

State Champions

is again the name we use in hailing our swimming team. Congratulations to all the boys on the team and Coach Richard Fetters for bringing this honor to Riley. This outstanding event will always stand out in our school memories as it certainly will for the swimmers.

Basketball Team

finished the season with a great showing in the tournament. Students and team alike caught the tournament enthusiasm in boosting Riley into Saturday's games. Congratulations to the team and coaches Charles Stewart and Lennie Rzeszewski. Three fine senior players have finished their basketball careers at Riley — Don Wintrode, Dennis Reinke, and John South.

All-City Music

organizations are presenting concerts at John Adams this week and next. Last night the All-City Senior High School Bands performed. Three Riley musicians, Barbara Morey, Bonnie Fettel, and Terry Fiedler, joined with cornetists from the other city schools to perform "Bugler's Holiday." The All-City Orchestra will play next Thursday at John Adams. See Mr. Kenneth Schultz for tickets.

Assemblies

next week are: March 13 — swimming awards, and March 14 — German Club.

Poster Contest

sponsored by the Jr. T. B. Board is getting started again. Any high school student is eligible to enter and compete for the cash prizes and/or a scholarship. Senior posters are entered in the state contest where they try for the scholarship offered by John Herron. Deadline for posters is Monday, March 11. Poster size 16" by 22"; theme: "Fight Tuberculosis."

Musicians Win Medals In State-wide Contest

by Michael Shapiro

Thirteen gold medals were awarded to Riley musicians in a recent assembly, as the result of their receiving Superior ratings in the 1957 Indiana Music Educators Association State Solo and Ensemble Auditions, which were held at Butler University, on February 23.

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Bendix Union Sponsors Trip To Indiana State Legislature

by Pat Rhodes

Members of sociology, economics, and civics classes recently had the opportunity to see our state legislative in action. This field trip was paid for by the Bendix Local Union No. 9. The bus left Riley at 6:30 a.m. on Thursday, February 21.

We stopped at Logansport where the Local No. 9 bought us doughnuts and milk. When we arrived at the State House in Indianapolis, we were met by Mr. Elmer Cass who is a lobbyist from the Bendix Local. He was very gracious in obtaining a permit for us to tour the State House, and later in taking us to lunch at a downtown restaurant.

Visit Governor's Office

We first went to the Secretary's office where a man from his office explained the duties of this office. We then went through the Governor's office. In the Supreme Court the duties of this branch of the Government was explained to us. The interior of the room was also explained to us. We were then shown a film entitled "The Legislative Process", which helped us to understand what was going on in the House and the Senate when we visited them in the afternoon.

After lunch we had about a half hour

of free time to do what we wanted to. We went to the Senate where we were introduced by Senator Marshall Kizer. After staying in the Senate for about 15 minutes, we went to the House of Representatives where Representative Otto Pozgay introduced us. We returned home around 7:00 p.m.

Students Make Trip

Students making the trip were: Judy Daniels, Jim Herczeg, Ed Galloway, Pat Roelke, Floyd Stewart, Phyllis Montgomery, Roger Wingett, Bert LaCross, Ideal Baldoni, Keith Farnsworth, Pat Goffeney, Diane Fitch, Roger Keller, and John Miller. Other government students were: Lauren Cutner, Shirley Koczan, Alex Sirko, Harold Smurr, Connie Koski, Kathryn Badgley, Sharon Acheson, Wayne Ballard, Jim Curtis, Richard Holderman, Theresa Losure, Mira Elliott, Jerry Alward, Dorothy Sailor, and Jim Thomas.

Also making the bus trip were: Ronald Kirkey, Sue Lewis, Mike O'Neil, Pat Eldridge, Phyllis Gosc, Bob Lee, Taru Liisa Vertanan, Pat Rhodes, Bernetta Brown, and Dorothy Kollar. Mr. Wilbur Campbell and Mr. Claude Wolf-ram accompanied the group.

Louis Cass, Gloria Welter, and Al Whitcomb Named Indiana National Merit Runners-up

Three seniors at Riley High School have been commended by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation for distinguished performance in its nationwide search for students of unusual ability, according to Principal John Byers.

The students honored are: Louis Cass, Gloria Welter, and Al Whitcomb.

They have been named Indiana state runners-up in the 1957 Merit Scholarship competition.

"The seniors honored today are among the top one or two per cent in ability in the state," according to John M. Stalnaker, President of NMSC. "While they did not quite reach the finals of the 1957 Merit Scholarship competition, their unusual promise deserves recognition.

