

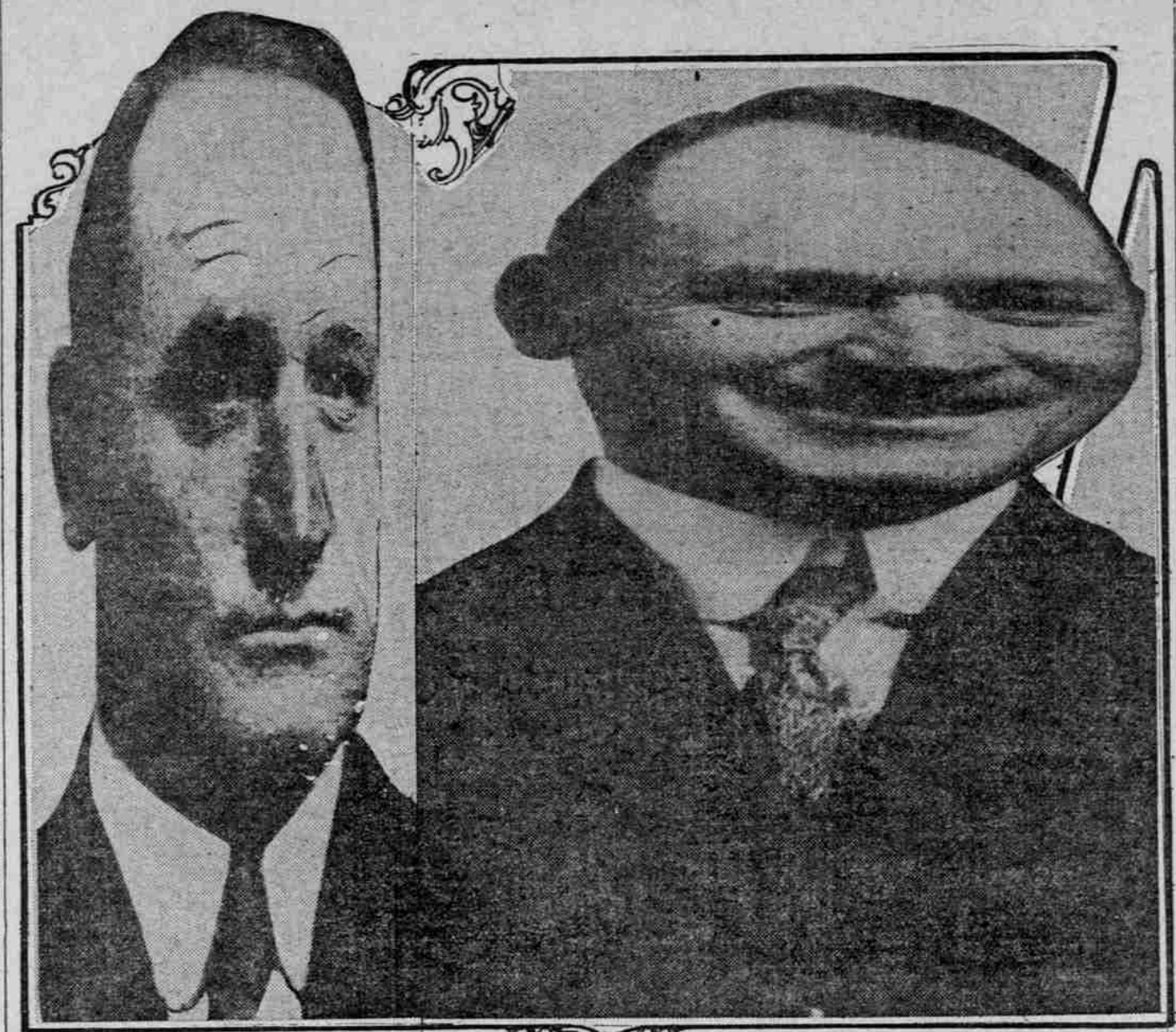
SPORTSMEN OF CITY EXPECT GOOD YEAR

Prosperity Near, Its General Opinion, and Many Blame War for 1914 Setbacks.

BOOMS IN 1915 PREDICTED

W. W. McCredie Optimistic Despite Loss of Money Last Season, and Others Join in Expressing Confidence in Future.

NOT KOLB AND DILL, BUT WALTER M'CREDIE IN ORIGINAL POSES, PASSED BY THE NATIONAL BOARD OF NONSENSESHIP.



