

SPORTS

Pentagon Wins 35 to 22 Victory Over Muhlenberg

Carroll And Dumschott See Game From Sidelines

Giratis And Jacobs Stellar Performers For Washington

With its two aces, Carroll and Dumschott, occupying prominent positions on the sidelines the Washington College Flying Pentagons easily turned back the invading five from Muhlenberg College last Saturday evening. The score of the contest was 35 to 22. At no time was the "Pentagon" forced to relinquish the lead they assumed soon after the opening whistle.

Giratis, the Freshman flash from Hartford, Conn., led the Washington sharpshooters in their onslaught on the baskets with a total of 13 points.

The work of Jacobs at guard, however, deserves the spotlight as far as Washington playing is concerned. The big blonde youth from New Jersey, who worked and fought his way from the third to the first squad in two weeks, played a whale of a defensive game for the "Kibbies." At getting the ball off the backboard Jacobs topped any performance on the local floor this season. The two forwards who opposed Jacobs were able to gather just one two-pointer between them, and this one came near the close of the game and was caged from near the center of the floor.

Carrington, who filled in for Carroll, also played well. Though only credited with four points, he should have had at least ten. Tough luck seemed the lot of the younger Carrington last Saturday evening. Time after time he sank shots only to have them to aloop and fall on the outside of the basket.

Cavanaugh, who acted as Captain shot three baskets and each at a time when it was needed most.

The Washington five with one Junior, three Sophomores and one Freshman, gave the local fans a line on the 1928 "Flying Pentagon" combination. The second five, which played the last few minutes, was composed of two Sophomores and three Freshmen. From this it would seem that Coach Kibler is well supplied with court material for the next couple of years.

Due to an automobile smash-up in which he and his wife were injured Referee Johnny Ogden was unable to arrive for the game. Coach Brown who was a basketball star at Butler University substituted and worked a fine game.

Muhlenberg, on Friday night, played a disputed game with Swarthmore. The winner of the contest has not been decided. With Muhlenberg leading 31 to 30, Swarthmore shot a basket just as the whistle sounded ending the game. If the ball was in the air before the whistle, Swarthmore won; if not, Muhlenberg was victorious. Therein lies the dispute.

Lineup and summary:
Washington (35)

	G	F	T
Carrington, F	1	2	4
Giratis, F	6	1	13
Seib, C	3	1	7
Jacobs, G	1	1	3
Cavanaugh, G	3	0	6
Lindenburg, G	1	0	2
Totals	15	5	35

Muhlenberg (22)

	G	F	T
Lawson, F	1	2	4
Flemmer, F	0	0	0
Colbres, F	1	0	2
Zlyser, G	1	0	2
Schlum, C	0	1	1
Chapman, C	1	1	3
Borrell, G	0	0	0
Deskez, G	1	3	5
Totals	7	8	22

Score by halves:
Washington 15 20-35
Muhlenberg 10 12-22
Referee—Brown, of Butler.

Smith went every night to a pool room to play for ten cents a point. One night Mrs. Smith was awakened by loud and persistent knocking at her door. Putting her head out the window she asked: "Who is it? What do you want?"

"Does Mrs. Smith live here?" asked the man on the step.

"I am Mrs. Smith," she replied.

"Well," Mr. Kelley from the pool room up the street. Your husband shoots pool there every evening."

"Yes, I know that."

"He was shooting tonight and lost \$1,500."

"My husband lost \$1,500 shooting pool? He ought to drop dead."

"That's just what he did, Madam. Good night."

New Drug Clerk: "What is in this bottle?"

Druggist: "Save that—we use it when we can't read the prescriptions."

UP
AND
DOWN
ON
THE
FLOOR



Jacobs Does Alger Stunt

Jacobs, the big blonde who played guard so effectively for Washington College last Saturday evening, is evidently a reader and believer in the Horatio Alger school of fiction. At least, he emulated an Alger hero in his rise to eminence on the Washington Five.

At the start of the present season Jacobs was a member of the blue, or third squad. He worked hard and improved much. On the Monday of the week of the Muhlenberg game "Jake" was promoted to the white, or second squad. It was known at this time that Carroll and Dumschott would not play that week and Jake had his eye on the guard position belonging to Dumschott. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday saw Jacobs the outstanding member of the second squad in their daily scrimmage against the varsity five. On Thursday "Jake" found himself sporting a red jersey. In that day's practice tilt, playing on the varsity five, Jacobs stood out above the rest. His work had clinched him the starting job as running mate to Cavanaugh. On Saturday evening against Muhlenberg he proved that he was no flash in the pan by holding the two forwards who opposed him to one field goal divided between the two.

Personally, you have your opinion I have mine, but as I say, personally, I consider Jacobs the star of the contest. Don't you.