As state runners-up, the local students will be sent letters of recommendation by NMSC for use in applying to the

Certificates Of Merit Given Honor Students In Assembly 3 Today

Honor students in the 11th and 12th grades will receive their certificates of merit in an assembly this morning. To be eligible for the certificate of merit a student must earn the highest grades in his home room for the last grading period.

Bob Stewart is student chairman for the assembly this morning. The advantages of scholarship will be explained by the speaker, Kay Carr.

Tom Butters presided over the awards assembly 1 last Wednesday. Ted Lean spoke to this group. The chairman for assembly 2 yesterday was Susan Clark. The scholarship speaker was Judith Horvath. See page three for assembly 1 and 2 award winners.

Students that will receive certificates this morning are Frank Korn, Kay Carr, Eleanor Coffman, Edward Scramberg, Dave Swihart, Diane Thornton, Florence Burroughs, Kathy Ramey, Ted Lean, Nancy Priddy, and Diane Fitch.

Hard work and study also paid off for Richard Holderman, Marcia Huffman, Bonnie Dye, Arnold Goldberg, Janet Bohs, Barbara Drake, Patricia Roelke, Diana Walters, Bonnie Bedwell, Phyllis Gosc, Judy Kouts, Charles Kachel, Geoffrey Newman, Frances Morris, Graydon Reinoehl, Douglas Schwepler, Lynda Frederick, and Judith Newhard.

colleges they wish to attend.

The National Merit Scholarship competition provides the largest system of privately financed scholarships offered in the United States. High schools may enter their most outstanding students in the annual competition. The first hurdle the students face is the "Scholarship Qualifying Test," a high level measurement of potential ability to benefit from a college education.

This year, over 162,000 outstanding seniors from 12,500 high schools entered, with 750 four-year college scholarships worth an estimated \$3.75 million at stake.

Top Salesmen Clarke, Szoke, Schwepler, Win Tourney Issue Prizes

Basketball with the annual tourney and accompanying Hi-Times annual tourney contest for those students who follow the winning teams and are statistically minded has come and gone for another year.

Salesmen are necessary to carry on this contest and as a reward for seeing that many students buy The Hi-Times each week, the top 15 salesmen for the first semester were selected to sell the tourney issue.

These salesmen hurried and hustled and came out in this order in sales and earned some prizes for their effort. Spencer Clarke for a second year sold the greatest number and won the radio furnished by Cliff Eldridge Appliance Company. Judy Szoke ran a close second and will eat well for awhile as she earned a food certificate given by the Stoner Drive-In. Douglas Schwepler also will be popular with those who like to eat since he, too, will get a food certificate by coming in on the third place spot. Douglas is Sales Manager and really let the others get a 'head' start before going out to try his luck. Anita Kirsits came in at the number four spot but does not receive any particular award.

Other salesmen in order were: Bobbie Nikoley, Marc Carmichael, Ron Krone-witter, Craig Barber, Neil Cossman, Sue Yoder, Lynn Yoder, Mary Solloway, Sue Goffeney,

Riley's Debate Team Embark on 1957 Schedule



Riley's debate squad, having competed in one meet already, have a busy schedule ahead of them. The debaters are under the direction of Mr. Max Barack.

In the first row, left to right are: Allan Singleton, Elliot Harry, Randy Brooks, Tim Pickering; 2nd row: Jerry Lerman, David Fitz, Steve Coffman; back row:

Neil Cossman, Ronald Fritz, Carl Morris, Barbara Buntman, Donna Dickey.

Photo by Staff Photographer John Willis

National Honor Society May Reappear Here

The Riley Student Council is working to revive at Riley a chapter of the National Honor Society. There was a chapter here many years ago and the same constitution can still be used. All that is needed now is action. Since the workings of the National Honor Society are strange to almost everyone here we are going to give you a thumbnail sketch of it.

From the society's handbook we learn "The National Honor Society, a national high-school organization, gives recognition to outstanding students on the basis of Scholarship, Leadership, Service, and Character. It encourages the exploration and development of these qualities in students."

To be eligible for membership a student must meet a minimum scholastic requirement. This might be the upper fourth of the class or a scholastic index of 85. A committee of faculty members and the principal then make the choice on the basis of the student's service, leadership, and character.

