

# SPORTS PAGE

## Santiam Riders Choose Next Year's Officers

Fred Gnuske succeeded Bert Karr as president of the Riders of the Santiam Saddle club at an election of officers Dec. 6, at the Lazy Maple ranch. Other officers chosen by the group were Barney Roy, to succeed Hollis Turnidge as vice-president. Pete Peterson was selected as secretary-treasurer of the group by a unanimous decision of the group. This is Peterson's second term in office.

A Christmas party at Jordan hall was discussed, as well as a New Year's eve dance, which is to be held at the Jordan dance hall. Larry and his Cascade Rangers were selected to play at the dance and party.

### CAFE GETS ALTERATIONS

Alterations and new paint are being added to Viv's steak house, with the cafe closed during the period of December 24 to January 2. A cream-colored paint will be applied, as well as a few changes made, management of the eating establishment reported.

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## Game Commission To Hold Hearings On Angling

Charles A. Lockwood, Oregon state game director, calls attention to the fact that the annual public hearing concerning angling regulations for 1950 will be held in the Portland office of the Oregon state game commission at 10 A.M., January 13.

The public is invited to attend this hearing, and anyone having suggestions to make concerning the new angling regulations will be heard at that time. Representatives of organizations and individuals will all be heard. Those organizations not able to send a representative and individuals not able to attend should send in their recommendations by mail before that date.

After the public hearing the game commission will set tentative regulations for the coming year. These will be announced, and after a two week interval, the commission will reconvene, make any changes deemed necessary, and set the final angling regulations for the year 1950.

### DEFENDANT LOSES \$35

Stanley Frank Walczak of Mill City was fined \$35 in costs by Municipal Judge Donald Sheythes of Mill City following a three hour and 15 minute trial in justice court Wednesday evening. In the trial, Walczak was charged with reckless driving and disorderly conduct following his arrest by Chief of Police J. T. King December 7.

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# Local Sports Progress

## Local Sports Hold Thrills For Fans

The 1949 edition of the sporting scene in Mill City gave a promise of things to come for the New Year and a fighting determination for a lot of talented youth from the local area.

A losing basketball team from Mill City high school inaugurated the year's sporting program, but showed promise for the future. The home town basketeers, however, came out of their league with ten wins and one loss to take the Santiam league championship.

The league was made up of Turner, Aumsville, Sublimity and Mill City, Idanha and Stayton, which had previously been in the league, had to waylay the sport this year because of squad disagreement and highway difficulties.

Ken Chance coached the local team composed of Joe Lalack, Don Roy, Woody Heller, Lee Manning, Gale Carey, Don Carey, Ronnie Johnson and Joe Boyle.

The Timberwolves, however, suffered a different fate and went down to defeat in several games. The squad showed determination and promise, as has been proven by the results of this seasons record.

Baseball was set aside last spring at the high school, but play will resume again this spring, it was reported. It was also reported that consolidation of the Turner and Aumsville schools will force the two teams into A league competition.

Football found the local high school squad in fifth place in the league with two wins, three losses and two ties. The local team won over Turner and Chemawa, and lost to Jefferson, Aumsville and the league leading St. Paul eleven. Sublimity jinxed the Timberwolves into a tie game and the locals upset the apple cart by tying the league leading Gervais footballers to knock them from a first place tie with St. Paul.

Signing of Burton Boroughs to the coaching staff at the high school proved to be an asset and the varied Oregon T formation in orthodox form proved somewhat of a new element to the other squads.

Graduation will take most of the first string eleven, but Boroughs will have five lettermen on the field when he again takes over the reigns on the gridiron next fall. Lettermen returning are Harley Gibson, guard; Bob Baltimore, halfback; Bill Deen, end; Denny Marttala, center; Leroy Padrobsky, fullback; and Lyle Fleetwood, halfback. Padrobsky showed great football savvy and proved to be an outstanding backfield man in the pinches for the first string during the past season.

Lost to graduation will be Ramon Peterson, end; Lawrence Thornley tackle and center; Ernie Padrobsky, guard; Norman Marttala, tackle; Leo Poole, halfback; and Lawrence Poole, quarterback. Others returning to the fold will include George Neal, guard; Dick Kanoff, halfback; Thad Roberts, quarterback; Bob Shelton, guard; Gary Peterson, guard; Tom Kanoff, halfback; and Bill Hoffman, halfback.

This array of talent should give Boroughs something to work with for the coming year, and with the influx of new material expected because of the new dam-site, sporting fans can look for a tough outfit to beat next fall.

Coach Boroughs followed the football season with a league leading basketball team that hasn't lost a game, league or non league, since the season opened fire in the second half to take the lead and hold the favorable side of the score to the final gun.

