

Sports

Hazleton finishes league play with a 6-4 record

by BILL SCHALLER
Assistant Sports Editor

The Hazleton Campus of PSU basketball team finished its divisional competition at Wilkes-Barre on Wednesday night, and suffered an 88-84 defeat, running its league record to six wins and four losses. The loss destroyed any hope that Hazleton had for a divisional title.

On Saturday night Schuylkill downed Scranton at Schuylkill to force a playoff between the two teams. Both finished regular divisional play with 7 and 3 records. Had Hazleton been able to defeat

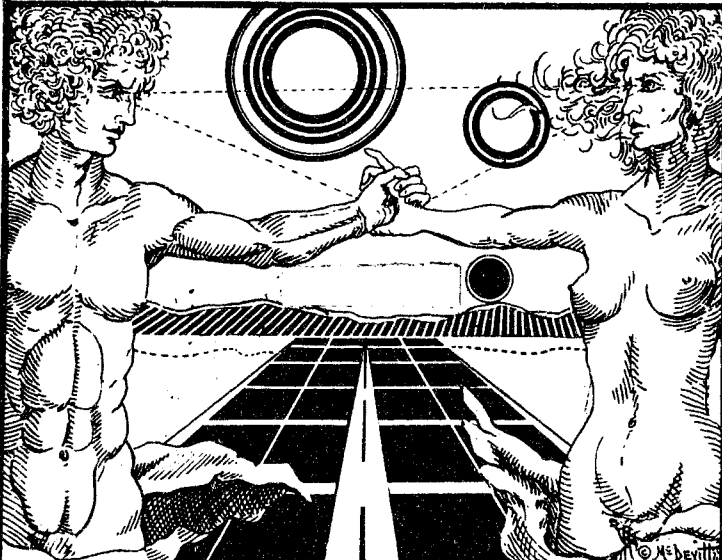
Wilkes-Barre, which they should have done with "no sweat," they also would have finished with a 7 and 3 record and a three-way playoff would have ensued. As things stand now, Hazleton will have to settle for 3rd place in the division.

Looking back on the season, one wonders how a team with such talented scoring ability can fall into the category of mediocrity. The problem therefore must have been credited to defense, or lack of it. Hazleton scored 100 or more points twice in losing efforts, and gave up more than

100 points on five different occasions. There are usually two reasons for poor defense, one is unwillingness and the other is that the players are simply not in shape. However, no one reason can be singled out because in this writer's opinion, one complements the other.

Scoring was certainly not the problem. Jim Chapman and Bill Schaller averaged better than 22 points a game, Joe Zoeller averaged in the high teens, Larry Kovatch and Craig Knouse scored in the low doubles and Wayne Stewart was just off that pace. Therefore, with those statistics in mind, it's obvious that defense was the culprit. No matter how many points you put up on the board, if the other team puts up more, School's Out! But then as the fans used to say, "Wait'll next year."

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1972 reverie

SGA to hold used book sale on April 4

Good news for those of you who gripe each term at Bookstore prices! On April 4, Spring term Registration Day, the Student Government Association will hold a used-book sale in the SGA office.

Gary Labanoski, chairman of the booksale, explains it as such: Each student who desires to sell his books in this manner will set his own price for them and bring them to the SGA office on April 4. The student will then be given a receipt for his books. On the following Tuesday, April 11, the student may pick up his money or unsold books in the SGA office.

The booksale will run from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and is on a first-come-first-served basis. Cash only will be accepted. This sale provides the student with a tremendous saving over Bookstore prices.

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Jump Shots

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There has been no definite date set, but a student-faculty volleyball game is scheduled for Spring Term. Watch out for "Spike" Fogelson in that one.

Minnesota's Ron Behagen and Corky Taylor should either be banned completely from intercollegiate basketball, or be bound and gagged and put in a room with Ohio State's Luke Witte!

Glad to see that Floyd Paterson handled Ringo Bonavena ... I don't think, however, that he has the strength to do the same to Joe Frazier. Patterson's made a lot of money and a lot of friends in his boxing career and he's put down the old cliché that "nice guys finish last."

This writer sees Cleon Jones and Jerry Koonsman having big years, and combined with the usually steady Tom Seaver, should lead the Mets to another pennant.

