

# Waynesville Boys Win W. N. C. Tournament Saturday

### Defeated Canton 33 to 28; Fines Creek Is Third

#### Close Games Featured Throughout Annual W.N.C. Tournament For Boys

Waynesville humbled Canton in a hard-fought game, 33 to 28, Saturday night to win the championship of the annual W.N.C. boys' high school tournament at Canton high school.

Robinson paced the winners with 10 points. Canton led at the end of the first period, 9-6, but Waynesville rolled up a 16-13 margin by halftime and was never headed.

Fines Creek defeated Clyde, 34 to 27, for third place. The tournament all-star team was selected as follows: Ferguson, of Fines Creek, and G. Miller, of Canton, forwards; Styles of Canton, center; and Shook, of Waynesville, and Vance, of Canton, guards. Best all-around players were: Vance, Shook and Ferguson in that order.

The line-ups:  
Po. Canton (28)—Waynesville (33)  
F. G. Miller (12) Powers (6)  
F. Smathers (10) Caldwell (6)  
C. Styles (2) Robinson (10)  
Vance (4) Messer (2)  
G. Ivester Shook (8)  
Subs: Canton—York, Waynesville—Gibson 1.

The second team named by the conference included: forwards Limbo of Clyde and James of Fines Creek, center, Robinson of Waynesville, and guards, Messer of Waynesville and Dester of Canton.

Po. Fines Creek (34)—Clyde (27)  
F. Ferguson (10) Leatherwood (2)  
F. James (7) Rogers (1)  
C. J. Green (13) Limbo (6)  
G. Russell (4) Stamey (3)  
G. Swanger Cullen (15)  
Subs: Fines Creek—McElroy, Rogers, Clyde—Morgan.

In the semi-finals, Waynesville barely nosed out Fines Creek 19 to 17, in one of the most exciting games of the tournament. The Canton Black Bears won from Clyde by a 34 to 16 score on the same night.

The line-ups:  
Po. F. Creek (17)—Waynesville (19)  
F. Ferguson (5) Powers (8)  
F. James (2) Caldwell (6)  
C. Jack Green (4) Robinson (2)  
G. Russell Messer (3)  
G. Swanger Shook (6)  
Subs: Fines Creek—McElroy, H. Green, Waynesville—Gibson.

Po. Canton (34) Clyde (16)  
F. G. Miller Leatherwood (4)  
F. Smathers (7) Rogers (5)  
C. M. Styles (6) Limbo (2)  
G. Vance (18) Stamey (2)  
G. Ivester (2) Cullen (3)  
Subs: Canton—Matthews, York, D. Styles, J. Miller, Sutton, Clyde—Morgan, Hardin.

The Thursday night games of the tournament saw Fines Creek win over Webster, 21 to 16, while Flat Rock lost to Waynesville, 25 to 32, and Clyde won over Edneyville, 34 to 30, and Canton took the large end of the 23 to 15 score from Cullowhee.

The line-ups:  
Po. F. Creek (21)—Webster (16)  
F. Ferguson (5) Bryson (4)  
J. James (7) Cowan (2)  
J. Green (7) Davis (6)  
J. Russell Bryan (2)  
J. Swanger Vance (2)  
Subs: Fines Creek, McElroy, H. Green, Webster, Alman, Painter.

Po. F. Rock (25)—Waynesville (32)  
C. Lockaby (8) Caldwell (5)  
Strider (2) Powers (8)  
McGraw (13) Robinson (6)  
Groomer Messer (4)  
R. Lockaby Shook (5)  
Subs: Flat Rock—Sherman, J. Fisher, Jones, Waynesville—Gibson 4, Rogers, Noland, Minnett.

Po. Edneyville (24) Clyde (30)  
S. Hill (2) Leatherwood (6)  
Merrill (3) Rogers (3)  
Collins (13) Limbo (15)  
Lancaster (2) Stamey (2)  
K. Hill (2) Cullen (3)  
Subs: Edneyville—Reed 2, Maxwell, McCraw, Clyde—Morgan, J. J. Graham, Sizemore, Jackson.

Po. Canton (23)—Cullowhee (15)  
G. Miller (7) Taylor (1)  
York (1) Parker (3)  
M. Styles (8) D. Noland (6)  
Vance (3) L. Noland (4)  
Ivester Tilly  
Subs: Canton—Matthews, Smath-

## ON HIS GAME By Jack Sords



## Girl's Gold Medal Cage Tournament Starts Tues.

Plans are being completed for the 11th annual W. N. C. Invitation high school girls Gold Medal Basketball Tournament to be staged on the Canton high school court Tuesday through Saturday nights of next week.

First round games will be run off Tuesday and Wednesday nights; quarter-finals Thursday night; semi-finals Friday night; consolation and championship Saturday night.

Teams entered include Canton A, Canton B, Sylva, Waynesville, Clyde, Crabtree, Fines Creek, Woodfin, Edneyville, Flat Rock and Mills River.

On the basis of season records Waynesville, Sylva, Fines Creek, Edneyville and Mills River teams have the best chance of copping the championship. A team trophy and 10 gold basketballs will be given to the winning team; 10 silver basketballs to second place players; 10 medals to each of third and fourth place players.

Ralph Goforth, returned veteran and former tournament official will referee all games. C. C. Poindexter is tournament director. Valuable spectator prizes will be given away each night. Record attendance is expected by tournament officials.

### First Jap Ship Comes To Get War Prisoners

SYDNEY, Australia, (Reuters)—The Dai Kai Maru, first Japanese steamer to enter Sydney Harbor for nearly five years, arrived here February 27 to repatriate 3,000 Japanese prisoners of war.

