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## Presenting Connie Wiedell Pacific Coast Hot Rod Champion



The curtains part, the spotlights focus in the middle of the stage, a fanfare blares forth from the trumpet section, and this week we introduce the holder of the Pacific Coast Hot Rod Championship, CONNIE WIEDELL. Connie acquired this new title last Thanksgiving Day when he beat Jack McGrath to the finish line in one of the most thrilling races this writer has been privileged to witness.

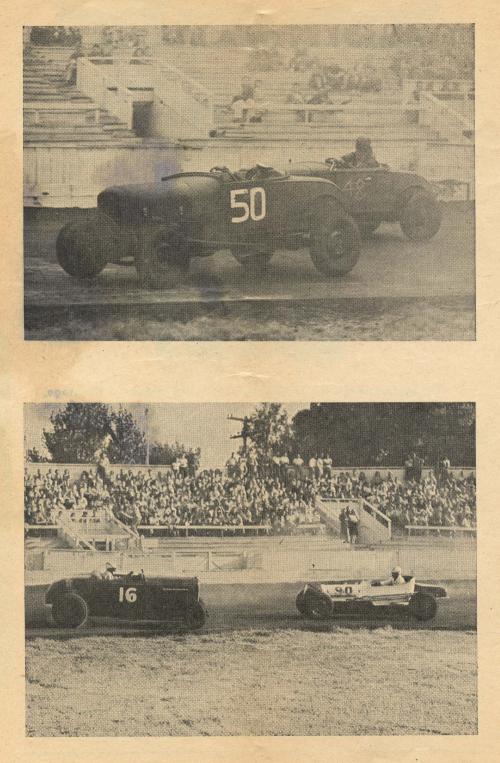
Winning titles is nothing new to Connie, though, because in 1939 Wiedell walked off the stage of the Paramount Theatre in Los Angeles with the California Jitterbug Championship firmly stowed away. After this triumph, the Champ spent some time in the movies, dancing with Bette Davis in "Thank Your Lucky Stars" and Ann Miller in "True to the Army." But Wiedell gave up this dull life, (can you imagine anyone that would rather hold the steering wheel of a Roaring Roadster than Ann Miller??!!) and now spends his time as a mechanic at Wiedell's Speed Shop.

Connie, past secretary of the S.C.T.A. "Gophers", starter his racing career this year at Oakland. Previously, he had run his Cad "T" through the traps at 128 mph, and a "Goin With the Wind" time of 133.92. No. 41, the Ford six that Connie races, is a Knewsen Special, and the same mill that Clay Smith uses in his record-breaking speed boat. It does well by Connie Wiedell, too.

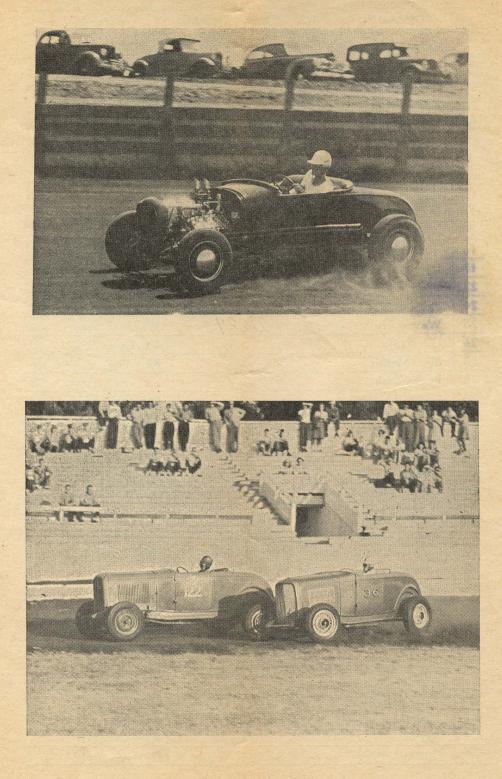
As this is the last program of 1946, we want to express our appreciation to the public, the advertisers and the management for their support and cooperation and to wish one and all a very happy New Year.

DON NICHOLSON AND MEL STEINER, The Editors

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70	Geo. Dillingham		Geo. Dillingham
71	Gene Schmilz		Gene Schmilz
72	Bob Perry		Bob Perry
73	Jack Jasper		Jack Jasper
75	Kit Maeder		Kit Maeder
76	Steve Deusich	22.03	Dennis Critchfield
77			Elmer Arndt
80	Gordon Irvin		Gordon Irvin
85	Mickey Davis		John Hughes
88	Al Moore		Al Moore
90	Dick Hill		Dick Hill
93	Burness	21.72	Lou Figaro
99	Puffy Puffer	22,25	U. L. Howard
100	Andy Linden	22.94	Pichel
106	Walt Ferrier		Walt Ferrier
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GREEN: StartYELLOW: Proceed With CautionRED: Stop ImmediatelyBLUE: One More LapWHITE: Go To PitsCHECKER: FinishYELLOW WITH BLUE CENTER: Permit Overtaking Car To Pass

## **Meet Jim Rathman**



Slim, blonde, Jim Rathman is another charter member of the C.R. A. Jim, following the well worn path that has been trod by many now famous drivers, began racing as a hobby. In 1941 Jim built up a gow job, joined the Outriders, and competed in the races at the dry lakes. At Harpers and El Mirage a "Hot Rod" enthusiast learns the hard way—trial and error. Jim was not an exception to this rule as the operation of his number 3 will prove.

During the war Jim worked in Alaska, the Yukon district to be exact. Though it is rather chilly there, it's not cold enough to cool Jim's roadster fever and upon his return to the States he even adopted motorcycles too. The motorcycle fad was short lived due to an accident in Indiana.

Dick and Jim Rathman built their own pride and joy, car Number 3. In the first few races they were using two radiators, one in the conventional position and one in the "turtle back". They now have \$150 invested in the cooling system alone.

Earlier this year Jim was driving "Pop" Minkey's midget at Bakersfield. From the midgets he picked up the idea of using alcohol as fuel in his rapid roadster, now Jim is trying first, gasoline, then a change in his carburetion set-up and he will use alcohol for a few races.



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