Aside to Larry Kovatch ... Giants will be lucky with 3rd!!

Joe Zoeller and this writer will "attempt" to turn "talents" from basketball to baseball on arrival at U-Park next year. Both consider baseball "the" game. Tim Dougherty is also considering the same.

The basketball team's agreed consensus is that Coach Bobby did a more than adequate job. A little more effort on the team's part could have turned a fair season into a successful one.

Tim Dougherty must have taken more basketball pictures than the AP and UPI combined.

The Wrestling team has been quite successful considering the circumstances. Pete Bell is quite an effective grappler.

Anyone who wants any sports news printed, please contact John Roslevich, Craig Knouse or this writer.

An all-opponent basketball team for Hazleton looks something like this: Ron Hoffman of Allentown and Monte Cooney of Burks at guard, Ed Woods of Burks at Center, and Emil Suchter and Ron Kinsel, both of Scranton, at forward. This team is of the writer's opinion and any disagreement from the team is welcome.

This week's trivia question ... the 1950 Philadelphia Phillies won the pennant with a group of players called the "Whiz Kids." Can you name their starting infield?

"Come to Harrisburg"

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people will attend regional workshops to establish contact with each other to further the possibility that the week's program will lead to further growth of the movement community.

There will be a major cultural event (concert, play, etc.) each night of the week. Also during the week there will be different small group, direct actions taking place: a women's action; and action initiated by a group of Vietnam Vets- at various sites of political significance around the Harrisburg area. These will lead up to a mass action on Friday, March 31, at a local war institution, the New Cumberland Army Depot, involved in the repairing of approximately \$25 million worth of C-47 Chinook helicopters shot down in Vietnam.

On April 1 there will be major mass demonstrations both in Harrisburg and in San Jose, California (around the Angela Davis trial), focusing on political repression at home and the continued Air War in Indochina. Over 10,000 people are expected to participate in

the Harrisburg demonstration which is co-sponsored by the Harrisburg Defense Committee, the People's Coalition for Peace and Justice, and the Angela Davis Defense Committee.

Finally, on April 2, there will be a Easter Sunrise Service celebrating the power of the forces of death.

Now, when our movement is in a transitional and difficult period, we hope that from this trial and from the activities taking place in Harrisburg around the trial; new life, new spirit, new energy and a renewed commitment to our own liberation and the liberation of all people will emerge. That is not only up to those of us working in and around Harrisburg trial. It is up to you. Will you join us in Harrisburg? Will you join us in building a New America and in resisting the violence of the old? Will you join us in turning this trial around and in making governmental repression not a set-back but a gift to our cause?

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EARTH NEWS

The film of the "Concert for Bangla Desh" should be in local theatres by April. The film is currently being re-shot from 16 millimeter onto 70 millimeter.

The movie is said to run a little more than an hour-and-a-half, and it will be offered at general admission prices. The picture is the film of the benefit concert George Harrison organized last summer at Madison Square Garden. The concert included performances by Harrison, Eric Clapton, Leon Russell, Bob Dylan, Ravi Shankar and Billy Preston. The profits from the concert as well as the film will go to the Bangla Desh refugees' fund. The movie is being promoted and distributed by Apple Records for 20th Century-Fox.

English rock star Joe Cocker will launch a six-week tour of the United States with a March 15th concert in Madison Square Garden in New York.

During the tour which concludes in Hawaii on May 1st, Cocker will make a total of 20 appearances in 13 states in all regions of the country.

A & M Records announced this week that it will release an album early next week that will be available free to young people who present voter registration receipts.

"There are 25 million unregistered voters between the ages of 18 and 24-years of age in the country today, and if there is anything we can do to make them aware of their opportunity to register and vote in the next election, we shall do so," said Gil Friesen of A&M.

Friesen said the double LP will contain selected cuts from some of the best A&M artists, like the Carpenters and Cat Stevens. Exact plans for distribution have not been finalized, but Friesen said the record will be available through the mail.

Soul singer Issac Hayes took delivery of a new car last Friday in Memphis, Tennessee; a car he says he just plans to use around town.

The car is a \$26,000 Cadillac. Every piece of exterior chrome on the car, from the bumpers to the door locks, has been gold plated, at a cost of \$8,000.

