

# SPORTS

## BUCKS WIN AGAINST LA GRANDE; KNELL GETS IN WRONG

Umpire Has Narrow Escape From Being Mobbed at Conclusion of Game.

	W.	L.	P.C.
Walla Walla	37	21	.638
Pendleton	32	27	.542
Boise	27	31	.466
La Grande	20	37	.392

La Grande, Ore., July 17.—By pitching himself out of two holes in the final frames, Osborne yesterday succeeded in winning the first of the series off of the home bunch. With a score six to four in favor of the Buckaroos, he filled the bases both in the eighth and ninth and then retired the side and killed the hopes of the fans. Pitted against him was McIvor who to date has been defeated by no other team in the league. This makes the third one he has dropped to the Garrettmans.

Umpire Phil Knell had a close escape from being mobbed at the conclusion of the game, the fans being aroused at his final decision which prevented the Pippins from tying the score. However, the quick work of an officer in bundling him into a rig and hustling him to his hotel prevented any violence. There were a number of close plays in the game and both sides took occasion to kick several times.

Yesterday's game was snappy and intensely interesting, notwithstanding a few ragged spots.

### Tabulated Score.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Pendleton	36	6	12	27	11	3
La Grande	20	4	11	27	16	4

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Augustus, ss	5	0	1	1	4	2
Robinson 2b	5	1	2	2	0	0
Pembroke, c	4	0	1	9	1	0
Nadeau, cf	5	1	3	5	2	0
Reld, lf	5	2	2	0	0	1
Lodell, lb	2	1	1	6	0	0
Wilson, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Rader, 3b	4	1	2	3	0	0
Osborne, p	3	0	0	1	2	0

Totals . . . . .36 6 12 27 11 3  
 La Grande: AB R H PO A E  
 Esola, 2b . . . . .5 0 2 0 2 0  
 Naughton, ss . . . . .4 0 0 5 3 1  
 Luttrell, 3b . . . . .5 0 2 0 2 0  
 Barry, 1b . . . . .2 2 1 12 3 1  
 Harmon, lf . . . . .4 0 0 2 0 1  
 King, c . . . . .4 0 2 3 0 1  
 Cannon, cf . . . . .3 1 0 4 0 0  
 Forbes, rf . . . . .3 1 3 0 0 0  
 McIvor, p . . . . .4 0 1 6 6 0

## LONDON READY FOR BIG AERO MEET

London, July 17.—Aeroplanes that are to take part in the meet which the British war office has planned to find out which are the best military aeroplanes in the world have been delivered at the army aeroplane sheds at Lark Hill, near Amesbury, Wilts, and airmen will begin practice today for the competition which begins later in the month. The contest is open to the world for aeroplanes made in any country. The first prize is \$20,000 second prize, \$10,000. Then there are prizes open to British subjects for aeroplanes manufactured wholly in the United Kingdom except the engines, as follows: First prize, \$7500; two second prizes, \$5000 each and three third prizes, \$2500 each. No competitor is to take more than \$25,000 and the war office reserves the right to vary the propositions of the prizes in each section if the merits of the machines warrant it, or to withhold any prize if there is no machine recommended for it by the judges' committee.

The war office is to have the option of purchasing for \$5000 any machine awarded the prize, and the owners of ten selected machines which pass all the flying tests and are not awarded a prize are to receive \$500 for each machine so tested.

In the preliminary tests each aeroplane has to fulfill the following conditions: Carry a live load of 350 pounds in addition to equipment of instruments, with fuel and oil 4 1/2 hours; provide accommodation for a flyer and observer and the controls should be capable of use by either flyer or observer; fly for three hours

Here—everywhere—in the frozen north—in the fever ridden swamps of the tropics they look to me for aid.  
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### GENTLY, MAN, GENTLY.

