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## Wash & Dry To Open Here Friday A. M.

Ray Sophy of Detroit is announcing the opening of the Mill City Wash & Dry, this Friday morning. Mr. Sophy opened up a wash and dry laundry at his Detroit store this past summer and he said it has proven to be a successful operation. He feels there is a need for this service in the Mill City area. The plant, which will be located in the old laundry building next to Les's Body and Fender Repair on S. First avenue will consist of five washers, one extractor and two dryers. The operation will be managed by Mrs. Glee Waters, mother of Mrs. Sophy, who will live in the apartment in the back part of the building.

Sophy stated hours of operation will be from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m.

Friday and Saturday free coffee and doughnuts will be served from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. both days.

## Salem Gleemen To Sing in Mill City Friday, April 12

One of the highlights of the entertainment year will come Friday, April 12 when the Mill City Lions club will sponsor the Salem Gleemen in a concert to be held at the grade school gym. Lee Ross, who has been in contact with the group, said about 50 singers will come. There will be both male and female barber shop quartets besides the chorus, and it promises to be a real musical treat. Further details will be forthcoming at a later date.

There will be a representative from the highway department at the club sometime in February.

One of the highlights of the highway 22 where it takes off from Interstate 5.

Jerry Pittam, calendar sales chairman reported that there was a net of \$522.91 from the calendar sales drive this year, which is the highest net of any year since the Lions started the birthday calendar program.

February 18 is the date set for the annual sweetheart's dinner meeting of Lions and their wives.

President Lee Bassett asked for volunteers to furnish cars to take the Rainbow Girls around on Thursday, January 31 on the annual porchlight parade for collection of March of Dimes funds.

Lowell Fleetwood will bring his foster son, Okinori Ono, foreign exchange student to the meeting Monday night, when he will speak to club members.

At the board meeting following the dinner, the group sent a check as a part payment for the removal of the stumps in the City Park. The work has been done, now it is up to the club to raise the funds to pay the bill.

## Santiam JVs Lose To Woodburn Quint

Santiam JVs again tasted defeat at the hands of Woodburn Saturday night to the tune of 61-38. A disastrous first half was the undoing of the Little Red as they scored a meager 10 points, seven in the first quarter and three in the second.

Ron Ohmart led the Wolverine scoring with 16 points while Lafollette of Woodburn was the game's high scorer with 18.

Other JV scorers were Robertson 8, Merrill 6, Conover 7, and Lyons 1.

## Gates Firemen Called To Put Out Flue Fire

GATES—The Gates Volunteer Fire department was called to the Clare Henness home about 8 o'clock Tuesday morning to extinguish a fire around the flue at their home, caused by an overheated stove.

Only minor damage was reported but Mrs. Henness said if the department had not responded quickly it might have been a bad fire.

## Young Man Picture of Physical Fitness



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Umphress are proud of the physical prowess displayed by their 9 months old grandson, Robin, son of Mr. and Mrs. David McIntyre of Veneta.

He is a splendid example of President Kennedy's physical fitness program. He has been able to stand and balance on his father's hand since he was 3 1/2 months old. Now he can stand in many positions, including standing like a stork on his father's outstretched hand and in a horizontal position as pictured.

Robin has been walking since he was 7 1/2 months old and stands and walks with his little back as straight as a ramrod.

The little boy weighed 8 pounds and one-half ounce when born and was 19 1/2 inches tall. At 9 months he weighed 20 pounds and was 27 1/2 inches tall.

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## Four Hurt When Pickup Leaves Road

IDANHA—Four men escaped serious injury Friday when their pickup truck plunged off the road west of Boulder Creek, near Idanha.

The accident happened about 2 a. m. and the men were taken by ambulance to Santiam Memorial hospital in Stayton.

The men, Russel Reid, Paul Knapp, Lee Woods and Conrad Lee were all of Idanha. The men were treated and released from the hospital.

Ambulance attendants said there was a covering of new snow on the ground, which may have caused the accident. The pickup sheared off a telephone pole on its way down the slope.

## Four-Year Old Burned When Apron Catches on Fire

GATES—Sheila May Kadin, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kadin of Scio was seriously burned in an accident at her home last week. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kadin of Gates and has been staying with them since the accident.

