

Basketball - Minster High School
1936 - 1937

Varsity	Score	Fred Boecker	W Brinkman	Clifford Frericks	L Hafner	Robert Heckman	Paul Huelsman	R Kittel	W Severin	Fred Sommer	Vernon Sommer	Elmer Weaver	Total
11/6/1936 New Knoxville	T W 39 - 16	0		12		2	0	2	8	4	9	2	39
11/13/1936 Fort Loramie	H W 38 - 15	1	2	12		3	2	4		4	10	0	38
11/17/1936 Immaculate Celina	T L 18 - 22		2	8		0	2	0	2	2	4	0	18
11/20/1936 Cridersville	H L 17 - 25	0	4	10		0	1	0	2	0	0	0	17
11/25/1936 Waynesfield	T L 26 - 27		10	8			0	1		5	2	0	26
12/2/1936 New Hampshire	T W 42 - 25	3	8	19		2	0	2		2	6	0	42
12/9/1936 Buckland	H L 19 - 25	6	0	9			1	0		1	2	0	19
12/14/1936 St JoeWapakoneta	T W 46 - 20	10	2	18		3	0	2		9	2	0	46
Minster Alumni	H W 36 - 17	2	7	2	1	0	8	2		7	6	1	36
1/3/1937 Immaculate Celina	H W 23 - 21												0
Criddersville	T L 23 - 28	1	2	14			0	0		3	0	3	23
New Bremen	H W 28 - 23	6	4	12			0	2		4	0	0	28
Buckland	T L 19 - 22	0	2	10			3	2		2	0	0	19
Waynesfield	H W 23 - 21	6	0	10			5	2		0	0	0	23
New Bremen	T L 14 - 25	5	2	4			0	1		2	0	0	14
New Hampshire	H W 25 - 14	2	4	8			7			4	0	0	25
St JoeWapakoneta	H W 32 - 16	6	4	14			4	0		2	2	2	32
New Knoxville	H W 34 - 16	0	2	10			9	0		3	8	2	34
Criddersville	* W 29 - 20	1	1	18			4	0		1	4		29
St JoeWapakoneta	* W 28 - 17	4	2	5			8			3	6		28
New Bremen	* L 20 - 24	0	2	15			2			1	0		20
3/5/1937 Dola	** L 32 - 33	4	3	10			10	0		0	5		32
Totals	13 - 9 611 - 472	57	63	228	1	10	66	20	10	59	66	8	588

* Tournament at Wapakoneta
** Sectional Class B Tournament at Shawnee

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Reserve	Score	S		Fred Boecker	J Brinkman	R Dirksen	Gudorf	L		Robert		Roger		Wally Wagner	Clarence Walters	Total
		Baumer	Bernhold					Hafner	Heckman	Rateman	Thieman					
11/13/1936 Fort Loramie	H L 16- 21		0	1			0	0	10	0	0	3	2			16
11/17/1936 Immaculate Celina	T L 15- 17			3				0	9	0	2	1	0			15
12/14/1936 St JoeWapakoneta	T W 26- 9	2	2		0	0		4	4	4	6		4			26
Minster Soph Juniors	H Soph 19- 8	0	9					4		5	3	1				24
1/3/1937 Immaculate Celina	H L 14- 21				0								6			6
St JoeWapakoneta	H W 26- 20	0	0		0			4	5		2	4	11			26
2-3																
Totals	97- 88	2	11	4	0	0	0	8	28	9	13	9	23			107
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Cagers Out Of The Town High Get Two Games

When They Began The Season Of 1936-37 At New Knoxville Friday

GIRLS - BOYS WINNERS

Thus Giving Them A Good Start For A Long And Thrilling Campaign

The Minster high school basketball team began their season's campaign on last Friday night and they started off as well as could be expected, so to speak. The players and those who would like to see the team win the county pennant went to New Knoxville and the trip was just about the most gorgeous thing that basket ball folks can conceive of. Two games were played, one by the boys' team out of the two schools and the other by the girls' teams of the schools.

When both games were won by the Minster players the world looked brighter to athletes and fans than it had in many long periods and hopes were set into vibration that won't quit finding unless some terrible something happens to the tennis in the future. Compared with the teams that represented the New Knoxville school the Minster contingents looked like world leaders so that for the present at least basket ball is a live issue in school circles.

The Minster girls were the victors in a game that produced a score of 9 and 23, while the boys from this city claimed the long end of a 16 and 39 score. The players on every team that was entered in this duo exhibition showed many of the little flaws that crop out during the early weeks of a basket ball campaign and at the same time there were some fancy spots.

While the Minster boys won their game by a lopsided score, yet they were guilty of some slips that must be eliminated from their ways on the floor or else there'll be many sad nights and days before the season of 1936-37 comes to a close.

The girls' team looked like it will get to some place of honor before basket ball becomes many weeks older for the winter.

Following are the scores for these games:

Boys' Game			
Minster	FG	F	Tot.
V. Sommer, rf.	4	1	9
C. Frericks, lf.	5	2	12
W. Severin, c.	4	0	8
R. Kittle, rg.	1	0	2
E. Weaver, lg.	1	0	2
F. Boecker, rf.	0	0	0
R. Heckman, lf.	0	2	2
F. Sommer, c.	0	4	4
P. Huelman, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	39
Knoxville			
Fiedderjohn, rf.	0	0	0
Katterheinnrich, lf.	0	0	0
Stork, lf.	3	1	7
F. Opperman, lf.	0	0	0
W. Opperman, c.	1	1	3
Wibber, c.	0	0	0
Elshoff, rg.	0	0	0
Moockstroth, rg.	0	0	0
Hankener, lg.	2	2	6
Totals	12	4	16

Girls' Game			
Minster	FG	F	Tot.
L. Raterman, rf.	3	2	8
R. Westerheide, lf.	2	1	5
N. Tebbe, c.	4	2	10
A. Thieman, rg.	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
Oldiges, rg.	0	0	0
P. Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	18	5	23

New Knoxville

Beilefeld, rf.	0	0	0
Stienoecker, rf.	0	0	0
Kuck, lf.	0	1	1
Katterheinnrich, lf.	0	0	0
Honschen, c.	3	0	6
Hegemeier, c.	0	0	0
Rodcheffer, rg.	0	0	0
Kuhlman, rg.	0	0	0
Shuster, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	8	1	9

The county league's standings at this date are:

Boys' Teams			
Schools	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minster	1	0	1000
Cridersville	1	0	1000
New Bremen	1	0	1000
N. Hampshire	0	0	000
N. Knoxville	0	1	000
Waynesfield	0	1	000
Buckland	0	1	000

Girls' Teams			
Schools	Won	Lost	Pct.
Minster	1	0	1000
Waynesfield	1	0	1000
New Bremen	1	0	1000
N. Hampshire	0	0	000
N. Knoxville	0	0	000
Cridersville	0	1	000
Buckland	0	1	000

The Ft. Loramie basket ball squad will appear in Minster on the night of Friday, November 20, the high school teams from Cridersville will oppose the Minster hi folks at the local school gym.

No girls' game will be played but there will be two games by boys' teams.

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The Minster players will appear in Celina on November 17 to play the I. C. cagersmen.

Minster Cagers Overhauled The Loramie Hi Men

In The Main Game That Was Played In This City Friday Night

VISITING RESERVES WON

And Thus Honors Were Just About Even In The First Games Here

The Minster hi basketballers and the Ft. Loramie basketballers figured in the opening games at the local gym when the two squads appeared as contesting units on Friday night of last week. Two games were played and since there was a victory for each side to think about after the event had come to a close there was little opportunity for one contingent to raze the other. The scoreman said that there was some bad playing on both sides, but his figures indicate that there was also some good playing on both sides, which is not a strange story to tell about a basket ball game, or any other kind of an athletic game.

The attendance at these games was not as large as was expected, hence the front office forces for the two squads feel just a bit unhappy. With Ft. Loramie teams to serve as the attraction for the opening exhibitions of the season there was a reason to expect a jam at the box office window. But the jam didn't materialize perhaps because it was the thirteenth day of the month—at least we'll lay it to that cause. In other and maybe better days any contest between Minster and Ft. Loramie teams would have drawn more folks than could have found seating space in the room.

