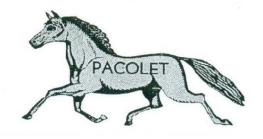


Pacolet Mills - Album No. 4

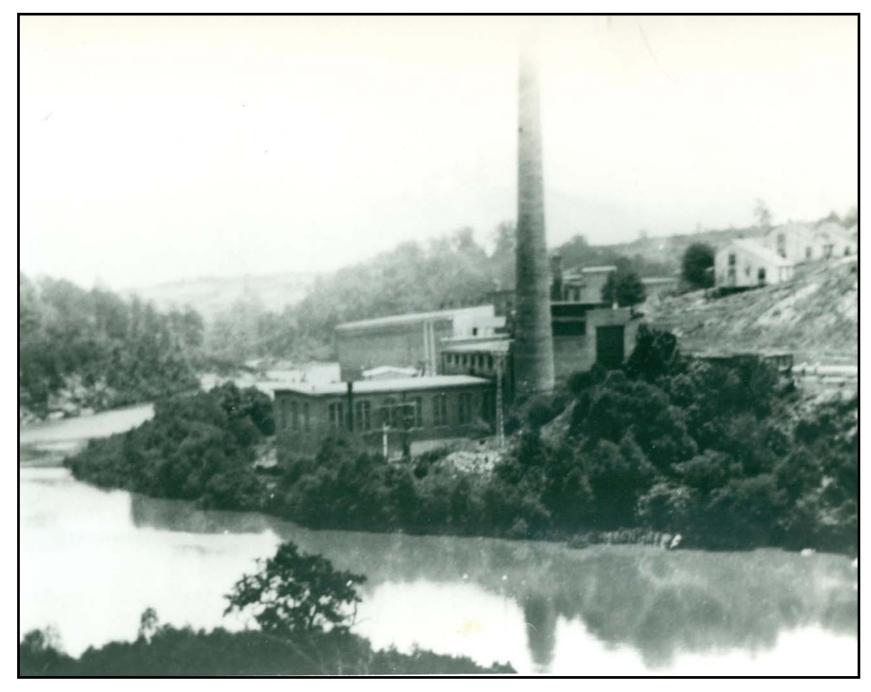




The <u>YMCA Building</u>. It was more commonly known as <u>"The Hall"</u>. In many ways it was the center of the town's activities outside of work. It was a mall before the term was widely used. It housed the <u>Post Office</u>, <u>Company Store</u>, <u>Drug Store</u>, <u>Barber Shop</u>, <u>Girls Club</u>, <u>Pool Hall</u>, <u>Gymnasium</u>, <u>Skating Rink</u> and <u>Movie Theater</u>.



The <u>Hall</u> location as it looks today. This view was taken from about the same location as the photo on page 2. The only things still remaining from the photo on page 2 are the sidewalk directly in front of the cars and the road with the low wall on the extreme left side of the picture.



Mill No. 3 or the "Old Mill". It was heavily damaged in the Great Flood. This photo was probably made before 1920. Note the "old style houses" in the background. The mill was closed in 1957 and torn down a few years later.



The above photo of Mill No. 3 was featured on the cover of the Saco-Lowell company newsletter in 1949. The company made textile machinery. As far as I can find, the company is no longer in business. Notice the covered walkway over the railroad. It allowed workers from the vicinity of "Backline" (Walker St.) to have an easier route to get to work.



Photo of the <u>Fire Dept.</u> and <u>Rescue Dept.</u> buildings taken in the 1960's or 70's. The view is little changed today, see page 7.



The unused **Fire Dept.** and **Rescue Dept.** buildings as they appear today.



The National Guard Armory on Sunny Acres Road. It was built in the early 1950's and is no longer used. For many years it was the home of the Pacolet National Guard Unit. In the 1950's the unit had several tanks and these could sometimes be seen driving on the roads near the armory.



A flower bed located in front of the <u>Town Hall</u>. The <u>Cloth Room</u> is shown in the distance. The steps, between the two concrete columns shown, led down to the <u>Drugstore</u> and the <u>Company Store</u> that were located in the <u>Hall</u>.