

# February 23, 27 & 28, 1932

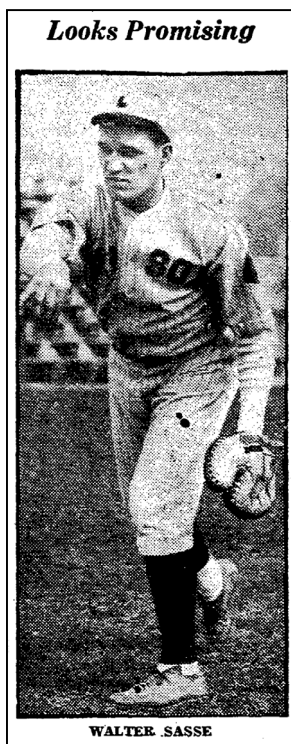
## Bap Hops, Departures, Fractures & Eligibility

### February 23, 1932

**Monterey, California** - A bad day for the San Francisco Seals of the Pacific Coast League when two players are injured on the second day of spring practice ... rookie pitcher Jack Cheadle is knocked out when he is hit in the head by a line drive during batting practice ... shortstop Jimmy Martin takes a bad hop ground ball to mouth and loses his two front teeth.

### February 27, 1932

**Berea, Ohio** - Walter Sasse, star catcher of the Baldwin-Wallace College baseball team, "deserts" his studies and leaves college only a few months shy of graduation to pursue a professional baseball career ... signing with the Boston Red Sox, the 6-1, 200-pound Sasse (pronounced sassy) is one of four semi-pro players - Sasse, Bob Barr, John Reder and Syver Slaalein - invited to the team's spring training camp in Savannah, Georgia.



REGULARS					SECOND TEAM				
	ab	bh	po	a		ab	bh	po	a
Dashiell, 2.	2	1	5	0	Olson, 2...	4	0	3	3
Rhyne, s...	3	1	0	3	Miller, 3...	5	0	3	2
Chapman, s	1	0	1	3	Stumpf, lf..	4	1	4	1
M'Manus, 3	3	1	2	5	Lucas, cf...	4	0	1	0
Picker'g, 3.	2	2	0	0	Reder, 1...	3	1	7	0
Webb, r...	5	1	1	0	Warstler, s.	3	1	4	3
Roth, k, lf	4	2	2	0	Mudloff, r..	3	1	1	0
VanCamp, 1	5	1	11	0	Sasse, c....	2	0	3	0
Oliver, cf..	5	1	3	0	Slaalein, p.	2	0	1	2
Paterson, c	4	2	2	1	M'L'ghlin, p	2	0	0	0
Crimmins, p	3	0	0	1					
Burns, p...	1	0	0	2					
<b>Totals...</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Totals...</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>11</b>
Innings.....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Regulars.....	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	0-6
Second Team	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0-2

In an inter-squad scrimmage on March 15, the Cleveland, Ohio, native goes 0-for-2 ... when the Red Sox break camp, Sasse and pitcher Harry Burns are assigned to the Wilmington Pirates of the Piedmont (B) League ... in 1933, Sasse hits .125 (1-for-8) in three games for the Springfield Chicks of the Middle Atlantic (C) League before being released ... plays the remainder of the 1933 season for the semi-pro Cleveland Pennzoil Oilmen.

### February 28, 1932

**Statesville, North Carolina** - Local resident Bill Teague is found guilty of assaulting A.C. Harrington with deadly weapon and is ordered to pay Harrington \$100 and court costs and remanded to be on "good behavior" for the next two years ... the previous summer, Teague had hit Harrington on the head with a baseball bat during a game, inflicting a skull fracture of two and a half inches.

### February 28, 1932

**Biloxi, Mississippi** - Directors of the Mississippi Coast League relax the league's eligibility rules by allowing students from the Gulf Coast Military Academy, Saint Stanislaus College, Perkinston Junior College and Poplarville Junior College to be on the circuit's rosters this spring ... the board also cuts the league budget by more than 33 percent and informs prospective teams that they must post their league fee of \$15 by March 14.