Going back to the playing feature of this event the type will say that the main game was won by the Minster team, while the game played by the Reserves was won by the Ft. L. boys. Thus the home people calculated that they had more to glory over than their good neighbors from across the line in Shelby county. Although very much interest is taken in the preliminary games that are played many times by the reserve members of a basket ball squad, yet everybody feels that a victory in the Varsity game is the real goal.

The figures that appear in the official score indicate that the game by the Reserve teams must have been pretty exciting. The score at the end of the contest was Minster 16 and Ft. Loramie 21, and since a difference of five points in a basket ball game isn't a very large margin the inference is that the contest was pretty evenly played by the athletes.

In the game by the Varsity teams the locals showed an element of superiority that was very encouraging to the fans who will follow the fortunes of the team throughout the season. With V. Sommer and Frericks posing the attack the Minster team lent the way from start to finish. Larger was an outstanding player for the Ft. L. quintet.

The crowd witnessed some weak performances by the members of both teams in the matter of executing foul shots—or perhaps in not executing them. The home players fooled so many times in this matter that they lost continued opportuni-

ties to pull further ahead of their friends, the enemy. Following are the scores of the games:

Varsity Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
V. Sommer, rf.	5	0	10
Boecker, rf.	0	1	1
Frericks, lf.	5	2	12
Heckman, lf.	1	1	3
F. Sommer, c.	2	0	4
Brinkman, c.	1	0	2
Weaver, rg.	0	0	0
Huelman, rg.	0	2	2
Kittel, lg.	2	0	4
Totals	32	6	38

Ft. Loramie			
Vogelvang, rf.	0	0	0
Raterman, rf.	0	1	1
Romie, rf.	0	0	0
Larger, lf.	4	0	8
Borchers, c.	0	2	2
H. Luthman, rg.	0	0	0
Pleiman, rg.	0	1	1
V. Luthman, lg.	0	1	1
Freytag, lg.	0	1	1
Gaiser, lg.	0	1	1
Totals	8	7	15

Reserve Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
Gudorf, rf.	0	0	0
Burnhold, rf.	0	0	0
Boecker, rg.	0	1	1
Raterman, lf.	0	0	0
Walters, lf.	1	0	2
Thieman, c.	0	0	0
Wagner, rg.	1	1	3
Hafner, lg.	0	0	0
Heckman, lf.	4	2	10
Totals	12	4	16

Ft. Loramie			
Romie, rf.	1	1	3
Schlatter, rf.	1	0	2
Vogelvang, lf.	0	2	2
Ernst, lf.	0	1	1
Thieman, c.	0	0	0
Luthman, rg.	0	1	1
Boerger, lg.	0	2	2
Pleiman, lg.	2	2	6
Totals	12	9	21

The Cridersville hi boys will appear in the Minster gym on Friday, November 20. The Cridersville team has not yet lost a game.

LOCAL TEAMS LOST TO CELINA TUESDAY

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 17, the Minster hi basketball teams traveled to Celina where they engaged with teams representing I. C. H. S. The final verdict was not very pleasant to Minster followers because both games were dropped by the local boys.

In the Reserve game Celina took the lead early in the game and Minster never overcame this margin, although they only trailed by several points. At the half I. C. H. S. was leading 8 to 7. When the second half opened up Celina made several baskets in rapid succession only to be duplicated by the local team. However I. C. H. S. was leading 8 to 7. The fourth quarter staged a spurge and went farther ahead. Minster not to be outdone also sank several shots and at the end of the regulation period the score was tied 13 all. In the three minutes overtime Celina made four points to Minster's two and thus won the game 15 to 17.

In the opening minutes of play between the Varsity teams Celina started things going by making several baskets. This lead was good until the third quarter when Minster went ahead for a short time. The first quarter was played cautiously each team trying to find out the other teams system. During the second quarter Celina opened up somewhat and when the half ended was leading 11 to 4.

Minster could not connect with the hoop and during the first half missed 6 out of 6 foul shots.

When play resumed for the last two quarters a different determined Minster team took the court and soon had piled up a slight lead over their opponents. This lead was short lived because midway in the fourth quarter Celina again went out in front and stayed there. The final score was 22 to 18.

Reserve Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
Boecker, rf.	0	3	3
Raterman, rf.	0	0	0
Heckman, lf.	3	3	9
Thieman, c.	0	2	2
Wagner, rg.	0	1	1
Hafner, rg.	0	0	0
Walters, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	6	9	15

I. C. H. S.			
McKirran, rf.	1	1	3
Forstoff, lf.	2	0	4
Pax, c.	0	0	0
Kramer, c.	0	0	0
DeCurtins, rg.	3	1	7
Casey, lg.	1	1	3
Totals	14	3	17

Score at half Minster 7, I. C. H. S. 8.

Varsity Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
V. Sommer, rf.	1	2	4
Heckman, lf.	0	0	0
Frericks, lf.	4	0	8
F. Sommer, c.	1	0	2
Wagner, rg.	0	0	0
Huelman, lg.	1	0	2
Kittel, rg.	0	0	0
Brinkman, rg.	1	0	2
Totals	16	2	18

I. C. H. S.			
DaPrate, rf.	1	1	3
Niblick, lf.	1	2	4
Kosau, c.	2	1	5
Gross, c.	0	0	0
Winkelojohn, rg.	3	1	7
Fischer, lg.	1	1	3
Totals	16	6	22

Score at half Minster 4, I. C. H. S. 11.

Referee—John O. Miller.

Visitors Took Both Games On Friday Evening

Cridersville Girls And Cridersville Boys Out-Stepped Minsterites

GIRLS' GAME WAS CLOSE

But The Boys' Game Lacked The Excitement That Is Relished

On Friday night November 20, the Minster high school basket ball teams, were engaged with Cridersville on the local high school floor.

Both games were dropped by the local basketeers. The Girls' losing to the tune of 13 to 18, while the Varsity came in second by the score of 25 to 17.

In the girls game Minster took on an early lead which it held during the first three quarters. Cridersville, however, came from behind in the fourth quarter and finally won out 18 to 13.

The score at half was Minster 9, Cridersville 7.

In the boys' game Cridersville started things popping by taking a lead that was never threatened by the Minster quintet.

The score at the end of the first quarter was 6 to 0 in favor of Cridersville. At the half the score stood at 11 to 6 for Cridersville. The final score was 25 to 17 Cridersville on top.

Minster again proved incapable of making foul shots and the score would have been closer if they would have been able to sink more of the free tosses.

Russell Gonsger officiated at both games.

Girls' Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
Rateman, rf.	2	1	5
Heinl, rf.	0	0	0
R. Westerheide, lf.	1	1	3
Schaeffer, lf.	0	0	0
N. Tebbe, c.	1	3	5
Gerwels, c.	0	0	0
Thieman, cg.	0	0	0
Schmieder, rg.	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, lg.	0	0	0
Oldiges, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	8	5	13

Cridersville			
Smith, rf.	3	2	8
Curry, rf.	1	4	6
Hastings, lf.	0	2	2
Ritchie, c.	0	2	2
Hadley, cg.	0	0	0
Rhoades, rg.	0	0	0
Porter, lg.	0	0	0
Roser, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	8	10	18

Varsity Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
V. Sommer, rf.	0	0	0
Heckman, rf.	0	0	0
Frericks, lf.	4	2	10
Boecker, lf.	0	0	0
F. Sommer, c.	0	0	0
Severin, c.	0	2	2
Kittel, rg.	0	0	0
Weaver, rg.	0	0	0
Brinkman, lg.	2	0	4
Huelman, lg.	0	1	1
Totals	12	5	17

Cridersville			
Shaffer, rf.	0	0	0
R. Saddler	1	3	5
J. Saddler	0	0	0
Rhoades	2	1	5
Hastings	1	1	3
Stiepleton	4	2	10
Bice	0	0	0
Wauben	1	0	2
Burden	0	0	0
Totals	18	7	25

Two Thrillers Went Wrong At Waynesfield, O.

