MUTT AND JEFF—Politics Is Very Simple, Yes Indeed, Very Simple

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RARE OLD TIN TYPE OF MR. A. MUTT THE BULL MOOSE CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT, WITH HIS FAMILY, MRS. MUTT, HIS SON CICERO AND INFANT DAUGHTER DESDIMONA. THIS PICTURE WAS TAKEN JUST BEFORE HIS WIFE TIED A CAN TO HIM AND CRAWLED BACK TO HER MOTHER'S SHACK.

MR. E. M. BALTH, HEAD OF THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF ORGANIZED UNDERTAKERS WHEN ASKED HIS OPINION OF THE NEW CANDIDATE SAID:- I INTEND TO SUPPORT MR. MUTT, AS A BUSINESS PROPOSITION. THE UNDERTAKING BUSINESS HAS BEEN VERY DEAD FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS. THE DEATH RATE DOES NOT BEGIN TO COMPARE WITH THAT OF EUROPE. I AM FOR A CHANGE.

LITTLE JEFF, CAMPAIGN MGR. OF THE NEW PARTY WHEN SEEN WAS HAVING HIS LUNCH, HE SAID:- WE WANTED SOMEBODY TO RUN WHO DIDN'T HAVE A CHANCE, SO THAT THE PEOPLE WOULDN'T MISS BRYAN SO MUCH.

MR. J. P. LATHER, TONSORIAL ARTIST, WHO RESIGNED HIS JOB AS HEAD CHIN SCRAPER IN THE TERMINAL BARBER SHOP TO ACCEPT THE NOMINATION AS VICE PRESIDENT. IN HIS SPEECH BEFORE THE CONVENTION, HE PROVED THAT HE DIDN'T KNOW THE CIVIL WAR WAS OVER OR ANYTHING ELSE. HE WAS NOMINATED AT ONCE. MR. LATHER IS AN IDEAL VICE-PRESIDENT. 242

RESTA PROVES HIS RIGHT TO SPEED TITLE

Wins Match Race From De Palma in Straight Heats; Also Sets New Record.

By International News Service.

CHICAGO, June 18.—Dario Resta clinched his title as America's speed champion when he defeated Ralph De Palma in two straight heats, one of fifty miles and the other of twenty-four miles, at the speedway park this afternoon. Incidentally Resta broke the fifty-mile American speedway record, doing the distance in 31:57 2-5. This is at a rate of ninety-four miles an hour, as against Christaen's time at Indianapolis last year, when he drove an Excelsior in 33:35:32 at eighty-seven miles per hour. De Palma's time was 332:18, or ninety-three miles an hour.

De Palma again had spark plug trouble, but so did Resta, who was first into the pit. Then De Palma gained a whole lap, only to lose it when he had to go to the pit. Then Resta not only took the lead, but also won the race.

The twenty-four-mile race was also Resta's. The Mercedes pilot had the lead only in the first lap. Once he tried to pass Resta in the ninth lap, but to no purpose.

The fastest lap of the day was the twenty-first of the fifty-mile race, when Resta turned the track in 1:06 3-5, which is at the rate of 108.1 miles per hour.

While Resta won the twenty-four-mile heat in 13:42 3-5, De Palma was only 3 1-5 seconds behind him, his time being 13:45 4-5, at the rate of 104 miles per hour.

Thirty thousand spectators saw the match.

Dario Resta and Ralph de Palma Winner and Loser in Big Match

Left, Resta. Right, De Palma.

KING'S MILLS LEADS IN RIFLE SHOOTING

WASHINGTON, June 18.—Scores for the first two weeks of the small-bore, short-range rifle championship, which began May 30 with fifty-eight civilian rifle clubs entered, were announced as follows last night by the National Rifle association:

First week: Peters Rifle and Revolver club, King's Mills, Ohio, 942; Quinnipiac Rifle club, New Haven, Conn., 923; Massachusetts Rifle association, 917; District of Columbia Rifle club, 910; Brooklyn Rifle club, 905; Milwaukee Rifle club, 885; Fremont, Ohio, Rifle club, 884; Portland, Ore., Rifle club, 883.

