

Alpha Chi Sigma To Battle Sigma Phi Epsilon in I. M. Gridiron Final

Tilt Slated for Tomorrow Night at 7:30 Under Arcs; S.P.E. Favored To Triumph

Managers Laurer, Jacobs Predict Close Battle; Both Grooming Their Teams in Pass Defense, Straight Power Plays

Ominous rumblings and dire threats are emanating from the S.P.E. and Alpha Chi Sig lodges as the two clubs enter the final stages of pugnacity in preparation for their onslaught on the Practice Field at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night. The game will decide the winner of the intramural football crown.

When interviewed last night, the managers of the two clubs were very polite. Both pilots Laurer and Jacobs said that they expected a terrific battle, but hinted significantly that the best team would win.

After witnessing both outfits in action in previous games, it would be rather nerve-racking to make any rash predictions, but if a definite stand had to be taken, it would be in favor of the gas-station crew.

This team has been positively impressive in every one of its games, and the way it bowled over the Phi Sigma Delta crew to the tune of 48-to-0 still lingers in our minds as nothing short of a spectacle. On the other hand, the chemists started out rather feebly, and didn't even attract our attention until the semi-finals with the S.A.E.'s. Then they trampled the rugged S.A.E. combination with gusto, and showed signs of even greater potential strength.

The S.P.E.'s have been perfecting their pass defense, and in the game they intend to place all their hopes on straight power plays — no fancy stuff for them. Statistics on the previous Alpha Chi Sig games show that they also definitely shy away from aerial maneuvering, and that they have used three times more line plays than passes and deception plays.

The Sig Eps are relying on Quarterback Tindle and Fullback Turner to execute their line-crushing tactics.

By VANCE PACKARD

And line-men Dewalt and Gobbins are expected to open the biggest holes for this back-field corps. On the other side of the chalk, the chemists are counting on line-men Beall and Jacobs to help spill the Sig Eps' flashes before they can get out of their own backfield. The chemists are depending on Full-back Ricketts with his inimicable end runs, for a nice tidy amount of yardage.

S.P.E.	Alpha Chi Sig
Love	L.E. Prubst
Fisher	L.T. Miller
Robitzer	L.G. Carlson
Wagner	C. Condon
Gobbins	R.G. Beall
Zwicki	R.T. Stratton
Dewalt	R.E. Jacobs
Tindle	Q.B. Goyne
Shipman	L.H. Stemmler
Lyons	R.H. Lewis
Turner	F.B. Ricketts

NAVY SUBMERGED BY LION BOOTERS

McEwan Contributes 3 Tallies, Bielicki 2, in 7-1 Rout of Middies Saturday

By WALT FREUNSCHE

Eleven victory-hungry Lions made short shrift of the Navy booters' hopes for a cruise up Come-back Bay, when they handed them their fourth straight league defeat on New Beaver field Saturday, by the decisive score of 7-to-1.

Bill McEwan was the scoring ace with three tallies, although his play was not as sparkling as it has been, possibly because of that knee trouble. Joe Bielicki drove two past the goal, while Frankie Osterlund and George Corbett tallied a goal apiece. Miller, Navy's inside left, caged the only point for the Middies.

The first period, in fact, the whole game, was marked by State's passing attack, which kept the ball in Navy territory almost all the time. In the second quarter, Ray Bell and Jack Binns mixed their signals, with the result that Bell went much too far out from the goal, allowing Miller to score. Bell later redeemed himself in the tussle, especially in the second period when he fisted a high one on over the goal, and then fisted the subsequent corner kick away from the net to prevent an almost sure goal.

For the Jeffreymen, Osterlund played an outstanding brand of ball throughout, his passing almost making up for his apparent inability or disinclination to score more often. Captain Jack Fletcher and Bill Sutliff did yeoman work in feeding the ball to the line. Sanderson, little tow-hatched outside left for the future skippers, was a spark-plug for his team.

Penn State Will Rely on These Backfield Stars



Captain Merrill Morrison and Al Mikelonis, along with Harry Sigel, will be starting their last game in a Penn State backfield against the Bucknell Bison on Saturday. The other man in the backfield will be Tommy Silvano. Reserves who played much of the game against Lafayette and will probably see action against the Orange and Blue are Lefty Knapp, Bill Cooper and Mike Kornick.

LIONS RALLY LATE IN FRAY TO CRUSH LEOPARDS, 25-TO-6

Fry, Cooper, Morrison Tally in Final Quarter To Overcome Early Lafayette Lead; Squad Drills for Bisons

By DONN SANDERS

Finally finding itself in the last frame, the Nittany Lion eleven came from behind to trample the Maroon of Lafayette, 25-to-6, after trailing in the Leopard for half the game on New Beaver field Saturday afternoon.

With that game in the bag, Coach Bob Higgins is now grooming his proteges for much tougher opposition—Bucknell. The varsity went through the regular drill sessions and will meet the freshman gridder in an open scrimmage on New Beaver field at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. The Bisons, formidable opposition any time, will be on the rebound after their loss to Western Maryland on Saturday.

