Sports of the Week

Washington College Ready To End Season In Blaze Of Victory—Loyola Goes Down With A Bang Before Washington—Other Sporting Notes

Washington College, supreme on all basketball floors in the state and elsewhere this year, will wind up its season, the most successful in its athletic history, tonight, Saturday, March 6th., when Western Maryland College, which sometime ago gave Washington College perhaps the hardest fight of the year, will be the opponents of the great five-man wonder team. This game is expected to be another victory for Washington, a fitting blaze of glory to a season on the floor that will go down as a record for any team that we know of anywhere in amateur athletics in this part of the country. A crowd that will come close to a thousand will watch these ten gladiators as they struggle for supremacy to-night and to pay fitting tribute to Washington's successful and supreme aggregation. A victory, confidently predicted, will make 20 straight wins for Washington, without a single defeat.

While Princeton is claiming the basketball championship of the East, we would like to say here that Washington College has about as good a claim as any team we know of. Washington, no doubt, has not played the schedule as has Princeton, but, nevertheless, its record has been better with the schedule played. And we doubt if Princeton has defeated four better teams than Navy, Duquesne, Loyola and Mt. St. Mary's. A game between Princeton and Washington College would draw a crowd that would extend from College Hill to Mt. Vernon Place.

With practically all the basket ball fraternity of Chestertown and Kent county looking on, Washington smashed the brilliant Loyola basket ball machine to pieces with demoniac fury on Saturday night and then, with the confidence which is the heir of unparaleled victory and power,calmly surveyed the fearful havoc they had wrought. The game was played at the One Hundred and Fourth Medical Regiment Armory, Baltimore, before a large and colorful crowd, and the defeat was the second administered to Loyola this season, the first being on the local floor by the narrow margin of two points.

Washington was pointed for this game, because of the fact that Loyola had been their most serious contendor of the year, and went into the contest keyed to the highest point for an overwhelming effort to smother their rivals.

In spite of this Washington was somewhat slow getting started, and Loyola took the lead at the outset, which they held for several minutes. This they were unable to maintain and after about five minutes had been played Washington had tied the count and were getting ready to administer the beating to Loyola which was bound to come sooner or later. Loyola made a desperate attempt to stem the tide which began to set in steadily against them, but their efforts were useless, which beat against the defense of Washington like the waves of some sea fall back before some gigantic pier set out by man to hold in check the forces of nature.

Then Washington went into the lead, speeding to limits that only they seem capable of, and before ten minutes had elapsed Loyola was beaten and everyone realized it. At half time Washington was leading by the lop-sided margin of 22 to 11. Washington was playing a game that would have been hard to beat by any team playing the game of basketball.

W. C. 's lead was cut down somewhat soon after the second half began, but they again began to show the great skill they hold in reserve for critical moments, and again widened the gap between themselves and their struggling opponents. As the game progressed toward the end, with the local rooters almost wild with joy, Washington held the master hand with ease, and the game ended with Washington having 37 points to their credit and Loyola 21.

The work of Carroll was perhaps the outstanding figure of the game. Tearing for the basket he left a number of Loyola players on the floor in his wake continually. They were unable to stop him and he scored a total of 19 points for his team. He was fed the ball continually and was always dangerous and deadly in his aim. His team mates were almost as efficient as was himself and Dumschott scored a total of eight points, while Fiore caged the ball twice and McGran and Bankert also got one each, while the guards threw ot a cordon of defense that extended at times past the center of the floor. The work of the entire team was of a high order and they were almost always masters of the situation as it developed from stage to stage.

Loyola, unable to get close to the basket, was compelled to make its efforts to score from near the center of the floor, which at first successful, could not match the efficient passing and bewildering marksmanship of Washington's State Championship Team. The game was interesting. hard fought, well playeed. Th best team won somewhat easily.

Washington chalked up its nineteenth straight victory of the season on Wednesday night, before a large crowd of fans, at Washington College, over St. Joseph's College, of Philadelphia, the score being 41-17. At no time did the visitors have a look-in, although they had a fast, aggressive aggregation. Washington was in rare form and seemed to be able to make about as many as they pleased.

Washington jumped into the lead at the outset and scored 11 points during the first ten minutes play without the visitors being able to score at all. Then they eased up somewhat, and the visitors scored six points, the half ending with Washington leading 18-6.

St Joseph's made a spurt in the beginning of the second half and shortened the gap between the two teams somewhat, but Washington, who seemed to be able to score whenever a score was wanted, forged well into the lead again and held it until the game was concluded, ever widening the gap.

The star of the game was undoubtedly Fiore, who is one of the most opportune players on the team. He made 16 points, while Dumschott and Carroll each scored 11. Fiore has a way of coming across just at the right time with a well-delivered shot and he is almost unerring in his marksmanship.

