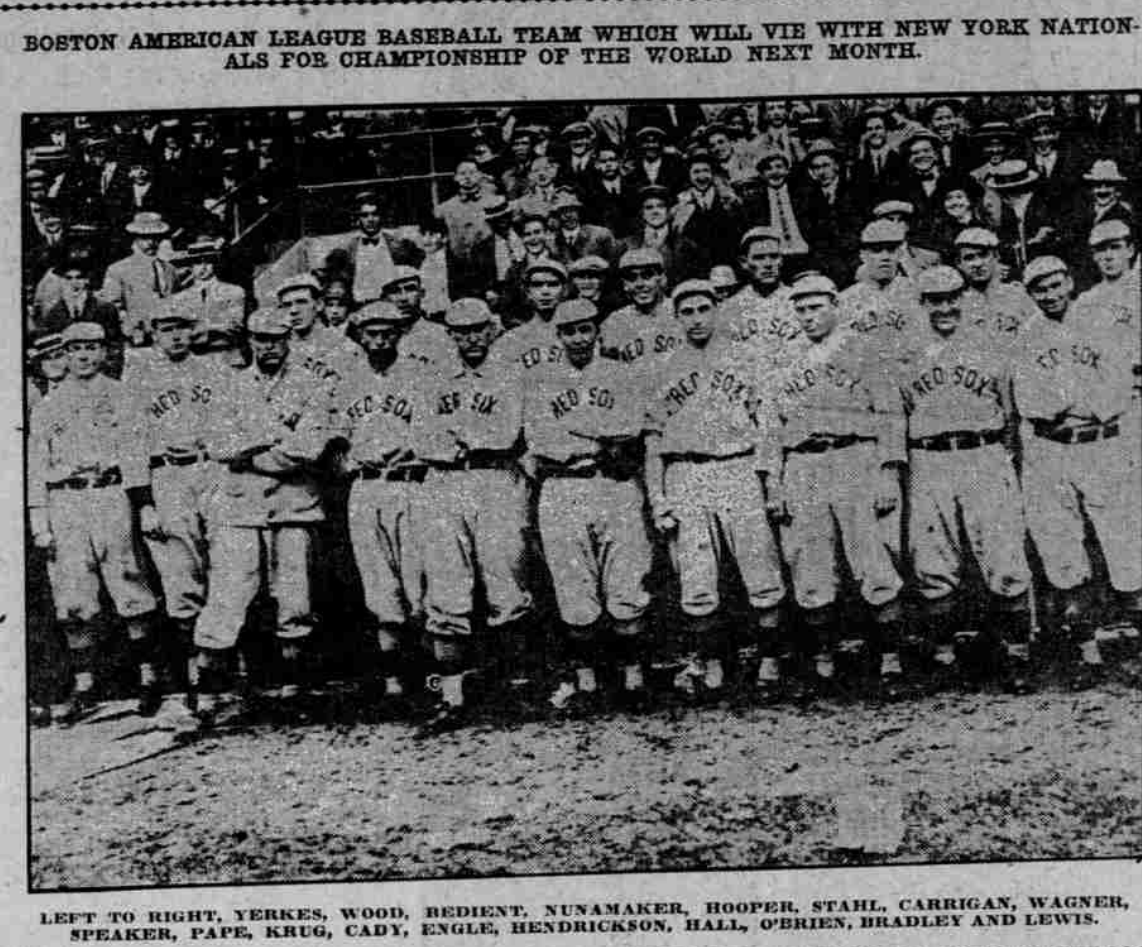


WATER OBSERVATION Material and Immaterial Sport Syllogisms by Roscoe Fawcett

"It Is Not Known Exactly on What Ticket Some of the Candidates Are Running, but, 'Pye Crickey,' President Taft Is Running on a Return Ticket."—Abe's Philosophy.

SEATTLE newspaper poked a little fun at Nick Williams, of the Portland Northwestern club, because of his habit of encouraging pitchers by the hackneyed expression, "Datta boy?"

heavy flation to the end of the donkey's tail, and unable to raise the same, the boy of the bridge was slipped in the bud and the boarder slept.



BOSTON AMERICAN LEAGUE BASEBALL TEAM WHICH WILL VIE WITH NEW YORK NATIONALS FOR CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WORLD NEXT MONTH.

