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## Tygh Valley Hi Smoker Entertained Many Fight Fans

Bouts Puled Off According to Plan and Fight Fans Satisfied With Whole Program

The advertised smoker given under the auspices of the Tygh Valley High school last Friday night in the new school gymnasium, was one of the best and most entertaining ever held in this section. At an early hour fans began pouring into the gym and long before the hour set for beginning nearly every seat was occupied. Johnny Williams of Maupin was referee and under his direction the boxers went into the fray with an intention of displaying their wares in as clean and sportsman-like manner as possible.

The first bout was between the Radtke "Midgits," two Maupin youngsters who settle their home difficulties with the gloves. The little fellows went at each other as though of a mind toward annihilation, but without rancor. They showed many of the older boxers points of the fight game and were recipients of much applause and a few dollars contributed by the audience.

Alva Hammer and Kenneth Webb were next in the ring. The boys boxed at 140 pounds and went four rounds. No decisions were given, as the smoker was purely an amateur affair but in the minds of many fans Hammer had the best of the fray.

Dick Delco, the little jockey from Wapinitia, next mixed with Howard Conley of Tygh. The boys were marked up at 120 pounds and their four rounds brought the fans to their feet, as both were aggressive and showed a great improvement over their meeting at the Maupin Legion smoker. The bout might have been called a draw.

Two young athletes from the Tygh Valley school next entertained the audience. They were Darrel Wing and Lester Stacey, each tipping the beam at 120 pounds. Their bout went four rounds and was a whirlwind affair. They were evenly matched and it decisions had been in order a draw would have been called.

Lawrence Knighten, 140 pounds, Albert Hachler, 150 pounds, went into the next bout with a determination to end each other's existence as soon as possible. They failed in their intention and it was a consensus of opinion that they were both good scrappers and should have a draw. Lawrence represented Tygh Valley while Albert gets his mail at Wapinitia.

Glen Graham of Maupin and Elmer Conley of Tygh Valley furnished material for the next bout. Both of the boys displayed great cleverness and were clearly entitled to a draw. Glen weighed 150 and Elmer was five pounds lighter.

Bill Padgett the flaxen haired scrapper from Wapinitia next tried conclusions with Leonard Chandler of Tygh. They combed each other's hair, gyrated around the ring and gave a fair imitation of just how the modern prize fight is not carried out. Neither was injured and a draw might have been called on the bout. Each weighed 135 pounds and went the limit of four rounds.

The following bout between Bob Shepfil of Maupin and Ray New of Tygh Valley proved a whirlwind while it lasted. The first round gave evidence of what might be expected in case either athlete was successful in landing a hay maker. In the second round, after Bob had been crowded to the ropes and was coming to meet Ray the latter reached out, his glove connected with the left facial button on Bob, the latter going to the land of dreams after receiving the knockout punch and making a graceful fall to the canvas. He came out of the dream after the count of 10, but says he did not fully recover his senses until long after receiving the blow.

The main bout of the evening was to have been between "Shorty" Behnke of Tygh Valley and "Spin" McClaskey, a husky pug of The Dalles. The bout was scheduled to go six rounds. In the first round, while the boys were crowding each other to the ropes, Behnke pushed Mac through the ropes, he striking on his back on a bunch arm, putting him down and out. He was assisted to the ring, but was so badly injured that he was unable to continue. Neither boy was given the bout un-

## FAREWELL PARTY TO MAYOR AND MRS. F. C. BUTLER

Maupin Community Club Entertains Members and Families at Odd Fellows Hall

Mayor and Mrs. F. C. Butler are about to leave Maupin on an indefinite absence, and to show appreciation of the couple the members of the Maupin Community club gave a farewell party at Odd Fellows hall Monday evening.

After the party had assembled at the hall Meddames Chalmers, Stovall and Temple repaired to the Butler residence and escorted recipients of the party to the scene of the affair. Then N. G. Hedin, in a few well chosen words, told the why of the party and spoke of the feeling of regret on the part of all our people that the mayor should seek other fields and sever his relations with us. During his remarks Mr. Hedin recommended that while living in Portland Mr. Butler should visit the meetings of the Oregon Commercial club and there tell of the vast opportunities this section offers to new settlers.

