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"I wholly disagree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it" — Voltaire.

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Sectional Tourney At Syracuse In February

For the third consecutive year, the local sectional basketball tournament will be played in the Syracuse gym 26, 27, 28 February and 1 March. Announcement of sectional tourney sites was made in Indianapolis Friday by the Indiana High School Athletic Association.

Columbia City and Larwill from Whitley County will participate with the thirteen county teams, including Warsaw, which is the same line-up as in past years.

Winner of the sectional at Syracuse will advance to the Elkhart regional along with sectional champions from Elkhart, South Bend and Plymouth. Winner of this regional meet will play in the Fort Wayne state semi-final games and the state finals will be played in Indianapolis.

Jackets Score Victory Over Milford 68-59

Syracuse Yellowjackets defeated the Milford Trojans by a score of 68-59 in the Milford gym Friday night.

In a rough and tumble, see-saw first half, it was anyone's ball game. Tied 8 all at the end of the first period, the Trojans led by one slim point, 26-25, at half time.

Going in leaps and bounds the Jackets pulled ahead early in the third quarter leading 47-36 as the gun sounded.

In the final stanza, the Jackets held the lead. Milford, working hard for the ball came to within four points of the Jackets several times but Syracuse was nine points ahead as the gun sounded the end of a thrill packed game.

Bill Dorsey held high place honors for the winning Jackets with 21 points, followed by Swenson with 17. Fleischauer bucketed 27 for Milford's high point honors.

The only foul outs of the game were Bob Swenson of Syracuse (continued on page 10)

Tom Auer Receives Promotion In ROTC

Tom Auer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Auer, of Syracuse, has been promoted to corporal in the ROTC battalion at Kemper Military School, Boonville, Mo., in a special order issued by Major T. S. Timberlake, head of Kemper's ROTC program.

Auer is a high school sophomore, attending Kemper for his second year. He returned to school last week after spending the holidays at home.

Foo and Faye Close Restaurant 'til Feb. 15

Foo and Faye Wong closed their restaurant Sunday night for six weeks. When they reopen 15 February, the dining rooms will be redecorated for the season.

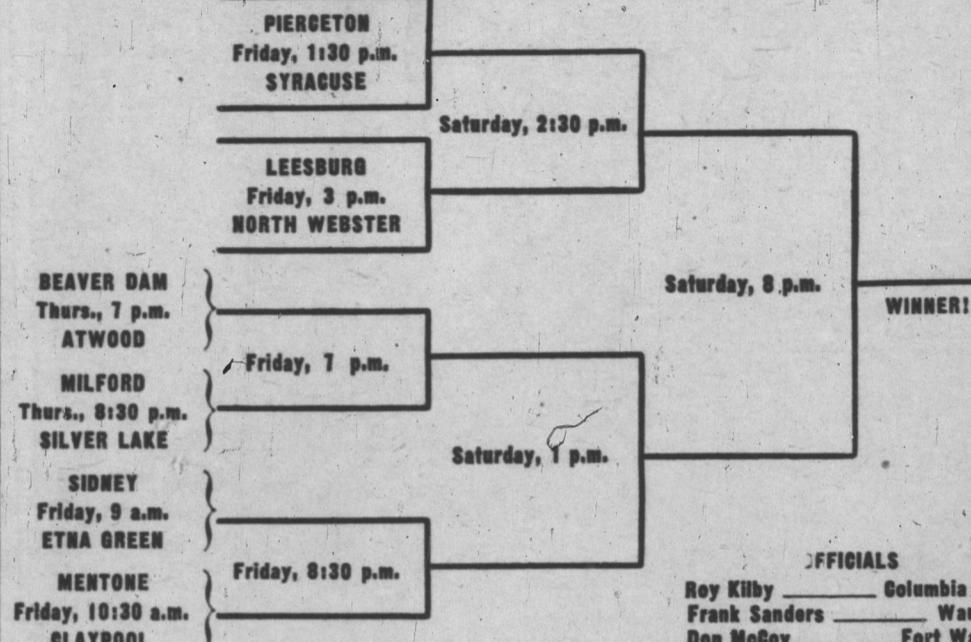
Monday night the Wongs entertained their employees and friends at a dinner party.

Free Passes!

If you find your name hidden in the classified ads—come into the Journal office for your free pass to see

TIME LIMIT
Pickwick
Sunday — Monday
12 - 13 January

County Tourney Starts Tonight; Beaver Dam vs. Atwood, 7 P.M.; Syracuse Plays Friday



OFFICIALS

Roy Kilby — Columbia City
Frank Sanders — Warsaw
Don McCoy — Fort Wayne

Beaver Dam and Atwood tip off for the first game of the 1958 County Tourney in the Syracuse gym tonight at 7:00 Standard Time.

Only undefeated team of the twelve county teams participating is Etna Green, defending county champion. Pierceton, another strong county team has won ten games out of twelve, losing to Manchester and Etna Green.

Syracuse drew Pierceton for its first game which will be played Friday afternoon at 1:30. Also the losing to Pierceton in the

second game of the season, a hard fought battle ending 55-53, the Yellowjackets have a good chance of coming out ahead.

Local predictions are that if Syracuse wins its first tourney game, it will meet North Webster in the semi-finals. The Yellowjackets in its first game in November, lost to Webster by one, thin point, 44-43. Further predictions are that Syracuse could find themselves playing in the final game Saturday night. But right now, its anybody's tourney.

Syracuse firemen again will direct traffic in the parking lots

near the school house. In past years at the sectional tourneys these men have handled the parking admirably.

Doors to the gym will be open to tourney fans one hour before games begin. Syracuse marshals will assist in maintaining orderly entrance to the building and gym in order to avoid undue rushing and jamming at the doors.