A number of sophomores, not to exceed 5% of the class, may be elected to probationary membership with the privilege of becoming full members when they are juniors. The number of students belonging from the junior class must not exceed 10% and the number from the senior class 15%. A person remains a member after he graduates.

The purpose of the group is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship. Such a society would have an effect on all of us. There are many questions that must be answered before a successful chapter can be put into operation. We all need to get the facts and form our own opinion about re-introducing the National Honor Society at Riley.

Seniors Look To Past;

by Lyn Rubens

In evaluating their four years at Riley and looking toward the future, some seniors have similar ideas.

When Sue Blackburn was asked what she would do differently if she suddenly was back in the 9th grade, she said, "I'd take completely different courses." Sue does not explain why and her next statement says she is continuing with the work she planned to do which is office work. Being on the football court was Sue's top event in high school.

Attention underclassmen! John Skiles passes on the advice "study more." Good idea, John because sometimes we learn this point too late. The event which stands out in John's mind is when we won the 1954 football conference title. After graduating John will join the Marines.

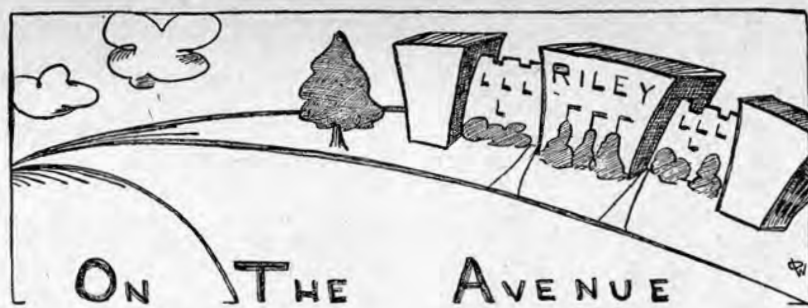
No! No! Emphasize Some

Jerry Priddy also wishes he had taken his education more seriously. Playing in the sectionals last year proved quite a thrill for him. Jerry will join the Navy soon. Good luck, Jerry.

"I wouldn't change a thing," says Janet Priddy. Here's one gal who knows how to plan for tomorrow. What's your secret, Janie? Being football Queen heads Janet's list of events. Janet wants to go to DePauw and major in journalism, a course that will keep her plenty busy.

Jerry and John aren't alone in their idea of more studying. Linda Holdren stressed keeping grades high all the time is important. We agree with Linda that the excitement about the various courts is fun. Linda is undecided about her future plans, perhaps college or perhaps some marriage plans.

Jim Ulrich would definitely add more business courses to his four-year high school plans if he had them to make again. When asked what event stood out in his mind, Jim was undecided. This must mean that Jim has really liked high school and all the events are important to him. His after-graduation plans call for college.



Reporter Gets Confused Over Rileyite's Names

by Sherry Barnes

Have you ever noticed some of the interesting names running around Riley? Some of them pair off just naturally — like Chuck Baker and Mr. Koch or Clara Mae Bell and Mr. Horn. (Toot!! Toot!!) Let's try changing a few and see how they turn out, okay? With a few little changes Dale Applegate could suddenly turn into Dale Pumpkinpost!

As we go along the hall, instead of meeting Kathy Branchflower we might meet Kathy Trunkbud and with her is Oma Miles, not Oma Acres. Now that we've reached our class, let's change Mrs. Rhodes to Mrs. Superhighway (zoom). There are some other teachers we can change — how about Miss Stainless Steele or Mr. Spider Webb?

Keith Barber ought to be Keith Scalp-um with his able-bodied assistant, Jim Bone. Across the room are Kay Million and Judy Moore, let's reduce them to Kay Ten-and-a-half and Judy Less.

Out in the hall again we suddenly meet Molly Pontiac, who is known to all of us as Molly Nash, and with her is Kay Carr, naturally. Coming along right behind is Frank Korn-ball (not really, Frank).

Here are two people who should get together — Ed Stump and Jean Long!

We ought to change Richard Holderman's name to Richard Letergo just for the sake of that poor girl he's been holding for so long!

Standing down by the lockers are Geoffrey Newman and Bill McCracken trying to decide how they like their new monickers. How do you like Geoffrey Elderlylady and Bill McAlready-cracked? (No hard feelings I hope, boys!)

Last but not least we have poor Janet Priddy with a big problem. Her name was changed to Janet Ugly! (But we're only kidding, Janet!)

Well, let's change them all back and hope everybody's happy. But if there is someone who isn't, I'll be glad to change theirs back again.

