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Around Town

The Decatur Wreath Co. is the name of one of Decatur's newest businesses. The firm, run by Bill Allen, is located in the basement of the Reppert building on Madison street between First and Second. Some of Mr. Allen's work is displayed in the window.

Attorney John DeVoss is making some changes in his new office location, where A. D. Suttles used to be located. Suttles Agency has moved next door. Mr. DeVoss hopes to be in his new office early in April. Attorney Smith will stay in his present office, where he remembers studying law under his grandfather Clark Lutes. The abstracting firm, owned by attorneys Smith, DeVoss, Macklin, and Mrs. John Nelson, will also stay in its present location.

As snow clears from the country roads, Decatur merchants have reported that business is picking up. Plans are now centering on the Spring Opening, a week away. Watch for real bargains.

TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

WANE-TV Channel 15 SATURDAY	
Afternoon	12:00-Sky King
	12:30-Willy
	1:00-CBS News
	1:30-Star Performance
	2:00-Hockey
	2:30-Star Performance
	3:00-Charlie Chan
Evening	6:00-Colonel Plack
	6:30-Science Fiction Theater
	7:00-Polka Parade
	7:30-Perry Mason
	8:30-Wanted Dead or Alive
	9:00-Mr. Lucky
	9:30-Have Gun Will Travel
	10:00-Jack Benny Special
	11:00-Pin Up Girl
	12:30-Parachute Nurse
Morning	6:00-Faith For Today
	6:30-This Is The Life
	7:00-Lamp Unto My Feet
	7:30-Look Up And Live
	8:00-Y.L.
	8:30-Camera Three
Afternoon	12:00-CBS Workshop
	12:30-CBS News
	1:00-Dateline N.Y.
	1:30-What's The Law
	2:00-Talkback
	2:30-This Is Indiana
	3:00-Sports Spectacular
	3:30-Face The Nation
	4:00-Electra Club
Evening	6:00-Small World
	6:30-20th Century
	7:00-Lassie
	7:30-The Menace
	8:00-Ed Sullivan
	8:30-O & E Theatre
	9:00-Alfred Hitchcock
	10:00-George Gobel
	10:30-What's My Line
	11:00-Sunday News Special
	11:30-Let's Make Up
MONDAY	
Morning	7:00-Cappuccino Theatre
	7:30-Willy Wonderful
	8:00-CBS News
	8:30-Captain Kangaroo
	9:00-Coffee Cup Theater
	10:00-Red Rowe Show
	10:30-On The Go
	11:00-I Love Lucy
	11:30-December Bride
Afternoon	12:00-Love of Life
	12:30-Search For Tomorrow
	1:00-Guilding Light
	1:30-Anne Colone Show
	2:00-News
	2:30-For Better or for Worse
	3:00-Houseparty
	3:30-The Millionaire
	4:00-Verdict Is Yours
	4:30-Brighter Day
	5:00-Secret Storm
	5:30-Edge Of Night
	6:00-Dance Date
Evening	6:00-Amos & Andy
	6:30-Tom Celenberg News
	7:00-Doug Edwards-News
	7:30-Shotgun Slade
	8:00-Peter Smith Show
	8:30-Peter Smith Show
	9:00-Danny Thomas
	9:30-Ann Southern
	10:00-Hennessy
	10:30-June Allyson
	11:00-Wake Up And Live
	11:30-Phil Wilson News
	12:00-The Steel Lady
WKJG-TV Channel 33 SATURDAY	
Afternoon	12:00-True Story
	12:30-Tourney Highlights
	1:00-State Tourney
	1:30-NIT Basketball Tourney
	2:00-Football
Evening	6:30-Overland Trail
	7:00-Tourney Highlights
	7:30-State Final
	8:00-Man And The Challenge
	8:30-The Deputy
	9:00-Interpol
	10:00-The Saturday Edition
	11:00-Camille
Morning	9:00-The Christophers
	9:30-Americans at Work
	10:00-Secret Heart Program
	10:30-Industry on Parade
	11:00-This Is The Life
	11:30-Cartoon Time
Afternoon	12:00-Two Gun Playhouse
	1:00-Major League Baseball

