

# CAGERS FACE W. VA. AS BOXERS MEET PITT TOMORROW

## Sidelines

Dick Detwiler and Paul Rokets, teammates on the 1931 Lion track team, will compete in the 2-mile "miss and out" race at the Meadowbrook Games in Philadelphia tomorrow. Paul has gathered the laurels in this race for the last two years.

The "miss and out" race is planned to cut down race time by eliminating the last man of the field on each lap after the half-way post. Usually only six or less men are allowed to finish and they finish close together.

There is just a chance that Fred Billings will be placed against either Reybitz or Byers in the 175-pound bout at Princeton. This outstanding wrestler is captain-elect of the 1932 Tiger football team. He played guard with last fall's unhappy gridmen.

Heller, brilliant Panther half-back who provided nightmares for opposing teams last fall will not be able to fill his usual berth as 175-pounder on the Pitt boxing team when it faces the Lions tomorrow night. He is ill.

Two other of Jack Sutherland's footballers may appear in the ring against Nittany fighters tomorrow night. Duke Segel, Panther running guard, is listed for the 165-pound bout against Slusser, an end himself. Jack Schrieker, on the Panther grid squad, will box in the 155-pound bout against Updegrave.

Bub Higgins has a sharp eye out on the practice fields these days because he is anxious to have his spring football workouts start within a couple weeks.

The Syracuse Daily Orange, student publication, says warmly that "the games at home looked forward to most eagerly by the teams and fans are the Penn State and Colgate battles. Coach, players, and spectators all seem to be of the opinion that the Orange should be able to take both of the Triangular league opponents in the return battles."

Steve Wolann, veteran Orange 115-pounder, was declared ineligible to box this year on account of scholastic deficiencies. Johnny McAndrews took over Wolann in the Syracuse meet last year.

Old memories of rivalry must have come to the minds of Walt Moser, Lion forward, and Ray Stecker, Army cage and gridiron luminary, when they met on the Army basketball floor Tuesday afternoon. Moser played for Allentown High and Stecker shone for Hazleton High when the two schools met in 1928 to decide the championship of the Eastern Pennsylvania Interscholastic League.

Norman Hall, crowned intercollegiate 115-pound boxing champion in 1930, is listed among the former Naval Academy athletes who returned to their old stamping grounds at Annapolis to train for the American Olympic team tryout of this spring and summer. Hall was graduated from the Academy in June, 1931.

In 1924, Ken Loeffler was an outstanding cager for the Lions. Now he is basketball coach for Geneva College and is teaching them the doctrine of success. They have lost only to Westminster, coming eastern league leaders, City College of New York, and they halved a two-game series with Duquesne, conquerors of Pitt.

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## MEET MOUNTAINEER FIVE AT 8 O'CLOCK

Courtmen Overcome by Cadets, 46-37; Return Today From Fordham Contest

By SIDNEY H. BENJAMIN '33  
It's becoming increasingly apparent that our court Lions will have to keep on playing basketball for forty minutes of the game if they are to win many more contests in general, and then set to with the Mountaineers of West Virginia here at 8 o'clock tomorrow night, in particular.

When Army tacked a 46-to-37 defeat on the Nittany five Wednesday after holding a slim 15-to-14 margin at the half, it was the third straight time this season that the team has lost because of faltering in the final twenty minutes. Penn held only a 12-to-11 advantage at the intermission, and all probably still remember the way the Lions tied the score at seventeen-all before the gun barked, against Colgate Saturday.

Getting back to tomorrow night's encounter, there is no doubt that comparative records favor Dutch Hermann's proteges, for before the Mountaineers met Carnegie Tech Wednesday night, they had just played and lost six straight road games. However, don't forget that Slate, too, just returns today from the Fordham game last night, and they're likely to be a quintet of very tired Lions.

Army Spurts  
Three of the starting West Virginia quintet met Penn State on the gridiron last fall. Captain Doyle and Soletet at forward, and Leo Dotson at guard all combine gridiron hunkiness with their basketball ability and should prove hard men to wear down. Cubbon at center and Klug at the other guard post complete the five.

After bottling up Ray Stecker, the Army's star forward, without a goal in the first period, the Lions carried on their first-half brilliance at the beginning of the second period and pulled up to a 25-to-23 score. Here, Stecker and his mates broke loose, however, and caged five field goals to clinch the game in a hurry.