Hi Rileyites

The first thing we want to do is congratulate Coach Stewart's basketball team, and the cheerleaders on the fine job they did for Riley in the tourney. Also a late congratulation to the basketball queen, and her court: Queen Alice Torok escorted by Gary Elliot, Sandy Sullivan escorted by Frank Kopecki, Pat Nelson escorted by Mike O'Neil, Francie Morris escorted by Jan Sobierski, Sally Simons escorted by Ron Spychalski, Audrey Burger escorted by Eugene Zimmer, and Janet Bohs escorted by Chuck Baker.

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A pen, a letter of congratulations from Betty Crocker, and a satisfied feeling will be a lasting memory to Pat Rhodes. Pat, along with 45 other girls took the Betty Crocker test on December 4, in search of the Homemaker of Tomorrow. The 50 test questions were about general homemaking, beginning before marriage and continuing until you have established a home. From each high school is a winner and her test paper is sent to Indianapolis to compete in the state final. A \$1500 scholarship is first prize. Second prize is a \$500 scholarship and third prize is a \$400 trip to New York where a national prize is \$5000.

OTA

A few steadies are Judy Nafe and Ronnie Hamilton (Purdue), Sharon Baird and Roger Overmeyer (Western Mich.), Kay Lee and Dennis Jones (Adams Alum.), Eden Hoy and Rita Nafady, Marilyn Truesdell and Butch Johnson, Carol Shadiker and Bill La-Blanc, Carol Brewer and Dickie Zimmerman, Dort Rogers and Bob Weisner, Jo Jackson and Bob Daniels, Gloria Hamilton and Dick Jennings, Becky Newberg and Merle Grosvenor.

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That's all this week.

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Riley Swimming Champs Informs Reporters About Meet, Pet Peeve, Records, and Girls!

by Bonnie and Bev

Swimming team co-captain, Tony Sisti, can be found reading science fiction books and eating ham sandwiches with hot peppers. Tony's after-graduation plans are indefinite but he would like to go into tool and die work. Among Toni's desires is to own a Volkswagon and take someone riding!

The other co-captain of our champion swimming team is Terry Beyer. Terry would like to go to Florida State College after graduation. Terry can be found listening to "Young Love" and eating a rare steak. His pet peeve seems to be the drivers of today!

"You ain't got too many smarts," is Bill Bloom's favorite saying. Bill enjoys watching Steve Allen and Red Skeleton on T.V. His college plans are indefinite. Bill's top tunes are headed by "Butterfly" and "Too Much." Bill is a fellow pizza lover.

Denny Floden, senior, is planning on college after high school. Denny's pet peeve is jokers getting in his way while swimming! "I'm Walkin'" is his favorite disc and pizza his favorite dish. Denny seems to have a hobby of collecting towels from everywhere he goes! (shame on you!)

"Uncle" John (mmm what an uncle) MacDonald's favorite food is filet mignon. At the present time John is reading *Man and His Gods* by Homer Smith and he is making a study of Shakespeare.

Keeping up with the unwritten tradition of the swimming team, he watches Wyatt Earp and Navy Log.

Junior, John Odusch, would like to go to Michigan State College after he graduates from Riley. Dave Gunn is John's pet peeve because he's always telling him his girl problems! John is very active in sports like baseball, cross-country and of course swimming. "I'm Walkin'" rates high on his record list and he likes anything in food (especially carrots while watching Pop-eye Theater).

Dave Fritz, a senior, is going to Purdue after he graduates. Dave's top tune is "My Little Darling." He enjoys sitting down to some nice pizza and here's one guy that's easy to get along with, he doesn't have any pet peeves! Dave is also in cross-country and track.

Tom "Speedy" Bloom would like to go into tool and die work or maybe service after graduation from Riley. Tom's pet peeve is Dave Fritz, (we thought Dave was easy to get along with so we don't know what Tom has against him). On his disc list "I'm Walkin'" seems to be first and he likes just about anything in food. One of his favorites is pie, (take note of this gals!) Tom spends his spare time swimming, weight lifting and he thinks (well, since the typist does not know what this means, we won't print this).

Tom Carmichael just didn't believe it when they won the trophy. The top

tunes on Tom's list are "Marianne" and "The Banana Boat Song." He works at the YMCA after school. In his spare time Tom can be found eating cheese pizza and watching T.V.