Bob Short, the salesman at Madison Cadillac in Memphis who sold the car to Hayes, said the agency sells more than 1,000 Cadillacs a year, but that the "Hayes-mobile" is far and away the most lavish car he has ever sold.

The car is a peacock-blue and interior features include a white shag carpet, blue velvet seat covers, a Sony television under the dashboard, a refrigerated bar and an electric powered sun roof.

Short said that Hayes was scheduled to pick up the car last Wednesday, but apparently he couldn't make it to the dealership until Friday.

Roy Rogers and Dale Evans will have a new album out soon - probably in March or April, according to Capitol Records in Nashville.

Roy and Dale will be backed as usual by the Sons of the Pioneers. Roy's most recent single, called "Pass It On," is apparently selling well.

Rose sounds sweet

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Others called themselves: The Byrds - The Monkees - The Turtles - Rhinoceros - Sopwith Camel - Buffalo Springfield - Steppenwolf - Country Joe & The Fish - Catfish, and The Cowbills.

Modes of transportation were also represented by: The Jefferson Airplane - The Led Zeppelin - The Flying Machine - The Flying Circus and Grand Funk Railroad.

There were also: Traffic - 10 Wheel Drive - Marshmallow Highway - The Yellow Brick Road - The Tuneful Trolley - The Cadillacs - and The Electric Junkyard.

Not to be forgotten are: The Sands of Time - Morning - Dawn - Three Dog Night - Grassroots - Blades of Grass - Swamp Seeds - The Creations - Flesh - Bloodrock - Children of God - Group Image - The Mamas & the Papas (and don't forget there was a group called Shotgun Wedding) - Every Mothers' Son - The Pilgrims - The Barbarians - The Hello People - Lothar & the Hand People - Faces - Small Faces - The Youngbloods - American Breed - The Young Americans - The Association - The Paupers - The Characters - The Young Rascals - The Vagrants - The Hard Corps - Fallen Angels - Soul Survivors - The Wanted - The James Gang - and another group billed simply as The Human Beinz.

Some groups sounded like listings on a menu: Electric Prunes - Moby Grape - The Ultimate Spinach - Banana Splits - Bread - Cream - Grapefruit - Vanilla Fudge - Eggs Over Easy - Salt & Pepper & the Shakers (I kid you not) - The Lovin' Spoonfull - The Joy of Cooking - Flavor - The Green Apple Nasties - 1910 Fruitgum Company - Bubblegum Machine - Strawberry Alarm Clock - The Lemon Pipers - Peppermint Rainbow - Canned Heat, and The Peanut Butter Conspiracy!

Some groups favored the use of colors in their names: The Blue Magoos - Big Pink - Deep Purple - Frijid Pink - and The Yellow Payges.

Among the all-female groups, we have had: The Ladybugs - The Cake - Pride of Women - Goldflower - and Fanny!

The most bizarre group is a quintet out of Phoenix who

call themselves, collectively, "Alice Cooper". They have a whole new bag full of theatrical gimmicks including a live boa constrictor, live chickens (which they toss into the audience), and bubble-machines (borrowed from Lawrence Welk?). Their is a "theatre of cruelty". Their latest best-selling "gold record" is titled "Killer". One number which they feature in their stage appearances is called "Dead Babies". During this number, the lead singer takes a golden-curl'd doll and rips off its clothing, tossing the pieces into the audience. Next he rips off an arm - then the legs. An axe appears, and the doll is decapitated with lots of red, inky juice running over its face. For his crime "Alice" becomes the victim of a mock hanging. Their act is ultra-violent and incites the frenzied fans to near riot.

But back to naming musical groups. We must not forget The Brooklyn Bridge - Lenny Dell & the East River Drive - Mount Rushmore - Pacific Gas & Electric - The Doors - The Scaffold - The Foundation - The Spiral Staircase - The North Door - anything and everything, including - The Kitchen Cinq!

And here's a few more for good measure: The Devils Kitchen - Black Sabbath - Coven - and my favorite of all gimmicky names - The Iron Butterfly! (Runner up - The quintet, Dave Dee, Dozy, Beaky, Mich and Tich).

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