Minster Hi Boys And Minster Hi Girls Both Lose By One Score

BUCKLAND HERE FRIDAY

Locals Have Dropped Their Last Three Games in County League

The Minster high school basket ball teams traveled to Waynesfield Wednesday evening, November 25, and were defeated in two thrilling contests. Waynesfield paced by Harrod tripped the Varsity 27 to 26 while the Minster Girls lost by the margin of one point 18 to 14.

The Minster girls after trailing during the first half rallied and lead during most of third and early part of the fourth quarters. Waynesfield, however, came from behind during the closing minutes of play and finally won out by one marker 18 to 14. The score at the half was 7 to 5 in favor of Waynesfield.

In the Varsity game the lead changed from time to time neither team was ever far in front for a very long time. Minster starting rapidly rung up an early lead which was never threatened seriously during the first quarter. Waynesfield outscored the Minster quintet in the second period, however, and at the half the score stood at 14 to 12 with Waynesfield on top.

From the beginning of the second half on the score sawed from one side to the other with neither team conceding more than was necessary. During the third and fourth quarters both teams put up a good, clean, hard fight and played the best brand of basket ball of which they were capable. When the regulation time was completed the teams were knotted in a 25 to 25 tie. Waynesfield sank one field goal while Minster made but one free toss during the three minutes of overtime and thus won 27 to 26.

By losing Minster made it three defeats in a row—not a very commendable record.

Woodruff and Walters refereed both contests.

On Friday, December 4 Minster will tangle with Buckland in the local high school auditorium. Buckland seems to be one of the strongest teams in the county this year thus this contest is sure to be exciting—be there.

Girls' Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
R. Westerheide, rf.	3	0	6
Rateman, lf.	1	2	4
Tebbe, c.	1	2	4
Thieman, cg.	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
Oldiges, rg.	0	0	0
Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	10	4	14

Waynesfield			
Steele, rf.	0	0	0
Agnew, rf.	0	0	0
Deck, lf.	4	2	10
Chiles, c.	2	1	5
H. Smith, cg.	0	0	0
G. Williams, rg.	0	0	0
J. Walters, lg.	0	0	0
A. Smith, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	12	3	15

Varsity Game			
Minster	FG	F	T
Sommer, rf.	1	0	3
Frericks, lf.	3	2	8
F. Sommer, c.	2	1	5
Huelman, c.	0	0	0
Kittel, rg.	0	1	1
Weaver, rg.	0	0	0
Brinkman, lg.	4	2	10
Totals	20	6	26

Waynesfield			
Newland, rf.	5	1	11
Sproul, lf.	0	0	0
Gerndon, lf.	0	0	0
Harrod, c.	7	0	14
Blank, cg.	0	0	0
Brown, rg.	1	0	2
Hatfield, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	26	1	27

A 50-50 Break For Cagers At New Hampshire

The Minster Girls Lost Their Game But The Boys Won Theirs

THE GIRLS' REPUTATION

For Being Clever Seems To Have Been Quite Well Grounded

We propose that there are some New Hampshire basket ball fans who feel that a 50-50 break is almost as good as a triumph without any ifs, buts or ands.

This class of followers of the winter game could of course be satisfied with the thing that occurred at that village on last Friday night when the high school squad from Minster stormed the fort in that village.

On that occasion the girls out of the New Hampshire squad defeated the girls out of the Minster squad while in the game played by the boys' teams the result was turned squarely around. The young ladies entered the arena at an early hour on the evening of that day and they treated the fans who sat in the auditorium to a very spirited exhibition. Although this poor scribe could write the story with a freer hand if the New Hampshire girls hadn't been quite so good.

The facts are, however, that the New Hampshire school has a lively, intelligent and hard-to-beat girls' basket ball team. Long before Friday's session awarded reached this section of the county to that effect so that the Minster girls felt that if they could just hold the team to a close score there would be reason to feel good, at least.

During the first half of the game the visiting players offered a very clever performance and when the score stood at 7 and 8 in favor of the New Hampshire basketeers the world looked pretty bright. But it was during the third and the fourth quarters when the home players smashed along to a rather impressive count.

The Minster forwards worked with clock-like ease but were not able to run up a high score when Westerheide was the only player who could locate the basket. The team struck a snag when one of the regular guards went out of the game by the foul route.

The game that was played by the boys ended just right for the folks who took the automobile ride to the town that got an important place on the map because a big league base ball player once resided there. At the close of a medley of clever and missed passes, accurate and foisted field shots, true and untrue free tosses the count in the books of the official registrars stood as follows: Minster 42 and New Hampshire 25.

When the cagers had stripped off their uniforms and were neatly robed in street or party clothes they proceeded to make an inventory of the game as it touched their style of playing. Everybody, from the coach down to the boy who provided the lamen and the towel for the athletes, agreed that never before had the players followed in their shots as they did during the glorious night in the village of New Hampshire. This was one reason why the game turned out as it did and the young athletes are being urged to follow in the same way while the basket ball season progresses.

The reporter for this game would put the names of Frericks and Brinkman in box car letters if he had the type setting to do in the print shop where these paragraphs will be put in print. They set the pace for their team and made more points than all of the New Hampshire players combined. Frericks was so good on this occasion that he might have "lilt the basket" with his eyes shut had he felt disposed to make a test of that kind.

Brinkman was better than good, because of his height and his manner of action. He just picked the ball off of New Hampshire's back board, like they pick crab apples off of the trees in Virginia, and socked the ball through the hoop from long range without touching a finger.

Following figures tell the score of the two games:

Girls' Game			
Minster	G	F	T
R. Westerheide	4	1	9
L. Rateman	0	1	1
J. Heinl	0	0	0
N. Tebbe	0	1	1
W. Gerwels	0	0	0
N. Thieman	0	0	0
M. Oldiges	0	0	0
E. Westerheide	0	0	0
P. Schmieder	0	0	0
Totals	4	3	11

New Hampshire			
Costa	4	2	10
Matter	0	0	0
Bowsher	2	1	5
McDuff	0	0	0
Arthur	0	0	0
Laylor	0	0	0
Buffenlanger	0	0	0
Stocker	0	0	0
Totals	8	3	19

Boys' Game			
Minster	G	F	T
F. Boecker, rf.	1	1	3
V. Sommer, rf.	2	2	6
C. Frericks, lf.	3	1	19
R. Heckman, lf.	1	0	2
F. Sommer, c.	0	2	2
P. Huelman, c.	0	0	0
R. Kittel, rg.	1	0	2
E. Weaver, rg.	0	0	0
W. Brinkman, lg.	4	0	8
Totals	18	6	42

New Hampshire			
Barnes, rf.	0	0	0
Shaner, rf.	1	0	2
Dowling, lf.	4	0	8
Patrick, c.	1	0	2
Trice, c.	0	0	0
Ewing, rg.	1	0	2
Peppie, lg.	0	2	2
Hutchinson, rg.	3	1	7
White, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	11	3	25

A Game Apiece For The Teams From Schools

At Minster And At Buckland
In An Event Held Here
Friday

LOCAL GIRLS VICTORS

While The Local Boys Got
A Trouncing In A Very
Tight Struggle

With Louise Raterman and Norma Tebbe going fast the Minster girls made the girls from Buckland look like a team candidate when the basketballers from that village appeared at the Minster high school gym on Friday night of last week. The Minster boys, however, couldn't keep the up good work when it was time for them to show their stuff and thus these columns will say to the basket ball readers that one game was won by a Minster quintet while another was taken by the players from the neighboring village.

It was the forwards on the Minster girls' team who were primarily responsible for the easy victory of the locals for they moved so fast that the visiting players just couldn't keep them away from the basket. Inability of the Buckland girls to make field goals was also a contributing factor to their lop-sided defeat. In the second half Miss Smith shot a basket from the floor and that was the extent of their performance in this line.

The boys' game slipped away from the home players during the final, or last quarter. The two teams played on pretty even terms up to the time when the scoremen were beginning to watch their time pieces in order to close the proceedings on the dot. For some reason which the wisest philosopher in the land would not be able to explain the locals seemed to have lost their bearings and the visitors took advantage of the slip. Some timely sucker shots were made by the men of Buckland and finally the score stood Minster 19 and Buckland 25.