Second week: King's Mills, 952; Auburn, 951; District of Columbia, 940; Bucyrus, 930; Quinnipiac of New Haven, 930; Fremont, Ohio, 924; Massachusetts Rifle association, 922; Erie, Pa., Rod and Gun club, 915; Gisholt club, Madison, Wis., 907; Milwaukee, Wis., 906.

TWO MORE VICTORIES FOR MISS BJURSTEDT

RICHMOND, Va., June 18.—Eli H. Whitney of New York yesterday won the final round in men's singles in the Old Dominion tennis tournament, defeating Carlton Y. Smith of Atlanta, southern champion.

Miss Molla Bjurstedt, national champion, captured the finals in women's singles and then defeated Miss Florence Ballin of New York in the challenge round. Miss Bjurstedt and Miss Ballin won the women's doubles finals.

McMillan of Atlanta and Whitney won the men's doubles by defeating E. S. Mansfield of Atlanta and C. Y. Smith of Atlanta.

International League

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Providence	25	14	.641
Richmond	23	19	.548
Buffalo	21	19	.525
Newark	20	20	.500
Baltimore	21	21	.500
Montreal	20	22	.476
Toronto	16	21	.421
Rochester	15	25	.375

Newark 3, Providence 15.
Richmond 1, Baltimore 0 (twelve innings).
Toronto 11, 2; Montreal 1, 1.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Brooklyn	29	16	.644
Philadelphia	27	20	.574
New York	24	21	.533
Boston	22	23	.489
Chicago	25	27	.481
Cincinnati	24	27	.471
Pittsburg	21	27	.438
St. Louis	21	32	.396

Yesterday's Results.

At Cincinnati—St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 5.
Only one game scheduled.

Today's Schedule.

Philadelphia at Brooklyn (two games).
Boston at New York.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Only three games scheduled.

CINCINNATI, June 18.—On a muddy field Cincinnati won from St. Louis here today, 5 to 2.

The visitors took the lead in the first inning, but timely hitting by the local team won the game.

ST. LOUIS-CINCINNATI.

ST. LOUIS.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	CINCINNATI.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Betzel, 2b	5	1	2	4	4	Groh, 3b	5	1	2	2	2
Beecher, lf	5	1	1	0	0	Herzog, ss	4	0	2	2	2
Long, rf	2	0	2	2	0	Killifer, cf	3	0	3	4	2
Miller, 1b	3	0	0	8	1	Griffith, rf	5	1	2	1	0
Hornsby, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	Wingo, c	3	1	1	6	3
Wilson, cf	3	0	0	1	0	Neale, lf	4	0	1	1	0
Smith, cf	0	0	0	0	0	Mollwitz, 1b	4	0	1	10	0
Sayder, c	4	0	3	7	1	Louden, 2b	4	1	1	1	3
Corhan, ss	3	0	0	1	4	Mitchell, p	0	0	0	0	0
Meadows, p	3	0	0	0	0	Schulz, p	4	1	1	0	1
Hall, p	0	0	0	0	0						
*Butler	1	0	0	0	0						
†Huggins	0	0	0	0	0						
‡Gonzales	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	33	2	9	24	12	Totals	36	5	14	27	12

*Batted for Wilson in the eighth.
†Ran for Sayder in the ninth.
‡Batted for Hall in the ninth.

Score by innings:

St. Louis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Cincinnati	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	*—	5

Summary: Errors—Beecher, Herzog, Louden. Two-base hits—Neale, Sayder. Three-base hits—Long, Groh, Wingo. Stolen base—Griffith. Double plays—Wingo to Herzog to Wingo; Herzog to Mollwitz; Miller to Sayder to Betzel. Bases on balls—Off Meadows 2, off Hall 1, off Mitchell 1, off Schulz 3. Hits and earned runs—Off Meadows 12 hits and 5 runs in seven innings; off Hall 1 hit and no runs in one inning; off Mitchell 2 hits and 2 runs in no inning (none out in the first); off Schulz 7 hits and no runs in nine innings. Hit by pitcher—Killifer by Meadows. Struck out—By Meadows 4, by Hall 2, by Schulz 2. Umpires—Rigler and Harrison.