WPTA-TV Channel 21 SATURDAY

Afternoon	12:00-Lunch With Soupy Sales
	12:30-Little Western
	1:00-Kaleidoscope
	1:30-All Star Golf
Evening	6:00-Kingdom Of The Sea
	6:30-Keep Talking
	7:00-77 Bangin' Lancers
	7:30-Dick Clark
	8:00-High Road
	8:30-Leave It To Beaver
	9:00-Lawrence Welk
	10:00-Jubilee U.S.A.
	10:30-Club 21
	11:00-Confidential File
Afternoon	12:00-John Hopkins File
	12:30-Oral Roberts
	1:00-College News Conference
	1:30-Command Performance
	2:00-Kaleidoscope
	2:30-Championship Bridge
	3:00-Hopalong Cassidy
	3:30-Matty's Draw McGraw
	4:00-Charlie Weaver Show
Evening	6:00-Ranch House Party
	6:30-Spy
	7:00-Colt 45
	7:30-Maverick
	8:00-Lawman
	8:30-Rebel
	9:00-Alaskans
	10:30-21 Beacon Street
	11:00-Sorority House
MONDAY	
Morning	7:00-Adventures in Living
Afternoon	11:00-Resless Gun
	12:30-Love That Bob
	1:00-About Faces
	1:30-Sherlock Holmes
	2:00-Day In Court
	2:30-Gale Storm
	3:00-Best Of Clock
	3:30-Who Do You Trust
	4:00-American Bandstand
	5:30-Hin Tin Tin
Evening	6:00-Popeye and Rascals Club
	6:30-Quick Draw McGraw
	7:00-Popeye and Rascals Club
	7:30-Tom Atkins Reporting
	8:00-Cheyenne
	8:30-Bourbon Street Beat
	9:00-Adventures in Paradise
	10:30-Fighting Wildcat

MOVIES

ADAMS	
12:00	"Girls Town" Fri. 7:00-10:20
2:00	Sat. 2:00-5:00, 7:00-10:20
4:00	Fri. at 8:30 Sat. 4:00-7:00
6:00	"Wreck of the Mary Dear" Sun. at 1:00; 8:00; 9:00; 7:00; 9:30

SPORTS

St. Joseph Is County Junior Title Winner

St. Joseph's Pirates came home with the biggest treasure of their young careers—the Adams County Junior high basketball championship—outclassing Hartford Center, 53-35, Friday night at the Pleasant Mills gym.

Pirate control of both backboards and a good shooting percentage paved the way for their 27th straight victory of the season to close the year undefeated.

Coch Ronald (Red) Pierce's team came through with a stellar team effort, although not enough words could be said about its rebounding and scoring ace, Ed Kohne.

Kohne Led Victory

Kohne dominated both boards early in the contest when the Pirates were a little tight and tense. When they shook loose the first half jitters, two or three blue-shirted Pirates could always be seen battling for the ball off the boards.

Hartford gamely tried to stay with the taller and smoother St. Joseph squad but a little more polish told the story. Pirate guards put on a full court press for a few minutes in the fourth period that doomed Hartford. St. Joseph's picked up three or four quick baskets by stealing the ball on erratic passes to bolster their scoring total.

Pierce played five seventh graders to close out the last minute and a half after the Hartford big man, Warner, had fouled out with about two minutes left in the contest.

Late in the third period, Kohne received some scoring help from Dick Omor, Joe Hess, and Jim Peterson that led to a comfortable margin and put the contest away for the inspired Pirates. Kohne finished as high scorer in the fracas with 10 baskets for 20 points. He hit mainly from underneath on rebounds or turn-around jump shots.

