

Nittany Courtmen To Face Bisons At Lewisburg Tonight

Between The Lions

WITH DICK PETERS

Just because the name is Bucknell, doesn't mean the Lion cagers will have a firemen's convention at Lewisburg tonight. . . . It'll be much the same Bison five which embarrassed the Nittany aggregation last winter. . . . As for the locals, now that the sophomore nucleus has had its first taste of varsity hoop-sliding, and the veterans have gotten the old feel of the hardwoods, you can look for a more polished performance by John Lawther's boys. . . . Captain Johnny Barr will hit his stride, "Little Miss" Moffatt will be ready, and most-promising-sophomore-prospect Herk Baltimore may click. . . . So if you'll pardon the saying, the Lions should win tonight.

After reading the letter Gates Gajecki got from Andy Kerr the other day concerning the East-West game, this corner is convinced the Lion captain is in for a very, very pleasant trip to the West Coast. . . . Gates will pull anchor Monday, reporting a week from today in Chicago, from which point the assembled East squad will trek to the Coast. . . . The Nittany All-American will travel by train, all expenses paid both ways, staying at the Palace Hotel in Berkeley.

While on the subject of football and Gajecki, the Lion leader was far down on the list of centers released yesterday by the Intercollegiate Sports Writers Association. Mucha of Washington was the first string choice, with Frick of Penn on the second team. . . . Following the Husky pivot star, the next eight center posts were ex-

Gajecki, Vargo, Patrick On All-State Grid Team

Penn State gridgers completely dominated the All-State football team as Leon Gajecki, Tom Vargo and Johnny Patrick were included on an eleven compiled by International News Service after a survey of every college coach in the state.

The first team follows: ends, Len Warner, Penn, and Vargo, Penn State; tackles, Bill Collins, Lafayette, and Alex Schibanoff, Franklin-Marshall; guards, Charles Drulis, Temple, and Ralph Fife, Pitt; center, Gajecki, Penn State; backs: Patrick, Penn State; Frank Reagan, Penn; Andy Tomasic, Temple; and Walter Zirinsky, Lafayette.

Zimmerman To Captain Frosh Gym Squad

Hal Zimmerman was elected captain of the freshman gym team at a meeting recently.

As an athlete at Warren High School, Zimmerman won Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association competition in tumbling in 1939 and 1940, and parallel bars in 1940.

tremely close, Gajecki winding up on the ninth team. . . . Besides Mucha and Frick, Gladchuk, Boston College; Hiemenz, Northwestern; Finneran, Cornell; Shavely, Columbia; Nelson, Baylor; and Apolskis, Marquette beat out the Nittany center. . . . Which proves again the "value" of All-teams.

Doc Speidel up Rec Hall way is holding his yearly wailing sessions on the lack of heavyweight wrestlers. . . . Almost three deep in the lightweight divisions, Doc expects little or no trouble until he has to name someone for the heavy sections, 175 and unlimited.

Same Starting Five Retained By Lawther

The same five players who started against Wash-Jeff, Saturday, were named by Coach John Lawther last night as the starting lineup for the basketball fracas in Davis Gymnasium at Bucknell tonight.

"However, they'll have to play better ball than they did against W&J to win," Lawther said. "The Bisons have ten veterans back plus a star freshman team from last year."

Starting for the Nittany quintet will be Captain Johnny Barr and Johnny Silan on the front line, Herk Baltimore at center, and Dick Grimes and Elmer Gross at the back line positions. Other players making the trip will be Scotty Moffatt, Bob Ramin, Bob Crowell and John Linde.

Bucknell already has one triumph to its credit—a 42-27 shellacking of Elizabethtown. Add to this the fact that the Lewisburg team outscored State by 44-37 last year and it's easily seen that the contest will be no pushover for the Lion courtmen.

Included among the experienced campaigners on the Bison squad are a couple of fast forwards, Nolan and Fahringer, who accounted for 26 points in the 1939 State-Bucknell game. Another player who will need plenty of watching is Glass, a guard, who rang up seven field goals in the Bucknell opener, Wednesday.

Snyder, another starter, was also in the opening lineup last year.

The game tonight will be the first since 1912 which the Lion basketball club has played at Lewisburg.

Probable starting lineups:

Pos.	Penn State	Bucknell
F.	Barr	Nolan
F.	Silan	Fahringer
C.	Baltimore	Armor
G.	Grimes	Snyder
G.	Gross	Baserman

13 Lively Bouts In 4th Intramural Boxing Card Marked By 3 TKO'S

With the finals only six days away—next Tuesday—yesterday's intramural boxing bouts were among the liveliest displayed in four days of boxing in Rec Hall as 13 fights ended in three TKO's and 10 decisions. One bout was forfeited.

The summaries:

Fraternity Division

120-pound class: Mowry Goetz, Alpha Chi Sig, decided Arnie McGill, SPE.

127-pound: Jack McCloskey won by forfeit from George Page, Kappa Sig.

135-pound: Chuck Beatty, Phi Kappa Tau, decided Bob Herrman, Sigma Nu.

145-pound: Taylor, Sigma Nu, TKOed Goodwin, DU; Anthony Decillis, Alpha Phi Delt, decided Bill Faller, Theta Kappa Phi;

Frank Horpel, KDR, decided John Pittenger, PiKA; Garth Deitrick, Phi Delt, decided Charles Flock, TKE.

155-pound: Pat Conlon, Theta Kappa Phi, decided Dick Keller, Sigma Nu; Sullivan, Theta Kappa Phi, TKOed Pennington, Phi Kappa; McCormick, KDR, TKOed Zumbro, Sigma Pi; John Henry, Phi Delt, decided Bob Akins, Delta Chi.

165-pound: George Howard, Delta Chi, decided Bob Gramley, DU; Ray Fox, Theta Kappa Phi, decided Bill Calvert, KDR.

Independent Division

165-pound: John Hussey decided Ben Leaman.

Judges were Major Francis Heraty and Bob Grieves; referees: Danny DeMarino, Red Stanko.



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Matmen Speed Up For Terrapin Tilt

With Charlie Speidel's matmen scheduled to grapple with Maryland January 11, almost immediately after Christmas vacation, the Nittany Lion coach is hurrying training in order to be ready for the Terrapin invasion.

The four class trials for positions in each of the eight weight groups will begin today with interclass finals slated either January 6 or 7.

After losing such varsity grapplers as Captain Ernie Bortz, 175-pound intercollegiate champ, Warren Elliott, heavyweight, Midge King, 121-pound scrapper, and 128-pound Dave Waite, the heavier weights will be harder hit and are left open with no varsity men available.

Captain Frank Gleason, 1939 intercollegiate 136-pound champion who was unexpectedly dethroned by Penn's Bill Levering, will lead the varsity parade. Because either the 145 or 155-pound spot will be open to comparatively green wrestlers, Speidel is planning to use the dependable Joe Scalzo in either weight, depending upon the showing of his reserve material.

Clair Hess, 128-pound, Chuck Rohrer, last year's steady 175-pound grappler, and Glenn Alexander, reserve 155-pounder, complete the experienced personnel.

Only Rohrer, Gleason, and Scalzo seem entitled to hold their positions, which leaves most of this year's mat success falling upon the newcomers, according to Speidel.

Ski Trials Corrected

Places in the downhill ski trials were incorrectly reported in yesterday's Daily Collegian. The correct order: fourth place, Thurs-32.3; sixth place, Goldman, 34.6. ton. 30.8; fifth place, Mendenhall,

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