STIEFEL NINE WINS FROM UTAHMADES

The Stiefel club took a trip to Ogden yesterday and defeated the Utahmade team of the Tri-County league by a score of 13 to 1. The game, which was played at Glenwood park, was witnessed by about 500 fans. Groechner, twirling for the Stiefel team, allowed only five scattered hits, while Scott of the Utahmades was touched for fourteen. Costly errors by his teammates were responsible for several runs. Pingree, Stiefel's new shortstop, was the batting star, getting four hits out of five times at bat. Hiller, at third for Stiefels, accepted several hard chances without a miscue.

POCATELLO BIFFMEN HAVE THRILLING DAY

Johnny Keltus, Pitching for Blackfoot, Is Hammered for Long Drives.

Special to The Tribune.

POCATELLO, Ida., June 18.—Pocatello defeated the Blackfoot club this afternoon at Brady park by a score of 8 to 2 in a game which, barring a lot of wrangling over decisions, was one of the finest exhibitions of the national pastime ever staged in this city.

Hulihan pitched a classy game, striking out ten men, walking one and hitting one in the last inning. Keltus pitched good ball, but he was bounded for two home runs, three three-baggers, and a double and thirteen singles. His stickwork was one of the features of the contest, as he landed on the sphere for two singles and a double. Adolph made one homer and two three-baggers and Becket slashed out a homer that made one of the three runs in the third which clinched the game.

The local boys had their eye for the ball today and their support of Hulihan was excellent, with the exception of Adolph's muff of a fly in the fifth, which enabled the visitors to score their only runs. Becket and Bistline distinguished themselves as base-runners. The line-up was as follows:

Pocatello.		Blackfoot.
Zieharth	c.	Kirtch
Hulihan	p.	Keltus
Hanks	1b.	Campbell
Bistline	2b.	Marlow
Derham	3b.	De Cay
McCurd	ss.	Jordan
Becket	lf.	McCarty
Adolph	cf.	T. Thorsenburg
Bills	rf.	E. Thorsenburg

Score by innings:

Pocatello	1	0	3	0	2	1	1	0	—8
Blackfoot	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	—2

Summary—Home-runs—Becket, Adolph. Three-baggers—Adolph (2), De Cay 1. Two-base hits—T. Thorsenburg, Marlow, Bistline. Struck out—By Hulihan 10, Keltus 4. Stolen bases—Bistline, Becket. Double plays—Bistline to Hanks. Bases on balls—Off Hulihan 1, off Keltus 3. Time of game, 1:45.

MILLER-CAHOONS WIN FROM ARMOUR

A snappy ball game went to the Miller-Cahoon club yesterday on the Municipal grounds, the victims being the Armour Packing company nine. The score was 6 to 3. The batting of Miller and Fellows for Miller-Cahoon, and that by McNeil and Taylor for the Armours were features.

The lineup:

Miller-Cahoon.		Armour.
Pratt	c.	Bruner
Clissold	p.	McNeil
Miller	1b.	Hepner
Cook	2b.	Sandberg
Brewster	3b.	Hansen
W. Fellows	ss.	Girwood
Seagers	lf.	Sandoval
W. J. Fellows	cf.	Taylor
Maughn	rf.	Horney

Ertle Outboxes Mitchell.

ST. LOUIS, Junee 18.—Johnnie Ertle of St. Louis, bantamweight champion, had the better of Johnnie Ritchie of Chicago in a twelve-round boxing contest here last night. Ertle clearly outboxed his opponents. The men weighed 116 pounds at 3 o'clock.

YANKEES GIVE INDIANS AWFUL DRUBBING, 19-3

Cleveland, Working Second String Pitchers, Helpless Before Battering of the New York Sluggers.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost	P.C.
Cleveland	32	21	.604
Washington	29	23	.558
Detroit	30	24	.556
New York	27	22	.540
Boston	27	26	.509
Chicago	25	25	.400
St. Louis	22	30	.423
Philadelphia	16	31	.306

Yesterday's Results.

At Detroit—Philadelphia 2, Detroit 8.
At Chicago—Boston 3, Chicago 1.
At St. Louis—Washington 5, St. Louis 1.
At Cleveland—New York 19, Cleveland 3.

Today's Schedule.

No games scheduled.