Frericks and Boecker were the champion scorers for the locals while Ziegenbusch, Binkley and Brookhart did the lion work for the Buckland team.

Following are the scores of both games:

Girls' Game		
Minster	G	F T
R. Westerheide, rf.	0	1 1
J. Heinl, rf.	1	0 2
L. Schiefer, rf.	0	0 0
L. Raterman, lf.	3	3 9
N. Tebbe, c.	2	3 7
M. Oldiges, rg.	0	0 0
N. Thieman, rg.	0	0 0
E. Westerheide, rg.	0	0 0
P. Schmieder, lg.	0	0 0

Minster	6	7 19
Buckland		
B. Gapp, rf.	0	1 1
R. Morris, lf.	0	0 0
J. Singh, lf.	1	1 3
D. Hines, c.	0	2 2
B. Place, c.	0	0 0
V. Brunner, rg.	0	0 0
S. Place, rg.	0	0 0
F. Holtapple, lg.	0	0 0
Totals	1	4 6

Varsity		
Minster	G	F T
F. Boecker, rf.	3	0 6
C. Frericks, rf.	2	5 9
V. Sommer, lf.	0	2 2
P. Huchman, c.	0	1 1
F. Sommer, c.	0	1 1
W. Brinkman, rg.	0	0 0
R. Kittel, lg.	0	0 0
E. Weaver, lg.	0	0 0
Totals	5	9 19

Buckland		
G. Wheller, rf.	0	0 0
F. Brunner, rf.	0	0 0
L. Binkley, lf.	3	1 7
W. Brookhart, lf.	3	2 8
F. Ziegenbusch, c.	3	0 6
J. Holtapple, rg.	0	0 0
R. Link, lg.	2	0 4
Totals	11	3 25

TOOK TWO GAMES AT WAPAKONETA

The Minster hi basketballers took two games at Wapakoneta on Wednesday night when they filled an engagement with the players out of the St. Joseph school.

The first game between the reserves was won by the score of 26 to 9, when the youthful athletes from this village "played all around" their opponents. Roger Thieman was the high point man for the Minster contingent with six scores to his credit. The score at the end of the half was Minster 18 and St. Joe 1.

The Varsity team put the brakes on their losing streak on this occasion by defeating the St. Joe by the score of 20 and 46. When a hard muscled young man by the name of Frericks ran the St. Joe team ragged—as the saying goes—there was no chance for the Minster team to lose. He sank nine field goals and with the help of Boecker and F. Sommer showed the Wapak lads a hot time.

The score at the end of the first half was Minster 19 and St. Joe 3.

The passing of the team was clever at all times.

Following are the official scores:

Reserves		
Minster	G	F T
R. Bernhold, rf.	1	0 2
R. Heckman, lf.	2	0 4
L. Raterman, lf.	2	4 4
J. Brinkman, lf.	0	0 0
R. Thieman, c.	2	2 6
C. Walters, rg.	1	2 4
L. Hafner, lg.	2	0 4
R. Dirksen, lg.	0	0 0
S. Baumer, rf.	1	0 2
Totals	11	4 26

St. Joe		
Madegan, rf.	0	0 0
Ellinet, rf.	0	0 0
Oen, lf.	3	1 7
Nies, lf.	0	0 0
Madegan, lf.	0	0 0
J. Woehler, c.	0	0 0
Mahas, c.	1	0 2
Nagel, rg.	0	0 0
Ellinet, rg.	0	0 0
Cox, lg.	0	0 0
Farex, lg.	0	0 0
Totals	4	1 9

Varsity		
Minster	G	F T
F. Boecker, rf.	5	0 10
R. Heckman, rf.	1	1 3
C. Frericks, lf.	9	0 18
V. Sommer, lf.	1	0 2
F. Sommer, c.	4	1 9
P. Huchman, c.	0	0 0
R. Kittel, rg.	1	0 2
E. Weaver, rg.	0	0 0
W. Brinkman, lg.	1	0 2
Totals	22	2 46

St. Joe		
Oen, R. rf.	1	0 2
Oen, R. rf.	0	0 0
Heinl, lf.	0	2 2
Metsger, c.	3	0 6
Whaler, c.	0	0 0
Velt, rg.	2	3 7
Madigan, rg.	0	0 0
Nester, lg.	1	0 2
Nagel, lg.	0	1 1
Totals	7	6 20

BASKET BALL GAMES ON RECENT DATE

A basket ball classic with a local coloring was held recently and it brought into action about every person who knows the tricks of the game. One game was played by the high school varsities, with players out of the local alumni taking the opposition role, another was staged by the girls' team out of the school with a bevy of former hi girl players taking the opposite side, while a third game saw boys out of the sophomore and junior grades in action.

Considerable attention was given to the game by the alumni and the varsity men, which, however, was not the jingery affair that was anticipated. The official score will show that the varsity team was the better outfit, for the count at the time of the close stood 17 and 36 with the hi men on the long end.

The hi players were up on their toes in making passes, while the guards blocked the way of "Fat" Fischer, the alumni whirlwind, just like four-wheeled brakes stop an automobile.

Every Minster hi guard played well, which is a fine story to put into print.

Paul Huchman was the high point man, with eight scores, while F. Sommer and W. Brinkman ran close seconds with seven markers.

Following is the score:

Alumni		
A. Fischer, rf.	8	F T
M. Yallo, lf.	1	0 2
W. Boecker, lf.	0	0 0
E. Morsey, lf.	0	0 0
Rentz, lf.	1	0 2
Hugenkamp, c.	0	0 0
Stuenkel, c.	1	1 3
Ritter, c.	1	0 2
Nickamp, rg.	0	0 0
Koester, g.	0	1 2
Schmucker, g.	1	0 2
Forkamp, g.	1	1 3
Tebbe, g.	1	0 2
Totals	7	3 17

Varsity		
F. Boecker, rf.	1	0 2
V. Sommer, lf.	2	2 6
C. Frericks, lf.	0	2 2
B. Heckman, lf.	0	0 0
F. Sommer, c.	2	3 7
P. Huchman, c.	1	0 8
R. Kittel, g.	1	0 2
L. Hafner, g.	0	1 1
E. Weaver, g.	0	1 1
W. Brinkman, g.	2	3 7
Totals	12	12 36

The hi girls played rings around the girls who were good once but who aren't anything to write home about any more.

While the present day players were making 23 scores the last bunch could garner only 6, so there you are for a lop-sided conclusion. Rose Westerheide was high point maiden with eleven to her credit while Miss Gerards and Miss Raterman were credited with 5 each.

Following is the score:

Hi Girls		
Raterman, f.	2	1 5
Heinl, f.	0	0 0
R. Westerheide, f.	5	1 11
Schaefer, f.	0	0 0
Gerwels, c.	2	1 5
Tebbe, c.	1	0 2
Thieman, g.	0	0 0
Oldiges, g.	0	0 0
Rita Westerheide, g.	0	0 0
Melcher, g.	0	0 0
Schwieterman, g.	0	0 0
Schmieder, g.	0	0 0
Totals	10	3 23

Alumni		
Drees, f.	0	2 2
Wagner, f.	0	0 0
Boekman, f.	0	0 0
Westerheide, c.	1	2 4
Dorsten, g.	0	0 0
Heinl, g.	0	0 0
Meiring, g.	0	0 0
Wochmyer, g.	0	0 0
Totals	1	4 6

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Minster State Bank will be held on January 20, 1937 from 7:30 to 8 P. M. for the purpose of electing directors and to increase the capital stock to \$50,000.00.

August Schunck,
President 41

The sophomore and junior game had some very interesting features and during some of the time the boys were fighting on pretty even terms. At the close of the first half the juniors were in the lead by the close count of 7 and 5, but after the period of rest and debate the sophomores pitched in and knocked things right and left, winning by the score of 19 and 8. Bernhold was high point man with a total of 9 scores.