The little tot's apron caught fire on an electric stove burner, resulting in severe burns on her abdomen and waist as well as minor burns and singed hair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kadin said they arrived on the scene just as their daughter-in-law was extinguishing the flames on her daughter's clothing.

They said Sheila May was recovering rapidly but is still uncomfortable and in some pain. It may be necessary to have skin grafts later, depending on how well the burns heal. The little girl was being returned to her home this week.

## Day Care Center for Retarded Children Is Started Here

The Linn County Association for Retarded Children has started a day care center in the Christian Education unit of the Presbyterian church, according to Susie Stewart, secretary of the local chapter.

Hours of the center are from 10 a. m. until 12 noon on Mondays and Fridays and any parent of a retarded child is invited to bring the youngster to the center.

Primary purpose is to allow the child to socialize with other youngsters and also to give the parents a little extra time as often the retarded child needs more care.

Mrs. Stewart said anyone in the community who would like to volunteer their services to help at the center should contact her and Mrs. Donna Podrabsky.

## Breitenbush Deal Off, On?

There has been considerable rumor lately concerning the sale of the Breitenbush Hot Springs but according to Wendell Halseth, president and manager of the Springs, it has not been sold.

He said that while the area had been on the market it has not changed hands and expects to have the resort in full operation by April 15.

The 160 acre area which was originally homesteaded in 1911 by Claude Mansfield, was acquired by Halseth and Everett Holt families in 1956 from M. D. Bruckman.

The resort is located in the heart of the forest on the Breitenbush river and has been alluded to as Oregon's Yellowstone Park.

Wendell Halseth operates the upper resort and his brother, Wayne Halseth, operates the lower resort on land leased from the government.

## Six Local Band Members To Play in Honor Band

Six members of the Santiam Union High School band have been selected to play in the Capitol Conference Honor band, according to Spencer Hillesland, band director.

The band is divided into two groups, the northern half which includes Canby, Woodburn, North Marion, Gervais and Serra. The southern half includes Central, Cascade, Scio, Stayton and Santiam.

The honor band will have several rehearsals and will make two appearances: March 15 at Serra high at 8 p. m. for the northern section and March 16, at 8 p. m. at Stayton for the southern section. The entire SUHS band will play at the STAYTON appearance for a 10-minute period.

Those selected from Santiam were: John Kelly, flute; David Hickerson, baritone horn; Don Podrabsky, trumpet; Patsy Penick, bass horn; Scott Hillesland, baritone horn and Rusty Whitten, drum.

## Funeral Services Held For John Bowers

IDANHA—Funeral services were held Saturday for John Bowers of Idanha, who passed away at his home Wednesday. He was a millwright at Green Veneer and was well known for his rock and woodworking hobbies.

Survivors include his wife, Lois; daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Huxel, Bend; son, Bob Bowers, Lyons; sisters, Mrs. George Valentine, Mrs. Paul Collins, Washington, D. C.; brother, Norman Bowers of Idanha and one grandchild.

Services were conducted by Golden Chapel in Salem with interment at Friends cemetery at Newberg.

## Stanley Vail Hurt In Logging Accident

Stanley Vail escaped serious injury last week when a log on a hillside above where he was working became loosened and rolled down the hill, knocking him to the ground. A slight indenture in the earth gave his body a natural shelter, thus having him from serious injury. He is recovering satisfactorily at Santiam Memorial hospital and expects to be able to return home soon.

Vail and Harvey Meacham are contract fallers for Bodeker & Duggan Logging Co.

## Santiam Takes Amity Tuesday

The Wolverines continued their winning ways in a non-league victory at Amity Tuesday night, 64-48.

Santiam got off to a slow start in the first half, trailing 31-27 at the end of the second quarter—but our boys came on strong in the second half. They played exceptional ball in the third quarter. While scoring 18 points in the third period, Santiam held Amity's Warriors to six points and two rebounds.

Mark Sheythe hit 75% on field goals to lead the Wolverine with 20 points. Fuller's 21 points was high for the game but no other Warrior scored 10 points.

Wolverine scorers: Sheythe 20, Hickerson 17, Whitten 13, Marshall 6, Morris 5, Cannon 2, and Podrabsky 1.

