

### Clyde Teams Win Sportsmanship Trophies Of Western North Carolina Basketball Tournament



This is the Clyde High School girls' basketball team, winner of the Sportsmanship trophy of the Western North Carolina Basketball tournament, and the same recognition was given the boys' team of the school. Shown here, left to right, front row, are Jessie Green, Geraldine Fish, captain, Joan Haynes, Nina McIlford, manager, Dale Medford, Jewel Evans, and Linda Collins. Second row: Robert E. Evans, coach; Mary Rose Morgan, Cleo Buchanan, Helen Fore, Virginia Medford, Dorothy Smith and Jerry Lowers.

The boys' team of the Clyde High School also made a good record, and shared in receiving the Sportsmanship trophy of the Western North Carolina Basketball tournament. Shown here, left to right, are John Lee, Hal Thompson, Henry Shook, Roger Morgan, manager, Clyde Morgan, captain, and Charlie Morgan, second coach. Ed McClary, Johnny Spencer, Hall Weaver, William P. Morgan, and Fred Morgan.

### Hazelwood Girls And Boys And Waynesville Boys Advance In 4-H Tourney

The Junior 4-H riders completed the first round of their tournament at the Canton YMCA floor Wednesday afternoon with most of the games being decided by top-rated scores. The Hazelwood team advanced to the quarter-finals of the tourney.

In Monday's opening round games, the Waynesville girls lost to Fines Creek, 29 to 5. Morning Star scored out North Canton girls, 21 to 20, and the Bethel girls edged the Crabtree, 21 to 10. In the other early game, the Beavertown team won by a forfeit over the Pennsylvania Avenue team.

The boys games were all high scoring affairs, with the exception of the Bethel-Crabtree game which the Bethel boys took 26 to 24. The

Waynesville boys captured a 41 to 4 win over Fines Creek. North Canton walloped Morning Star, 32 to 15, and the Pennsylvania Avenue team scored a win to down Beavertown, 61 to 9.

The first round was completed Wednesday as the teams continued to hit the hoop consistently.

In the girls' division, the Hazelwood team defeated East Waynesville 42 to 8. Crusa topped Lake Junaluska 24 to 17 and Clyde eliminated the Patton girls, 27 to 4.

In the boys' division, Hazelwood boys advanced with a 41 to 4 win over East Waynesville. Clyde walloped Patton 67 to 14 and Crusa won a forfeit over the Lake Junaluska outfit.

In the quarter-finals scheduled for yesterday (Thursday), the Waynesville boys were the only local team scheduled to see action when they were to meet the high scoring Pennsylvania Avenue team at 3 p.m.

The semi-finals of the tournament are scheduled for Friday and Saturday afternoons with the finals to be played Monday afternoon. All games are being played on the Champion YMCA floor at Canton.

### BOWLING

#### WAYNESVILLE TEN PIN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Ward's	13	8	.619
WBC	11	9	.571
Cutsiders	11	9	.571
Dayton	10	11	.476
Independents	10	11	.476
Mountaineers	6	15	.286

(AP Newsfeatures)  
CLEVELAND—Blame the banquet circuit at the Cleveland Indians' glamour boys—Lou Boudreau and Pitcher Gene Bearden—look slightly out of shape as they start spring training.

"It's been a hard winter for both of them, eating chicken in strange places, winning plaques and awards for excellence in baseball."

"Yep," says the World Champions' shortstop-manager, "it's been a busy banquet season. I wanted to gain a little weight. I was pretty well run down by the end of the World Series."

"But I'll be wearing a rubber shirt for a while at training camp. Nothing to worry about though. I'll be down to playing weight when the season starts."

Lou possibly could reduce by weight lifting some of his awards. Here are the major ones:

Top major league player—Sporting News.

Most valuable American League player—The Baseball Writers' Association of America, and Sporting News.



LOU BOUDREAU Reaps Honors

Player of the year—New York Philadelphia and Boston chapters of the Baseball Writers.

All-time athlete of the year—The Associated Press.

Professional athlete of the year—Helm Foundation, Los Angeles, and Sports World magazine.

Champion of Champions—Sport magazine.

One of the ten outstanding young men of America—United States Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Ohio's outstanding young man—Ohio Chamber of Commerce.