The Lions played the sloppiest football of the season for about three quarters of Saturday's game, and then turned loose a furious running and passing attack to score twenty-five points on as many plays.

Lafayette scored early in the second period when Stabley, ace half for the Leopards, took one of Mikelonis' punts on his own 26-yard line and raced through the whole Penn State team behind good interference for a touchdown. Nesi's try for the extra point went wide.

The Leopards managed to hold this lead for the next two quarters, chiefly by the punting of Stabley. The Lion backs were unable to get away for any considerable gains and fumbled several times. They scored only five first downs from the time Lafayette scored until the end of the last quarter.

In the third period, the Lion forward wall seemed to find itself. It crashed through to throw the Leopard backs at the line of scrimmage repeatedly. The outstanding men in the line were Lou Kreizman, playing his last home game, Chuck Cherundolo, and Bob Morini, who started at left end in place of Art Fry.

An then the last period started. The Nittanymen had to score even to tie the Maroon. On the second play in the fourth quarter Dick Maurer tossed a pass from the State 41-yard line to Art Fry on Lafayette's 37-yard line. Fry ran the remainder of the distance to the goal unmolested. Coach Higgins sent Cooper to kick the extra point. His attempt went wide.

The next two touchdowns came largely through the efforts of Harry Sigel. He took the ball twenty-three yards to the Lafayette 5-yard line and Bill Cooper took it across on two line bucks. His kick was wide. Cherundolo intercepted a pass a little later and took the ball to the Maroon 22-yard line. Sigel got away for twelve yards and Cooper again took the ball across. Rhoda's kick for the point after touchdown was good.

The Leopards were so bewildered and tired out by the sudden ferocity of the Lion's attack that they offered little resistance.

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WRIGHTING BETWEEN THE LIONS

Fight Slated For "Somewhere In Germany" Will Decide Baer Challenger

By JOHN MILLER

Boxing fans are somewhat bewildered by the action of Steve Hamas, former Nittany Lion athlete, who signed a contract last Thursday to again face Max Schmeling "somewhere in Germany" early in March. It's everything to lose and nothing to gain as far as a shot at Max Baer's chin is concerned.

If Steve wins the bout with the former German champion, his legitimate claim as the outstanding title contender for the heavyweight title would naturally be strengthened, but if he loses it would result in his having to stage a comeback from the bottom of the pile.

Because of Schmeling's unchallenged come-back victory over Walter Nensel, German fans are of the opinion that it will be Hamas and not Schmeling who will get "one of the worst beatings of his career," this time. The recent victory of the former Nittany Lion over Art Lasky at Madison Square Garden makes the oncoming fight all the more attractive to German and American fans.

Where the fight will be held in Germany cannot be determined until Walter Rothenburg, the Hamburg promoter, is able to find a German city that is willing to assist in erecting a temporary hall which would be large enough to accommodate the 25,000 fans expected to witness the battle. None of the present halls in Germany could seat such a crowd.

"Can he do it again?" is the question that is troubling the minds of three and won three games with the Milton club of the Central Pennsylvania League and played in the outfield as a regular assignment. Moonves batted .331 in his first year of pro baseball.

We're still waiting for the gentlemen who wrote us under "a Senator" and "a Freshman" as signatures to send us the correct names as a matter of record so that we may publish their letter as requested.

HAMAS, SCHMELING TO BOX IN MARCH

She-Lions

A 1-to-1 score was the result of the Army-Navy hockey game last Wednesday. It was a fitting end to one of the major events of the hockey season. The teams were closely matched, and playing honors were evenly divided.

The juniors are still favorites for the interclass championship. The game will be played this afternoon, and the sophomores will have a struggle to win the laurels from the 1936 team of championship caliber.

The proposed plan for the basketball season which has been passed by the W.A.A. board, will be voted on by the intramural units during the coming week.

According to the plan, the fifteen intramural units will be divided into two groups, the Blue and the White teams. The units in each group will play other teams in the same group, until each has had a chance to compete. The teams from each group which have won the largest number of games will play one another to determine the intramural champion-ship.

Approximately fifty games will be played in the course of the intramural tournament, and the interclass games will be conducted separately. The point system will be revised to meet the needs of the new system.

Chi Omega forfeited to Delta Gamma, and Theta Phi Alpha defeated Phi Mu, 11-to-8, in the intramural volleyball tournament. Down Town Dormitories also forfeited to Woman's Building.

many ardent supporters of Hamas who fully expected that his next move would be to make it a little hotter for Max Baer than the present situation seems to indicate.

With Steve rated by Rothenburg as the outstanding contender for the heavyweight title, because of his victories over Schmeling and Lasky, and Schmeling as the second outstanding candidate for Baer's shoes, the oncoming battle promises to be the one that will definitely determine the challenger of the present champion.

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