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SPORT NEWS

BAKER HI FIVE WINNERS 13-12 OVER ALUMNI

BAKER—The alumni of Baker high school met their Waterloo when the high school basketball team took the old grads into camp, 13-12 in the high school gym last night. The game was a close one and the contest was anybody's until the whistle.

U. S. ATHLETES STILL FORGE TO THE FRONT

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One of this country's leading organizations met today in Detroit. In three of these instances American football titles, with British soccer, hockey, and basketball, capturing the first championship. One by a professional league, Yankee footballers losing the Robert M. Thompson trophy in a series at London while Walter Hoover lost the historic Diamond Death trophy when he broke an arm and was beaten in the first heat of the Bentley rowing event, captured by Morris, an Englishman.

PORTLAND ELK TEMPLE OPEN

New Temple in Rose City Dedicated; Ceremonies to Culminate with a Ball Monday Evening.
PORTLAND, Ore., (AP)—Portland Lodge, No. 142, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, today began the formal dedication of its new temple, erected at the corner of Alder and Eleventh streets, at the cost of \$1,250,000. Ceremonies beginning today will culminate in a ball Monday night, New Year's Eve.

BOXING

Herman to Meet Fulton.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., (AP)—Fred Fulton, Minneapolis heavy-weight, and "Tiny" Herman of Omaha, Friday were signed to meet in a 10-round contest here, January 11.

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A parade in which there will be numerous floats and features of general interest to the public, will mark the formal moving from the old temple, at the corner of Black and Broadway to the new edifice. Many of the lodge's approximately 200 members are to be in line in the parade this afternoon. Dedication ceremonies will be held tonight.

Boxing

Friedman Beats Clinton.
NEW YORK (AP)—Sailor Friedman, Chicago light-weight, defeated Jimmy Clinton of New York in the 16-round feature of a boxing show Friday night in Madison Square Garden.

Hospital inmates

Escapes.
RALEIGH—Edward Weber, who has been an inmate of the state hospital for the insane here for several years, escaped from the institution, Attendants said Weber had made threats against fellow patients in the hospital, and every effort was being made to apprehend him. Weber has relatives in Multnomah county, and hospital officials said he probably had headed toward Portland.

School Enrollment

Sets Record.
MILWAUKEE—A record breaking enrollment of pupils in the English schools is reported by Joseph T. Glenn, city superintendent, for the month of December the enrollment is 2952, according to his monthly statement. The number remaining in the schools when vacation begins last week was 2,425, of whom 1455 are girls and 1443 boys.

SHERRY'S
SUNDAY AND MONDAY

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Marc MacDermost and a Typical Warner Cast

And the Two-Reel Comedy
"SO THIS IS HAMLET"

MANY VISIT AT CLOVER CREEK

(CLOVER CREEK, Special)—Mr. and Mrs. O. Daniels and little son, of Warsaw, spent a few days on Clover Creek this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dahlstrom, Miss Lilla Dahlstrom and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Davis visited Axel Dahlstrom at the St. Elizabeth hospital.

Johnny Kilbane as world's featherweight champion, but two months later the gallant ex-prizefighter succumbed to the latter-day pugilist, Johnny Dundee. Dundee came across to make his world's heavyweight title, but he was quickly beaten.

In other international contests, Charley Faddock, California sprinting star, won steeple in an inter-collegiate track meet at Paris; Jay Gould, of Philadelphia, lost to E. L. Thierley, of England, in the final round of an international tournament at Paris, while American professional billiard stars defeated their counterparts over sea.

Many in the international pugilist.

An American mountaineer, who quitted the Canadian, rival in a series of races held at Montreal, but the International Footmen's tournament, another institution of Canadian-American competition, remained unswerving when the Canadian defender, this time, refused to race its American rival, Columbia, after the second race was awarded to the Yankee schmeer because the Canadian boat passed the wrong side of a buoy. Hineson had won the first race and also finished first in the disputed heat.

Notice of Hearing on Proposed Street Improvement.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the commission of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon, proposes and intends to improve Improvement District No. 122 in the City of La Grande, Oregon, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor heretofore adopted by the Commission, and that the report of the committee on estimates for said improvement is now on file in the office of the Recorder of the City of La Grande, Oregon; that the said Commission has set Wednesday the 23 day of January, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Commission Room in the City Building in La Grande, Oregon, as the time and place when and where said Commission will meet and hear and determine all objections, remonstrances and claims of grievance of any persons against said proposed improvement and the proposed assessment therefor against the property to be benefited thereby in said district.

That the boundaries of the district to be improved and benefited by the said proposed improvement are as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the center of the intersection of "M" Avenue and Oak Street in Wisdom's Addition to the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon; thence north along the center line of Oak Street a distance of one hundred sixty (160) feet; thence east along a line one hundred sixty feet from and parallel to the center line of "M" Avenue to the center of Block 77 in Chaplin's Addition to the City

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