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RED JACKETS VICTORS

Girls Win From the Jolly Sextet in Preliminary at Central High Wednesday Night

The girls basketball team journeyed over to St. Joseph January 12, and played the Jollies, that evening defeating them with a score of 25 to 11. The Jollies have a good team, in fact this was their first defeat, but were unable to score against Wesleyan's "fighting" guards, Pearl Shultz and Susie Evans. The Red Jackets started playing when the whistle blew and easily led the scoring to the end of the game.

Lorraine Todd, was high pointer of the game, making eight field goals and one free throw. Kieffler, guard, and Giessert, forward, were the most aggressive players for the Jollies.

The lineups follow:

Wesleyan 25	F.G.	F.T.
Todd, f	8	1
Daniels, f	3	2
Stubblefield, f	0	0
Ferris, j. c.	0	0
Basye, r. c.	0	0
Gibson, g	0	0
Shultz, g	0	0
Evans, g	0	0
Gilchrist, g	0	0
Jollies 11	F.G.	F.T.
Price f	2	0
Giessert f	3	1
Prindle, r. c.	0	0
Zoerlin, j. c.	0	0
Kieffer, g	0	0
Bettis, g	0	0
Reno, g	0	0

MR. DUSENBERRY ENTERTAINS

Mr. Dusenberry was host to his College Sunday School class Wednesday afternoon, December 22, at four o'clock, at a tea in the gymnasium.

After a get-acquainted march, the class proceeded two by two to the tea table which was presided over by Mrs. Dusenberry, assisted by Alice Bentley and Julie Divtn. Refreshments of tea and wafers were served.

Several interesting Christmas talks were given by members of the class, including President Wilson Thomas and a visitor, James Shultz.

DR. H. R. DeBRA AT CHAPEL

Former President Gives Interesting Talk to Wesleyan Folk

Prolonged and sincere applause expressed the pleasure of Wesleyan faculty as well as students after the interesting speech of Dr. H. R. DeBra at chapel, Thursday, Jan. 6th.

Because he is a former president of Wesleyan his talk was the more welcome. Dr. DeBra was president from 1909 to 1917. It was during his administration in 1917 that the eventful fire devastated our college. Dr. DeBra spoke concerning the history of our beloved college, of the hard fight that Cameron folk had to make, to keep the school up to the standard both along educational lines as well as in athletics; he recalled too that ideals have always been the aim of our college in victory as in defeat. He told how royally the people of Cameron rallied to the \$75,000 endowment fund, and how loyally they became interested in its rebuilding.

Mrs. DeBra accompanied the Doctor and she told us that she felt very much at home, because two of their students, Miss Gibson and Professor Taylor were still at Wesleyan, not as students but as instructors. Mrs. DeBra, after a word of welcome said that she would like to make a speech but knowing that, as in former days, Professor Null did not like to have his class periods interfered with, would postpone her speech.

We may say that probably the very best criterion of student opinion is the students gossip in the college halls and class rooms between bells. "Wasn't it interesting? That's what we like! Wish he would come often-er!" These are student comments.

Dr. DeBra was like a big deep breath of fresh ozone. We face the New Year with finer ideals—and some new, unspoken resolutions.

Roy Hollenbeck, who has been attending College this semester, will discontinue his school work for the present.

WON FIRST GAME

C. B. C. "Ducks" Victim of a Shower of Points

The Wesleyan basketeers motored to Chillicothe Friday, January 7th and battled the C. B. C. 'cagers' for a 36 to 18 victory. The contest was played on the C. H. S. court and marked the opening game of the season for each team.

Chillicothe was soon placed in the lead when two long field goals were made but Poland's Owls were not to be discouraged and the score was tied at 12 each as the half ended. During the first half neither team displayed very good basketball form, the play being inaccurate. However, the last half found an improvement.

The 'Owls' played a passing game, working the ball well under the basket where they proceeded to annex points. When the whistle sounded C. B. C. had 18 points while Wesleyan had 36.

The Business College depended upon long shots and failed. Bertz, Howard, and Bushnell contributed most of Chillicothe's points. A large squad was used as the game was a non-conference contest.

Wesleyan showed a flash of real basketball during the closing minutes. They played a passing game that resulted in many short shots for the goal.

The lineup follows:

Greenwood	R. F.
Lower, C.	L. F.
McKee	C.
Dague	R. G.
Grantham	L. G.

Substitutions: Bourette for Greenwood; Duse for Dague; Wood for Grantham; Henderson for McKee.

Y. M. C. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual election of officers for the Y. M. C. A. for the year 1927 was held January 12 and the following officers were elected:

President, Victor Dusenberry.

Vice-President, Howard Hutton.

Secretary and Treasurer, Paul Wood.