Following is the score:

Sophomores		
Bernhold, f.	4	1 9
Brinkman, f.	0	0 0
Walters, f.	3	0 0
Thieman, c.	1	1 3
Bergman, c.	0	0 0
Wagner, g.	0	1 1
Totals	8	3 19
Juniors		
Raterman, f.	2	1 5
Baumer, f.	0	0 0
Horsman, f.	1	0 2
Vallo, c.	0	0 0
Westerheide, g.	0	0 0
Wyon, g.	0	1 1
Hoying, g.	0	0 0
Totals	3	2 8

GAME WITH CELINA I. C. H. S. ON TUESDAY

On Tuesday night of this week the cage squad out of the I. C. H. S. at Celina came to Minster for the purpose of testing their skill against the squad that has been holding up the honors of the local school since the time when the leaves on the trees began to turn last Autumn time.

Two games were played and the results were gratifying to everybody who likes to see matters break even, no matter whether the contest in question represents sport or politics. However, since the game that was played by the Varsity teams was won by the cages from this town and township it's a fact that the Minster fans wouldn't swap the satisfaction that they extracted from the events for what the Celina bugs could swallow.

The Celina reserves won their game by the score of 21 and 14, with Severin doing the fancy work for the Minster team and DeCarline leading the parade for Celina.

The game by the big fellows in the squad ended with the score standing at 21 and 23. The Minster team won this exhibition with Frericks for Minster and Niblick for Celina performing like wild horses. Thrill after thrill was crowded into the contest and everybody who sat under the roof of the school house had a touch of heart palpitation while matters were going strong.

The New Bremen high schoolers will visit in Minster on the evening of Tuesday, January 19, for games. These games were announced for earlier in the season, but were postponed because of certain reasons. Tickets that were purchased at the time when the games were scheduled to be played will be honored on next Tuesday night.

Hi Basketters Broke Even in Games Played

Since The Minster Post Reported Their Actions
One Week Ago

LOST TWO ON FRIDAY
But Came Back Strong On
Tuesday And Won Just
That Number

Since the time when The Minster Post made its last report concerning the way in which the local Hi cagers are deporting themselves as representatives in the Auglaize county league four games have been played in which this contingent of athletes had important parts. Two games were played with the girls as an opposing force and two games were played with the young men acting as a defending unit. Each one of the local teams won a game and likewise each one of the teams figured in a loss so that each contingent has a five hundred rating to present to the public.

On Friday of last week the players appeared on foreign soil—or perhaps it would be better to say on some other fellow's floor since basket ball isn't played on the grass like base ball, nor in quagmires like foot ball. The players, with their friends, motored to Criderville, Ohio, on that day in the month of January, to have a test event with the young men and the young women who are seniors, juniors, sophomores and freshmen in the school in that village.

Two games were played before the members of the victorious squad jumped into the center of the floor to do a dance of triumph. The first game was played by the girls' teams, and, as many of our readers perhaps know this contest was won by the Criderville players, because they made four more scores than the young ladies who make up the Minster team. With a comely lassie who is Miss Hastings, setting the pace the home team made fourteen scores, while the visiting cagers were able to make only ten credits. Miss Tebbe was the high point performer for the Minster team, with three field goals and one free toss. Miss Hastings was credited with two field goals and three successful foul tosses.

The game was close enough at all times to keep the crowd doing funny things—like wringing their hands and frowning their hair.

Following is the score:

Minster	G	F	T
Rateman, rf.	1	1	3
Westerheide, rf.	0	0	0
Heinl, lf.	0	0	0
Tebbe, c.	3	1	7
Thieman, rg.	0	0	0
Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	4	2	10
Criderville	G	F	T
Curry, rf.	0	0	0
Hastings, lf.	2	3	7
Smith, lf.	2	0	4
Porter, c.	1	1	3
Rhoades, c.	0	0	0
Hedley, rg.	0	0	0
Ritchie, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	4	14

The varsity game was a mighty well affair even if it did have a decided Criderville

ending. With Frericks padding everybody on the floor the home team had to employ good generalship and more like speed lightning bolts in order to quess through this game to a victory. Immediately when activity began the Criderville men hit two baskets and some folks felt that perhaps they were going to race through to an easy victory; but they had to slow down when the visitors got their old motor oiled and ready.

The Minster guards showed that they know lots of things about this old game of basket ball when they kept blocking down the ambitious Criderville shooters with as much courage and tenacity as minute men. The score at the half was Minster 10 and Criderville 14 and at the close of the game it was Minster 23 and Criderville 28.

Following is the score:

Minster	G	F	T
Boecker, rf.	0	1	1
V. Sommer, rf.	0	0	0
Frericks, lf.	6	1	14
F. Sommer, c.	1	1	3
Huelsman, c.	0	0	0
Kittel, rg.	0	0	0
E. Weaver, rg.	1	1	3
Brinkman, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	9	5	23
Criderville	G	F	T
Hastings, rf.	3	0	6
Sodder, lf.	1	1	3
J. Sodder, lf.	2	1	5
Stepleton, c.	5	2	12
Wauben, rg.	0	1	1
Burden, lg.	0	1	1
Totals	11	6	28

With the local players smarting under their collars because of the way in which things turned out at Criderville they sharpened their spurs in order that they might regain lost glory at the expense of the hi boys and girls from New Bremen. The opportunity came on last Tuesday night when this galaxy of high spirited young people made the three mile trek over state route sixty-six.

Two games were played, after the manner of action at Criderville, but when the stars were counted the sky didn't look near as dark as it did after the double killing at the town off the Ditch.

Both games were won by the teams that Coach Wagner, of the Minster team and his lady lieutenant sent into action. The girls from this locality made a total of twenty-two scores while the girls from up the road made nineteen.

At the half-and-half station the score was tied at ten all but with Miss Tebbe playing perhaps the cleverest game that any girl athlete has shown in this county for many seasons the locals came out on the long end of the score. She scored eighteen of the twenty-two points credited to the Minster team.

Following is the score:

Minster	G	F	T
Rateman, rf.	1	1	3
Westerheide, rf.	0	0	0
Heinl, lf.	0	0	0
Tebbe, c.	3	1	7
Thieman, rg.	0	0	0
Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	4	2	10
Criderville	G	F	T
Curry, rf.	0	0	0
Hastings, lf.	2	3	7
Smith, lf.	2	0	4
Porter, c.	1	1	3
Rhoades, c.	0	0	0
Hedley, rg.	0	0	0
Ritchie, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	4	14

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V. Sommer, rf.	0	0	0
Frericks, lf.	6	1	14
F. Sommer, c.	1	1	3
Huelsman, c.	0	0	0
Kittel, rg.	0	0	0
E. Weaver, rg.	1	1	3
Brinkman, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	9	5	23
Criderville	G	F	T
Curry, rf.	0	0	0
Hastings, lf.	2	3	7
Smith, lf.	2	0	4
Porter, c.	1	1	3
Rhoades, c.	0	0	0
Hedley, rg.	0	0	0
Ritchie, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	4	14

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Frericks, lf.	6	1	14
F. Sommer, c.	1	1	3
Huelsman, c.	0	0	0
Kittel, rg.	0	0	0
E. Weaver, rg.	1	1	3
Brinkman, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	9	5	23
Criderville	G	F	T
Curry, rf.	0	0	0
Hastings, lf.	2	3	7
Smith, lf.	2	0	4
Porter, c.	1	1	3
Rhoades, c.	0	0	0
Hedley, rg.	0	0	0
Ritchie, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	4	14

High School Cagers Were At Buckland

On Friday Night Of Last
Week To Buck Even In
Two Contests

MET WAYNESFIELD HERE

On Tuesday Night And Once
More There Was A 50-50
Break

Basket ball activities in which the Minster school folks had a part were taken to Buckland on Friday of last week where honors were equally divided. The Minster girls' team won the game in the early hour of the evening while the Buckland boys won the varsity game which was the main event, as high school basket ball affairs are reckoned.

The score at the close of the game by the young ladies was registered on the black board as follows: Minster 15 and Buckland 14. Informed basket ball fans will hardly need be told that this was a 'fights' contest with the count standing even at many of the important points in the game.

At the close of the first quarter the count was three and three, and at the half the figure was six and six. While the third canto was on the way the Buckland girls shot a big wad, but they didn't get so far in front that they couldn't be overtaken. The Minster girls reserved their dramatic performance until near the end and it remained for Miss Rateman to rise to the emergency. When the time keeper's watch was showing that the closing period was just about at hand Buckland was in the lead by one point, but Miss Rateman put her team in the lead by making a spectacular lone.