CLEVELAND, June 18.—Because of a crippled pitching staff, Merton and Klepfer being unavailable, Cleveland was forced to rely on second-string flingers today and New York scored at will, winning, 19 to 3, and scoring every inning except the eighth

CLEVELAND-NEW YORK.

CLEVELAND.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	NEW YORK.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Graney, lf	5	0	1	3	1	Gilhooley, cf	5	2	2	2	3
Winbagus, ss	4	0	0	1	1	Bauman, rf	4	1	3	4	0
Speaker, cf	4	0	1	0	0	Pckpaugh, ss	2	3	1	1	0
Roth, rf	3	1	1	0	1	Pipp, 1b	5	2	2	11	0
Gandil, 1b	4	1	2	13	1	Baker, 3b	6	2	2	1	2
Chapman, ss	3	1	2	1	2	Magee, lf	4	4	3	0	0
Howard, 2b	4	0	1	0	4	Gedeon, 2b	5	2	3	1	5
O'Neill, c	1	0	1	2	1	Nunmaker, c	4	0	1	5	1
Billings, c	3	0	1	5	1	Alexander, c	2	0	1	1	0
Coumbe, p	0	0	0	0	0	Cullop, p	4	0	1	0	3
Mitchell, p	0	0	0	1	0	Russell, p	2	0	0	0	1
McHale, p	1	0	0	1	1						
Gunkel, p	0	0	0	0	0						
Loudrmilk, p	1	0	0	0	1						
*Bradley	1	0	0	0	0						
†Daly	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	35	3	10	27	14	Totals	43	19	19	27	12

*Batted for McHale in the fifth.
†Batted for Loudermilk in the ninth.

Score by innings:

New York	6	2	1	2	3	2	2	0	1—19									
Cleveland	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2— 3									

Summary: Errors—Wambsganss 2, Billings, Gedeon. Two-base hits—Gandil, Roth, Pipp, Baker, Gilhooley, Gedeon, Peckinpaugh. Three-base hit—Magee. Home run—Pipp. Stolen bases—Graney, Gilhooley, Bauman, Alexander. Double plays—Wambsganss to O'Neill to Gandil; Gilhooley to Nunamaker to Baker; Gedeon to Pipp. Bases on balls—Off Coumbe 1, off Mitchell 2, off McHale 2, off Gunkel 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Coumbe 4 hits and 3 runs in one-third of an inning; off Mitchell 4 hits and 5 runs in one inning; off McHale 7 hits and 6 runs in three and two-thirds innings; off Gunkel no hits and 1 run in one inning; off Loudermilk 4 hits and 1 run in three innings; off Cullop 6 hits and 1 run in five innings; off Russell 4 hits and 1 run in four innings. Hit by pitchers—Baumen by McHale; Bauman by Gunkel; Roth by Russell. Struck out—By McHale 1, by Gunkel 1, by Loudermilk 2, by Cullop 5, by Russell 1. Umpires—Hildebrand and Connolly.

TIGERS WIN ANOTHER FROM HUMBLE MACKS

DETROIT, June 18.—Clean hitting, coupled with the visitors' fielding errors, gave Detroit the final game of the series with Philadelphia today, 8 to 2.

Hamilton was effective with men on bases, except in the seventh, when Oldring doubled with two out, scoring two runs.

PHILADELPHIA-DETROIT.

PHILADELPHIA.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	DETROIT.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Witt, ss	5	1	0	3	2	Bush, ss	5	0	0	3	5
Oldring, lf	5	0	1	1	1	Witt, 3b	5	1	1	1	2
Strunk, cf	4	0	1	1	0	Cobb, cf	4	2	2	2	0
Schang, c	2	0	1	3	1	Veach, lf	4	1	2	4	0
Murphy, rf	2	0	0	2	0	Heilman, rf	1	0	1	0	0
Lajoie, 2b	4	0	1	3	2	Burns, 1b	4	2	1	14	0
McInnes, 1b	3	0	1	6	1	Young, 2b	4	2	2	3	2
Walsh, rf	3	0	0	1	0	Stanage, c	4	0	3	2	0
Pick, 3b	3	1	1	2	3	Hamilton, p	4	0	0	0	7
Sheehan, p	2	0	0	1	5						
*Meyer	1	0	0	0	0						
Totals	32	2	6	24	15	Totals	35	8	13	27	17

*Batted for Sheehan in the ninth.