Boy, Bring The Clippers

Basketball is progressing. Out in Morgantown, W. Va., a big step forward has been made; one to which I lend my hearty support.

For ten years past I have been closely associated with basketball. In all those ten seasons nothing has disgusted me so much as the players with an overgrowth of foliage atop their heads. Hundreds of times I have had a beautiful play spoiled in my eyes when the executor pushed his long hair back out of his face. I have seen it a thousand times. You must have seen it once. I have seen players dribble with one hand and smooth the hair back with another. I remember, vividly, one boy, jumping into the air to complete a cut shot under the basket, start the hair-smoothing process before his feet again rested on the floor. To me this has been the one great fault with the court sport.

The coach of the Morgantown, W. Va. High School five makes the first forward step. May he be followed by many others.

The Morgantown mentor says, in banning the long-haired players, "I'm tired of seeing boys push their hair out of their eyes when they should be using their eyes to see what is going on and their hands to either pass or shoot at a basket."

Spectators Barred From This Contest

Something new in basketball featured a recent meeting between the Thomas Jefferson and James Madison High School fives of Brooklyn, when the two teams went into a basket-tossing session behind closed doors. All spectators, except officials and substitutes were barred. The object of the exclusiveness was to prevent the basketball game from reverting into a small size war between the students of the two schools. It was a championship game and the feeling was rather bitter.

A mere suggestion from one who loves a free-for-all; let the students in and put boxing gloves on each one. The battle which would be sure to follow might bring to light a champion to knock Gene Tunney from under his golden crown of the heavyweight championship.

James B. Kirby Chooses All-Time Five

An All-Time Washington College basketball team, different from any combination sent in before, is submitted this week by James B. Kirby, of Chestertown. Mr. Kirby has chosen, as have all others, the two old standbys Carroll and Dumschott, the Damon and Pythias combination of basketball.

Mr. Kirby's team:
Carroll—Forward.
Dumschott—Forward.
Gordy—Center.
McGran—Guard.
Carrington—Guard.

Tough Weekend Faces "Kibbies"

Maryland And Catholic U. Scheduled For Friday and Saturday

The Washington College basketball team is facing a rather tough week end. Friday evening they visit College Park for a game with the University of Maryland five and on Saturday they will line up against Catholic University in Washington.

Maryland displayed the first real form of the season last Saturday when they lost a heart-breaker to Navy 32 to 30.

Catholic University has lost one game this season and that to Navy by one-sided score.

Coach Kibler is working his squad hard this week and realizes that his charges will face tough going around the Capitol. Carroll and Dumschott after a week of rest should step at their best.

The big problem, and the one that causes the most trouble on the local five is the lack of a big centerman. Seib is a fine basketball player but has not the size for a real good center.

National Motor Boat Show To Open Jan. 21

Famous Speed Craft Will Be Shown In New York City

New York, Jan. 18.—Every variety of power boat, from a six-foot skiff equipped with small outboard motor, to a sixty-two-foot cruiser, will be exhibited at the twenty-second annual National Motor Boat Show which opens here January 21.

The speed enthusiast will find there boats ranging in speed capacity from sixteen miles an hour for the faster outboard craft to seventy and eighty miles an hour for the powerful racers.

Ira Hand, secretary of the National Association of Engine and Boat Manufacturers, sponsoring the show announced today that four outstanding speed craft will be shown. They are the Cigarette IV, winner of the President's cup at the national regatta in Washington, D. C., last year; the Greenwich Folly, 1926 gold cup champion; the Horace, winner of the Potomac river championship, and the Little Shadow, a 91-cubic-inch boat which competed for the Duke of York trophy in England last summer.

The show will occupy three floors of Grand Central Palace instead of two as in former years. On the first floor will be mounted a sixty-two foot yacht, said to be the largest boat ever shown indoors. The first floor will be given over to speed-boats, runabouts and cruisers with an overflow of these types of craft to the second floor. On the second floor also will be smaller skiffs, row-boats, canoes and sailboats—all adapted for auxiliary motor power.

Engines ranging from a fifty-pound outboard to a 32,000 pound Diesel oil burner, will constitute an interesting display on the second floor. In this connection many racing types will be shown, both unmounted and in the speed craft, in which they proved their ability. The powerful Horace will be so displayed that the "typhoon" motor will be accessible for inspection. This is a 12-cylinder 650-horsepower unit. In the Little Shadow the engine is expected to attract attention.

The third floor of the building will be given over to accessories, engineers' models and exhibitions of naval architects and marine waterways.

Fights for Primary



Former Senator Beveridge of Indiana is leading the fight in his state in defense of the Primary law which the politicians of both parties are trying to have repealed for a return to the old boss-ridden convention system.

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