Hartford lacked the height to battle the Pirates under the boards and missed numerous lay-ups in an effort to match a previous game this year when they lost by only two points to the Pirates.

Will Receive Trophy

The new laurel of the county title goes along with an unblemished record in C. Y. O. competition in Fort Wayne earlier this season, and the city series triumph. The team will also be presented with the Decatur Daily Democrat trophy, a symbolic of county supremacy. An added feature will be a day off from school, according to reports after the game.

Pleasant Mills edged Monmouth, 39-38, in the consolation game for third place in the county meet, played as a preliminary contest Friday night.

St. Joseph				
Hess	FG	FT	TP	
Loss	4	1	9	
Kohne	0	2	2	
Peterson	10	0	20	
Omor	2	1	5	
Gase	1	5	7	
Harshman	0	0	0	
Blythe	0	0	0	
Schultz	1	0	2	
McGill	0	0	0	
Mies	1	0	2	
Myers	0	0	0	
Totals	22	9	53	

Hartford

Martin	FG	FT	TP
Alberson	0	0	0
Wanner	3	3	9
Grogg	6	5	17
Stautfer	2	0	4
Bixler	1	1	3
Liechty	0	0	0
Totals	13	9	35

Indianapolis Hurler Dies After Drill

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (UPI) — Millard (Dixie) Howell, 41, a pitcher for the Indianapolis Indians for the past two seasons, died of an apparent heart attack Friday after complaining of feeling ill at the Indians' training camp here. At Indianapolis, Indians officials said Howell died at Memorial Hospital here about three hours after he reported his illness. He had been doing some running before he was stricken, officials said.

Warriors Even NBA Series With Boston

By United Press International A couple of episodes put even more fire in the National Basketball Assn. playoffs today as the deadlocked Eastern and Western final series were renewed in Boston and Minneapolis.

The Philadelphia Warriors squared the Eastern finals at 1-1 Friday night by beating the Boston Celtics, 115-110, at Philadelphia in a game that saw Wilt Chamberlain of the Warriors swap punches with the Celtics' Tom Heinsohn and Boston coach Red Auerbach tangle with a fan.

The Minneapolis Lakers tied their series with the St. Louis Hawks by winning at St. Louis on Thursday and hoped the road win will spark them to take the series lead Saturday afternoon.

Chamberlain and Heinsohn swung on each other in the second period and Chamberlain emerged with a bruised right hand. "The Still" scored 29 points and Paul Arizin 30 for the Warriors, who led most of the way, while Heinsohn led the Celtics with 26.

Boston was hampered when ace rebounder Bill Russell ran into personal foul troubles with 4:39 remaining in the third period and had to sit out the next 12 minutes.

The Warriors took a 31-27 first period lead and enlarged it to 63-55 at halftime. Boston cut the gap to 90-85 at the start of the fourth period but the Warriors went on an eight-point string that made it 98-85 and Boston never recovered.

Ohio State And California In NCAA Finals

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — It's the race horse game of Ohio State against the defensive tactics of California for the NCAA basketball championship at the Cow Palace tonight.

But from there's no way to pick a winner. California, it's poise missing in the first minutes of play, came back with a rush to whip powerful Cincinnati, 77-69, while Ohio State more or less toyed with long shot New York University, 76-54, in the semifinal rounds.

The guess is, however, that the Buckeyes won't be able to make many mistakes and will come out on top against the wait-and-see boys from Cal. Mistakes killed Cincinnati. The Bearcats, harassed by the always-pressing Cal defense, lost the ball 14 times on errors. But Cal made only five ball-control mistakes all evening.

The big item was the stopping of All-American Oscar Robertson by Cal's Terry Gillis, and the equally brilliant play of another All-American, Darrell Imhof of the Bears.

Robertson, who had averaged 34.3 points a game for the season, was held to four field goals plus 15 free throws — 18 points. Imhof scored 25 points—against his average of 13.5 per game. The towering (6-9) Cal center out-manuevered Cincinnati sophomore center Paul Hogue under the basket and dunked 10 field goals.

