

Hermann Shifts Lion Court Line-up As Pitt Tilt Nears

Sol Saltzman Moved Up To Forward Berth On Varsity

TEAM LOSES SERVICES OF MAZESS, HAMILTON

Coach Places Lee, Macomb on First Five With Stahley And Fred Brand

With his charges slated to round the season's halfway mark when they meet Pitt Friday, Coach Hutch-Hermann has shifted the Nittany court line-up actually during the past few days' practice.

Sol Saltzman, who has been playing regularly at guard, has been moved up to forward. He is not a stranger to this post, however, having held down a forward berth on prep and high school courts.

Mont Macomb, rangy junior, is Sol's running mate on the new combination. Mort jumped center when he played for West Philadelphia high and on the Freshmen five here but has been used as a reserve forward on the varsity. His height gives him a decided advantage in snaring the ball from off the backboard.

Ed Lee occupies the guard berth vacated by Saltzman. He has seen action in the Bethany, Western Maryland, Carnegie Tech, and Pennsylvania tilts and is a reliable shot from the back court. Skip Stahley and Fred Brand are the only two regulars who have retained their customary posts.

Whether the above-named quartet will have the call during the invasion of Pittsburgh this week-end depends on its showing the next few days, Coach Hermann revealed.

Mazess, Hamilton Out
The reserve team which has been giving the regulars a stiff battle in every scrimmage and sometimes outscoring them, also has been considerably altered. Rod Fry has been shifted from his first-string forward post to a guard berth. Paul Moss, reserve guard, is now playing forward. Experience in high school at this position enables him to fill this assignment satisfactorily.

Bub Davis and Dave Miller, forwards, alternate with Moss to bear the burden of the reserve team's attack. Joe Weber fills the remaining guard berth.

The jinx which has dogged the Lion varsity this season prevailed again following the Penn game when it was learned that Jack Mazess had been confined to his home in Scranton because of illness. Jack has not been well since last summer and it is feared that his services will be lost to the team for the season. Bill Ham-

SHIFTS Court Line-up as Pitt Game Looms



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ilton, reserve center, will not be eligible for the remaining games. Raquette, a sophomore, has taken his place and in a shot while should ably fill Hamilton's position.

Superior foul shooting on the part for Pennsylvania played an important role in the Quakers' 28-16 victory over Penn State at the outset of mid-year recess. Penn accounted for ten free throws out of a possible thirteen, while the Lions totalled six of the thirteen gift tosses awarded them. The Nittany quintet caged eight field goals to nine for Penn. The Quakers lead at half-time, 14-to-6.

SYRACUSE DOWNS COLGATE TO TAKE ASSOCIATION LEAD

Syracuse courtmen, conquerors of Pitt, made a strong bid for triangular association honors Saturday night by virtue of their impressive 33-to-24 victory over Colgate.

As a result, the Orange quintet holds undisputed possession of first place. Colgate is second with one victory and one defeat, and Penn State third. The Matron five downed the Nittany team, 25-to-24, in an earlier contest.

Association Standing	Won	Lost	Pct.
Syracuse	1	0	1.000
Colgate	1	1	.500
Penn State	0	1	.000

COLLEGE OFFERS BIRD COURSE

"Birds and Bird Life," a new course dealing with practical, economical and ecological aspects of bird life, will be offered by the nature education department during this semester.

STRUBLE'S RETURN BOLSTERS MITMEN

Newcomer To Box in 175-pound Class—McAndrews Takes Unlimited Berth

Returning to Penn State after a semester's absence, Bill Struble has again been drafted into the Nittany boxing folds and will add welcome strength to the upper classes of Coach Leo Houck's intercollegiate champion mit team.

Unless the unforeseen occurs Coach Houck will place Struble in the light heavyweight division and shift Captain Mastey McAndrews to the unlimited post. Such a change would not affect Mastey seriously since he has appeared as a heavyweight in the majority of his ring appearances.