Miss Tebbe and Miss Rateman made things hum for Minster while Misses Place and Smith did the fancy work for Buckland.

Following is the score:

Girls Game

Buckland	B	F	T
R. Rapp, rf.	1	1	3
B. Place, lf.	1	3	5
Smith, lf.	1	2	4
R. Mertz, c.	1	0	2
V. Brauner, rg.	0	0	0
S. Place, rg.	0	0	0
F. Holtzapfel, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	4	6	14
Minster	B	F	T
R. Westerheide, rf.	1	0	2
J. Heinl, lf.	0	0	0
L. Rateman, lf.	2	1	5
N. Tebbe, c.	2	4	8
N. Thieman, rg.	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
P. Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	5	15

The varsity game was just about as close fitting an affair as the game that was played by the young ladies.

The Bucklanders claimed the long end of a score that stood 19 and 22 at the close.

At the close of the first quarter the count was 2 and 1 in Minster's favor; at the close of the half the count was 9 and 10 with the visitors still running in the fore. However, the Buckland men were able to squeeze through to a triumph when they made some very clever tosses.

Outstanding players were:

Frericks, Ziegenbush, Link.

Following is the score of this game:

Minster	B	F	T
V. Sommer, rf.	0	0	0
Huelsman, rf.	1	1	3
C. Frericks, lf.	4	2	10
F. Boecker, lf.	0	0	0
P. Sommer, c.	0	2	2
R. Kittel, rg.	0	2	2
E. Weaver, rg.	0	0	0
W. Brinkman, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	6	7	19
Buckland	B	F	T
G. Wheeler, rf.	0	0	1
Brunner, rf.	0	0	0
R. Wheeler, lf.	0	0	0
Brookhart, lf.	1	1	3
Brickly, lf.	2	0	4
Ziegenbush, c.	3	1	7
Holtzapfel, rg.	0	0	0
Link, lg.	3	1	7
Totals	9	4	22

On Tuesday night of this week the boys and girls out of the Wayneville high school who have been trained in the art of playing basket ball made their appearance in Minster and they gave a pretty good account of themselves in this line of athletic action. They were not able to make a clean

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swamp of victories, for they were being opposed in a pair of games by players who are pretty sleek at this kind of business.

The girls from the north eastern part of the county smashed along to a decisive victory and at the close of the contest they claimed the long end of a score that stood at 10 and 16.

The count at the end of the first half was Wayneville 12, Minster 2.

Following is the official score:

Minster	B	F	T
R. Westerheide, rf.	1	1	3
L. Rateman, lf.	1	1	3
N. Tebbe, c.	2	0	4
N. Thieman, rg.	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
P. Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	4	2	10
Waynesfield	B	F	T
Brown, rf.	0	1	1
Steele, lf.	0	0	0
Deck, lf.	4	0	8
Chiles, c.	2	3	7
Williams, g.	0	0	0
Walters, lf.	0	0	0
Totals	6	4	16

The big game was won by the Minster players, who are called varsity men. The score at the close of this contest was 21 and 23.

Minster trailed during the greater time of the first half, but was able to knot the count at thirteen all when the second quarter ended. The second half was a see-saw affair with first one team taking the lead and then surrendering the honor to the opposition.

With just three minutes to play the count was tied up 21 and 21—and with everybody fighting like nobody's business Huelsman jumped into a fast loop, secured the ball and made a one-handed corner shot to put Minster out in front.

The remaining time was employed in protecting the lead.

By winning this game Minster goes into a tie with Wayneville in the matter of games won and lost. On a previous occasion the Wayneville team defeated Minster by the score of 26 and 27 in an over-time game.

Following is the score:

Minster	B	F	T
F. Boecker, rf.	3	0	6
Sommer, rf.	0	0	0
C. Frericks, lf.	5	0	10
F. Sommer, c.	0	0	0
P. Huelsman, rg.	2	1	5
W. Brinkman, rg.	0	0	0
R. Kittel, lg.	1	0	2
E. Weaver, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	11	1	23
Waynesfield	B	F	T
Newland, rf.	5	0	10
Herdon, lf.	0	0	0
Sproul, lf.	1	0	2
Harrod, c.	4	1	9
Weygant, c.	0	0	0
Brown, rg.	0	0	0
Blank, rg.	0	0	0
Hatfield, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	10	1	21

The Minster players will go to New Bremen on Friday, February 5, while the New Hampshire squad will visit in this city on Friday, February 12.

Merle Cole, of Botkins will referee.

HIGH PLAYERS LOST PAIR OF GAMES

The New Bremen hi basket-teers made a cleaning on Friday night of last week when it was their time to contest with the Minster hi folks, through the plans of the county league. Two games were played and two games were won by the teams out of the N. B. squad and since that's as far as they could go as conquerors they are accepting the plaudits and getting ready for any future contests.

The young athletes assembled at the New Bremen gym and there was about an equal number of young men and young women among the folks in uniform. According to the established plans the game by the girls was played first while the big event of the night was the last number.

In the opinion of the reporter who represented The Minster Post at these games the following performers and incidents are worthy of mention in our type: The game was close and exciting.

First the Minster players would make points and then the New Bremen players would bob up and do the same.

The high point player on the Minster team was Miss Tebbe who was credited with nine scores, while Miss Schulte, of the New Bremen team, had ten markers.

New Bremen got a break at the extreme far end of the game when a Minster player fouled out thus making it possible for Schulte to untie a tie score by socking a free one through the hoop.

Following is the score:

Minster	B	F	T
R. Westerheide, rf.	1	0	2
L. Rateman, lf.	0	1	1
J. Heinl, lf.	0	0	0
N. Tebbe, c.	4	1	9
A. Thieman, rg.	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg.	0	0	0
P. Schmieder, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	2	12
New Bremen	B	F	T
Huenke, rf.	0	1	1
Pape, lf.	1	0	2
Schnelle, c.	3	4	10
Moeller, rg.	0	0	0
Hanning, rg.	0	0	0
Scherer, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	4	5	13

The varsity game was not so close and exciting as the contest that was staged by the young ladies because the players who belong to the New Bremen squad had one of their good days—or good nights—while the Minster performers were having more than their share of troubles.

When the game ended the score stood as follows: Minster 14 and New Bremen 25.

The same scribe who brought the story concerning the girls' game to the printers for this newspaper was the official witness at this game and he noted the following high spots:

The New Bremen boys took the lead early and stayed put until the final whistle blown, or was blown.

Something was hurting the muscles of the Minster players that had not troubled them heretofore, so that they just couldn't hit their normal pace.

The New Bremen boys seemed to be "on their toes" every minute of the game.

The guards for the Minster team failed to click so that the home players had little trouble in breaking through the line to reach the board.

The high point man for Minster was Boecker with a credit of five points, while Frericks got four.

Wint and Park each scored eight for New Bremen.

Following is the score:

Minster	B	F	T
F. Boecker, rf.	2	1	5
V. Sommer, rf.	0	0	0
C. Frericks, lf.	2	0	4
F. Huelsman, lf.	0	0	0
F. Sommer, c.	0	2	2
W. Brinkman, rg.	1	0	2
R. Kittel, lg.	0	1	1
E. Weaver, lg.	0	0	0
Totals	5	4	14
New Bremen	B	F	T
Park, rf.	3	2	8
Maurer, lf.	1	3	5
Hirschfeld, lf.	0	0	0
Kuenning, c.	1	0	2
Sunderman, rg.	1	0	2
Fledderjohn, rg.	0	0	0
Wint, lg.	4	0	8
Totals	10	5	25

Varsity Boys Took Pair Of Indoor Games

Since This Newspaper Made Its Last Report Concerning Action

GIRLS LOST ONE GAME

While The Reserve Players Kicked In With A Single Triumph

With the girls on the Minster team playing like they have been taught to play it was possible for the local varsity boys to lam the team out of the New Hampshire high school on Friday night of last week in a manner that was satisfactory to everybody who pulls for the Wagner men. When the athletes opposed the New Bruner cagers just a few nights previous the players who are supposed to keep the enemy away from the hoop failed like the Cincinnati Reds have failed to win base ball pennants, but they did differently on this occasion.

