

MOUNTAIN LIONS DROP TWO THIS PAST WEEK

On Wednesday, February 4, the A. D. Thomas Gym was the locale for the initial encounter of the spring semester for our Mountain Lions in the Pennsylvania Junior College Basketball League. Hershey Junior College was the visiting team. Our lads under Coach Frank Antinozzi put up a great battle as was evidenced by the 23-23 tie score at half-time.

The Choclateers (Hershey) pulled away fast at the beginning of the third period, and after that the outcome of the game was never in doubt. The score at the third period was Hershey 40, Hazleton 29. Hazleton came back strong in the last period, but was unable to overcome the lead piled up by Hershey. The final score—Hershey 58, Hazleton 50.

Top scorers for our Lions were Clint Frank—20; Roy Atherholt—8; and Bill Burcin—7. Kobrick, Edelstein (a newly enrolled freshman), Evancho (Edward), Mistiszyn, and Scarcella all played a good floor game. Bucks was high scorer with 14 points for the Hershey Choclateers.

One of the classiest teams ever to visit A. D. Thomas Gym in recent years—the York Junior College—and also the league leader (PJCBL) with a record of eight wins and no defeats—came to do battle with our Lions this past Saturday, February 7. As usual, our favorites went down to defeat—by a score of 94 to 54.

The Lions played a listless ball game; they were caught off their guard many times by the speedy, and smooth-passing basketoers from York. From the starting whistle York started its victory march with the dash and spirit of a team that knew its capabilities and went all out to use them. Our Lions, if they only had that same dash and spirit, could well nigh be an unbeatable team. The York team showed why they are the League leaders by a convincing 50-19 margin at half-time. Our Lions came back strong in the last quarter, but it was too late; the margin was too high to overcome.

Marv Edelstein, with 16 points, Joe Scarcella with 12, and Clint Frank with 9, were the Lions high scorers. Eddie Evancho and Bill Burcin, along with Kobrick, Mistiszyn, and Schultz, played a good floor game.

For the York team Sauder—19 and Guyer with 12 were high scorers on the well-balanced York five.

PENNSYLVANIA JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKETBALL LEAGUE

	<u>Offensive Standing</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Total Points</u>	<u>Average points per game</u>
1.	Johnstown	5	394	78.8
2.	York	6	420	70.0
3.	Keystone	5	315	63.0
4.	Hershey	4	251	62.7
5.	Mont Alto	5	303	60.6
6.	Hazleton	5	296	59.2
7.	Altoona	6	354	59.0

Defensive Standing

1.	Hazleton	5	354	70.8
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MOUNTAIN LION INDIVIDUAL STANDING IN THE LEAGUE

	<u>Points</u>	<u>Average</u>	
13th	Ustynoski	61	12.2
17th	Frank	53	10.6
24th	Krent	49	9.8
29th	Scarcella	40	8.0
34th	Burcin	28	9.3
38th	Mistiszyn	22	4.4
41st	Coll	17	8.5

With Johnstown and York leading the offensive and defensive roles res-