

**Between
the Lions
with
The Sports Editor**

Tomorrow, another boxing season will open, and the usual hysteria accompanying the success of the ring sport here may be expected.

There can be no doubt but that boxing, as a sport, has taken hold of students here to a much greater degree than at almost any other college one could mention. This abnormal situation has been due to two factors—the success of Lion ring combinations under Leo Houck's tutelage in the last few years, and the unusual mediocrity of other major sports teams over the same period.

Whether, because of these conditions, the sport here has been exaggerated to a point beyond its true worth in the intercollegiate sports world remains a moot question. Certainly, the noticeable improvement in the calibre of other sports teams should forecast an attitude towards boxing more approaching normalcy.

At any rate, forgetting theories and values for the present, here's hoping the ringmen hop off on the right foot by pouncing out a victory over North Carolina's Tarheels tomorrow.

**Lion Grapplers To Engage
Wolverines Here Tonight**

**Wrestlers Open With
18-6 Victory Over
Mountaineers**

By D. H. ROSENZWEIG '31

Surmounting the Mountaineers in true Nittany Lion style, Coach Charlie Speidel's wrestlers rolled up eighteen points to West Virginia's six in the first meet of the 1933 season here Saturday, and furnished sufficient evidence to lead us to believe that Michigan's greatly-heralded Wolverines will find no easy prey in Recreation hall when they engage the Lion grapplers for the first time in history at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

In an effort to strengthen the lightweight classes Charlie will use DiRito, untried 118-pounder, against fast Jimmy Landrum, while either Bob Ellstrom or Clayt Cramer, a sophomore, will meet the Wolverine veteran, Joe Oakley, in the featherweight class.

Rosenberg and Bill Cramer will grapple with Captain Blair Thomas and Bob Helliwell, Michigan's mainstays in the 135-pound and 145-pound weights. Either Johnston or Roe will lock horns with the fast and clever Art Mosier, while Captain Mike Lorenzo is slated to meet Ed Wilson, 165-pound scissor artist. Kreizman and Cole will meet Baus and Spoden in the 175-pound and unlimited classes.

In Saturday's meet Eisenman and Johnson were beaten, while Captain Lorenzo, Rosenberg, Ellstrom, Bill Cramer, Kreizman, and Cole won for the Lions with time advantages.

Opponents' Scores

BOXING
Western Maryland 2½; Navy 5½
BASKETBALL
Army—37; Lehigh—30

**'36 FIVE TO FACE
SEMINARY CAGERS**

**Will Clash With Dickinson Passers
In Second Game of Season
Tomorrow Afternoon**

Victorious in their first meeting test, the yearling courtmen will face Dickinson Seminary passers in Recreation hall at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Coach Paul Smith, Seminary mentor, will start Tillack and Stokes at forwards, Cassell at center, and Brococo and Brown at the defense posts in an effort to atone for their two-point set-back at the hands of Cook Academy last Friday night. The same freshman five which has remained undefeated to date will take the floor.

In their contest with Bellefonte Academy, the Lion Cubs continued their undefeated sweep by a 39-to-20 score last Saturday afternoon in Recreation hall.

**LION FIVE DOWNS
LAFAYETTE, 48-25**

**Leslie's Quintet Gains Fourth
Straight Victory Here by
Defeating Leopards**

By W. M. STEGMEIER '31

Upholding the "point a minute" record, established in previous games this season, Lion courtmen registered their fourth consecutive win by downing the Maroon five of Lafayette, 48-to-25, in Recreation hall Wednesday night.

For the most part, the game was a slow and ragged basketball exhibition. The Nittany cagers failed to function at par and seemed to lack practice, while the Leopard's game looked rather spotty.

McFarlane again took scoring honors with a total of sixteen points to his credit, gaining thirteen of these in the first period. Henning followed with eleven counters, Thomas and Conn registered six points each, and McMinn accounted for five units of State's score. Lafayette's star was J. Thomas who stuck up three field goals and four fouls.

Coach Spike Leslie used an all-serve outfit composed of Fletcher, Blyler, Wittum, Stocker, and Heysion at the start of the second half. However, as soon as the Leopard five began to threaten the Lion lead, the first string club went back into action.

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