The box score:

Penn State (37)	FG	F	TP
Dotson	2	1	2
Doyle	2	1	1
Soletet	1	1	2
Klug	4	2	8
McMinn	4	0	14
Cubbon	2	0	0
Totals	11	5	37

## Leads Lion Courtmen



FRED C. BRAND '32

## CLASSES MEET IN RING SEMI-FINALS

Sophomores Down Seniors 4-3, as Freshmen Overcome Juniors To Enter Last Bouts

The sophomores downed the seniors, 4-to-3, and the freshmen defeated the juniors, 4½-to-2½, in the semi-finals of the interclass boxing tournament.

In the 115-pound class, Miller '35 beat Allison '33, while Ralston '34 won by a forfeit. Munich '34 defeated Shepherd '32 in the 125-pound bouts, and Zeleznock '35 won from Abrams '33.

Hassan '32 lost to Ferrero '34 in the 135-pound fiasco, while Worthington '33 and Snyder '35 drew. In the 145-pound class, Graham '34 beat Deppen '32, and Cocodrilli '35 defeated Beaman '33. Henszey '32, 160-pounder, won from Espy '34, and Hogan '35 was defeated by Berckmueller '33.

Opening the 175-pound class, Henry '32 won from Wantshouse '34, and Kessler '35 beat Reilly '33. In the heavy-eight division, Lasich '32 and Woolbert '35 were winners.

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## Lions Favored in First Ring Clash With Panther Rivals

Houck May Shift Line-up for 125, 175-Pound Berths—Colds Take Toll of Squad

By ROBERT E. TSCHAN '33  
Panthers who poke their heads into Lion dens usually secure at least a sore nose. If the Pittsburgh mascot extricates himself from the fray at 7 o'clock tomorrow night with only his nose scathed he'll be lucky, in the opinion of Nittany boxing enthusiasts. Inexperience will be the outstanding handicap of the visiting boxers when they test their youthful strength for the first time against the Nittany team. The Panthers have a 4-to-3 victory over West Virginia to their credit, but their belt is worn by Syracuse, 5½-to-1½, and Temple, 4-to-3. The only Lion difficulties have come from the recent plague of colds.

May Use Minnich  
Captain Davey Stoop will be seen in his customary starting position when he steps into the ring with Bill McCarroll, inexperienced Pitt 115-pounder. Davey should not have much trouble in chalking up a point. Although Leo may be able to use Johnny Napoleon in the 125-pound

division, the element of uncertainty is still present. Minnich, inexperienced sophomore Lion boxer who has shown real ability in ring work-outs, will probably be kept busy if used against Joe Namlik, for the Panthers. Johnny McAndrews should eliminate Willis Schumpf, 135-pounder from Pittsburgh, who scored a victory in his Temple debut. The same holds true for Al Lewis in the welterweight bout when he meets Rubbo, one of the stronger Pittsburgh boxers.

Pete Updegrave will have a good chance to test his punching skill against a man of his own fighting type when he takes on Jack Schrieker, Panther knockout addict in the 155-pound division. Schrieker has the reputation for packing a wallop and is recognized as the best Pitt boxer. Coach Leo Houck will probably use Tom Slusser in the 165-pound division against the Panthers. Francis Stegel, another knockout specialist, will provide a hard punch to push the bout. Warren Heller, drafted from the

## Steve Hamas Defeats Coast Heavyweight

Steve Hamas '29 added another facet to his many sided gem of a boxing record when he stowed away Almand Emanuel, California heavyweight, in the second round.

In his Los Angeles bout Tuesday, Hamas was favored to down his opponent who has a wide although not sensational reputation in heavyweight circles.

gridiron for serves in light heavyweight circles, is down for the count with a bad cold according to the latest reports. Just who the Panther puncher will be in this class is anybody's guess. Jack Henry seems to be favored for a try at the berth for the Lions.

## I. M. 125-POUNDERS TO ENTER SECOND ROUND OF TOURNEY.

The second round of the intramural boxing tournament will begin Monday, when the survivors of the original entries in the 125-pound class will battle for a try at the finals.

There were fifteen bouts last night, and there will be fifteen more tomorrow afternoon. Fighters must weigh in and present a certificate from the College physician before entering the ring, according to John A. Wood '33, manager.

'35 RIFLEMEN WIN 2 MEETS  
To date, the freshman rifle team has a perfect average for matches fired, having defeated Gettysburg College by 1,245-to-1,200 and the Arch Bridge Rifle club by 3,237-to-3,165.

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