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TO THE NEW YEAR

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## SPORTS PAGE

### Mill City Tops Chemawa 50-39

Mill City, Dec. 21.—With Roy Chase hitting for 25 points the Mill City Timberwolves took over undisputed second place in the Marion County B league. The locals dumped the Chemawa Indians Friday night 50-39, and led all the way, 14-4 at the quarter, 26-12 at halftime, and 37-26 going into the final frame.

Lefty Roy Chase dominated the first half scoring, dunking with consistent accuracy his favorite jump shot from the key. In the meantime, Coach Boroughs' five displayed a well-knit defense that afforded the Indians but few good shots during the first half.

In the third stanza, the Indians roared back with determination and managed to penetrate the Timberwolves defense, while holding the victors in tow. It appeared to be a ball game for a while, but only until the local forces—led by Dick Downer—commenced breaking free for good shots under the enemies basket.

The Mill City Bees won the preliminary 40-29.

Chemawa (39)	Mill City (50)
James (11)	F (25) Chase
Godoria	F (5) Marttala
Binalie (13)	C (15) Downer
Shillal (7)	G Kanoff
Markunen	G (2) Baltimore
Smison (4)	S (2) Ward
Sanpun (4)	S (1) Shelton

### Cole Leads Scorers in Marion 'B' League

In the Marion County B league scoring race Gates high's Marlin Cole is far in front with 74 counters in three games for a 24 plus average. Mill City's Roy Chase is in second place with 57 points in four games and Gervais' Terry Mahoney is third with 54 points in but three games.

The leaders:	Games	Pts.	Avg.
Cole, Gates	3	74	24.66
Chase, Mill City	4	57	14.25
Mahoney, Gervais	3	54	18.00
Wallstrum, O.D.S.	3	40	13.33
Jim Gries, Sublimity	4	40	10.00
Puef, Sublimity	4	39	9.75
Wattenberger, Jeff	3	38	12.66
Donner, Mill City	4	37	9.25
Martin, O.D.S.	3	32	10.66

### Gates Topples Broncs 48-34

St. Paul, Dec. 21.—The Gates High Pirates handed St. Paul's Buckaroos a 48-34 setback while notching their second victory in Marion County B league play. The Gates squad led all the way, holding a 21-15 margin at half-time.

Marlin Cole—the league's leading scorer topped the victors with a 28 point effort, while Stout and Kirk led the Buckaroos with 13 and 12 points respectively. The St. Paul Bees walloped the Gates second stringers 37-17.

St. Paul (34)	Gates (48)
Smith (2)	F (1) Henness
Kirk (12)	F (8) Romey
Stout (13)	C (28) Cole
M. Gelow (4)	G (7) Lee
Gonce	G (4) Crites
Powell (3)	S Devine

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### Saints Leads Marion County 'B' League

Marion County B league basketballing goes idle until Jan. 4, because of the year-end holidays and school vacation. When the nine team circuit again swings into action, Sublimity's veteran Saints will be atop the heap with four straight victories. Mill City's Timberwolves are now resting in second place with a 3-1 mark and Gates, Gervais, and the School for the Deaf are deadlocked in third place with a 2-1 record.

When play resumes in January Mill City goes to St. Paul, Deaf Schoolers to Gates, Gervais to Detroit and Chemawa to Sublimity.

League Standings	W	L	Pct.
Sublimity	4	0	1.000
Mill City	3	1	.750
Gates	2	1	.667
Gervais	2	1	.667
O. D. S.	2	1	.667
Jefferson	1	2	.333
Chemawa	0	2	.000
St. Paul	0	3	.000
Detroit	0	3	.000

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By Harry Miller, Director, GAINES DOG RESEARCH CENTER

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BEST WISHES TO OUR FRIENDS

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MILL CITY

## Mill City Hi-Lites

By GARY PETERSON

Mill City high school students enjoyed, Friday an assembly put on by the junior class, a gift-exchanging party, and a perfect evening of basketball with the Indians of Chemawa. The Christmas program was a short play entitled "A Quiet Christmas", an accordion solo by Dick Williams, a reading by Mr. LeCours, and the appearance of Roy "Fat Boy" Podrabsky in the title role portraying Santa Claus. "Santa" talked with some of the most thrilled students, Bob Baltimore, Darrell Farnen, and Willa Loucks, and then appointed some assistants to pass out the gifts because he had ripped his bright red pants coming down the chimney and didn't want to stir from his chair. The faculty presented each undeserving pupil an ice cream bar anyway.

The Timberwolves defeated the Redskins easily in both games of the evening, with the "B" squad notching the first victory by 40 to 29 count. The varsity then followed up in the second tilt by scalping the young gentlemen who wear red suits all the time 50 to 39. Lefty Roy Chase was virtually invincible as he tossed in 25 points to lead all scoring. Dick Downer tossed in 15 more to aid and abet the cause. The Indians were unable to score a field goal until the closing minutes of the second quarter, when they dunked in four quickies.

The Girls Athletic association must be commended for the fine formal which was given by said organization on Saturday night, December 22. Dark blue crepe paper with silver bells adorned the walls, a silver Christmas tree was placed in the center of the auditorium, and a revolving lighting system invented by Delmar Skillings, Denny Marttala, and David Keyes, shined with a blue light on a false ceiling made of silver foil. Halftime entertainment included a girls vocal group, yours truly on the trumpet, and Darlene Woodward sang "Silver Bells". Refreshments consisted of cookies and mixture which was greatly improved with the addition of

hot sauce. This brew was fed to unsuspecting stooges at various times during the evening, whereupon these innocent victims ran cold water through the enflamed musous membranes of the mouth. This brought to mind a recent hit song "Jezebel". I know—I was one of the sufferers. Happy New Year!



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