Dave Richards would like to take up chemistry at Purdue after graduation. In the food department he likes rare steaks (how rare, we didn't determine, girls) and again that old favorite, pizza. Dave likes Elvis's "Too Much" but does not like Elvis's looks. Dave prefers T.V. to books and his favorite program is Twenty-One. Along with the rest of the swimming team Dave is "girl-less" at the present time.

Bennie Goodman's L. P. (long playing) rates high on John Buchanan's music hits. John would like to get a swimming scholarship at Purdue. Steve Allen, Wyatt, and Red Skeleton are his favorite T.V. programs. Rare steak is on John's most liked food list. John told me they were pulling hard to get their Riley jackets (we trust the right ones read this article).

The Hi-Times staff joins the Riley student body in congratulating the entire Swimming Squad and the coach, Dick Fetters, for the fine season and for 'bringing home' the bacon in the form of the beautiful trophy being displayed in the new trophy case.

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by Lyn Porter

"Sideline Basketball" has been the game recently played by the girls' gym classes. This type of girls' basketball makes it possible for all the class to participate in the game at once. Although it may sound confusing, in this case it is "easier done than said."

Forming Teams

The squads are combined and equally divided to form two teams. From three to five girls from each team play in the center and the rest of the team form a line along the sides. (width of gym).

Procedure and Scoring

The duty of the players is as in regular basketball, to score. But the main difference is that the players can not pass the ball to each other and are individually allowed only two dribbles each time he has possession of the ball.

If the player is not close enough to the basket to attempt to score, he must throw the ball to his team's sideline in order for them to pass it down the line to get it nearer to their basket. It is then thrown back to one of the players for him to score.

Student Librarians Receive Awards For Outstanding Service

Recently, awards were given by the Riley Library to fine student Librarians for outstanding service on the staff. Dorothy Sailor, a senior, was awarded a sterling silver pin for library service equivalent to twelve semesters. Dorothy joined the staff in 1951 and has already earned her gold pin.

Janet Horrick, Donna Jean Mast, Judy Butcher and Ben Cashman received gold pins for their outstanding service in the Riley Library staff. Janet, now an 11A joined the staff while she was in 9A. Donna Jean, was head librarian at Centre Township, before coming to Riley and joined the staff in 9B. She is now in 10A.

Judy Butcher is head of the magazine and book repair departments and is now a junior B. She joined the staff during her freshman year. Ben Cashman joined the staff in the 7th grade and is now in 9B.

The Library Club has also elected officers to nine positions. They are: President, Janet Herrick; Vice-President, Judy Butcher; Secretary, Betsy Werick; Assistant Secretary, Lynne Warren; Treasurer, Lois Pollock; Assistant Treasurer, Pat Pollock; Sergeant-at-Arms, Fred Boyer; Assistant, Terry Frantz; Social Chairmen, Ben Cashman, Donna Whiting, Donna Jean Mast, Fred Boyer, Bill Kruggle.

Student Council Starts

by Karen Reid

This week there is not too much information to give you but I do have a little to tell you. For instance the French club is making plans for their trip to Chicago. And the Student Council is working on a Safety Week for our school.

FRENCH CLUB

On February 21, the French Club met at the home of Lynda Rubens. They made a few of the arrangements for their annual trip to Chicago. I will have more on that for you at later date. Lynda Rubens then showed the slides that were taken in Europe.

STUDENT COUNCIL

"The Safety Around School" is the

Wayne Engle Selected Head Of Co-Op Club

Mr. Andrew Parker, co-ordinator at Central High School, is offering a special vocation program to juniors and seniors. If you have passed all required subjects you are eligible. This program guides students who have made plans as to what field they would like to enter. Then the student can earn, work, study, and learn with his employer.

Last month the Co-op Club held its election. The following third hour students were chosen to head their class: President: Wayne Engle, Riley Apprentice Embalmer; Vice President: John Jones, Washington Apprentice Machinist; and Secretary: Charlotte Rakowski, Washington Dental Assistant.

Riley has six students in this plan. They are Wayne Engle, Tony Sisti, Gene Smith, Joe Stachowski, Ruby McCrackin, and Earl Hedman.

For more information see your Counselor.

Semester Averages Determine Room Awards; Students Achieve Bronze, Silver and Gold Pins

Students in the 7B grades through 9B grades received annual Certificates of Merit awards based on the final grades for the first semester in assembly last Wednesday. The 9A's through 10A's received Certificates of Merit awards yesterday in the assembly.