At the conclusion of Mr. Hedin's talk games were organized, and these were indulged in for some time, after which a nice luncheon, consisting of ice cream, cake and coffee, was served. Then Mr. Butler thanked the club members for their thoughtfulness in preparing the surprise party, saying that he always would consider Maupin his home; that he was acquainted with nearly everyone in this part and that if opportunity presented itself he would come back again and become one of us. Mrs. Butler has been active in social affairs of Maupin for many years and when she leaves this city a gap in the members of those who make for the betterment of Maupin will have been created. Both Mr. and Mrs. Butler will carry with them the best wishes of the whole community that they may prosper and be happy in whatever place they choose to locate.

## TO THE PUBLIC

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to the people of Maupin who have so kindly patronized our Ladies Aid suppers, given at the Rainbow cafe. We would like to have you know, too, that by so doing you are not only enjoying a supper but are contributing to a much needed institution. Every dollar derived from these suppers is devoted to payment for property on which it is reposed to build a United Brethren church. We hope to continue to enjoy your patronage at our suppers, bazars, etc. We thank you.

Aid Society of the U. B. church

## Dance at Shady Brook

After several months of inactivity the Shady Brook hall will be opened for a series of spring dances next Saturday night at which time a dance and supper will be served. The local Troubadour Four will furnish the music and everything else done to make the affair pleasant for all who attend.

der the circumstances as no blow foretold McClaskey out of the ring. The boys were evenly matched and it is said they may be brought together again, the next time at a smoker to be held in Maupin. Bates Shattuck of Maupin refereed the last two bouts.

The Tygh Valley High school treasury was enriched quite a sum as a result of the smoker and the dance which followed. The smoker easily demonstrated the hustling ability of the Tygh school members. They recently purchased an old building renovated the interior, laid a fine hardwood dance floor, ceiled the walls, erected baskets and now have a model gymnasium. And the best feature of the whole is that the new gym will soon be paid for. The dance held after the smoker proved to be a pleasant affair, many devotees of Terpsichore taking advantage of the opportunity and indulging in the pastime of dancing. The Tygh High school orchestra, than which no better is to be found in this section, furnished the music and gave the utmost satisfaction to those who tripped to the strains evoked by them.

We take our hat off to the Tygh Valley High school for the enterprise shown in providing an evening of pleasure to many people from this and other adjoining sections to Tygh Valley.

## Maupin's Postoffice Indexes a Substantial City Business

MAUPIN'S POSTOFFICE IN CAPABLE HANDS OF B. F. TURNER—CAME HERE AS HOMESTEADER AND WORKED ON RANCH SEVERAL YEARS—APPOINTED P. M. IN 1919

When a town the size of Maupin can show a postal business of better than \$30,000 into eight years to be reckoned as being one of the wide awake ones of the section where it is located. Maupin has such an office, which is presided over by B. F. Turner, who was first appointed in 1919, he receiving his appointment October 11 of that year. He succeeded Mrs. Ida Canfield and at once began to make our office a city one.

During his tenure in office Mr. Turner has sold stamps to the amount of \$20,503.67 and has filled out money orders for the amount of \$145,000.00, a total of approximately \$165,503.67. The Maupin postoffice handles about 600 pieces of mail each day, or about 220,000 pieces each year. Mr. Turner has added many fixtures to the equipment of the office. About five years ago a rural route was established for the patrons of the office and over which mail is carried to Juniper Flat. That mail is a six-day service and J. C. Pratt is the efficient mail carrier. Two years ago another route was instituted out of the local office, this time being a star route with the carrier making the Criterion section.

## L. C. Wilhelm, Pioneer Contractor

L. E. WILHELM AND JOB CRABTREE HAVE SERVED OUR PEOPLE SINCE 1911 AS CONTRACTING CARPENTERS—STILL ACTIVE

In order to build up a community competent carpenters are necessary. Maupin has two such in the persons of L. E. Wilhelm and Job Crabtree. The former was the first carpenter-builder to settle in Maupin, and his residence has been continuous since he first came to our city.