The whole team worked like a well-devised piece of machinery on the defense and on the attack, while McGran, always a tower of strength offensively and defensely, played one of the best games of his basketball career.

The Eastern Shore Baseball League will open its season on May 27 at Dover and Cambridge.

We want to pause here long enough to pay just tribute to the out-standing ability of Coach Kibler as a basketball instructor. With scant material for the past twelve years he has built basketball teams that can cope, year after year, successfully, with the very best college teams in the country, regardless of the fact that he has but one-tenth to one-twentieth of the number of students to draw athletes from as do the teams which he competes with. There can be but one answer to this, and that is found in the real, honest-to-goodness ability of the man who is steering the athletics at the institution.

James Chapman, Jr., of the Chestertown High School team, is one of the outstanding basketball players that the High School has produced in years. On all occassions he is a real scoring ace and puts his team in the running against all contenders. A few years more training and young Chapman, who plays like Carroll in many respects, will develop into a basketball player that will take rank with most of them.

In the preliminary game at Washington College on Wednesday night the High School team, which is one of the best the school ever had, defeated the College Juniors 21-17. Washington led at the start, but the High School overtook them and maintained the lead ever afterward. The first half ended 12-9. Joe Russell, a real star and a fellow who puts real fight into his game, was off in his shooting, but was there in leadership and carried his team along well. James Chapman led in scoring and starred on the floor, making nearly all the points for his team.

HOG CHOLERA RECORD

Summary Of the Outbreaks Of Hog Cholera In Maryland During .. February, 1925

The disease was reported to exist on 20 farms during the month, against 30 for the same period one year ago. 13 of these outbreaks were classed as primary and 7 as secondary. 9 occurred on farms where hogs are bred and raised, while 11 were of the backyard type.

Baltimore County showed what a little pep could do, and topped the list with 6 outbreaks. Calvert, Montgomery and Wicomico were tied for second place with 3 each. Somerset was all alone in third place with 2 outbreaks, while Allegany, Carroll and Queen Anne pulled up in the rear with 1 each.

Of the primary outbreaks 9 were apparently due to infected pork in garbage, table scraps or kitchen swill 3 were the result of purchase of new stock, while in 1 case no history could be obtained on which to base the source of infection. All of the 7 secondary outbreaks were due to the movement of hogs from farm to farm or permitting such animals to run at large.

Calvert county reported more outbreaks during the month than for the last years.

Delay in reporting sickness among swine was forcibly illustrated by the month. In 18 of the 20 outbreaks of cholera which came to the attention of the authorities the hogs had been sick from two weeks to two months and in six of the cases the hogs were all dead before the report was made.

A hurry-up call was received which necessitated a 70 mile drive through mud and slush. The farmer's welcome was "Gosh, Doc., I am glad you came, because I have begun to get a little woried about these hogs." Here is what we found that made the case so urgent. Last fall this farmer had 7 hogs. About the middle of Sept. they began to sicken and within a few weeks all were ill. 5 have died and the 2 remaining were nothing but skin and bones. Some people become alarmed so easily.

A certain party permitted his hogs to frequent a nearby garbage dump. In the course of time they showed signs of illness and the diagnosis, made by the owner, was paint-poisoning. However, he at once developed an intense desire to sell the shotes that were yet apparently well and disposed of them to three neighbors, but carefully concealed the fact that some of his hogs were sick. Result—4 cases of hog cholera instead of one in that locality. and 3 trusting individuals have had their faith in human nature badly shaken.

A certain party was employed in a small slaughter house from which he hauled offal to feed his hogs. We will let you guess what happened, but because of his hard luck this fellow has about decided to quit the hog business.

While a farmer was loading several hogs for delivery to a slaughter house, two small shotes ran into the truck and accompanied their illfated brethren on the trip. After a careful survey of the holding pens at the abattoir they were again driven into the truck and hauled home. However, they took something back with them be sides pleasant memories of a delightful ride.

The Century Theatre

An astonishing and history-making film is promished in "So This Is Marriage." Hobart Henley's production for Metro-Goldwyn, which will be shown at the Century Theatre, Baltimore, during the week beginning Monday, March 9. It is not only a shrewd study of married life as lived today, but it also shows that similar conditions confronted young couples in the time of the ancients. A marvelously beautiful interlude is used to illustrate that part of the story, dealing with the old Biblical tale of King David and Bath-Sheba. That part is photographed in natural colors. The cast includes: Elanor Bordman, Conrad Nagel, Lew Cody, Clyde Cook, Warner Oland, Mabel Julienne Scott, Edward Connelly, John Boles and Miss DuPont. The story is by Carey Wilson.

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