Score by innings:

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2
Detroit	0	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	*—8

Summary: Errors—Witt, Walsh, Pick, Schang 3, Young. Two-base hits—Oldring, Stanage. Three-base hit—Veach. Stolen bases—Cobb 2. Sacrifice hit—Heilman. First base on errors—Philadelphia 1, Detroit 3. Bases on balls—Off Sheehan 3, off Hamilton 5. Hits and earned runs—Off Sheehan 6 runs; off Hamilton no runs. Struck out—By Sheehan 2, by Hamilton 2. Umpires—Dineen and Chill.

BUCK WEAVER'S WILD HEAVE LOSES GAME

CHICAGO, June 18.—George Weaver's wild throw of Janvrin's grounder gave Boston a 3 to 1 victory over Chicago today in the final game of the series.

After two men were out Janvrin grounded to Weaver, who threw to the stand, and Janvrin reached third before the ball was recovered. Hendriksen batted for Cady and walked, and Thomas, who pinch-hit for Shore, doubled and gave the visitors the game.

BOSTON-CHICAGO.

BOSTON.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	CHICAGO.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Hooper, rf	4	0	1	0	0	J. Collins, rf	5	0	0	3	0
McNally, 2b	3	0	0	0	6	Weaver, 3b	5	0	2	2	5
Lewis, lf	4	0	0	1	0	E. Collins, 2b	5	0	0	2	1
Hoblitzel, 1b	4	0	1	17	1	Fournier, 1b	3	0	1	15	0
Walker, cf	2	1	1	0	0	Jackson, lf	4	1	3	1	0
Gardner, 3b	3	0	2	1	4	Leibold, cf	4	0	0	2	0
Janvrin, ss	3	1	0	3	3	Schalk, c	4	0	3	1	5
Cady, c	2	0	0	7	1	Terry, ss	3	0	0	0	2
*Henriksen	0	1	0	0	0	†Lapp	0	0	0	0	0
Mays, p	0	0	0	0	1	‡Lynn	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard, p	0	0	0	0	0	Scott, p	2	0	0	1	4
Shore, p	2	0	0	1	2	Russell, p	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas, c	1	0	1	2	0	**Murphy	1	0	0	0	0
						Cicotte, p	0	0	0	0	1
						††Felsch	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	35	3	8	27	18	Totals	37	1	10	27	18

*Batted for Cady in the seventh.
†Batted for Terry in the ninth.
‡Ran for Lapp in the ninth.
**Batted for Russell in the seventh.
††Batted for Cicotte in the ninth.

Score by innings:

Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0—	3
Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—	1

Summary: Errors—Janvrin, Weaver. Two-base hits—Hoblitzell, Jackson, Walker, Thomas. Three-base hit—Weaver. Stolen bases—Leibold, Schalk 2. Sacrifice hits—Walker, Janvrin, McNally, Gardner. Bases on balls—Off Scott 1, off Cicotte 1, off Mays 1. First base on error—Boston 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Shore 7 hits and 1 run in six innings; off Mays 3 hits and no runs in two and one-third innings; off Leonard no hits and no runs in two-thirds of an inning; off Scott 6 hits and 1 run in six and two-thirds innings; off Russell no hits and no runs in one-third of an inning; off Cicotte no hits and no runs in two innings. Hit by pitcher—Fournier by Mays. Struck out—By Shore 2, by Scott 1. Umpires—Nallin and Evans.

JOHNSON IS TIGHT AT CRITICAL STAGES

ST. LOUIS, June 18.—St. Louis could not hit Johnson when hits meant runs, while Washington hit Park and Davenport today, winning, 5 to 1. Two bases on balls and Pratt's single in the sixth saved the locals from a shut-out.

WASHINGTON-ST. LOUIS.