Ohio State, raging up and down the floor like a tornado, took an early 8-0 lead over NYU and never was headed. The Violets did get into the game once, closing the gap to 24-26 with four minutes to go in the first half.

But the Buckeye, under the guidance of sophomore sensation, Jerry Lucas, came ripping back to take a 37-28 at the intermission.

The Bearcats and Violets will tangle for third place in the preliminary game tonight.

South Bend Plant Destroyed By Fire

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (UPI) — Fire destroyed the Royal Rubber Company's one-story cement block building here Friday and firemen estimated the damage would run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. Cause of the blaze, which fire units from South Bend and three nearby communities battled for several hours, was not known immediately. There were no injuries.

Indiana's Net Champion To Be Named Tonight

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI)—A classy cast of our survivors from an original field of 694, headed by undefeated four-time titlist Muncie Central, "shot the works" to decide the Indiana high school basketball championship.

The four coaches pronounced their proteges ready to go as top-ranking Muncie a 27-game winner, clashed with once-beaten Bloomington, the fifth-rated team in the state, and East Chicago Washington, No. 4, tangled with Fort Wayne Central.

Between them, they hurled 12 opponents and dropped just eight games since the regular season opened last Nov. 1. And Muncie remained favored to rack up a history-making first state crown and become the third team in the last five years to go all the way with a perfect record.

Although he conceded his team was favored, Muncie coach John Longfellow figured his boys may have as rugged a time as in the semi-state tourney here last Saturday when they sidelined Indianapolis Tech and Madison by a total of just 12 points.

Breaks Will Tell

"We have some advantage because we played on the Butler Fieldhouse floor last week," said Longfellow, "but our scouts told us every team here is capable of winning. The team that gets the breaks will win."

Observers expected a terrific rebound battle between Muncie's 6-8 Jim Davis and 6-4 Ron Bonham on one side and 6-6 Mickey Reeves and 6-5 Dick Sparks of Bloomington on the other.

Bloomington, in the four-team finals for the first time in 38 years, won its lone state title in 1919. Coach Keith Rhoades said his Panthers probably will run with Muncie and if that doesn't work, they'll adjust—"like we've been doing all season."

East Chicago, No. 4 and in the finals for the first time since 1947, prepped for the showdown by holding committee meetings all week, said veteran coach Johnny Baratto.

"If they don't help us," he quipped, "we'll use psychology. East Chicago was the only hopeful seeking its first state title."

Tigers Best Balanced Fort Wayne's Tigers, the smallest of the four contenders, bagged its only crown in 1943. Coach Herb Baret probably had the best-balanced team and his T.C. Williams led semi-final shooters last Saturday with 49 points.

The teams from Bloomington, Fort Wayne and East Chicago worked out at Butler Friday and stayed overnight. Muncie's powerhouse rolled into town an hour before its afternoon opener with Bloomington.

As usual, there were no tickets as the three-game finale got underway. The nearly 15,000 ducats were distributed by the IHASS days ago among the 694 participating schools. And police were assigned to keep a sharp eye on scalpers.

However, radio and television coverage blanketed the state. Forty radio stations originated play-by-play and the telecast was fed to Evansville, Terre Haute, Fort Wayne, South Bend, Muncie, and Chicago.

The two press associations and daily and Sunday newspaper representatives from Louisville to Chicago filed their accounts of the finals from press row.

Pro Basketball

Semi-Final Playoff Eastern Division Philadelphia 115, Boston 110 (best of seven series tied, 1-1).

Smorgasbord Tonight At Adams Central

The Adams Central Music Loyalty club is sponsoring a smorgasbord at the school this evening, with serving time from 4:30 to 8 o'clock. The dinner will feature french-fried chicken, baked ham, barbecued ribs, meat loaf.

