

Grandstand Views



West Makes The Mounties Tick

By Sandy Padwa
Collegian Sports Editor

Tomorrow night Penn State basketball fans, and what a breed they are, will find out just what makes West Virginia tick. Jerry West, one half of the nation's two best college players, will be at Rec Hall to show his wares.

The amazing Mr. West from that huge metropolis of Cabin Creek, W.Va., has a set of credentials and press clippings that had the pros drooling two years ago.

The two-year All-American, who was voted the Most Valuable Player in the NCAA tournament over Oscar Robertson last year, is off and winging this year and he shows no signs of letting up.

He's the seventh leading scorer in the nation with 313 points good for a 26.1 average. His shooting percentage — 55% — is 12th best and he's averaging 16 rebounds a game.

Nuff said — OK — let's talk about Mark DuMars. The little magician is only three rungs behind West in scoring. He has 195 points in eight outings, that's an average of 24 points a game.

DuMars continues to pick up the accolades wherever he goes. Two of his latest fans are quite important men in the college basketball field.

Here's what George Kiseda of the Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph said about him after the Lions beat Carnegie Tech Tuesday: "DuMars is one of the cleverest little men in college basketball today."

Stan Hochman of the Philadelphia Daily News hit DuMars' biggest problem right on the head. "If he had the big city press behind him he'd make All-American for sure." Should be quite an interesting evening tomorrow.

We hope that Ernie McCoy and the rest of the athletic administrators can tear themselves away from New York to see the ball game.

They might pick up some tips from the West Virginians on how to have a major college football team as well as a major college basketball team. It seems the Penn State officials haven't been able to solve the problem yet. Oh well, bitterness will get you nowhere.

This and that about the cage sport— The Lions' Donny Wilson, who broke his hand after the North Carolina State opener in December, had the cast removed and is taking shooting drills . . . Should be about two more weeks until he can go full speed . . .

West Virginia coach Freddie Schaus spent his college days at Morgantown . . . He then played pro ball for the Fort Wayne Pistons and New York Knicks . . . His assistant, George King, was the leading scorer in the nation while at Morris Harvey in the early 50's . . . He later played for the Syracuse Nats and the Cincinnati Royals . . . Here's an early line on the major conferences . . . Ivy League, Dartmouth; Middle Atlantic, St. Joes or LaSalle; Southern, West Virginia; Atlantic Coast, North Carolina; Southeastern, Georgia Tech or



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Kentucky; Southwestern, Texas A&M; Ohio Valley, Western Kentucky; Big Ten, Ohio State; Missouri Valley, Cincinnati; Big Eight, Iowa State or Kansas; Skyline, Utah; Rocky Mountain, Idaho State; A.A.U.W., California . . . Here's the conversation of the year. It took place during the luncheon for the teams at the Keystone Classic in Harrisburg . . . One of the highly informed speakers said that it seemed funny Temple and Penn should have to come so far to play each other . . . "All those teams in Philadelphia should play each other once in a while down there," he said . . . A very bewildered Jack McCloskey of Penn informed him that the teams did play . . . "That's wonderful," exclaimed the speaker . . . "That's terrible," answered the good natured McCloskey . . . McCloskey's Quaker five could surprise plenty of teams this year . . . What they lack in ability they really make up in hustle . . . Pickles Kennedy threw in 29 points Wednesday to lead Temple to an 82-74 win over Pitt at the Pitt Field House . . . It was the first home loss of the year for the Panthers . . . Temple Coach Harry Litwack feels that all the Owls need to be an outstanding team is one real big man . . . They're doing all right with what they have. They're 8-3 . . . Nobody can really put his finger on the troubles at Duquesne this year, but one reliable source says there are too many individuals on the team . . .

The Dukes' Ned Twyman is the brother of the NBA's leading scorer, Jack . . . Jack's got quite a philosophy on basketball . . . He feels that practice makes perfect, so he keeps in shape during the summer . . . "I shoot 100 free throws, 200 jump shots, and between 100 and 150 sets each workout," he said . . . Christmas is over but we still would like to give a gift to our beloved editor and managing editor . . . To Mr. Dennis Malick and Mr. William Jaffe, basketball fans extraordinary, we present one large post along with two chairs. They are to be used at the West Virginia game tomorrow night . . .

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Lehigh Wrestling Coach Faces Gigantic Rebuilding Program

By JOHNNY BLACK

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Being juniors, 167-pound Thad Turner and 147-pound Bob Gunst seem a little out of place in Leeman's young lineup, but the two have been the most successful wrestlers for Lehigh this year. Both have 2-0-1 records.

The versatile Turner, a Phillipsburg product who is captain of the Engineers this year, notched one of his victories in the unlimited division. Only a draw with Oklahoma's Larry Gregory has marred Gunst's perfect slate.

NCCA Remains Firm On Sooner Probation

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