

Sidelines

Russell Van Atta '28, varsity pitcher on the Lion nine for three years, stopped here last week on his way to the training camp of the St. Paul, American Association, baseball team.

Only two of the champions who won their titles here last year will be defending their crowns at the Intercollegiate boxing tournament at Syracuse, March 18 and 19.

A tough assignment faces Pete Updegrave when he steps into the ring against "Niagara Powerhouse" Joe Moran, formerly "Tiger Joe," at Syracuse Saturday.

The Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America, at its meeting Saturday, approved the use of the metric system in case the Amateur Athletic Union should also decide to change.

Coach Andy Kerr, in commenting on his 1932 eleven at Syracuse last week, said that it would be "a typical Colgate eleven, slow in getting started, but at its peak in the November games."

Two all-western Pennsylvania court teams will meet Saturday when the Nittany Lion invades the Panther's lair deep in the hillside under the Pitt Stadium.

When he held down the center position on the Sewickley high school team, Fred Brand and his teammates held the upper hand over their Bellevue rivals, led by Don Smith, brilliant Pitt guard.

Boxers Down Mountaineers, 4-3; Courtmen Drop Pitt Tilt, 36-32

Mitmen Take First 4 Bouts To Defeat W. Virginia Foe

Stoop, McAndrews, Lewis Maintain Undefeated Records—Ralston Wins by Forfeit

By ROBERT T. TSCHAN '33

Squelching the Mountaineers in the first four bouts, the Lion boxers just barely spiked the heavy artillery of West Virginia's well-balanced team 4-to-3 Saturday afternoon.

The meet hinged on Davey Stoop's advancing a weight to defeat the highly touted Mountaineer 125-pounder after three hard rounds. The appearance of Stunkard in the West Virginia lineup



DAVEY STOOP

for the first time this season was one of the surprises of the meet. He is remembered here for his two losing bouts against Lewis in the past two years.

Neely, 135-pounder for the Mountaineers, saw his undefeated record vanish into thin air when Johnny McAndrews let loose on him. Johnny sent a flurry of lefts and several telling rights to gain his decision.

Ed Polak lost to Latham, 165-pound West Virginia boxer, when the fight was stopped early in the second round. Ed was the aggressor in the first

Temple Gym Meet Saturday Cancelled

Lion gymnasts will not compete against the Temple team Saturday because of the leg injury sustained last week by Captain Harry Davidson and the sickness of several other members of the team.

The gymnasium team was swamped 53-to-1, by Army last Saturday in the only other scheduled meet of the season for Penn State's newest sport.

I. M. RING TOURNEY ENDS DEADLOCKED

McMinn of Delta Theta Sigma Downs Chi Upsilon Entry To Register Tie

Officials were in a quandary as Phi Kappa Sigma and Delta Theta Sigma went into a tie for first place honors in an intercollegiate boxing tournament.

The title-holders each had ten points by virtue of having won two first places. Alpha Sigma Phi and Chi Upsilon were second with eight.

Payne of Delta Theta Sigma knocked out Herasimchuk, non-fraternity man, in the second round of the 125-pound battle. Struble of Sigma Phi was third.

Deppen of Phi Kappa Sigma put up a stiff battle in the 145, but lost to the hard-hitting Graham of Alpha Sigma Phi with Smith of Lambda Chi Alpha finishing third.

NAVY OVERWHELMS LION MATMEN, 32-0

Undeclared Records of Maize, Turnbull Broken By Falls On Annapolis Mats

By R. D. HETTEL '33

Severe Navy quavers and a magnificent Naval aggression overthrew the Lions, 32-to-0, on the Annapolis mats Saturday.

Something about the Naval Academy arena seems to shatter the morale of visitors from the Nittany haunts. Perhaps it is the cloud of the persistent victory habit, regarded by midshipmen as their inalienable right, that obscures the bright power of the Lion teams.

Their faces pale and drawn with nervous tension, Spedel's men seemed to lose all heart when the undefeated Captain Maize was thrown in 32 by Maitin, Navy substitute.

Turnbull Thrown The powerful Midshipman White bore down on Ellstrom, nearly throwing the Lion and gaining a time advantage of 8.43, to show his superior strength in the 126-pound bout.

In a split bout, Turnbull was led carefully to a 3 minute time advantage, then willed completely when Loughlin took the upper side.

Ted Reyzbitz, veteran Lion dependent, was completely smothered and nearly thrown by Coleman, a 195-pounder who ranks second only to Don Hooper in the East.

Almsman of the Navy threw J. J. son in 3.6 of a split bout and easily avoided the Lion's attack in the second period. Cole showed tremendous grit and increased wrestling power before he lost a time advantage of 6.22 to Killer Kane of the Navy in the unadmitted section.

Foul Line Defeat

Table with columns: Penn State (2), I.G., F-T, TP. Rows: McFarlane, Thomas, Grand, McMinn, Totals, Pittsburgh (36), Lyons, W. Kowallis, Brown, Schenck, Smith, McCamant, Totals, Referee, Mention, Umpire, DeLoeff.

PANTHER PASSERS WIN CLOSE GAME

Co-Captain Kowallis Lead Team To Hard Fought Victory With 15 Points

By SIDNEY H. BENJAMIN '33

Basketball history might have been written had the Lions not faltered at the foul line Saturday night.

As it was, the Blue and White quintet had its worst night of the season in free throws, converting but two out of the nine chances, and the Panthers were able to romp home triumphantly once more, this time from a 26-to-22 conquest over a Lion team which had outscored them from the floor for the first time in years.

Although the enthusiasm of the thousands who came to bid farewell to the 1932 Nittany five was not rewarded by a Lion victory, the game was a fitting climax to a home season filled with thrilling nip-and-tuck battles. Seven times the score was tied before Willie Kowallis' sharp-shooting led the final Panther tally to success.

Even Score at Half For State, Dave Thomas displayed speed and smart ball-handling which augurs well for future campaigns. The sophomore forward, together with Noisy McFarlane, another Pitt stalwart, flashed the most consistent offensive the Lions have shown since the beginning of the season, cutting in and converting long shots to make the last home appearance this year a memorable one.

While the Panthers were not up to the standard of Pitt teams of recent years, they presented a dangerous pair of forwards in Kowallis and Lawry, and a smooth-working, bewildering offense, which caught the Lions off guard continually at the beginning of the game. By half time, however, Dave Thomas, and Ed McMinn led a little attack of their own to knot the score at 15 all.

RELAY MEN PLACE IN IC 4-A TOURNEY

Hard, Slesky, Hughes, Dunaway Only Lion Runners To Score at New York Saturday

Penn State's 2-mile relay team placed fifth in the annual Intercollegiate Indoor meet in New York Saturday night. The relay team was the only Nittany entrant to score in the meet.

The relay team bettered their previous time for the 2 miles by approximately nine seconds to follow closely New York University, Boston College, Manhattan, and Penn to the finish.

In placing fifth in this event Penn State extended its record of having scored in every IC 4-A indoor meet which has been held. Coach Nate Cartmell entered thirteen Nittany athletes in the meet, which was held at the 258th Armory in New York city. New York University displaced Pennsylvania as indoor collegiate champions, while Harvard placed second and Penn was third.

Plateny athletic managers interested in entering teams in the intramural handball tournament will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight at the Phi Delta Theta house.

Entitles has been set for Thursday night, and competition will begin Monday, according to Arthur E. Phillips '33, tournament manager. Teams are to be composed of two men, with no limit on the number from one unit.

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