Bearden, the pitching star of the World Series, had his innings, too.

Toasted in his home state, Arkansas, in such towns as Lexa, Helena and Poplar Bluff, he was called the most courageous athlete of the season by the Philadelphia sports writers.

He was the Associated Press' rookie of the year in the American League, and the Cleveland chapter of the Baseball Writers called him their Man of the Year.

Bearden also got into a movie in Hollywood, but he isn't afraid of the bench jockeys on that score.

"You know me," he says, "I can dish it out as well as the next guy. Besides, there were a hundred ball players in that one picture."

### Ward's Esso Tops Independents To Hold Loop Lead

The Ward's Esso, Waynesville Bowling Center and the A. C. Lawrence Bowling teams racked up each a 2 to 1 win in the Waynesville Ten Pin League this week to remain in the top of the standings. Ward's is leading in first place with 13 wins and eight losses while the Bowling Center and the Cutsiders are in a second place deadlock with 11 wins and nine losses.

During the past week Ward's stopped the Independents, the Cutsiders defeated the Dayton Rubber team and the WBC squad came through to stop the Mountaineers.

The Cutsiders turned in high series again this week with a total pin fall of 2774 with the Dayton team turning second high with a total of 2764 pins.

Elmer Dudley, of the Cutsiders, turned in high individual series with a set of 559 to edge out Bill Cochran, of Ward's, who turned in a 528 set.

Dudley also came through with the highest game of the week with a 194. It was the first time in recent weeks that the 200 mark had not been passed.

#### BOWLING SCHEDULE

March 29  
Mountaineers vs. Independents  
Ward's vs. Cutsiders  
WBC vs. Dayton.

### It's Up To The Lip

(AP Newsfeatures)  
PHOENIX, Ariz.—For better or worse, the New York Giants' 1949 showing could well depend on one man—Leo Durocher—and the injury jinx.

And just how did Lippy Leo find himself in such a position? Already Giant President Horace Stoneham has said he figures the Gotham Bombers have the stuff to win the National League pennant.

He said the same last year, The team finished fifth. And, as the squad goes through its spring drills, only one major change can be noted in personnel—Durocher, erstwhile pride of Brooklyn, stands at the helm instead of popular Mel Ott. So apparently the finger's on the Lip to bring the team from fifth to first.

To be sure Durocher took over midway in the 1948 season, but you can't judge one pilot by the job he does with the mold another has set.

All members of wasp communities, except a few queens, die at the approach of cold weather.

### Industrial League To Play 21 Game Schedule

The WNC Industrial league held its second meeting of the season Tuesday night at the American Enka Employment office with the newly elected president, Bill Lewis, in charge of the meeting.

With eight teams set to go in the 1949 league, Tuesday's session was mostly a discussion of proposed changes in the by-laws of the league and the adoption of the 1949 schedule.

As in past years, the two games a week idea was again put forth with five teams favoring the new proposal which would have eliminated Hazelwood, Ecusta and Clearwater from the league and left the loop with five teams which could

not have operated on the same schedule as the other teams. The teams of which Ecusta are anxious to maintain the status with the league.

