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Actions Develops In  
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Indianapolis, Jan. 21.—Opposition to the recommendations of Governor Jackson's survey committee developed among members of the legislature.

The report of the committee, which was appointed by Jackson last fall to review state institutions and departments, recommended sweeping changes in the structure of the government.

Senator James J. Nejdl, of Whitestown, a republican floor leader in the senate, described the report as revolutionary and radical.

In the move to create a board of public safety through commission of boards having police power is nothing more than a state constabular in uniform, he said.

Nejdl also took issue with the proposal to reduce the membership of the state industrial board from five to three members.

The board was increased to five members because of the large volume of business it must handle, and is still unable to keep up with its work," Nejdl said. The senate leader also scored recommendation that the office of the state superintendent of public instruction be made an executive office instead of elective.

"That change must never be made in the state schools are to be kept free of political domination," Nejdl said. "An organization might control one man, but it can't control the votes of all the people."

Several members of the legislature expressed opposition to the move to abolish the state printing board and give its work to the purchasing department. Other recommendations were questioned in discussions of senators and representatives.

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ward. Ellerberger, had been in form last Friday night, there would have been a different story to tell about the Berne-Kirkland game.

Another good bet is the Monroe team which has taken a new lease on the game since her last triumphs. And with the wealth of material she possesses, should give a mighty good account of herself in the tourney.

From down in the south west corner of the county comes the team that little has been said about this year, Hartford, but there is no doubt but that it is one of the best teams in the county and when the county tourney is over, there are others who likely will have the same opinion as the writer, that it is a very good team. Jefferson and Pleasant Mills may spring a surprise.

In the eighth grade contest, from the preliminary viewpoint, it looks like an easy victory for Decatur. But voices from French township, where they grow them tall, say that they are bringing a regular "Haggerty" outfit here.

Then from out of Kirkland township, home of the Midgets, comes a rather weak voice, so far, but a promise of more strength Friday night, when they meet Decatur in the first round of the contest. Then Martz, captain of the Monroe quintet, has boasted that his team is the sure winner. So if any stock can be placed in these rumors it looks as though the eighth graders would furnish real excitement.

In the girl's contest the Pleasant Mills girls are expected to beat Kirkland, and probably Berne won't have much difficulty in conquering Monroe, thus leaving Pleasant Mills and Berne to play the finals with the Berne girls a decided favorite.

Seaso tickets can be purchased at any High School and at the Teeple & Peterson store in Decatur.

HARD TO PICK  
TOURNEY WINNER

**Favorites In County Basket-  
ball Tourney May Have  
Tough Going**

From all over the county comes the report that the different schools are very enthusiastic over the Adams County Basketball Tourney, which is to be held in this city next Saturday, January 24. From the view point of the casual observer, it looks as though Kirkland has the tourney "on ice," but people who have seen the various teams in action several times this year, can only concede Kirkland the title if she plays the best brand of basketball possible. But if her players are a little off form, and some of the teams are going good, Kirkland will have trouble.

Probably the most sensational team entered in the tourney is that of the little three-year high school of Monroe, a high school where they have never played basketball before, and in their few games this season have held such teams as Kirkland and Rockcreek to a very narrow win on their home floors.

Then there is the Berne team that must not be overlooked, for there is no doubt about it if Berne's star for-



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Astronomy, the science which is the chief interpreter of natural phenomenon of the heavenly bodies, will give the world another exhibition of her skill and mission on Jan. 24th, at a little before 9 a. m. She informs us that the sun is rising in Northern Minnesota will have his disc covered by that of the moon passing directly between the earth and the sun.

The great shadow will sweep in a path 100 miles wide east and south across the great lakes, Northern Pennsylvania, New York, Connecticut and Rhode Island. Partial eclipse will be seen as Greenland, and south to the mouth of the Amazon river. The shadow will sweep like a giant thunder cloud at the speed of a thousand miles per hour. Quivering rippled bands will appear on every white surface until the darkness rushes in blotting out the sun.

Persons on the line of the shadow will see the moon and stars shining

brightly while the sun is shining but fifty miles north and south of the line of the shadow. It is by far the most brilliant phenomenon of the Astronomical world and the sight of a lifetime.

As the sun is blotted out you will see a black disk radiating rays of light. Just outside the disk is a shadow rim of brilliant red, the chromosphere; and outside that is the wonderful pearly white corona. The corona is little understood. Its light is so delicate that under all circumstances, except total eclipse, it is invisible. It is hoped, and efforts are being made, to study and more fully know it at this time. Everybody will have to look hard, work fast and waste no time for the duration of eclipse is less than five minutes.

Astronomers and aviators are

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