Prices will be \$1.50 for adults; \$1.25 for grades 7-12, 75 cents for grades 1-6, and 25 cents for preschool children. Dinner music will be presented by the Adams Central music department.

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State Farm Insurance FRED CORAH AGENT

Robin Roberts Is Sharp For Phillies

By FRED DOWN United Press International Managing the Philadelphia Phillies has its problems but at least a pilot never has to look far to find his opening-day pitcher.

Robin Roberts has handled that assignment no less than nine times and it looks today like he'll be on the firing line again this year when the Phillies start their National League campaign.

The 33-year-old right-hander, a 15-game winner last season, looked "ready" Friday when he and rookie Chris Short hurled the Phillies to a 1-0 victory over the Cincinnati Reds. Roberts allowed five hits over the first five innings as the Phillies won their third game in four starts.

Short, a 6-foot, 4-inch, 205-pound left-hander, had a 12-9 record with Buffalo of the International League last season. He stopped the hard-hitting Reds on two hits through the final four innings.

The Milwaukee Braves beat the New York Yankees, 7-4, the Detroit Tigers shaded the St. Louis Cardinals, 7-6, the Chicago Cubs lounded the San Francisco Giants, 5-2, and the Cleveland Indians out-slugged the Boston Red Sox, 11-6, in other games. Los Angeles vs. Pittsburgh, Chicago vs. Kansas City and Baltimore vs. Washington were rained out.

Carlton Willey, one of the younger pitchers Charley Dressen wants to use more often this year, yielded two runs and eight hits in a six-inning stint for the Braves. Al Spangler and Chuck Cottier hit doubles and Del Crandall a single in a three-run eighth inning rally that won for Milwaukee.

Wise Gets 3 Hits

Infielder Casey Wise had three hits, including a two-run double in the seventh inning, to lead the Tigers' 12-hit attack on Wilmer Mizell, rookie Jim Donohue and Larry Jackson.

Frank Thomas and Cal Neuman hit homers of 21-game winner Sam Jones to lead the Cubs to their first victory of the spring. The Cubs also scored two unearned runs of Billy Loes in the seventh inning on three singles and an error by Andre Rodgers.

Six homers — two each by Norm Cash and rookie Walter Bond and one each by Johnny Romano and Lou Clinton — featured the Indians' nine-hit attack. Marty Keough, Bill Mufet and Lou Clinton homered for the Red Sox.

Bowling Scores

Merchant League			
	W	L	Pts.
Slick's Drive Inn	20	10	29
Price Men's Wear	20	10	28
Painters	21	9	27
Citizens Telephone	18	12	24
Preble Rest.	18	12	24
"8" Ball	11	19	15
Green's Team	12	18	14
No. 10 Team	10	20	14
Sherwin Williams	10	20	13
Krick Tynall	10	20	12
Sherwin Williams won 2 from "8" Ball.			
Painters won 2 from Krick Tynall.			
No. 10 team won 2 from Green's.			
Slick's won 3 from Citizens Telephone.			
Price's won 2 from Preble Rest.			
High games: B. Hoffman 199, J. Lautzenheiser 204, H. Tumbleton 200, E. Schindler 203-203-167 (573), M. Heare 204, D. Grafton 184-197-189 (570), R. Ashbaucher 156-179-217 (552), J. Cochran 204-183-167 (554).			

Central Soya League

Wonders 4 points, Feed Mill 50; Spares 4, Crew Cuts 0; Farm Supply 4, Blue Prints 0; Master Mixers 4, Elevator 0; Lab 4, Dubs 0. High games and series: Fennig 212-202 (572), Michels 171, J. Schultz 172, P. Johnson 173, Canales 176, Lengerich 192, Cook 171, Held 223, Becker 190-180 (537), Shackley 185-211 (514), Nash 183 (507), H. Myers 187, D. Grafton 191-173-239 (605), MacLean 171, D. Myers 191-204-220 (615), Bayles