Mr. Wilhelm came to Maupin from Portland, September 25, 1911, coming as manager of the Monarch Lumber company, which later merged with the Tum-A-Lum company now the only lumber dealers in Maupin. Soon after arriving, Mr. Wilhelm constructed lumber sheds and arranged for stock. When the Shattuck yard was purchased by the Monarch he moved the stock to the buyer's yard and dispensed lumber to the many ranchers and townspeople in this vicinity until the Monarch yard was taken over by the Tum-A-Lum.

He remained with the latter company about one month, when Peter Kilburg came and succeeded him as manager.

Our subject then entered the contracting business, his first job being the erection of the F. D. Stuart residence. With that job completed he was offered and accepted work from many others, putting up among other buildings, the Shattuck

store, later destroyed by fire, the Hotel Kelly, the Grade school building, school houses at Criterion, at Turner's, Wapinitia, and the Kelly school on the Flat. Was foreman on the Hunt's Ferry warehouse and Legion hall.

Among the residences built by him in Maupin may be mentioned those of Dr. Stovall, George Cunningham, house for R. G. Johnson, rebuilt The Times office, the L. C. Henneghan residence, J. H. Woodcock home, constructed the O. P. Weberg residence, but was compelling to sublet the job owing to an accident in which he broke several ribs and consequently was laid up for a time. He also put up the old postoffice, old bank, as well as the modern structure now housing that institution, Maupin Garage, rebuilt what is now the Rainbow restaurant, did the inside work for the Butler store, constructed the Richmond's service station, the Maupin roller mill and warehouse. He is a responsible for the construction of our drug store, residences of O. F. Renick and several others here.

Among the ranch buildings Mr. Wilhelm built are the residences of Clarence Alexander and Jake Davidson. He went to the Natural Pasture and there erected a resi-

## TELLS OF FISHING IN OUR OWN DESCHUTES

Head Of Meier & Frank Tackle Department Compares McKenzie and Deschutes River

In a story in the February number of Western Out-Of-Doors, Ivy Collins, in charge of the fishing tackle department of the Meier & Frank Portland store, tells of fishing in the McKenzie and Deschutes rivers. In speaking of the McKenzie Mr. Collins says that to be successful in that stream a boat is necessary, and then goes on to say that our stream presents an entirely different problem. Below is what he says about our river:

"Here a boat is not necessary, as the banks are not so brushy and it is possible to wade along the edge of the stream in most places; but the big ones usually lie far out in the stream, and here again the fisherman must be able to cast a long line and drop his fly lightly upon the water. In some places, such as at the Kaskella riffle, a gravel bar extends down the center of the stream a considerable distance and this can be reached only by wading through swift water wait deep or more; but once this submerged bar is reached it is not uncommon for a sportsman to take the limit from this one riffle.

In this stream the artificial salmon fly and the Flying Caddis are most often productive of results, although at times the Black Gnat or some other dark pattern proves to be a wonderful killer."

## "THE KID BROTHER" A SWIFT MOVING COMEDY

Harold Lloyd, "Jester to The Millions," Will Be Seen at Legion Hall Sunday Night

Standing the acid test of exhibitors reports throughout the country for more than a year, Harold Lloyd's "The Freshman" still rates as the biggest box office success of recent years according to a monthly check-up made by a leading motion picture trade publication. With a rating of 89 per cent, "The Freshman," tops all other pictures released around the same time.

Lloyd has great ambitions to repeat this success with his second Paramount release, "The Kid Brother," which is to be seen at the Legion hall Sunday night.

He gave eight months to the making of this new opus but from advance reports, he is said to have a winner that will stand every comparison with "The Freshman."

"The Kid Brother" is one of the swift moving type of comedies Lloyd has associated himself with. As the youngest brother of a family of strong men, Lloyd suffers all the indignities a kid brother invariably has to endure. But when the final test comes, it is this same "youn'un."

denace, barn, machinery and stock shed, tower and water tank, pump house and other buildings for Frank Gabel. These are but slight mention of building Mr. Wilhelm has done around here.