As matters turned out the game was won by the team out of the Minster squad and the score was Minster 25 and New Hampshire 14. The reporter suggested that the type should make particular mention of one Frericks as the big shot in this game, because he was responsible for eight of the twenty-five scores that were chalked up in the home team's favor. His shots were as sure as accuracy could make them and he was a thorn in the side of the New Hampshire coach.

Huebman was doing some pretty clever things likewise so that he received credit for seven scores.

As will be observed the game was played on the Minster floor.

Following is the score:

Minster	B	F	T
V. Sommer, rf	0	0	0
F. Becker, rf	1	0	2
C. Frericks, lf	3	2	8
P. Huebman, c	3	1	7
F. Sommer, rg	1	2	4
E. Weaver, rg	0	0	0
W. Brinkman, lg	2	0	4
Totals	10	5	25

New Hampshire	B	F	T
Downing, rf	0	0	0
Peple, rf	0	0	0
Shaner, rf	0	0	0
Barnes, lf	1	0	2
Patrick, c	1	1	3
Hutchison, rg	1	4	6
Ewing, lg	1	1	3
Totals	6	14	14

Unhappily the girls out of the Minster athletic squad who make up a team weren't able to do what their very active brothers did on this occasion. The scoreman made note of the gameness of the young ladies, but he lamented the fact that the New Hampshire girls performed in a more clever way than the home cagers.

The figures show that Miss Heil was pretty good, with four points in her line while Misses Raterman and Tebbe also broke into the scoring column, but that was about all that could be said.

Following is the score:

Minster	B	F	T
R. Westerheide, rf	0	0	0
L. Raterman, rf	1	0	2
J. Heil, lf	2	0	4
M. Tebbe, c	1	0	2
A. Thieman, rg	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg	0	0	0
P. Schmieder, lg	0	0	0
Totals	4	0	8

New Hampshire	B	F	T
Bowshere, rf	3	0	6
Ewing, rf	0	0	0
Coats, lf	3	0	6
Arthur, c	2	2	6
Bullenburger, rg	0	0	0
Stocker, rg	0	0	0
Landeruth, lg	0	0	0
Totals	8	2	18

St. Joseph high school's winning streak was brought to an abrupt end Monday evening at Minster when the five from this city handed the Dragons from Wapakoneta a neat 32 to 16 setback. The game was loosely played by both sides, neither of which exhibited its best brand of basket ball.

There was very little scoring done in the first period. The only field goal of the quarter was registered by Nester, although opportunities were thrown away in many cases. Becker made good on one foul shot for Minster, leaving the score 2 to 1 in favor of Wapakoneta at the quarter.

In the second quarter Minster took the lead on four baskets and four fouls to give them

thirteen points at half time to but seven for the Dragons who were confined to three free tomes, two by Heil and one by Veit, and a single field goal by Metzger.

Minster increased this lead in the third quarter to 24 to 12 as they started to hit their long shots while the Wapakoneta quint could score but five points.

The fourth quarter saw the game as a rough affair with the boys mixing it up plenty, but all the efforts of the Dragons were useless in an attempt to outplay their opponents. The final gun sounded with the score 32 to 16. Nester, a Wapak guard, was in the net of shooting a foul when the gun went off.

Following is the score:

Varsity	B	F	T
V. Sommer, rf	1	0	2
Boecker, rf	2	2	0
Frericks, lf	0	2	14
Huebman, c	1	2	4
F. Sommer, rg	1	0	2
Kittel, lg	0	0	0
Brinkman, lg	2	0	4
Totals	13	6	32

St. Joseph	B	F	T
Oen, rf	0	1	1
Heil, lf	0	3	3
Metzger, c	2	1	5
Veit, rg	0	3	3
Nester, lg	2	0	4
Dixler, f	0	0	0
Nagel, rg	0	0	0
Totals	4	8	16

Score at half—Minster 13, St. Joseph 7.

The Reserve team out of the Minster contingent accepted the pattern set by their big pals so that the locals made a complete killing on this occasion. The score for this game was Minster 20 and Wapak 20.

Following is the score:

Reserve	B	F	T
Huebman, rf	2	1	5
Brunner, lf	0	0	0
Bernhold, lf	0	0	0
Hafner, rf	2	0	4
Thieman, c	1	0	2
Walters, rg	4	3	11
Wagner, lg	2	0	4
Brinkman, lf	0	0	0
Totals	11	4	20

St. Joseph	B	F	T
Madigan, rf	0	2	2
Naber, rf	0	0	0
Oen, lf	1	1	3
Drexler, c	2	1	5
Cox, rg	1	0	2
Nagel, lg	1	0	2
Wochler, lg	3	0	6
Totals	8	4	20

Score at half—Minster 0, St. Joseph 8.

On next Friday night, the players out of New Knoxville will make their appearance in this city and the games that will be played at that time will mark the closing episodes for the season of 1936-37.

The Auglaize county basket ball tournament will be held in the Legion hall at Wapakoneta during the evenings of Thursday, February 25, Friday, February 26 and Saturday, February 27. There will be four games on Thursday night, two games on Friday night and the final game on Saturday night. The two leading girls' teams of the coun-

ty will play a preliminary game on Saturday night.

The following admission for tournament sessions have been announced: Adults 40 cts. and students 25 cts. per evening. Only adult's tickets will be sold at the door. All student tickets must be purchased from Coach Wagner.

Home Players Became Quite Flashy While

They Trimmed The Wings Feathers Of The New Knoxville Basketters

SCORE OF 16 AND 34

Recorded By The Official Registrar. The Minster Girls Were Beaten

Just to show basketball fans in Auglaize county that they must be reckoned with while the dopesters are making their figures in advance of the games that are to be played during the tournament the Minster cagers did everlastingly wallopp the boys out of the New Knoxville high school. The mauling was done on Friday night of last week, with the Minster gym serving as the scene for the crash.

The score at the close of action showed that the local players had socked the nagskin through the hoop for the thirty-four count while the men on the other side could not force their score up to one-half of these figures. They made six free shots and five from the floor so that when the scoremen had compiled the totals the books showed that they had a credit of sixteen.

Frericks, the star forward for the Minster team, was the high score player in this game, as he has been on many other occasions during the current season. He stood at spots where the fighting was fast and furious and dropped the ball into the netting five times, thus getting credit for ten points. The visiting players tried to stop him, but you can't stop a whirlwind, which is the most appropriate name that the type can give for this hard fighting young basketer.

V. Sommer also did some things in this game which had to be recorded in the big book. The score shows that he dropped the ball through the hoop four times, which, according to the rules for scoring basket ball games, entitled him to a credit of eight points; thus there were two players on the Minster team who made more shots than all the New Knoxville players combined.

Following is the official score for this game:

Minster	B	F	T
V. Sommer, rf	4	0	8
Boecker, rf	0	0	0
Frericks, lf	5	0	10
Kittel, lf	0	0	0
Huebman, c	3	3	0
F. Sommer, rg	1	1	3
Brinkman, lg	1	0	2
Weaver, lg	1	0	2
Totals	15	4	34

Knoxville	B	F	T
Kitterlehenrich, rf	1	4	6
Stork, lf	1	1	3
Fiedlerjohn, lf	0	1	1
Opperman, c	3	0	6
Meekstroth, rg	0	0	0
Elshoff, lg	0	0	0
Totals	5	6	16

The game between the New Knoxville girls' team and the Minster girls' team did not turn out as satisfactorily from a Minster point of view as the one that was played by the varsity men, so that in so far as the honors for the two schools were concerned matters broke even. The score book will show that the Knoxville girls made twenty scores while the girls out of the Minster school had seven points to their credit.

A matter that is worthy of mention while the writer is trying to compile a story about this game relates to the manner of action of Miss Tebbe, the Minster center. This very clever girl athlete was responsible for every point that was chalked up for the home team, and if that isn't something to write home

about we don't know our onions. She made five foul shots and dropped the ball into the netting once from the floor.