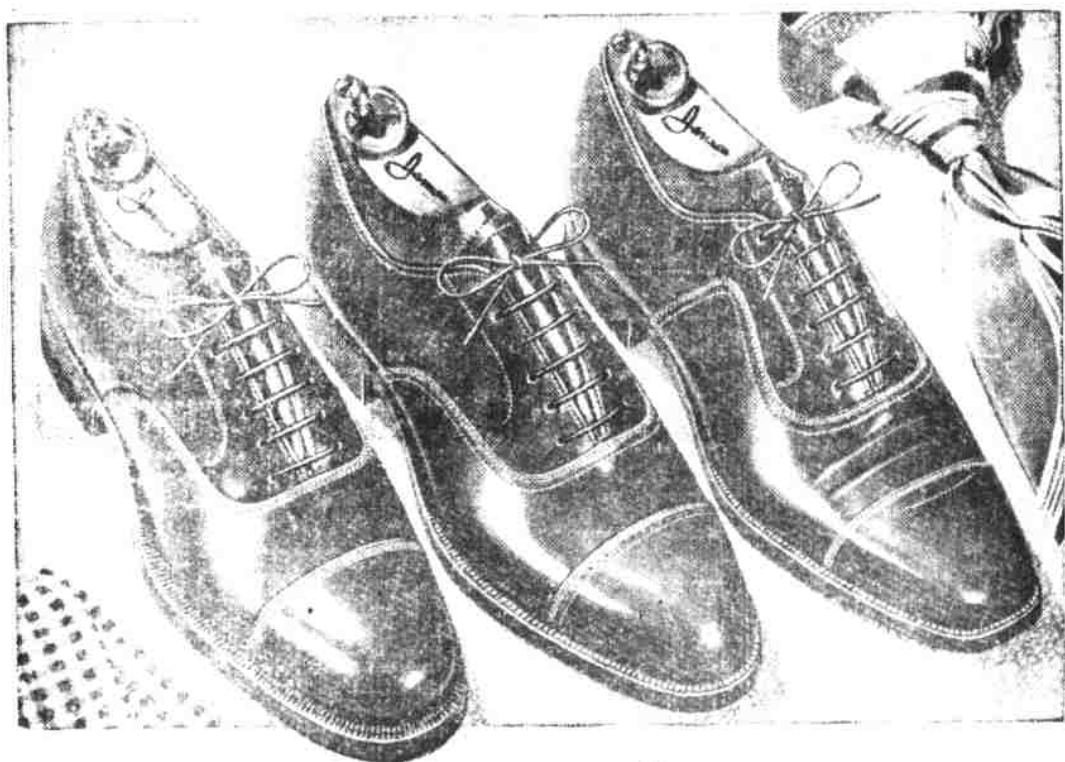
The only change in schedule was to play games on the week days this season for the first time since the league was formed in 1947 with the season to last to the first of September.

### 1949 SCHEDULE

- April 16  
Hazelwood at Enka  
Berkeley at Canton  
Martel at Clearwater  
Canton at Beacon
- April 23  
Ecusta at Hazelwood  
Clearwater at Berkeley  
Beacon at Martel  
Enka at Canton
- April 30  
Clearwater at Enka  
Beacon at Ecusta  
Martel at Hazelwood  
Canton at Berkeley
- May 7  
Martel at Ecusta  
Canton at Clearwater  
Hazelwood at Beacon  
Berkeley at Enka
- May 14  
Beacon at Berkeley  
Enka at Martel  
Ecusta at Canton  
Clearwater at Hazelwood
- May 21  
Ecusta at Enka (D. H.)  
Beacon at Clearwater (D. H.)  
Berkeley at Hazelwood (D. H.)  
Canton at Martel (D. H.)
- May 28  
Enka at Beacon (D. H.)  
Clearwater at Ecusta (D. H.)  
Hazelwood at Canton (D. H.)  
Martel at Berkeley (D. H.)
- June 4  
Enka at Hazelwood  
Ecusta at Berkeley  
Clearwater at Martel  
Beacon at Canton
- June 11  
Hazelwood at Ecusta  
Berkeley at Clearwater  
Martel at Beacon  
Canton at Enka
- June 18  
Enka at Clearwater  
Ecusta at Beacon

Hazelwood at Martel  
Berkeley at Canton  
June 25  
Ecusta at Martel  
Clearwater at Canton  
Beacon at Hazelwood  
Enka at Berkeley  
July 1  
Berkeley at Beacon  
Martel at Ecusta  
Canton at Hazelwood  
Hazelwood at Canton  
July 8  
Enka at Ecusta  
Clearwater at Beacon  
Martel at Canton  
July 15  
Beacon at Enka  
Ecusta at Clearwater  
Canton at Hazelwood  
Berkeley at Martel  
July 22  
Hazelwood at Ecusta  
Berkeley at Beacon  
Martel at Clearwater  
Canton at Beacon  
July 29  
Ecusta at Hazelwood  
Clearwater at Berkeley  
Beacon at Martel  
Enka at Canton  
August 5  
Clearwater at Enka  
Beacon at Ecusta  
Martel at Hazelwood  
Canton at Berkeley  
August 12  
Martel at Ecusta  
Canton at Hazelwood  
Hazelwood at Beacon  
Berkeley at Enka  
August 19  
Beacon at Berkeley  
Enka at Martel  
Ecusta at Canton  
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