### Slice of Bread Kept In Jar Since 1898

FAIRMONT, W. Va.—Harry Stutler of Benton Ferry, W. Va., claims to have the oldest un-molded slice of bread in existence. It is a slice which was sealed in a jar by his grandmother on November 3, 1898.

ers 4, Sutton, D. Styles, J. Miller, Cullowhee, Wike, R. Hooper, K. Hooper Pressley, Bryson 2.

## Dayton Enters 4-State Finals After Defeating 2 Top Teams

### Dayton Rubber Whip Top-Seeded Team Of Tournament By One Point Margin

The Dayton Rubber basketball team went to the finals of the W. N. C. Four-State invitational basketball tournament Tuesday night by defeating the top-seeded team, the Cherry Point Marines in a 49 to 50 score. The finals will be played Friday night at 9:30 at the auditorium in Asheville, with the opposing team being the winner of the Hendersonville-Asheville Waste Paper game which was scheduled for last night.

The Dayton-Marine game was a hair-raiser throughout. The Dayton cagers went in as the underdogs, and took an early lead in the first quarter. The Marines took the situation in hand, and in the second quarter advanced to the front with a 26 to 21 score.

In the third quarter the Leathernecks marched still further inland and were 13 points ahead. It looked as if advance dope on them as winners of the tournament was working out to a "T".

The Dayton players went to work in the fourth quarter, and by the time the game had one minute and ten seconds to go, the Marines lead had been trimmed down to 2 points, when one of the Leathernecks committed a foul, and the Dayton player made good his free throw, putting the score Dayton 48, Marines 49. As the ball went back into play, Olson, a Dayton forward, sent it through the rings for a perfect field goal, giving Dayton the 1 point lead.

With only four seconds remaining, a foul was called on a Dayton player, but the fouled Marine missed his basket, but a teammate caught the ball and tossed it at the basket, and for what seemed ages, the ball rolled around the rim of the basket, and even appeared stationary for a time, and then fell outside, as the timekeeper's whistles blew, the end of the game, with the score, Dayton 50 and the Marines 49. It was one of the heroic finishes usually seen only on the screen.

In the first game of the tournament, Dayton defeated the publicized strong Drayton team from Spartanburg, the 1945 Southern Textile Champions with a 70 to 44 score.

The line-up for the first game:  
Pos. Dayton (70) Drayton (44)  
F. Brown (15) Loftis (13)  
F. Audrey (11) Peak (5)  
C. Boone Seay (21)  
G. Sumner (2) York (2)  
G. Rogers (2) Morgan (2)  
Subs: Dayton, Phillips 6, Olson 14, McDonald 12, Barnhorst 5, Drayton, Bagwell, Gibbs 1, Laurens, Evans.

### Oven Racks

Always place oven racks in position before preheating the oven. Plus being easier to handle when cold, it's wasteful of heat to leave the oven door open while adjusting hot oven racks.

## Unified Food Control System For Germany Is Proposed

BERLIN—The United States and Russia proposed at a meeting of the Allied Control Council recently that the feeding of Germany be made a unified four-power responsibility. It now is on a zonal basis.

The British brought up the food issue as an aftermath of sharp reductions in rations ordered in the British zone this week.

## EVERYDAY COUNSELOR

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from the rear, backs up, and makes another start.

Both husband and wife must learn how to do this if their marriage is to be a success. If one or the other has allowed himself to get into an unfavorable position, he must know how to retreat from it. If he has made a mistake, he should be willing to apologize.

Apologizing is not easy, but it is good medicine. Someone has said, "A measure of a man is how he takes defeat."

Some people find it extremely difficult to admit that they are ever wrong. Such have a difficult time in marriage. The happy marriage is one in which husband and wife have learned to "give and take."

Every automobile driver would find himself in a bad way, if there were no reverse gear to his car. There are times when he has to back up, and make a fresh start, if he is in a tight corner or difficult place. The same is true in marriage and the other life relationships.

All of us need to heed the wise advice of St. Paul, "Submitting yourselves one to another in the fear of God."

## Returned Service Men Jump Marriage Rate

WASHINGTON—Discharged service men are giving wedding bells a record ring.

Last month set a new high in marriage licenses issued for a January, jumping 48 per cent over January, 1945, the Census Bureau reports.

The Bureau in a survey covering 91 cities with populations above 100,000, said issuance of licenses fell off only in places where Army and Navy installations closed or reduced their personnel.

## Five Haywood Teams Enter Enka Tourney

Five Haywood basketball teams are entered in the Enka invitational tournament which opened last night at the Enka gym.

Teams from Haywood include, Bethel, Fines Creek and Clyde.

## Butter Consumption

Americans consumed an average of 18 pounds of butter annually before the war.

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Scene from "Life with Father," America's all-time comedy hit, now in its seventh year on Broadway. Pictured here are Wallis Clark and Lily Cahill, currently playing.

## WHERE ARE THIS MONTH'S BILLS?

"Speaking of money," Father thundered, "where are this month's bills?"

"Clare," Vinnie pleaded, "it isn't fair to go over the household accounts while you're hungry!"

POOR VINNIE! Was ever any wife so stormed at? How Father raged over the bills she ran up! But our guess is that if laughable, lovable Clare and Vinnie were keeping house today, one bill wouldn't bother him. . . . That's the electric bill.

For Father was a thrifty man. "Vinnie," he used to roar, "this is a matter of dollars and cents, and that's something you don't know anything about." But he knew about it. And he would have appreciated the fact that while the prices of most things went way up in war years, the average price of electricity actually came down. Plus the fact that the average family gets twice as much electric service for its money today as it did twenty years ago.

Being a practical man, Father would have realized the reason why. As he used to shout at Vinnie, "You know I like to live well, and I want my family to live well. But this house must be run on a business basis."

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