| Cleveland | 9 | 11 | .450 |
| Philadelphia | 6 | 14 | .300 |

National League

At St. Louis: St. Louis 5, New York 2.

At Chicago: Brooklyn 7, Chicago 2.

At Cincinnati: Cincinnati 4, Philadelphia 1.

Boston at Pittsburg, rain, postponed.

American League—Postponed

Chicago at New York; wet grounds.

St. Louis at Boston; rain.

Cleveland at Philadelphia; rain.

Detroit at Washington; wet grounds.

## Local Shop Baseball Nine Is Defeated

The Elgin shopmen stole a march on the local shop team Sunday on their own home grounds, defeating the La Grande nine 13 to 12 in 11 innings.

Herman Yeckl started on the mound for La Grande pitching to Scriber and went fine for the nine innings when he was replaced by his brother Henry Yeckl who pitched the remainder of the game. The La Grande team played

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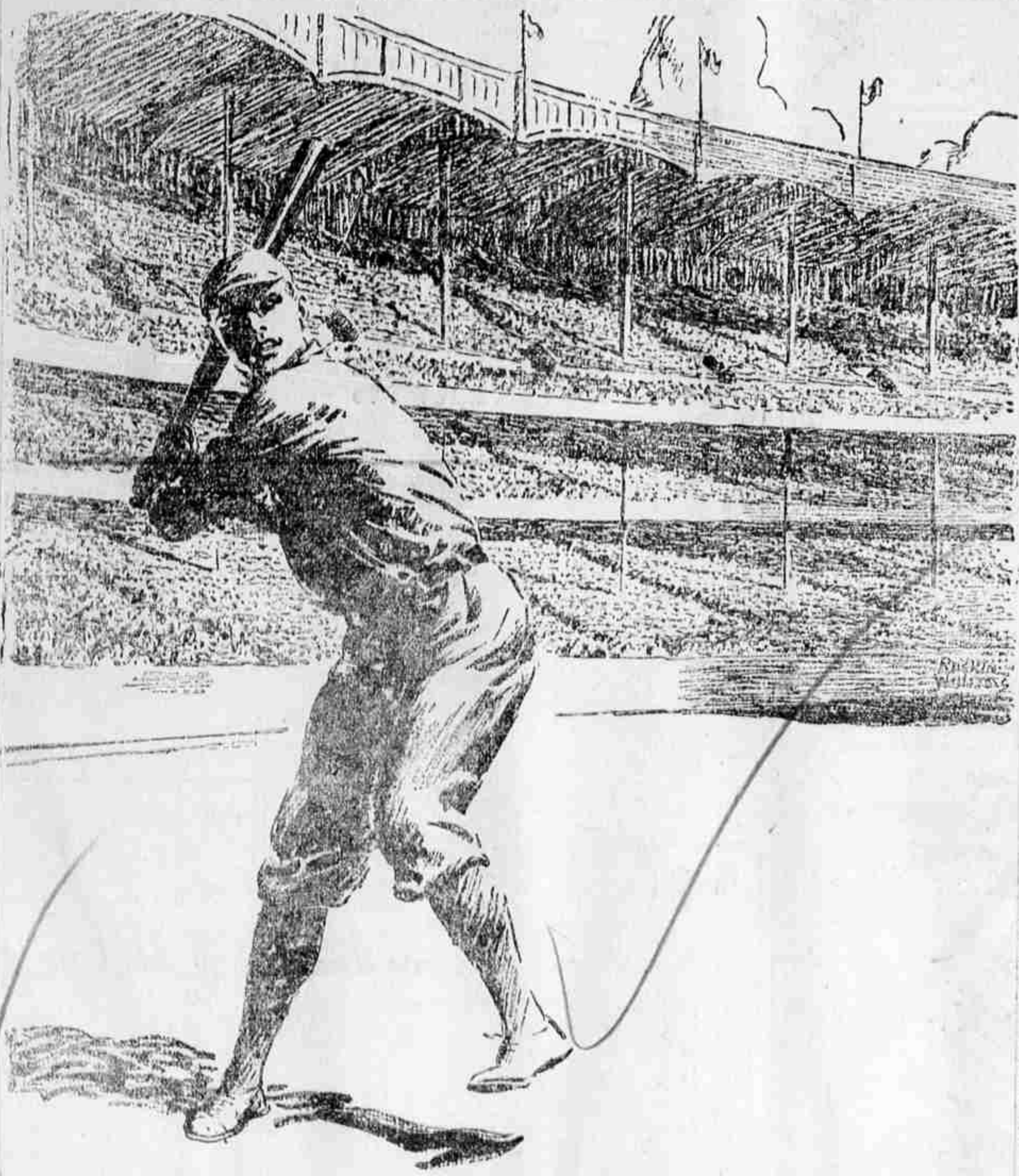

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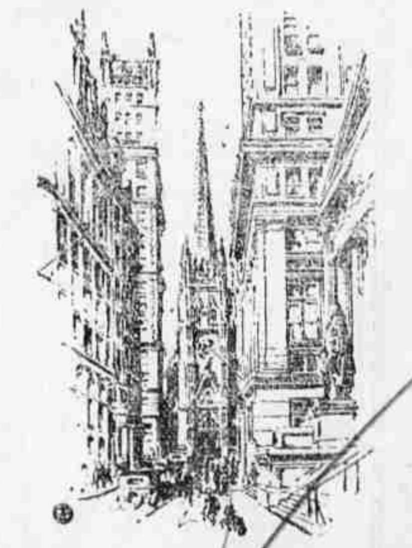

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