## Lions Club Again Sponsors Dimes Drive In This Area

It has been brought to the attention of residents that at least two youngsters have been "working" the northwest section of town on the Marion county side, collecting money. They have ostensibly been doing for the March of Dimes, but according to the Lions club, sponsors of the March, they are doing it on their own. Anyone contributing to the worthwhile cause should make sure that it is an authorized person collecting.

## Lawson Croft, 83 Dies Here Tuesday

Word has been received through the police department that Lawson Cyrus Croft, 83, passed away at his home on S. E. Fairview sometime Tuesday morning. The body was discovered by a neighbor, Kenneth Bain, who had checked on Mr. Croft Monday evening.

It is believed that a heart attack was the cause of death. Only known survivor is a brother, Richard Croft, of Grants Pass. Funeral services are pending at Huston Mortuary in Lebanon.

## Phone Co-Op Elects Three Directors

By Jean Roberts  
LYONS—The annual meeting of the Peoples' Co-Operative Telephone Co., was held recently with three directors elected. Outgoing directors Ray Roberts and George Neal, were re-elected for three year terms, and Jack Lingsaas, recently appointed by the board to fill the unexpired term of John Kunkle, who resigned, was elected for a one-year term.

Considerable interest was shown in the prospect of changing from a Co-op to a stock holding company. The telephone board was appointed last year, as a committee to investigate this possibility. Their suggestion is:

Have two types of stock: Class A stock holders would consist only of the present membership and would have voting rights and participate in dividends. Regardless of number of stock A bonds held, only two votes to any one family.

Class B stock would participate in earnings of the company but would have no vote on election of directors or management.

This method, explained the directors, will give the controlling power of the company and the stock to the members who have worked for years to build the lines and maintain the company.

At present there are 352 members who have about 4500 years of membership. The surplus would be divided by this figures to arrive at the dollar per year membership in the issuance of stock.

If a stock company is formed explained the directors, there would be no membership fee. Anyone desiring a telephone would pay installation fee and a flat rate per month.

A special meeting will be called within a few months to discuss this proposition.

## North Marion To Play Here Saturday

The North Marion Huskies basketball team will come here Saturday night to meet the Wolverines in another Capitol League game. The Huskies position isn't too impressive but they have lost their games by very close scores. Woodburn defeated them by four points and other games were by two to five points.

The Capitol Conference offers stiff competition by the tailenders as well as the league leaders.

Saturday night Santiam played to a capacity house in defeating Woodburn. Basketball fans are turning out in large numbers to see the games this season, and Saturday night's mix with North Marion should be another good game, said Coach Burton Boroughs.

## Coming Events

Wednesday, January 23—Order of Rainbow for Girls at hall 7:30. Initiation.

Safety Council meeting at Last Frontier. No host dinner. Topic: Loading, loading equipment and radio whistle.

Lions Club Auxiliary meeting at Betty Pittam home 8 p. m. Friday, January 25—IOOF lodge at hall 8 p. m.

Saturday night—Santiam Wolverines vs. North Marion.

Monday, January 28—Lions club dinner meeting at Fellowship hall, 6:30 p. m.

Weather, Detroit Dam and Lake Elevation			
	Max.	Min.	Pep. Elev.
Jan. 16	42	35	0.00 1450.19
Jan. 17	41	34	0.00 1450.37
Jan. 18	41	34	0.14 1450.58
Jan. 19	39	23	0.01 1450.47
Jan. 20	37	23	0.00 1450.67
Jan. 21	43	26	0.00 1450.86
Jan. 22	46	22	0.00 1450.78

## Electric Stove and Water Heater Needed by Citizen

Walt Westgaard this week informed The Enterprise that there is a senior citizen in Mill City who is in need of an electric stove and hot water heater. Westgaard stated the pipes at her home had frozen up during the recent cold spell, but that they are all thawed out now. Horn Electric installed 220 electric service in the house, donating all their labor, and selling the parts and wire at cost. The widow lady is over 80 years old and it is extremely hard for her to split wood for her cook stove, thus if anyone in the area has a stove and/or water heater to donate or sell reasonably, please notify The Enterprise or Walt Westgaard. The Mill City Boy Scouts hauled some firewood to her recently.

## Lloyd Girod To Head Hosp. Board

The annual meeting of the stockholders and the board meeting of Santiam Memorial Hospital was held at Stayton Thursday evening. The ballots had been counted on Wednesday night and the following were elected to the board: From the Gates-Mill City area: E. S. Peterson and J. C. Kimmel; Lyons-Mehama-Elkhorn: Ken Golliet and Paul Geraths; from Stayton, John Etzel; Sublimity, Richard Schumacher; and A. J. Frank was elected at large.