Deal kindly with the gentle ump.  
 Nor speak him harsh nor tart,  
 Mayhap beneath his coat of blue  
 There beats a human heart.  
 And though his judgment rotten be,  
 His eyesight far from keen,  
 O prithee kick you not his slats,  
 Nor nick him on the bean,  
 And though with rude and ruthless rule

The home team he may flop,  
 Forbear to bounce upon his knob  
 The bottle filled with pop,  
 And rank though his decisions be,  
 His rulings rough and raw,  
 O pray you counter not to swing  
 Nor jab to point of jaw  
 But speak him fair in gentle sooth,  
 With accent mild and bland,  
 Likewise his plumage softly preen,  
 And feed him from your hand,  
 For wit ye well the gentle ump  
 Hath troubles of his own;  
 'Tis twixt clashing clans and fussing fans

He standeth all alone,  
 And mark ye well, the striving teams  
 He holdeth in his clutch,  
 Are not composed of mamma boys,  
 O' far be they from such.  
 And what though fans may clap their hands,  
 And even their feet may thump,  
 And hail the game with loud acclaim,

Who ever cheers the ump?  
 So why shouldst you his fair eyes black,  
 Or rudely hoot or honk?  
 Why seek to rap his classic map,  
 Or ding him on the conk?  
 For well ye ween, in very truth,  
 He reckoneth not two pins,  
 But looks alike on ball and strike,  
 Nor cares a whoop who wins.  
 —George S. Appelgarth in Sporting News.

loaded as in Clause 1, and attain an altitude of 4500 feet. Maintain a height of at least 1500 feet for one hour. Rate of climbing to average not less than 200 feet a minute for the first 1000 feet. Attain an air speed of not less than 55 miles an hour loaded as in Clause 1.

### N. W. LEAGUE GAMES.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
At Vancouver, B. C.	R. H. E.					
Seattle	1	3	2			
Vancouver	5	8	0			
Batteries—Fullerton and Whaling; Gervais and Lewis.						
Second game:	R. H. E.					
Seattle	1	3	2			
Vancouver	3	7	0			
Batteries—Gordon and Wally; Clark and Sepulveda.						
At Victoria:	R. H. E.					
Tacoma	7	11	0			
Victoria	2	7	3			
Batteries—Hunt and LaLonde; Kaitinear and Singler, Meek.						
At Spokane:	R. H. E.					
Portland	7	14	3			
Spokane	4	9	1			
Batteries—Bloomfield, Girrot and Harris; Kraft and Ostdiek.						

### COAST LEAGUE GAMES.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
At San Francisco:	R. H. E.					
Oakland	2	7	2			
San Francisco	1	4	3			
At Los Angeles:	R. H. E.					
Los Angeles	8	12	0			
Sacramento	2	7	2			
Portland and Vernon game postponed.						

### AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
At Boston:	R. H. E.					
Boston	7	9	1			
Detroit	2	6	1			
At Washington:	R. H. E.					
Washington	7	9	2			
Chicago	2	6	2			
At St. Louis, 1st game:	R. H. E.					
St. Louis	5	9	1			
New York	1	6	0			
Second game:	R. H. E.					
St. Louis	3	8	2			
New York	1	7	2			
At Philadelphia:	R. H. E.					
Philadelphia	5	10	2			
Cleveland	2	10	0			

### NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
NAT						
At Chicago:	R. H. E.					
Chicago	3	6	4			
New York	1	7	3			
At Cincinnati:	R. H. E.					
Philadelphia	5	13	2			
Cincinnati	4	10	2			
At Pittsburgh:	R. H. E.					
Pittsburg	5	12	1			
Brooklyn	4	8	0			

## TRI-STATE RECORD BROKEN BY BEARS

Boise, Idaho, July 17.—The Western Tri-State League record was broken here yesterday when Boise and the Bears went 15 innings before the issue was finally decided in favor of the visitors, 4 to 3. Not only was the game an endurance contest, but probably never before in the history of the league has one contest furnished so many thrills. Time after time each side saved its bacon with an apparently impossible play. O'Loughlin outpitched Leonard, but the support accorded the latter was magnificent. Each pitcher was pulled out of bad holes by the support accorded him.

Childers' single made the winning run possible in the 15th. Johnson bunted, sending Childers to second, and Clark dropped the throw. O'Loughlin knocked down Thompson's hit and Childers was forced out at third, but Johnson took second and scored when Reams and Luckner mused up a possible double that would have retired the side. Boise had chances to win in the 11th and 14th. In the 11th Altermatt hit for a double. When he tried to score on Kelly's single, however, he secured a poor start and Johnson caught him at the plate by a perfect peg.