1949 has given the local sports fans thrills per minute and the sports calendar for the forthcoming year holds even greater thrills for those who love the smooth operation of basketball teams, the thud of ball against bat, and the contact of bodies in the fall.

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### WOLVES TO PLAY HERE JANUARY 3

The Mill City high school Timberwolves will meet the Chemawa cagers in a non-league tilt Tuesday, January 3, on the local high school court.

The Timber wolves are currently leading the Southern Division of the Marion B league with no losses and seven wins. A capacity crowd is expected to turn out to boost the local team and usher in the New Year's sports calendar.

The "B" squad will play the Chemawa jayvees in a preliminary contest at 7:15 pm. The varsity game will begin at 8:30.

## Wolves Win Victory Over Fighting Dons

Leo Poole, flashy forward for the Mill City high school varsity basketball team took scoring honors Friday night when the local squad dumped a fighting Jefferson team 37 to 21 on the Mill City high school court.

A capacity crowd saw coach Burton Borough's cagers outclass the Dons from the western city. The husky center of the Timberwolves, Ollie Muise played a rough and tumble game against the Dons, holding the scoring down for the visiting squad, and garnering seven points. Second high scorer for the Timberwolves was Bob Baltimore, speedy forecourt guard, who was consistently in the hair of the Jeff men on defense.

The two Lawrences, Thornley and Poole, played an exceptionally fine game for the league leading Mill City squad with Thornley ringing the bell for five points and Poole potting four toward the final tally.

Three points separated the Jefferson "B" team from the Mill City jayvees, with the local outfit on the short end of the score. The final score of the preliminary game was 16 to 13.

Mill City (37)	Jefferson (21)
L. Thornley (5)	F N. Brown (1)
Leo Poole (12)	F Porter (1)
Ollie Muise (7)	C Marlatt (4)
L. Poole (4)	G Reeves
Baltimore (9)	G Ricks (5)
Roberts	S Cameron (6)
E. Podrabsky	S Blackwell
L. Podrabsky	S Williams
Bud Peterson	S Wattenbarger (4)
Moberg	S

Mill City (13)	Jefferson (16)
L. Podrabsky (7)	F Blackwell (4)
Shelton	F Cameron (9)
Marttala	C G. Hart
Kanoff (3)	G Williams (1)
Roberts (3)	G Wattenbarger (2)
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Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Flatman were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Longfellow and daughter, Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Flatman and son, Bucky, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Flatman and daughter Donelda, all of Mill City. Also acting as overseer of the dinner was Grandpa Lee Berry, great-grandfather of the children.

Guests at the Walter Peterson residence this week were Nancy and Arlene Larson, and Ernie Wendland from Vancouver, Wash.

A family Christmas dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Swan with their children home. These included Mr. and Mrs. Al Smeench and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Swan of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Swan and Jerry of Mill City.

Friends dropping in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Colburn late Monday afternoon for the holiday greetings were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark, Mrs. Roy Kendler of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Shelds Remine and Mary Jay, Mr. and Mrs. George Steffy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolverton.

Monday evening guests at the Albert Toman home were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frisch of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Art Robison and daughter Lynn and Robert Veness. Mr. Frisch was the former operator of the Mill City retail lumber yard and is now employed in Portland at one of the hotels. Mrs. Robison is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Toman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cruson, Gale and Jerry of Ashland were holiday visitors in Mill City at the home of his brother, Charles Cruson. Gall spent part of the time visiting at the home of Mrs. James Swan and Patricia Wolverton. The Cruson's are former

Mill City residents. Friday the Crusons motored to Portland for medical treatment for Mr. Cruson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jenkins and family had dinner in Salem Monday with her father and sister.

Lieut. Floyd Hoeye, who has been in an army hospital in California, spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Alice Hoeye, his sister, Mrs. Byron Davis and brother, David Hoeye. Lieutenant Hoeye is waiting for retirement from the army soon because of war time injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Keith spent Christmas weekend in Portland visiting relatives.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blazek over the holiday season were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harris and son of Drain, Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Rhodes, and Goldie Butler of Longview, Wash., Oscar Brown and Francis Pinney of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Rhodes of Longview. The Mesdames Blazek, Harris and Wilber Rhodes are sisters, while their brother is Mr. Brown. Mr. Wilford Rhodes is Blazek's nephew. This is the first time the whole family has been together since 1933 when Mrs. Blazek's father, the former Henry Brown of Mill City, died.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stahlman spent Christmas Eve in Salem visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Frisch and family of Portland spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Elsie Potter. While in Mill City they visited many of their friends. They returned to Portland late Tuesday.

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