Elected as chairman of the board of directors was Lloyd Girod; and A. J. Frank, John Etzel and Richard Schumacher were named on the executive board.

Merton Cox, chairman of the building committee gave a comprehensive report on the activities during the past year, showing that much had been accomplished. The new additions to the hospital will be ready for use within a few days, he said.

When speaking of the new pediatrics ward, he stated it is one of the finest in the Northwest. There is a new drug room and a nurses station, besides the main office and records storage space.

A new roof was put on the hospital this summer, and following the big storm of October 12, when the chimney fell through into the hospital, all repairs were made from insurance, so there was no cash loss to the organization. Cox said all building during the year was done without much interruption in operation and the manager, Gale Christensen and the staff did their work without complaints.

During the business session it was voted to install a mobile telephone in the ambulance. The board believed that this was an essential piece of equipment which could be used to advantage when the ambulance answers emergency calls where people are seriously injured.

A report was given on the work of the Hospital Auxiliary and it was learned they were giving the pediatrics ward \$500 and also will furnish drapes for the new office. The Auxiliary is also planning to give pins to Cheerettes who put in a certain number of hours of work. The Auxiliary also is making novel wash cloths for patients in the pediatrics ward.

The board extended their thanks to A. J. Frank and J. C. Kimmel for their work during the past year—a year which will go down in the records as being a successful one.

## Scio To Play Here Tuesday Nite

By Ed McCurdy  
Scio High school plays Santiam here Tuesday, January 29 in a league game. The JV game starts at 6:30, the Varsity at 8.

The Scio Loggers are in eighth place in league standing, but don't count them out. They beat Gervais 55-34 Tuesday night.

With a 3-5 record, Scio doesn't have much chance for betterment in this game. Santiam has five wins and one loss, and everything to lose. Serra and Mt. Angel are tied for third with records of 6-2.

Darwin Rorer led the Loggers against Gervais with 20 points. Another man to watch is Dick Cloud who bucketed 15.

## First Aid Classes Are Being Taught

Mill City residents are again reminded that a standard first aid course is being offered for anyone 18 years or older, starting Wednesday evening, January 23 at the firehall.

Howard Dean of the Detroit Ranger station will be the instructor. Mrs. Don Westrick, president of Santiam PTA, said that organization was sponsoring the class and that a group of 24 would be desirable.

## Santiam Wins Thriller From Woodburn

By Ed McCurdy  
Santiam squeaked by Woodburn in another thriller Saturday, 52-48. Free throws made the difference, with both teams hitting 20 field goals. The Wolverines sunk 12 out of 20 from the line, with Woodburn getting 8 for 15.

The Bulldogs scored 14 points to our 10 in the first quarter, but were outpointed in the other three. But this doesn't tell the whole story. Santiam trailed by as much as 10 points in the second and third quarters, scoring in spurts at the end of the quarter. The end of the third stanza brought the game to a 42-42 tie, and no one was clearly ahead until the final minutes, when the Wolverines put over their four-point lead and made it stick.

After hitting two for seven field goal attempts in the first half, Mark Sheythe netted six out of eight in the second half, for a total of 22 points. Terry Morris hit double figures with 13 for Santiam. Bing Lantis, with 14, and Jerry Brittan, with 12, led Woodburn.

Wolverine scorers were: Sheythe 22, Morris 13, Hickerson 6, Whitten 5, Podrabsky 4, and Gleason 2.

## Special Fire District Election Coming Mon.

There will be a special election by the Mill City Rural Fire Protection district for the annexation of contiguous territory to the district, Monday, January 28.

Voting will be at the fire hall from 2 until 8 p. m., according to Jack Colburn, secretary of the district.

## In the Air Force



Lackland AFB, Tex.—Airman Basic Rodney L. Syverson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold B. Syverson, is being reassigned to Chanute AFB, Ill., for technical training as a United States Air Force flight training equipment specialist.

Airman Syverson, who completed the first phase of his military training here, was selected for the specialized course on the basis of his interests and aptitudes.

He is a 1962 graduate of Santiam Union High School, Mill City, Oregon.