WASHINGTON.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	ST. LOUIS.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Morgan, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	Shotten, lf	5	0	1	2	0
Foster, 3b	5	2	3	1	0	Austin, 3b	4	0	1	2	2
Milan, cf	4	2	2	2	0	Miller, rf	3	1	0	3	0
Rondeau, lf	5	0	2	4	0	Borton, 1b	3	0	0	10	0
Judge, 1b	3	0	1	7	1	Pratt, 2b	4	0	1	0	1
Jamieson, rf	4	0	0	2	0	Marsans, cf	3	0	1	2	0
W. Johnson, p	4	0	0	1	2	E. Johnson, ss	3	0	1	1	2
McBride, ss	4	0	1	3	2	Severeid, c	1	0	0	3	0
Ainsmith, c	4	0	0	7	1	Chapman, c	1	0	0	3	2
						Hartley, c	2	0	0	1	0
						Park, p	0	0	0	0	2
						*Tobin	1	0	0	0	0
						Davenport, p	1	0	0	0	1
						†Sisler	0	0	0	0	0
						Koob, p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	5	10	27	7	Totals	31	1	5	27	11

*Batted for Park in the third.
†Batted for Davenport in the seventh.

Score by innings:

Washington	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0—	5
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—	1

Summary: Errors—Austin, Severeid, Park. Two-base hits—Foster, Judge, Rondeau. Three-base hit—Morgan. Stolen bases—Milan, Judge 2, Ainsmith, Rondeau. Double play—Ainsmith to McBride. Bases on balls—Off Johnson 7, off Park 1, off Davenport 1, off Koob 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Johnson 5 hits and 1 run in nine innings; off Park 4 hits and 4 runs in three innings; off Davenport 5 hits and 1 run in four innings; off Koob 1 hit and no runs in two innings. Hit by pitchers—Morgan by Park; Sisler by Johnson. Struck out—By Johnson 6, by Park 3, by Davenport 4. Passed ball—Severeid. Umpires—O'Loughlin and Owens.

Wild Heaves and Such.

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organization of professional baseball players into battalions especially trained for the throwing of hand grenades, one of the most important bits of work that confronts an army today in crushing the enemy's trenches.

A start would be made, it is suggested, by the organization of players in the big leagues and far-flung reputations of these headliners would be depended upon to attract into the ranks of these battalions the legion of ball players throughout the United States.

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Now that Hen Berry has decided on his pennant-raising affair for the 25th of June, and advertised for unique stunts, it will not be out of place for us to suggest the following novel events to make a San Francisco holiday, and give the fans a run for their money.

1. 100-yard race between Tom Stevens and Hen Berry.
2. Announcing contest between "Foghorn" Murphy and the Magnavox.
3. High school riding by "Foghorn" Murphy.
4. Putting Joe Derham's sandwiches for distance.
5. Base-running exhibition by Rube Gardner.
6. Best wild man costume—Eddie Klein and Red Oldham entries.
7. Recitation of "Gunga Din" by Biff Schaller.
8. Pitching by Ping Bodie.
9. Imitation of an umpire by Jimmy Doyle.
10. "My own pitching experience in the war of 1861," by Erve Higginbotham.—San Francisco Bulletin.

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Walter McCredie will be right in his element when Grover Loudermilk joins the team at the end of this week. Walt dotes on big fellows and, according to the advance line of dope, Loudermilk will be the tallest specimen of humanity he has ever had under his wing.

According to Rip Hagerman, who was on the same club with him at Cleveland, and Allen Sothoron, who played with Loudermilk at St. Louis last fall, Loudermilk is six feet six inches in height, which overshadows even Portland Bill James, who modestly admitted that he was six feet five inches tall.

Loudermilk is not only tall, but he has considerable beef about him. He is not as slender as James, and according to Hagerman, has a stronger constitution than Jamees.

Rip says that he wasn't bothered with a sore arm when both men were at Cleveland, and believes that he will be a sure winner with the Beavers.

Naturally, Loudermilk will have more confidence in his ability to get them over in the minors than he had in the majors, and as he did this when with Louisville, there is little reason to doubt that he can do it here.

Hagerman says that Loudermilk has everything a good twirler should have, with speed almost equal to that of Walter Johnson.

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Bill Guthrie and Ed Finney have umpired fine ball during their stay here. They are two of the best gesticulators in the league. If the other umpires could live up to the standard set by this pair the fans would have no kick on the decisions made by President Baum's official staff of umpires.—Los Angeles Examiner.

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Guess Portland will have to change the nickname of its Coast league ball club.