Mays was on second with one out in the 14th. O'Loughlin singled and Mays, misunderstanding the coacher's signal, stopped between the bags when he should have scored the winning run. He was caught between cushions. Childers and Altermatt again made sensational plays that kept the many base hits over third from deciding the contest. Kelly's home run in the seventh tied the score and allowed the game to go extra innings. The hitting of Mays was a feature.

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Harmon, cf . . . . .6 0 0 2 1 0  
 Childers, 2b . . . . .7 2 3 3 6 0  
 Johnson, lf . . . . .6 1 1 1 1 0  
 Thompson, 1b . . . . .4 0 0 16 0 0  
 Davis, ss . . . . .6 1 1 3 7 0  
 Brown, c . . . . .6 0 2 10 2 0  
 Jones, 2b . . . . .6 0 1 4 4 3  
 Kelly, rf . . . . .6 1 0 4 0 0  
 Leonard, p . . . . .6 0 0 1 2 0

Totals . . . . .53 4 8 45 23 3  
 Score by innings:  
 W. W. . . . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—4  
 Boise . . . . . 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—3  
 Summary—Sacrifice hits: Johnson, Luckner. Two-base hits: Altermatt, Scott, Brown (2). Three-base hit: Mays. Home run: Kelly. Double plays: Reams to Clark, Brown to Thompson. Altermatt (unassisted). Struck out: By O'Loughlin, 12; by Leonard 7. Base on balls: Off O'Loughlin, 4; off Leonard, 1. Hit by pitcher: Davis, Thompson. Time: 2:55. Umpire: Golden.

### DIAMOND DUST

A team batting average of .332 for a series looks like a league record.

Osborne evened up matters yesterday with McIvor for that game he lost here last week to the Pippin southpaw.

Barry has signed up a new substitute catcher and outfielder in the person of Cannon. He must be some big gun.

Reld, the new Pendleton outfielder, has secured two hits in each of the four games he has played. It is said he was the leading batter of the Washington State league last year and it seems he is after another scalp.

Lefty Hewitt has been suspended by Manager Garrett. He was loaned to North Powder and failed to report back. The consensus of opinion is that we can get along without him.

Jimmie Mensor, La Grande's outfielder, spent yesterday in the local hospital upon the advice of a physician who diagnosed his ailment as a threatened attack of typhoid. However, he was so much improved this morning that he was allowed to join his team.

Hap Smith, the hardhitting Pippin whose rowdy methods forced his removal from two games last week, was not in the game yesterday. It is probable that he is suspended pending an investigation of the affair.

Last week Golden was a thief of the first water, according to the La Grande way of thinking. Yesterday it was Knell who was the robber.

Garrett will probably twirl for Pendleton today and its pretty good bet that he will get away with the game.

There is one field which the insurance companies have not yet invaded in reaching out for business. They

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have not yet taken to writing poetries on umpires' reputations. Doubtless their business acumen tells them that it would be a losing game.

That game in Boise yesterday must have been a thriller and it probably was a voiceless bunch of fans that left the park after the close of the fifteenth inning.

The Bears didn't fatten their batting averages off O'Loughlin yesterday. Only eight hits were secured in 54 times at bat.

## CROP OF UMATILLA ABOUT SAME AS IN 1911; 5,500,000

(Hyman H. Cohen in Portland Journal.)

Athens, Ore.—Umatilla county will in all probability produce 5,500,000 bushels of wheat this season. This is a conservative estimate, it may be a trifle too much so.

The only drawback to the wheat crop of Oregon's premier wheat growing county this season is that the wheat grew too well. This statement needs no qualification among those most familiar with the situation.

In the section tributary to Athens, both east and west, wheat grew so high and heavy this season that considerable of it is lying down. The total output of wheat in Umatilla county this season will depend much upon how much of this grain can be saved by the threshing crew and combines.

The greatest damage in this respect was done within a few miles of Athens.

A Country of 40 Bushel Average. In the country east from Pendleton there is every indication of an average better than 40 bushels per acre. Some of the wheat will go to 50 bushels but the average will be well within 40 bushels. While the present season is a remarkable one in the light land sections, the rainfall which helped the wheat there was rather harmful to the growing grain in the heavier lands.