Mr. Wilhelm is a Michigander, he having been born and raised at Saginaw, Michigan. As a young man he followed lumbering and later learned the carpenter trade.

In 1889 he came to Portland, and there followed his calling, taking a vacation therefrom several times to serve Portland on its police force. His first wife died in that city long before he came to Maupin. Here he married again, his wife dying March 11, 1922.

Our subject knows lumber, and better still, knows how to fabricate it into as fine buildings as any carpenter in the state. His work stands as a monument to his ability and whenever work in his line is desired he is always given a chance to do it.

(Next week we will tell about Mr. Job Crabtree.)

## Went to Portland

R. W. and E. R. Richmond went to Portland last Thursday for the purpose of looking over a truck with an eye to buying such a vehicle. While there they called upon Floyd Richmond, who has lately branched out for himself in a service station and storage garage. He had but just gotten his gas pump to working, as the man he purchased the plant from was dilatory in fixing it up, as he had agreed to do. They come home Saturday night.

## Looks as Though a Big Surprise Is Ready For Maupin

Shattuck Bros. Making Great Change in Grocery and Hardware Parts of Store

The Shattuck store is undergoing many changes in interior arrangements, changes which are designed to give customers a better view of the goods carried. Job Crabtree has been at work in the store the past week and under his skillful direction the changes are fast assuming shape.

Among other changes we notice the partition running across the north side of the room has been taken out and switched across the south end, thus making an addition to the store room 20x30 feet. In that part shelves have been constructed and these have been filled with small hardware and harness findings. This means a great addition to the main grocery part of the store. The shelves between that department and the dry goods side have been lowered and new counters erected on the grocery floor, these being placed in the center of the room. Just what Mr. Shattuck's idea in making that arrangement is, we have not learned, but it is a safe bet he has something in contemplation that he intends to spring as a surprise on his customers.

The change in the room will give about one-third more space for the display of goods and will permit carrying a larger stock in the store proper. The Shattuck store is by far the largest in this section of the state and Mr. Shattuck is always awake to those things which will conduce to the comfort and advantage of the customers. It is expected the changes will be completed and the store ready for the surprise about the middle of March. It's coming, so be on the watch for it.

## DON'T FORGET THE TWINS

They'll Be At The Legion Hall Tomorrow Night

Yes, they're coming. Word has been received from those mischievous infants that they have cancelled all other dates in order to be at Legion hall and assist the Legion's auxiliary in putting on a comedy production that will exceed anything ever shown here before. They travel under the title of "Those Dreadful Twins," and that they are dreadful only needs to be present at the hall and see the many pranks they play and how they keep their fellow actors in hot water all the time. A dance will be given after the play with the Troubadour Four at the helm to furnish music. The inner man will also be attended to in the shape of a fine supper served by the Auxiliary ladies.

## WILL CELEBRATE CHANGE IN GARAGE MANAGEMENT

Kramer Bros. To Give Free Show and Dance at Legion Hall On March 10

Kramer Bros. will formally announce their acquisition of the Tiltonson Motor company's garage and business by giving a free show and dance at the Legion hall on Saturday night, March 10. The affair will be in the nature of a get acquainted dance, at which time all those who are interested in the new Ford cars and trucks will be given an opportunity to make such fact known. A full showing of a good film story will be made and after that the floor will be cleared and all who care may indulge in a dance. Everything will be free, which fact should insure a full house.

## A 'Thin Dime' Speaks

"I am a DIME—ten cents. I am not on speaking terms with the butcher."

"I am too small to even look at a pint of ice cream."

"I am not large enough to purchase a good cigar."

"I am too small to buy a ticket to a movie."

"I am hardly fit for a tip."

"But believe me, when it comes to street car fare I am considered SOME MONEY."

## LEGION HALL Sunday Night, March... 4

## HAROLD LLOYD

## "The KID BROTHER"

Harold gets the horse laugh!

FUNNY enough to make a horse laugh becomes more than a phrase with this one. It becomes a FACT.

Convince yourself that this is a real classic from Old King Comedy himself.

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