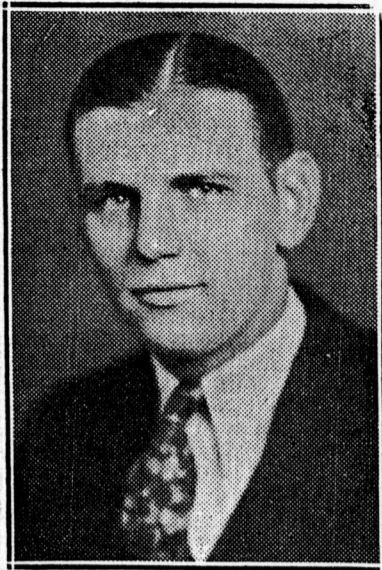


McPhee Appointed First Athletic Director at Youngstown College

— Will Coach Basketball —



John R. McPhee was appointed the first Athletic Director of Youngstown College. McPhee rightly deserves the appointment for he has shown the College what he can do with Varsity Basketball and he will be also able to put in effect an intramural program of which the College can boast. He will again handle the basketball coaching duties.

McPhee is a product of Cleveland schools where he starred in both football and basketball. Attended Oberlin and Grove City Colleges and there too made a name for himself as an athlete.

McPhee has coached basketball at Youngstown College in 1931, taking up the duties where

Al Fairfield left them. Then coached again in 1932 and then Denton T. "Dopey" Doll took up the Coaching duties in 1933. McPhee came back in 1934 and in 1935.

His 1935 aggregation was the best he has put out in his stay at Youngstown College. Opened up with Ohio College of Chiropraxy and after leading 20-18 at halftime the locals dropped the decision 33-31. Next in line came the strong Washington and Jefferson quint. The Penguins expected a lacing but staged an upset by winning 32-23.

For the third game the Penguins trekked over to Thiel and played a close game with the lead changing back and forth and remaining in Thiel's possession at the final whistle, Thiel was on the long end of a 30-28 score. Meeting Geneva Conventaners at Beaver Falls the locals were outclassed and lost 42-33. Waynesburg College was next on the schedule and again the Penguins lost 23-16.

With four loses and one victory the Penguins were out to increase their win percentage and took Allegheny 33-29; Fenn, 37-23; and Grove City 18-16, in a row.

Next came the West Liberty and St. Vincent's games and the locals dropped both of them by a score 36-35 and 33-18 respectfully.

Thiel came here for a return engagement and went home with a 41-40 victory which Thomas, Thiel forward won in the last twenty seconds of the game with a shot from the center of the floor.

The Penguins met Geneva College for the second time at McDonald High gym and, after leading 17-10 at halftime, lost the game 32-24. Ohio College was next on the schedule. The locals avenged the initial defeat by winning 29-27. A little scrimmage was held by the players during the course of the game. The Fenn Foxes pulled a surprise in the next encounter and went home with a 42-32 victory.

The Penguins looked forward to the Hiram game eager to avenge an overtime defeat suffered in 1934. The game was a one-sided affair, the Penguins coming out on top 35-19.

The Waynesburg Yellow Jackets and St. Vincents basketballers were given reverse decisions in their second encounters. Youngstown beat Waynesburg 35-34 and St. Vincents 40-34.

Enroute to New Jersey the Penguins stopped over in Williamsport and beat Williamsport 24-20. In New Jersey, the last game of the season for both teams, and it proved to be one of the most bitter games the Penguins had played. The 27-26 victory was hard earned and the boys made the season standing five hundred percent.

As for this season it is a little too early to make any predictions.