The Certificate of Merit is given to the student having the highest grade point average for the semester based on

his solid subjects. Six credits will be the maximum number for computation. Band, Orchestra, Glee Club are considered solid subjects. More than one Certificate of Merit may be awarded if the averages are close or an injustice would be done by awarding only one since a student carrying the music subjects would always rule out other students.

Certificate of Merit—Assembly 1

Linda Chapman, Charles Hickok, Charles Hohman, Kathleen Hojnacki, Kathleen Behrenbruch, Kathy Krider, Sara Leopold, Beverly Stoll, Linda Sweitzer, Sandra Tansey, Allan Molnar, Ann Richards, Barbara Brooks, Carolyn Czenar, Nela Peterson, James Hamilton, John Shupp, Patrick Ryan, Mike Turnock, Phillip Renner, Susan Sweitzer, Richard Puterbaugh, Linda Ray, Nancy Morris, Christine Olson, Phyllis Mikel, James Burke, Carolyn Hauptert.

Scholarship Pins

Silver Pins: Linda Chapman, Kathleen Behrenbruch, Charlotte Downey, Connie Richards, Gordon Tolle; Bronze: Charles Shultz, Judy Postle, Mary Anderson, James Hamilton, Joyce Martindale, Lois Baldwin, James Burke, Barbara Hahn, Carolyn Hauptert, Barbara Kenady, Karen Mellquist.

Certificate of Merit—Assembly 2

Randy Brooks, Neil Cossman, Sara Anson, Judith Horvath, Kenny Barnes, Leon Copeland, Peggy Dueringer, Diana Shinbeckler, Martha Roose, Michael Shapiro, Edith Coles, Allan Singleton, Evelyn Skaret, Janice Weiss, Tom Harvey, Joyce Kopecki, Carol Lorinez, Jerry Nuremberg, Mary Hail, Fredrick Julian, Leila Kirkley, Jerry Lerman, Rita Moore, Tim Pickering, Paul Clark, James Stebbins, Sarah Yoder, Eugene Williams, Phyllis Pletcher, Marjorie Parks.

Scholarship Pins

Gold Pins: Pat Erler, Marilyn Fritz, Joyce Kopecki, James Stebbins; Bronze Pin: Jerry Nuremberg.

Kittens Defeat Madison In Initial Tourney Clash

by Bob Lerman

After compiling a mediocre 9-9 record, for this season, Riley's Kittens faced the Jr. High tournament. In the first round last Friday the Kittens met Madison at Perley's gym. Riley won easily by a score of 49 to 27. The Kittens took an early lead and increased their margin to rout their foe. In whipping Madison, Riley used their height, their speed, and although facing a weaker opponent, made a good showing. In the second round, Riley faced the favored Central quintet who beat the City Champs, Jefferson in a 1st round victory. The Kittens' record could have a much more complimentary one if they had not gone into a 7 game losing streak midway in the season.

Final score: Riley 31, Central 33.

School Safety Work

latest project that the Student Council is working on. This plan takes into consideration the running in halls and going up the down stairs to the traffic outside of school after school at 3:15. They are working on this project now and they hope to put it in force sometime in the future. When this is done I am sure that it will be a great help to the school and students.

At this time I would like to thank all of you kids who are helping me out in getting this column together every week. There are a few clubs, however, that have not handed anything in to me. If you would like to have your club mentioned in this column you will have to cooperate with me a little more. I would really appreciate your sending all the information that you have to me. Just take notes at the meetings about the activities, whether it's a dance, a trip, or what have you. Thanks again.

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Wildcat Swimmers Again Win State Swimming Championship

Lakeville Defeats Riley; Riley Wins Conference; Cats Beat County Foes; Horace Mann Second; Central Cops Sectional Four Records Broken

by Dave Lerman

Along with 675 other Indiana high school basketball teams, last week, Riley ended their 1956-57 season in a losing fashion. After defeating New Carlisle and Washington-Clay to get into Saturday's competition, the Wildcats fell to a strong Lakeville team.

Facing the third best team in the county in New Carlisle, the Wildcats combined accuracy at the free throw line with a balanced scoring attack to defeat the Tigers 57 to 42. High for Riley was Dan Barnes with 13 points. Wintrobe, Poholski, and South all hit in double figures to aid the cause.

Washington-Clay, who beat Greene to gain the honor of being the last team to be defeated by this year's squad, went down fighting, 65 to 48. Clay, supposedly the weakest team in the tourney, surprised many with their play while defeating Greene and in their loss to Riley. Again Barnes led the scoring with 19. Reinke was second high with 16.

