

"MISS ST. LOUIS FOR 1937"

Wauneta Bates Chosen for National Bathing Beauty Contest.

Miss Wauneta Bates, 5463 Maple avenue, was the winner of a bathing beauty contest last night at the Showboat Ballroom, 4460 Delmar boulevard, in which 13 other girls participated. She won the title of "Miss St. Louis for 1937" and the right to represent this city in the national contest at Atlantic City next week.

Miss Bates, 17 years old, will leave Friday for the Atlantic City contest. She resides with her mother, Mrs. Metha Bates, and has appeared as a chorus girl in small town productions. She also has won two neighborhood beauty contests.



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