Bill holds his palms together, as if contemplating a high dive or divine prayer, until the ball futtering down almost to handball boundaries. Then the proper of a 1400-revolution hydroplane has nothing on him for action.

THIS is the open season for college professors and baseball drafting. The latter assumption is ushered in today with the major leagues entitled to five days of star gazing along the outposts of the five minor leagues.

draft prices, which go into practice for the first time today, are almost double the former scale, and the majors will investigate fully before proffering \$2500 for a draft from a Class AA player because there will be small likelihood of them being able to dispose of the player should he not make good.

October 7 to 12, and for Class C drafts. In the Coast League the two most promising stars, Miller, of the Seals, and Berger, of the Angels, are already owned by the majors, so it is hardly probable that we will lose more than three men by draft this fall season.

clubs must necessarily secure reinforcements each Spring from the majors, but there's no reason why they should not buy their talent outright and discontinue the practice of giving the seller the right to recall the man if he proves a star.

Everybody on earth has heard the story of the Summer boarder whose window looked out upon the mountains over the barnyard, wherein a jackass was wont to breathe his sadness into the morning air.

After five days of the grueling minor league season, the clubs of the three Class A leagues rake over the remnants, the only restriction being one man from each Class A club from one of the minor leagues.

the majors pay \$2500 for each player drafted from Class AA; \$1500 for each player from Class A, \$1200 for each player from Class B, \$750 for each player from Class C.

Henceforth the Pacific Coast clubs will be able to keep their lineups intact, but a new danger now confronts the league, viz: the growth of the major league system, which permits the player from Class C, who is purchased by the majors, to be drafted by the majors.

Speaking of "gawf," we enjoyed a large crowd of Multnomah boys who made reservations for the special train chartered by Oliver K. Jeffery and others.

Heine Heitmuller suffers slump in hitting. Kane dropping back, too. Pete Daley, Bayless and Hettling among leaders of Coast Sluggers.

Heine Heitmuller, the giant Los Angeles outfielder, is enjoying a temporary slump, and this, coupled with a series of awaiting rallies by the two Coast League leaders, Howard's mark is 362 and Heitmuller's 346.

Spokane Fielder Tops Northwestern Sluggers. James Premier Twirler Meek, of Victoria, Heads Hitters Who Have Played in Majority of Games—McDowell Stands at Top of Portland Batters.

It is reasonable to place a batter ahead of men who have faced Northwestern pitchers from three to five times more frequently, than "Chick" Hartley, the new Spokane outfielder, will undoubtedly lead the sluggers of the Northwest League by a big margin.

Each of Teams Likely to Vie in Pennant Race Has Two Crack Base Stealers, With Speaker Head and Shoulders Above.

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THE tendency of the Christian ministers to concern themselves with the material as well as the spiritual matters of life is growing year by year.

THE wild arum is certainly a naughty plant. Professor Bottomly, M. A., a professor in King's College, London, explains in a recent lecture how flowers are dependent upon insects for their fertilization.

COCK breaks oddly at times. Harold L. Hilton, the English golf expert, had just published a book on how to win championships, when an American second-rater bumped him at the Wheaton Country Club.

CRICKET AVERAGES COMPILED. Tarleton Leads Both in Bowling and Batting in Portland Club.

AMERICAN RIFLE SHOTS WIN. Both Canadian and United States Teams Break Records.

Sanders Whips Jack Sullivan. SYDNEY, N. S. W., Sept. 14.—An Australian heavy-weight boxer named Sanders outpointed Jack Sullivan, an American pugilist, in a scheduled 20-round contest here today.

nice chat with Roosevelt, when here Wednesday, at a farewell tea given at the home of Thomas McCusker.

THE eleven making the forward pass is considered to be still in possession until the pass is declared incomplete.

CHEHALIS Expects Championship Football Eleven. MATERIAL APPEARS GOOD Men to Be Well Equipped for Hard Season in Hope of Repeating Successes of Last Year—Cousins of Vean Gregg in Squad.

CHEHALIS Wash., Sept. 14.—(Special)—It is not only possible but the way things are now lining up it is probable that Chehalis will have a High School football team as good if not better than last year when the boys went through the season without meeting defeat.

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Greggs Cousins of Vean. The squad is not without its glitzy-glitzy features, either, at least there is one. The two brothers, Walter and Alfred Greggs, are cousins of the famous baseball pitcher, Vean Greggs, and his brother, Dave Greggs.