Their greatest mistake was showing up last Saturday. That's the only way to describe the outcome for Riley. Outside the sun was shining, the sky was blue and clear. It appeared as though spring was here. But inside things were mighty dismal. Lakeville's ball handling and shooting were great. They could do no wrong, while the Wildcats tried desperately to solve the Trojan's zone defense. It wasn't that they were not trying, but it just was an off day for the Wildcats. After the remains were gathered together, it was determined the final score was 65 to 48 with Riley on the short end, and Barnes again leading the scoring for Riley with 19 points.

Thus, another season of basketball at Riley goes into the record books. It was a rather dismal season in the overall analysis, and yet there were some bright spots. There were times when the Wildcats left much to be desired and there were times when their play made their fans proud. It was only too bad that there were more times like the former than the latter.

by Denny Floden

One week before the state meet, Riley's swimmers captured their second consecutive N.I.H.S.C. meet at the local Natatorium.

The boys looked a lot better polished than they did the week before when they placed second in the city meet. Two regulars, John Odusch and John Buchanan, returned to the lineup, but Dave Richards was still missing. Central was minus four of their boys this week.

Seven of the nine events were taken by Riley and records were established in four of them. John Buchanan posted a new 100 yd. butterfly mark with a time of 1:04.9 breaking the old mark of 1:07 set by Martin of Hammond in 1952. Tom Bloom lowered the 200 yd. freestyle record of 2:05.3 with a time of 2:04.1. In the 100 yd. backstroke, Denny Floden smashed his record of 1:05.7, set a year ago, with a time of 1:02.0. The fourth record was established by Riley's freestyle relay team of Tom Bloom, John MacDonald, John Odusch, and Denny Floden, when they broke the mark of 1:20.0 set 20 years ago by East Chicago Washington with a time of 1:17.8. This was the meets' oldest record. Riley now holds six of the nine records.

John Odusch, after making a spectacular recovery from pneumonia, came back Saturday to win first place in the 40 yd. freestyle. John did not compete in the Individual Medley which Adams' Olander won and John's record in that event still stands. Co-captain Terry Beyer won the 100 yd. freestyle and the medley relay team of Dave Hail, John Buchanan, Tony Sisti, and Terry Beyer took first also. The record for the medley relay set by Riley last year still stands.

Top Tourney Prizes Go To Stroup, Kinyon

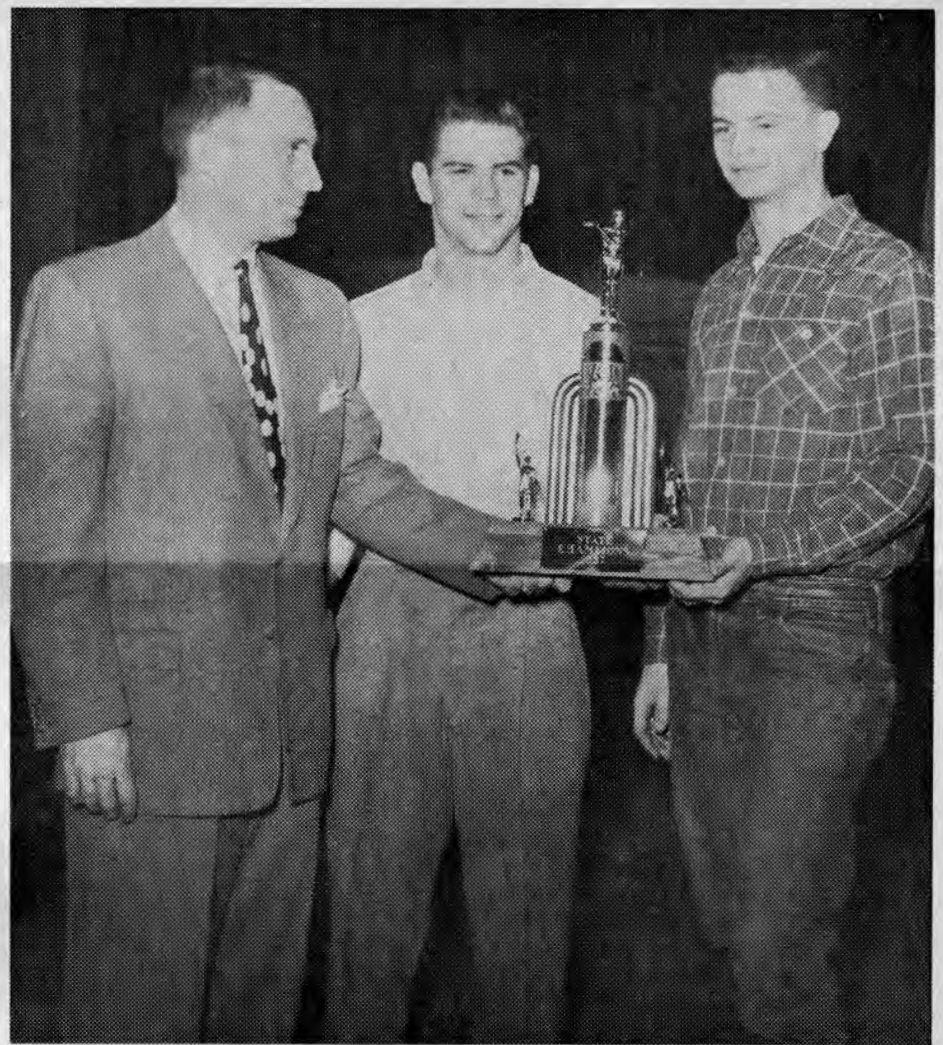
Attracted by the largest amount of cash prizes since the annual Hi-Times tourney contest began, 900 entries flooded the contest entry boxes last week.

