Nittany Quintet Meets Maroon Five Thursday

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1921-22 season Last year Coach Reid's passers lost but three contests, two to Syracuse and one to Rochester.

The Blue and White basketeers will find stiff opposition awaiting them at Hamilton Thursday, and must show a marked improvement over the exhibition against Ursinus Saturday in order to stand any chance of winning. The Maroon quintet began its season early by defeating Hobart, Toronto and Crescent A C. New York university handed them the first reverse of the year, but the Colgate loopmen wiped out the stain in a return game by vanquishing the Violet 50-26 Cornell, Buffalo and Hamilton college fell before the Maroon attack, but Army, Fordham and Pittsburgh emerged victorious over Coach Reid's tossers

Colgate Line-up Uncertain

Colgate's line-up for Thursday night's tilt is uncertain. Captain Bickle will start at center and Walsh at guard. Bollerman, high scorer and star of earlier games, is troubled by and injured knee, but may be able to play Bonacker, Dowler and Hagy will vie for the forward posts while Flynn, Detore and Dumont will contest the other guard position.

The tilt with Ursinus Saturday was exciting from the spectator's point of view but one of the poorest exhibitions of basketball seen in the Armory this season. The Lion courtmen were frequently guilty of passing the ball directly into the hands of the opponents. The offense was slow and stopped short when the ball entered Ursinus territory

Lion Defense Weak

The speedy Ursinus attack often caught the Nittany defense off guard and it was only the clever individual playing of Captain Von Nieda and Lungren that saved the Blue and White from defeat The bewilderment in the Nittany ranks was largely due to the trying-out of a new line of attack Coach Hermann will revert to the former criss-cross, short passing offense in the remaining games.

Replacing Dick Reinhold at the varsity forward berth, Steve Hamas played the best game of the evening for the Lions and led the scoring with seven field goals. Captin Von Nieda's clever floor tactics and shooting was one of the features of the contest. For the Ursinus quintet Captain Hoagley was outstanding, sinking four field goals and five out of five fouls.

Ursinus Opens Scoring

Opening the scoring for the Bears, Hoagley dropped in a long shot from the side. On neat cut plays Hamas sunk three field goals in succession making the count 6-2 A brace of two-pointers by Bigley and Moyer tied the score and Penn State took time out. Hamas and Von Nieda each sunk one from the field and Delp dropped in a foul to put the Lions five points in the lead. After Hoagley scored two fouls, Ursinus called time out The Bears rallied after play was resumed and made the count 13-12. The Nittany courtmen recovered, however, and continued to draw away from the visitors until the half ended with the score 22-14

Shortly after the beginning of the second period the Collegeville quintet again narrowed the Blue and White lead to one point, and as before, the Lions rallied, gained a ten-point advantage and maintained it until five minutes before the final whistle Two field goals and a foul by Hoagley and one each by Young and Schink cut the Nittany lead down to a scant two points In the closing minute of play with the score 41-39 and the crowd on its feet Captain Von Nieda dropped in a long toss from the side and dribbled under the basket to sink a second shot as the gun ended the game

PENN STATE

	Field	Foul	Total
Hamas, rf	7	1-5	15
Delp, lf	4	2-1	10
Reilly, c	4	1-2	9
Von Nieda, rg (Capt.)	5	1-1	11
Lungren, lg	0	0-0	0
Jacobson, lf	0	0-0	0
TOTAL	20	5-12	45

URSINUS

	Field	Foul	Total
Hoagley, rf (Capt.)	1	5-5	11
Bigley, lf (Capt.)	2	1-1	5
Schink, c	3	0-0	6
Moyer, rg	2	1-1	7
Newcomer, lg	1	0-0	0
Young, lf	1	0-0	2
Strine, lg	0	0-0	0
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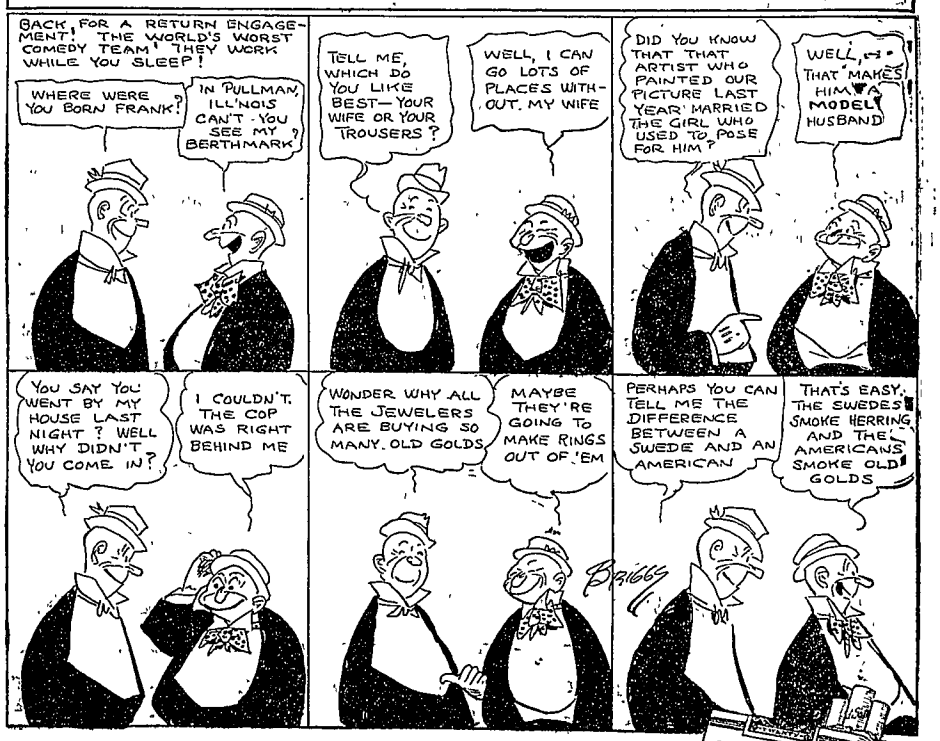

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