CHAMPIONSHIP OF FRANCE - - "The Linnetts" of Saint-Maur defeat Strasbourg in hotly contested basket-ball final in Paris.

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The game of basket-ball which is sweeping a popular wave over Europe, provides a thrilling final between "The Linnetts" of Saint-Maur and Strasbourg-

--in the French Championship. Slow motion shots reveal the movements of the game and its tactics. Between well-matched teams, the contests are strenuous--

--and fierce - - here's a score coming ! Well done, black--

--shorts ! - - that's one up to the Linnetts. It's not only a--

-- girls game. American male basket-ball professionals say it's the next fastest--

-- game to; ice-Mockey. The ball is larger--

-and heavier than a football - - careful with your feet, there ! - - And to secre--

----it must bounce off the board into the basket underneath. For style, the Parisian Linnetts don't show up well, but they manage to carry off the victory 28 points to 24, and win the championship.