In the normal season when there is but little wheat to harvest in the light-land sections, the country from Pendleton to Weston and over to Milton, always comes forward with a good yield. Therefore the present crop year may be considered rather freakish inasmuch as it has built up the yields of the ground usually called poor while it has really harmed the section where the best production is usually found.

Slight Decrease in Acreage. Taking Umatilla county as a whole there is a smaller acreage of wheat growing this season. This decrease is generally estimated at about 10 per cent although some consider the slight increase in the light land planting will make up most of this. There is uniformly among the growing wheat in this section, such

as is shown in other parts of the state. Only where the grain has fallen, due to excessive growth of heads and stormy weather, does an uneven surface show. In the Athens section perhaps the hardest hit farmer in this respect was W. S. Ferguson, who lost considerable wheat as a result of the storms of a few weeks ago.

As in former years there are certain small tracts in the Athens section that will go better than 50 bushels per acre. This, however, cannot be considered a representative of the crop in general because such enormous yields grow only in spots and on very small tracts that have been carefully nursed.

Damage to barley in this section is even greater than wheat. With the heavier heads and with longer straw, much of this grain is down in the eastern portion of the county. As with wheat, it is hard to say how much of this can be saved.

E. A. Dudley, who has about 800 acres in growing wheat this season, is again one of the big farmers. By some his wheat is estimated as high as a 45 bushel average.

Henry Schmitt, four miles west of Athens with about 500 acres in wheat this season, has about the same prospects as a year ago, if not fractionally better.

W. F. Pinkerton, with a quarter section of wheat, has similar prospects.

William Schript, with wheat adjoining the city, is preparing to harvest one of his greatest yields.

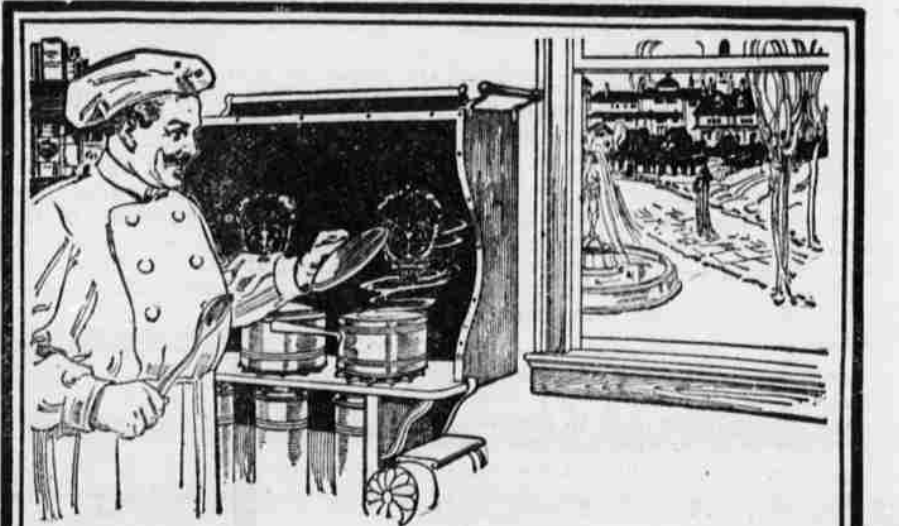
David Ferris with 250 acres, six miles north of Athens, has similar heavy grain.

Watts Bros., extensive growers with a scattered acreage all around Athens, have excellent prospects although members of the family are not inclined to believe the crop will go above the average of a year ago.

The Hot Weather Test makes people better acquainted with their resources of strength and endurance. Many find they need Hood's Sarsaparilla which invigorates the blood, promotes refreshing sleep and overcomes that tired feeling.

### TWO TRUSTEES ESCAPE FROM INSANE ASYLUM

Salem, Or., July 17.—J. E. Barnes and Elihu Clark, two trustees at the asylum, effected their escape Monday night. Barnes was committed from Umatilla county and Clark from Union. Both are considered harmless.



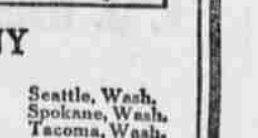
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