All games in the tourney will be played on Standard Time and as indicated in the above schedule.

Will Award Trophies To All-Tourney Team

Individual trophies will be awarded to the All-County Tournament basketball team by the Warsaw Times-Union. This is the second year the Times-Union has awarded these trophies.

For the first time this year, selection of the eight honor players will be made by ballots of the twelve head coaches thereby making the choices unanimous of the entire county representation.

The first team will be comprised of the eight players receiving the most votes from the coaches for their performances in the tourney. Each of the eight will receive a trophy. All other players who receive votes will be included on the honorable mention list.

Awarding of trophies probably will be made at the pre-sectional fish fry to be held in February.

Each coach, between halves of the championship game Saturday night, will submit to Times-Union Sports Editor, Danny Lee, at the scoring table, his eight-player all-star team. The two coaches of the teams playing in the final game may submit their all-tourney ballots at the conclusion of the championship game.

Principals and coaches appreciated the plan, as presented by Bill Long, public relations manager of the Times-Union, at the Atwood pre-tourney meeting last week.

WE-MA-TAN-O-KI

We had our business meeting. We discussed our plans for the ceremony and about how to fix our boleros.

There were twelve present at our meeting. Scribe, Barbara Arnold.

Tickets For Boat Show Available At Journal

A limited supply of tickets for the 1958 Chicago National Boat Show are available at the Journal office. These free tickets will be given out on a first come, first served basis.

Beginning Friday 7 February at the International Amphitheater, 47nd and Halstead street, Chicago, the show will continue thru Sunday 16 February.

Store License and Tax Forms At Branch Here

Gross income tax forms and WH-2 forms for filing Indiana State income tax returns are available now at the Syracuse License Branch.

Application blanks for Store Licenses also are available. Mrs. Annabelle Coil, branch manager, states that if the application is completed there, tax receipts for 1957 must be shown and there is a fee of fifty cents.

Women's City Bowling Tourney Begins 18 Jan.

The third annual city tournament of the Syracuse Women's Bowling Association will begin at the Pickwick bowling lanes 18-19 January.

Team events will be played in Syracuse, and singles and doubles are scheduled for the following the week end, 25-26 January, at Ligonier.

Entry blanks, already distributed to members, should be returned to the secretary, Mrs. Gerold Kline, by 11 January.

Mrs. Ed Schleeter left Friday to spend the winter months in Goshen with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Bartlett.

State Driver Examiner Extends Hours Here

Hours at the Syracuse License Branch thru January and February will be from 8:00 a.m. until 8 p.m. Fast Time, six days a week. Mrs. Annabelle Coil, branch manager, has announced.

Beginning Monday, the state examiner will serve the branch on Monday mornings from 9:00 until 12:00 Fast Time (8 to 11 Standard or Slow Time). The extension of time to three full hours was granted the Syracuse branch this week.

Mrs. Coil emphasizes again that all operators and chauffeurs licenses can be renewed at any time at the Branch, but that those applying for Beginners and Public Passenger licenses and all persons over 75 years of age applying for drivers license, must go before the State Driver Examiner who is here on Monday mornings.

A written examination also is required of applicants for Public Passenger driver licenses.

700 "RT" Plates Sold First Five Days

Sale of auto licenses was lively at the Syracuse License Branch during the first five days in which 1958 plates were available. By the close of business hours Tuesday, Mrs. Annabelle Coil, branch manager, reported that over 700 "RT" plates had been issued.

Rotary Club

Rev. Carl Sorenson spoke on the subject of Communism and Religion at the regular meeting of Rotary Club Monday night.

Having been born in Europe having traveled extensively, his insight into the subject was very interesting.

School Board Plan Subject of PTA Panel

Public Invited To January Meeting

A general discussion of the proposed School Board plan will be of primary interest at the next regular meeting of the Turkey Creek Parent-Teachers Association scheduled for 20 January. The public is invited to join the membership to learn more about the proposed School Board system.

Following a recommendation resulting from a recent Advisory Board meeting, a panel discussion on all phases of the school board plan will be conducted, followed by a question and answer period.

The meeting will be held at the school house.

Two Entries So Far In First Baby Contest

Two families have entered the contest for the first baby born in 1958 in this area. Both babies were born Friday 3 January. One entry was reported to the Journal office and the other was received at the Pickwick Theatre.

So that other eligible parents may enter the contest in accordance with rules published in last week's Journal, applications will be accepted until noon CDT Saturday 11 January. After that time the winner will be named and will be the applicant whose baby was born at the earliest time after 12:01 a.m. 1 January as previously stated.

Announcement of the winner will be made next week.

Local Drug Store Sells Fishing Licenses

Hunting and fishing licenses are available at Thornburg Drug in Syracuse, North Webster and Warsaw, and also at the Frog Tavern on Wawasee Lake.

Several other business places in the Syracuse community have applied to the Indiana Department of Conservation for permit to sell these licenses and will be announced as soon as they qualify.

Regular resident license for fishing, hunting and trapping is \$2.50. Ladies' license for fishing only is \$1.50.

The annual non-resident fishing license is \$3.50. There is also a 14-day non-resident fishing license available at \$2.50.

C. E. Beck Announces Candidacy for Assessor

Calvin E. Beck announced this week that he will file as a candidate for County Assessor subject to the vote of the Primary election this spring.

Trustee of Turkey Creek Township since 1951, Mr. Beck will complete his second term at the end of this year.

To THE MANY PEOPLE WHO SENT FOOD TO THE KITSONS

So many people prepared food which was taken to the home of Mrs. Rebecca Kitson during the days following their recent tragedy.

In expressing her gratitude, Mrs. Kitson says that she does not know to whom many of the dishes belong and she would appreciate hearing from the owners so that the dishes can be returned.