Joe Miller May Return
In Struble the Nittany coach will have a veteran who has already engaged in six dual meets. Although he was successful in but two out of six starts Bill has acquired valuable experience and in Houck's belief will prove one of the mainstays of the team.

Another possibility is that Joe Miller, who was absent from College last semester, may return. In this event Houck will probably use him in the light heavyweight class and conduct eliminations between Chankowsky and Struble for the 160-pound division.

Yesterday marked the first regular practice session for the Nittany leathery pushers since vacation period began. With but five days to prepare for the second meet of the year with Western Maryland, the Lion mentors conducting strenuous conditioning workouts for his charges.

CO-ED RIFLE TEAM RESUMES WORK FOR COMING MATCHES

With a victory over Massachusetts Agricultural college in a telegraphic meet to their credit, the women's rifle team will resume practice this week for matches scheduled with Washington, Pennsylvania, Cornell, and Maryland universities.

Sixty women are striving for positions on the team. The installation of thirty new targets in the Armory has stimulated interest in the sport. Lieut. Lyman O. Williams, rifle coach, reports

ALUMNI TO HONOR GLEE CLUB

While in Philadelphia at the annual State Intercollegiate Glee Club contest, the College Glee Club will attend a banquet given in their honor by Penn State alumni.

Nittany Cinder Track Team Schedules Six Meets for Spring; List Tar Heels

With the North Carolina Tar Heels as a newcomer, the Nittany outdoor track team will enter six cinder competitions this spring, according to the schedule released yesterday by the Athletic Association.

Coach Nate Catmell will open his season by taking his runners to Chapel Hill, N. C. for a dual meet April 19. The Lions will again enter the Penn Relays at Philadelphia April 25 and 26.

Pitt's Panthers will arrive to score their second victory against the Lion trackmen here May 10, while on May 24 the varsity will journey to Syracuse to engage Bill Orange. The I. C. A. A. A. championships at Cambridge, Mass., will close the schedule as in past years.

The plebe runners only competition probably will be against Pitt yearlings as a preliminary to the varsity meet. Schoolboys will run in the annual interscholastic meet here.

With the expected return to school of Captain George Mobley, prospects for the outdoor season appear brighter than last year. For the first time in a long stretch of years the Lion trackmen suffered defeat in dual competition last spring, losing to both Syracuse and Pitt.

DR. THOMAS ADDRESSES 74 MID-YEAR GRADUATES

Declares That Land Grant Colleges Have Preserved Democracy

Congratulating the college on its progress during the past few years, Dr. John M. Thomas, president of Rutgers university and former president of Penn State, addressed mid-year graduates here January 31.

The importance of land-grant colleges was emphasized by Doctor Thomas as having "performed the great service of preserving the democracy of American higher education." Penn State, he claimed, has always had a hard fight to retain her rightful position as a State College.

OFFER DAIRY CATTLE COURSE

Training in the management of livestock and dairy cattle will be offered in the second herdsman's short course to be given here, March 2 to 8. Herdsman in charge of College flock will supervise the practical work of feeding and care, while members of the dairy husbandry department will teach technical subjects.

REKERS WINS 2-MILE AT MILLROSE GAMES

Flashing a time 4 and 7-5 seconds under the Indoor Intercollegiate standard for the distance, Paul Rekera recorded a sparkling victory in the international 2-mile run in the Millrose meet at New York City Saturday.

Rekera decisively defeated Stanley Palkiewicz of Poland in 9 minutes, 26 1-5 seconds. Along with McDowell and Marzucco in the 70-yard high hurdles, and Daulton in the 70-yard dash, he will compete in the Meadowbrook games at Philadelphia tomorrow night.

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RIFLE TEAM WILL MEET GETTYSBURG, CARNEGIE

Squad To Engage in Intercollegiate Matches at Pittsburgh

Winning four of its first five matches, the varsity rifle team will close the dual-meet season this month with matches against Gettysburg and Carnegie Tech.

