

Cagers Face W. Virginia After 47-19 Win at Rutgers

Mermen Will Meet Pitt, Tech

If that traditional February bogeyman of coaches, in eligibility, doesn't jam the works, Penn State's varsity swimmers will have lost only one man when they leave for Pittsburgh Friday to engage the Terrible Twins, Pitt and Tech, in their respective home tanks over the weekend.

Bob Allison, the lone departure to date, has withdrawn from school. Unless time trials held yesterday, today, and tomorrow radically change the status quo, Coach Bob Galbraith said he would probably start the same lineup which faced Penn against the Panthers Friday and the Tartans Saturday. Both of the Lions' weekend opponents were decisively trimmed

Saturday, but by top-notch teams Tech bowed to Temple 45-30, taking only two out of nine events, while Pitt was trimmed 55-20 as per schedule by Al Patrick & Co. of Ohio State. Coach Galbraith warned that Pitt's defeat by the supermen of Ohio was no criterion of their worth, however.

Lightbody Stars At Net But Lion Stickmen Drop 2

Nittany Goalie Piles Up 60 Saves Over Weekend

Penn State's freshman and varsity ice hockey teams dropped three non-league encounters at Hershey and Princeton over the week-end on their first extended trip of the season.

The varsity skaters were downed, 7-3 by the Hershey Bears, Friday evening and were shutout, 4-0, Saturday afternoon, by a fast skating Princeton Junior Varsity six.

The Lion Freshmen, in their second game of the season, were nipped, 2-1, by the Hershey Arena Juniors in a preliminary game to the varsity tilt.

Standing head and shoulders above the rest of the team in individual achievement was Goalie Larry Lightbody who once more drew the highest acclaim from the spectators for his fine netminding.

Hershey sportswriters commented very favorably on his work there Friday night when he chalked up 17 saves, but the crowd at Princeton was almost overwhelmed with his brilliant saves. At the end of the game it was found the Lion goalie had stopped 43 attempted Orange and Black shots.

In the Beaver Field game with Hershey last week, Lightbody knocked away 27 pucks, and his record the forepart of the season is almost as impressive.

FASTEST HUMAN!



Barney Ewell, Lion national sprint champion, who placed second in the annual Millrose track and held meet in Madison Square Garden on Saturday night. In a preliminary heat Ewell turned the 60-yard dash in 6.2 seconds one-tenth of a second faster than the winning time in the final.

Ewell Takes 2nd In Millrose Dash

Lion Speedster Trails Thompson In Close Run

Facing almost the identical finish that he met last year, Barney Ewell, Nittany speed merchant, ran second to Herb Thompson in the 60-yard dash at the Millrose games in Madison Square Garden Saturday night.

Thompson, conqueror of the dusky Ewell in the same event last year, finished first in 6.3 seconds, with Barney close on his heels. The time, however, was slightly slower than last year, when the New Jersey sprinter nosed out Barney in 6.1, equalling the world's record for that indoor distance.

After a week's respite the Ebony Flash will face another star student in the Penn A C meet in Philadelphia Saturday, when the Nittany Lions will be given a slight test. At least 10 of Coach Chick Werner's lads will test their mettle on the Convention Hall heads. This time the former Lancaster speed boy will face his old high school teammate and present Penn rival, Ed Jungmans, in addition to Johnny Maher, the Villanova sprinter, who pushed Ewell to a new record in the 50-yard dash last year.

Twelve tons of rubbish were removed from the Rose Bowl stadium after the Tennessee-Southern California gridiron battle.

Lion-Mountaineer Tilt Stated Here, 8 P.M. Tomorrow

Christman Not Eligible; Morgantown Team Has 6 Wins, Only 2 Defeats

By BILL FOWLER

Having feasted well on New Jersey meat at the 47-19 Rutgers massacre Saturday, the Nittany Cage Lion will stalk a rugged Mountaineer outfit from the West Virginia hills in Rec Hall at 8 p.m. tomorrow night.