The New Knoxville coach presented a very petite young lady by the name of Bluster who was mighty good in this Contest. She made twelve points, which was four more than her team needed to be credited with a triumph. She will be elected mayor of the village of New Knoxville just as soon as she has reached the eligible age.

Following is the score for this game:

Minster	B	F	T
Heil, rf	0	0	0
R. Westerheide, lf	0	0	0
Tebbe, c	1	5	7
Thieman, rg	0	0	0
Schmieder, lg	0	0	0
E. Westerheide, rg	0	0	0
Raterman, lf	0	0	0
Oldiges, rf	0	0	0
Totals	1	5	7

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Stienecker, rf	3	1	7
Stenecker, lf	4	4	12
Henschen, c	0	1	1
Heggenner, rg	0	0	0
Rodenheffer, rg	0	0	0
Kunck, lg	0	0	0
Totals	7	6	20

Minster Team Missed First Place During

County Classic By Only Four Scores And Because Of The Record

WILL PLAY AT SHAWNEE In The Sectional Series That Will Begin On Friday, March 5

The Minster high school basketball team stuck in the county tournament last week until the last game and the championship was lost by just four points. On Saturday night, when fans, players and those who accompanied them to Wapakoneta where the games were played, were on edge, so to speak, the team that represented the local school dropped a heart breaker to the team that was assembled out of the New Bremen team and thus the matter was settled.

The Minster team and the New Bremen team met in the finals after both aggregations had gone over the route without meeting defeat so that the big game of the classic forced into action young men from the western section of the county. Every other team in the county had been eliminated and thus the fans from other sections folded their arms, crossed their legs and looked on, ready to applaud good plays, but not particularly interested in the outcome of the game.

Couch Wagner placed the responsibility in this final game on the players who had proven their mettle during the winter season and he seemed to have an excellent opportunity to lead a squad to triumph. During the winter when high school basketball was at the height of its interest the New Bremen team and the Minster team engaged in two contests and each team had earned a victory. During these games a marked equality in strength was manifest, but Minster fans felt that this was to be their night, no matter if New Bremen had a field day.

But basketball is like every other game that American youth engages in, so that you can't be sure which contesting unit will win when there is an exhibition on. The summary shows that at the close of the contest the score stood New Bremen 24 and Minster 20 and the official score shows that it was anybody's game from the time when the whistle summoned the players into action until the cannon blew off.

The count at the close of the periods was: First Minster 8 and New Bremen 4; second Minster 12 and New Bremen 10; third Minster 16 and New Bremen 17.

The basketball expert who looked at this game with the eye of a newspaper reporter said the simple words: "This was a fast game." The boys did their tricks so quickly that he was not able to make a mental tabulation of every clever play, but he left the Wapak gym happy in the knowledge that he had got his money's worth while he watched two fine high school basketball teams play a fine game. It was fun when they were awed, with first one team in front and then the other team showing its heels and everybody in the hall was in the throes of excitement.

One thing, however, did not escape the watchful eye of this gentleman who said that "This was a fast game," and he feels that he could have observed this outstanding feature with his eyes shut. In this strain he complimented the playing of Clifford Frericks, one of the forwards on the Minster team and the high scorer for the whole tournament. During the final game he made three-fourths of the shots that were chalked up in favor of the Minster players and he was as slippery as an eel while he dashed around the players on the opposing team.

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starting on Thursday night when they made poor basket ball prophets out of about every fan in the county who knew how the several teams behaved during the winter. Because of the way the boys tipped the day and setting-back the Wapakoneta St. Joseph team on Friday, the Minster team was the favorite of the fans.

New Bremen was given the first scoring chance but failed to utilize it. Then Minster jumped to a quick lead early in the first quarter when Brinkman, stocky captain, sunk a beautiful field goal from the middle of the floor.

Three minutes of the quarter had elapsed before New Bremen could score, then it was a spare one point against the four point lead that Minster had. Two more field baskets doubled to the score for Minster while New Bremen managed to sink one field goal and another foul shot giving them a total of four points or half as much as their opponents.

Blind passing chances were attempted by Minster all the way through and interspersed with sloppy. The New Bremen boys made some fumbling maneuvers during the first period but started the scoring for New Bremen with a field goal followed by a two point basket made by Frericks for Minster. At the end Minster scored four points to six for New Bremen bringing the score 12 to 10 in favor of Minster at the half.

Starting out with three field goals the New Bremen team jumped to the lead early in the first time in the game early in the third quarter. The score stood 16 to 14. Minster called their first time-out. A foul was called on Sunderman, New Bremen, just after the timeout, but Huesmann, who took the shot, was unable to raise the Minster score. Frericks tied the score with a field basket just before the time keeper was prepared to shoot the gun, but a final foul was called on Minster and Park, Bremen forward, threw the ball through the hoop bringing the score 17 to 16. New Bremen leading, a split second before the gun was shot.

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two teams over a period of years. During the league contests this season, both teams were defeated by the other in one of the two clashes.

Clifford Frericks of Minster and F. Mauer of New Bremen, who both played in three games during the tournament, were high point men. Frericks scored 38 out of the total 77 points made by the Minster team in the three games, and Mauer scored 32 out of 83 points made by the New Bremen champions.

Foul Shooting Contest
Waynesfield and Buckland girls were tied in the contest. Betty Rapp of Buckland and Edna Dick of Waynesfield both shot 20 out of 25 fouls for the highest scores in the contest. R. Park of New Bremen was high scorer for the boys, shooting 19 out of 25.

Participants were Misses Betty Rapp, Buckland, who shot 20 out of 25 fouls; Edna Dick of Waynesfield, 20 out of 25; N. Tebbe of Minster, 10 out of 25; V. Curry of Cridersville, 7 out of 25; W. Ewing of New Hampshire, 15 out of 25; Pina Schnell of New Bremen, 14 out of 25; and Evelyn Kuck of New Knoxville, 18 out of 25. Average 14.85.

Boys representatives were: Herb Fry, Buckland, 10 out of 25; Bud Newland of Waynesfield 18 out of 25; C. Frericks of Minster, 13 out of 25; R. Burden of Cridersville, 11 out of 25; W. Barnes of New Hampshire, 15 out of 25; R. Park of New Bremen, 19 out of 25; W. Opperman of New Knoxville 16 out of 25; Bill Heim of Wapakoneta, 17 out of 25. Average 14.85.

MINSTER LOST IN CLASS B TOURNAMENT

The Minster high quintet, which proved to be the "dark horse" in the Class B county tournament held at Wapakoneta when they defeated the Cridersville champions, were beaten 33 to 32 by Dola at the sectional tournament in Shawnee Saturday night after one of the closest basketball games of the season.

Dola led Minster 14 to 4 at the first quarter and 23 to 17 by the end of the half. But during the second half of play the Minster boys came up to five points behind the Dola boys and tied the score twice in the final period. One more successful foul shot won the game for the Dola team.

Frericks of Minster was high point man of the game with 10 points. He was followed closely by Frederick of Dola, who scored 8 points.

Both the Augliaize county participants in the Shawnee Class B sectional have now been eliminated.

Other games played Saturday night and their scores were: Lima St. Rose 28, Delphos Jefferson, 23, Bluffton 48, Hoaglin-Jackson 24, Harrod 34, St. Gerhard 20.

During the last quarter F. Sommer went out by the foul route.

At the close of the game Frericks, Brinkman and Vernon Sommer retired as high school basketball ball players.

Following is the official score:
Minster, r. FG F PF T
Frericks, r. 4 2 4 10
Boecker, f. 2 0 1 4
V. Sommer, f. 2 1 1 5
F. Sommer, c. 0 0 4 0
Kittel, r. 0 0 0 0
Huesmann, r. 3 4 1 10
Brinkman, g. 1 1 2 3

Totals 12 8 13 32
Dola FG F PF T
Frederick, r. 4 0 4 8
Wysse, f. 2 2 3 8
Lenhart, c. 3 2 1 8
Wilson, r. 0 0 1 0
Tighe, r. 1 1 2 3
Ludwig, g. 0 1 4 1
Kraft, g. 3 1 2 7

Totals 13 7 17 33