1914 1915

Everybody's doing it. Doing what? Predicting prosperity. Even the Oregonian photographers have taken to crystal-gazing. Above layout is recommended as the most valuable type-saver of the season.

VICTORIA HERE TONIGHT

UNCLE SAMS HOPE TO CAPTURE ANOTHER HOCKEY GAME. Muldoon's Men Have Final Workout and All Are in Good Shape but Johnson, Who Still Has Bandaged Jaw.

Jack Cody, swimming instructor Multnomah Club—Swimming records in the Amateur Athletic Union during the past year received an awful jolt, for on 18 occasions new records were set up from 50 to 1000 yards by the most remarkable performers were those of Duke Kahanamoku, of Honolulu; Perry McGillivray, of Illinois, and Harry Heber, of Illinois.

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MAZAMAS LEAVE TONIGHT

Party Will Ski in Mount Hood Country for Few Days. The Mazamas' second annual ski party leaves tonight for Mount Hood, where it will pass the time between now and New Year's in climbing.

WILLIAMS AND LEVINSKY WIN

World's Bantamweight Champion Administers Beating to Daly. NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Kid Williams, of Baltimore, world's bantam-weight champion, administered a severe beating to Johnny Daly, of this city, in a ten-round match here today.

WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS SET

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—Dates for the wrestling championships of the Amateur Athletic Union were set today. The bantam, special, welter and light-heavyweight matches will be held here January 16. On February 6, the feather, light, middle and heavyweights matches will be held. Entry blanks will be sent out.

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DIAL CLUB FAVORED

Continuous Ball Advocated as Interest Compeller.

BAN JOHNSON IS CONVERT

Old Antipathy of John McCloskey to Blond Ballplayers, on Which Many Stories Have Been Produced, Is Given Dental.

Every city of any importance will be represented by two ball clubs before many more seasons roll around, says "Hen" Berry, new owner of the Seals. Not only "Hen" says he expects to live to see the day when each city will have two clubs in the same league and continuous ball will be played in every city on the circuit.

DOWNING WINS PRAISE

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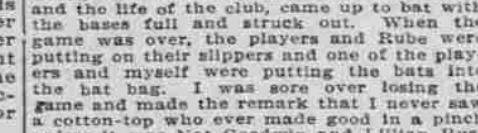
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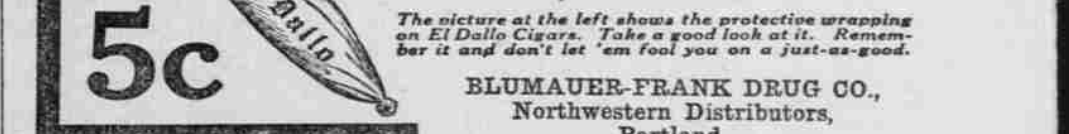
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Anderson Lasts Two Rounds

Barrieau Quickly Demonstrates Superiority Over Opponent. WALLACE, Idaho, Dec. 25.—(Special.)—One minute after the tap of the gong for the third round of the Barrieau-Anderson 15-round bout tonight, Trainer Dupree threw a sponge into the ring to save Anderson from knockout and Referee Godard awarded the fight to Barrieau.

Nationals Win Game, 4 to 3

Fred Snodgrass Starts Rally in Ninth Against Americans. LOS ANGELES, Dec. 25.—A ninth-inning rally, led by Fred Snodgrass, brought in two runs and put the game away for the Nationals today, that team defeating the All-Americans 4 to 3. A small crowd turned out to see the touring big leaguers play.

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Bear Cats Forfeit to Westover

The Westover football squad won by forfeit yesterday, when the Bear Cats failed to put in appearance for the scheduled game at East Twelfth and Davis.

Ex-Mayor Hunt's Will Probated

WALLA WALLA, Wash., Dec. 25.—(Special.) The will of Gilbert Hunt, ex-Mayor, who died here last week, was filed yesterday for probate. Mrs. Haple M. Hunt, the widow, is named as executrix to act without bonds. The three children, Mabel A. Foner, Eugene and Marguerite A. Hunt, each getting \$3000 cash. Mrs. Hunt is to have the remainder.

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