But the Morgantown crew—which has mopped up six adversaries, including Temple and Carnegie Tech, while dropping only two contests—doesn't look like easy pie.

Coach Dyke Raese will bring to town the most formidable aggregation West Virginia has produced in some years. Jim Ruch, Rudy Baric, and co-captain Homer Brooks, three lads who have accounted for 243 of the team's 387 points to date, promise to provide plenty of fireworks in the vicinity of the Lion basket.

Lions Won Last Year

The Mountaineers will be pointing their first victory over the local club since 1937. Last year the Lawther-coached quintet topped the Morgantown cagers twice, 54-40 and 48-43—the latter score climaxing a thrilling battle which went into three extra periods.

The locals will be handicapped by the ineligibility of Dutch Christman, sharpshooting junior forward who contributed mightily to the first semester campaign. In his position Lawther will probably start red-thatched Scott Moffatt whose 16-point spurge helped to sink the Navy two weeks ago.

The game with Connecticut State, scheduled at White Plains, New York, last night, was cancelled due to difficulties of promotion, giving the Nittanymen a rest between their Rutgers and West Virginia clashes.

Barr Features

Not a single point did the Rutgers quintet tally in the first 11 minutes of play as the Lions romped to victory at New Brunswick Saturday night. Sparked by the beautiful ball-handling of pivot man Johnny Barr, the local cagemen monopolized the ball throughout as they ran the half-way count to 20-5.

In the second half the New Jersey team attempted to stop the Pennsylvanians by switching to a zone defense—whereupon Captain Cliff McWilliams tossed in three baskets in a row. Bottled up by an airtight Nittany defense, the New Brunswick lads showed little in the way of offensive punch.

All nine of the Lions who made the trip saw action. Howard Smith, playing his first varsity game at guard, talked twice and showed considerable promise. High scorer for the evening was McWilliams, with 13 points, while Barr garnered 10.

Freshman Gym Team Scuttles Navy Plebes 42-12 As Wolf Takes 3 Firsts

Midshipmen Down Nittany Gymnasts 41-13; Injuries Keep Bordo Out, Terwilliger High Varsity Scorer

By DICK PETERS

While their varsity cousins were forced to swallow a bitter dose of salt water by the Navy varsity gymnasts, 41-13, Gene Wettstone's freshmen acrobats flashed true to form and had the Plebes from Annapolis gulping brine at the termination of activities Saturday afternoon at the Naval Academy by almost duplicating the varsity score, vice versa, 42-12.

John Wolf, taking first places in three events, was chief scuttler of the Navy cause in the freshman meet, while George Terwilliger, scoring six points in gaining second places on the horizontal and parallel bars, turned in the best varsity performance.

The Cub "men of the flying trapeze" might have made their victory even more crushing had they not been without services of Lou

Bordo, star tumbler and horizontal bar performer, who was injured in warming up for the Navy meet. The summaries:

Horizontal bar—Won by Wolf (P. S.), 2.68; Trybala (P. S.) 2.38, second; Blathman (N.), 2.34, third.


Side Horse—Won by Small (P. S.), 2.42; Myers (N.), 2.14, second; Teti (P. S.) 1.97, third.

Parallel bars—Won by Wolf (P. S.) 2.42; Sol Small (P. S.), 2.55, second; Teti (P. S.) 2.40, third.

Flying rings—Won by Wolf (P. S.), 4.71; Small, (P. S.) 4.66, second; Everson (N.) 4.34, third.

Tumbling—Won by Trybala (P. S.), 2.33; Beck (P. S.) 2.25, second; Gregory (N.) 1.88, third.

Rope climb—20 feet—Won by Davis (N.), 5.1; Hand (P. S.), 5.3, second; Cox, (N.) 5.5, third.



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The freshman basketball team will meet Carnegie Tech in Rec Hall at 8:30 tomorrow to attempt a win similar to their triumph over Wyoming Seminary on January 20.

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