First prize winner is Darrell Stroup of home room 306. He'll get his choice of a pair of cordovan shoes or a radio. Second prize winner is Jerry Kinyon of home room 308. He'll receive whatever the first prize winner does not choose.

The winner of the Thursday contest, that is with the upper bracket scores known is Terry Fiedler. He'll receive a \$2.50 food certificate. Bruce Sullivan won the Friday contest, that is with all the scores known but Saturday's, he will also receive a \$2.50 food certificate.

The only entry to get all the predictions right before the entire contest started was Eddie Sclamberg. However he did not enter the Thursday and Friday contests and was therefore ruled out of competition.

Jerry Kinyon, second prize winner, also was a winner in last year's contest. To the losers our consolation, to the winners our congratulations and more important than that, our prizes!



Swimming coach Richard Feters and co-captains Tony Sisti and Terry Beyer gaze with admiration at the trophy that is symbolic of their winning the State

Championship in swimming. This is the second year in a row the team has won the State Crown. A beautiful addition to Riley's trophy case!

Photograph by John Willis

Wildcats Post Five Records In Barely Edging Columbus

Riley's '56 State Champs became Indiana's 1957 State Champion Swimmers last Saturday in the Purdue University pool.

The Wildcat swimmers captured five first places, setting a record in each, and two seconds. In the 100 yd. Breaststroke, Freshman John Buchanan set a new state record with a time of 1:05.0. Tom Bloom, Riley's 200 yd. Freestyle expert, was tied for second with Hugh Smith of Gary in his specialty. Denny Floden, last year's State Champion, repeated again this year in his specialty, in the 100 yd. Backstroke, and posted a new state record with a time of 1:02.6. In the 100 yd. Freestyle, co-captain Terry Beyer, was touched out by Steve Pardieck of Columbus. Co-captain Tony Sisti cut his leg during the qualifications for the diving, thus eliminating him from the remainder of the meet. After the diving, in which Columbus captured first and second, Riley trailed by 17 points. John Odusch whacked four points off Columbus' lead when he came through with a first in the 150 yd. Individual Medley in 1:41.4, which set a new state record. Riley's deficit was cut

to nine points when the Medley Relay, Dave Hail, Dave Richards, John Buchanan, and Terry Beyer, set a new state record of 1:55.7 in taking first place. In the final race of the meet, the 220 yd. Freestyle Relay, a team of Tom Bloom, John McDonald, and Denny Floden took a record setting first with a time of 1:39.8 while Columbus finished sixth enabling Riley to gain 12 points and win the 1957 State Championship by 3 points.

This meet closed the 1956-57 swimming season giving the Wildcats a record of 14 wins and two losses. The Cats' won 12 of 13 dual meets, lost the city championship, but bounced back to win the N. I. Conference and the Indiana State Championships. New school records were established in every event except the diving. A considerable increase was evident in the number of fans attending the meets. The swimmers wish to extend their thanks for the support given them this year and especially to the fabulous cheering accomplished at the State Meet.

Results of State Meet: Riley 58½, Columbus 53½, Central 25, and Adams 23½.

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