The riflemen will compete in the intercollegiate shoulder - to - shoulder matches at Pittsburgh April 5. Navy has been the only team to down the College marksmen so far this season.

The freshman team won its opening contest last week scoring 100 points against Gettysburg's 43. This semester the yearlings will shoot against West Virginia, University of Maryland, Carnegie Tech and Princeton freshmen.

GRAPPLERS POINT FOR TIGER MEET

Face First Test of Season at Princeton Saturday—Lions Defeat Chicago Team

Showing added power in its victory over Chicago, the Lion wrestling team under Coach Charlie Spedel, yesterday began practice after the mid-semester recess with a view to conquering Princeton matmen in the meet at the New Jersey institution Saturday.

Princeton offers one of the hardest tests that Nittany grapplers will face this season. The Orange and Black team was at its best last Saturday when downing North Carolina 15-to-13. Lehigh has been the only opponent to defeat the Tigers so far this season.

Return of Pease to the fight for unlimited honors will strengthen Penn State's chances in the heavy classes. The bantamweight assignment for Saturday's battle yet remains in doubt, as Halkins, Ross, and Mazze are waging a close fight in that class.

In the meet with Chicago Friday, previous to mid-semester vacation, the Blue and White matmen emerged victorious by a score of 27-to-7. Falls were recorded by Campbell and Long, while Sundry in the unlimited class was the only one to score for the Illinois representatives.

INTERFRATERNITY DEBATING WINNER TO RECEIVE 2 CUPS

Two cups will be offered to the winner of the Interfraternity debating tournament which will begin Feb. 25.

A cup which will be retained for one year by the winner will be presented by Phi Kappa Phi, while a second cup, donated by Delta Sigma Rho, is to be awarded permanently to the team winning the contest for three years.

PRESIDENT HETZEL TALKS TO AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

President Ralph D. Hetzel addressed the Agricultural Extension Association of Washington and Greene counties Thursday and Friday on a trip through the western part of the State. Doctor Hetzel was returning from a conference of the executive committee of the Land Grant College association held in Washington, D. C. While in Washington, Pa., he spoke at a meeting of the Kiwanis Club and to the alumni of the College.

DR. DUTCHER SPEAKS BEFORE GEISINGER HOSPITAL STAFF

Prof. R. Adams Dutcher, head of the department of agricultural and biological chemistry, addressed medical and surgical staffs of Geisinger Memorial hospital at Danville last Monday, telling of his research work in human nutrition and vitamins. The hospital staff plans to visit the College in an inspection trip soon.

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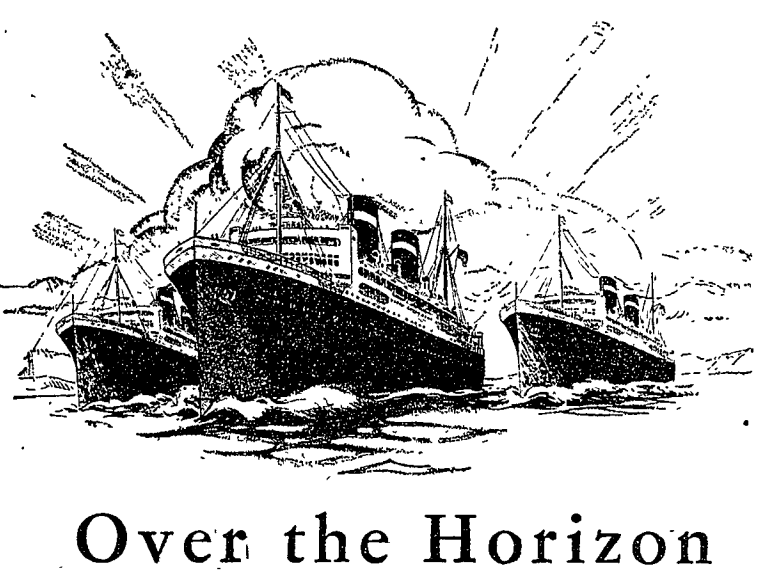
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