A cub bear is coming down from Marshfield within a day or two as a mascot gift to Walter McCredie.

The donor is Frank Catterlin, a friend of Walt McCredie's, who found the cub under his bed in a Marshfield hotel, salted its tail and coaxed it into a box for shipment.

At least, that's the story Mac gave out yesterday upon receipt of a telegram from Catterlin.

Around the circuit the Portland club is known as the Beavers and sometimes the Ducks. Possibly a cub bear will fit in well with this menagerie. In any event, if it is a cinnamon bear, it ought to put a little more spice in some of the ball playing.—Portland Oregonian.

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Assistant Secretary H. S. McFarlin of the Oaks spent last Sunday at Richmond, giving Babe Hollis, who was pitching for Sebastopol, the up and down. Hollis had a good day, not only pitching a good article of ball, but lining out a home run and a double. McFarlin took copious notes, and the chances are that Oakland will offer him a berth.

Friends of Hollis say there isn't a chance in a million that he will go into professional ball. He has a good position in a San Rafael bank and along with it a good contract with the Sebastopol team. Hollis prefers that sort of life to the uncertainty of Coast league ball, although critics say he wouldn't have any trouble in keeping well up with the procession.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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We have with us this week Mr. Bunny Brief, Salt Lake swatologist. Bunny has been keeping very quiet for a few days. He hasn't banged one out of the lot for a long time, and the fans are ceasing to marvel over his prowess with the willow.

Some one of these days Mr. Brief is going to break loose. He is going to swat one from the vicinity of the home plate at Recreation park out to the Farallones, where the globule will take one hop and land in China, about two feet inside the foul line.

The poor little Bunny is hitting for the perfectly miserable average of .343, and is finding a hard time getting more than two hits a game. Honestly we are sorry for Bunny and we hope he hits four every day this week. N. B.—The Saints are playing Oakland this week.

CLEANERS AND BIKERS DIVIDE AT LAGOON

The Salt Lake Cleaners and the Bicycle Supply nines of the Trolley league split in a doubleheader played at Lagoon yesterday. The condition of the grounds rendered good playing out of the question.

The Bikers won the first game, 15 to 14, and the Cleaners took the second, 11 to 7.

First game:

CLEANERS.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	BICYCLE SUPPLY.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Ross, rf	5	1	2	2	0	Emerson, 1b	4	2	1	5	0
Emberson, 2b	3	3	2	4	1	Lindenberg, 3b	5	2	3	1	2
Lovett, 1b	4	1	1	6	0	Higham, ss	5	3	3	1	0
Greenhood, cf	3	2	2	3	1	Midgley, c	4	2	2	10	0
Llewelyn, ss	5	0	1	1	1	Spitko, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Donkin, 3b	4	1	0	1	0	Stack, 2b	5	0	2	2	1
Gemple, lf	3	2	2	0	0	Harrison, lf	4	2	2	1	0
Ryan, c	5	0	1	4	2	Ansley, rf	3	1	2	0	0
Harris, p	4	3	4	6	3	Linsley, p	3	2	1	0	1
*Hillar	1	1	1	0	0						
Totals	38	14	16	21	8	Totals	37	15	18	21	4

*Ran for Ryan in the second inning and batted for Gemple in the seventh.

Score by innings:

Bicycle Supply	3	5	7	0	0	0	0	—15	
Cleaners	1	6	2	2	0	1	1	—14	

Summary: Errors—Llewellyn, Donkin 2, Spitko, Linsley, Greenhood, Higham. Two-base hits—Ryan, Harrison, Stack, Harris 2, Ross. Three-base hit—Higham. Double play—Greenhood to Lovett. Stolen bases—Ross 2, Emberson 5, Greenhood 2, Lindenberg, Higham 2, Midgley, Ansley. Bases on balls—Off Harris 18, off Linsley 16. Struck out—By Harris 4, off Linsley 2. Hit by pitcher—Spitko. Sacrifice fly—Spitko. Wild pitches—Harris 2, Linsley 2, Gemple. Passed balls—Ryan 2. Left on bases—Salt Lake Cleaning 9, Bicycle Supply 6. Attendance—500. Umpire—McMurrin.

SECOND GAME.

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