

Lion Baseballmen Meet Dickinson Red Devils Today

Smarting with the sting of four losses this year, the Nittany baseballmen plan a hot reception for the Dickinson Red Devils when they meet the Lions on Beaver Field at 4 o'clock today.

Coach Joe Bedenk will hurl veteran Jim Richardson against Dickinson's pitching star, Dan Keating, senior, who has won 16 games and lost only 4 in his intercollegiate career.

Dickinson's record so far this season stands at two wins and two losses. The Red Devils edged Bucknell 7-6, and eked out a 10 inning 5-4 decision over Delaware, while dropping games to Elizabethtown, 6-5, and Ursinus, 12-2.

Lineup

Dickinson	Penn State
Bacon, 1b	Ball, 3b
Campbell, 3b	Kolkebeck, cf
Neiman, ss	Ebersole, rf
Rehor, cf	Debler, 1b
Kerfoot, rf	Gates, lf
Marshall, lf	Stauffer, c
Sheppard, c	Sapp, 2b
Heckel, 2b	Thomas, ss
Keating, p	Richardson, p

Intramurals

TENNIS

Finals in the independent league of intramural tennis will be played tomorrow afternoon between Independent No. 2 and the winner of the Forestry Society vs. Watts Hall No. 1 match today. First-round matches in the fraternity league are still underway. Summaries:

Independent League

Quarter finals—Jordan Hall defeated Independent No. 1, 6-1, 6-1; Independent No. 2 defeated Penn State Club No. 1, 6-0, 6-0; Watts Hall No. 2 forfeited to Forestry Society; Watts Hall No. 1 defeated Penn State Club No. 2, 6-4, 6-2.

Semi-finals—Independent No. 2 defeated Jordan Hall, 6-1, 6-4.

Fraternity League

First round—Delta Chi No. 1 defeated Phi Sigma Delta, 6-4, 7-5; Beta Sigma Rho defeated Alpha Zeta, 6-0, 7-5; TKE defeated Kappa Sigma, 6-3, 6-4; DU No. 1 defeated Phi Epsilon Pi, 6-1, 8-6; Beta Theta Pi No. 1 forfeited to Alpha Kappa Pi No. 1; Alpha Sigma Phi No. 1 defeated Tau Kappa Phi No. 1, 6-2, 6-2; Alpha Chi Sigma No. 1 defeated Pi Kappa Phi No. 1, 6-2, 6-2; ATO No. 1 defeated Pi KA No. 1, 6-2, 8-6.

DU No. 2 forfeited to Alpha Kappa Pi No. 2; Chi Phi defeated Sigma Phi Alpha, 6-4, 6-4; Phi Kappa Psi defeated AGR 6-3, 2-6, 6-4; Sigma Nu forfeited to Beaver House; Sigma Phi Sigma No. 1 forfeited to Delta Sigma Phi No. 1; DTD No. 1 defeated KDR No. 1, 6-1, 6-2; Phi Kappa Tau forfeited to Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Trackmen Face Pitt In East's Best Meet

Penn State sport fans will have the opportunity of witnessing the best track meet in the East this Saturday, according to Coach Chick Werner. With a setting of old and intense rivalry, the Pitt Panthers will run, jump, heave and hurdle against the Nittany trackmen on New Beaver Field at 2 p. m.

State's Barney Ewell and Pitt's Carter and Stickle will make up what Werner believes to be the fastest sprint field to ever run on our track. Ewell was second in last weekend's Penn Relays with Carter right behind him at third.

Every preparation is being made to make official any records that might be broken Saturday. Pitt was last year's IC4A winner and Penn State came in second, but to even up their chances, the Lions placed third in the NCAA track tourney.

Courtmen Blank Gettysburg, 9-0

The Nittany Lion tennisers annexed their second straight victory yesterday afternoon by blanking the Gettysburg Bullets, 9-0, without dropping a single set.

Coach Ted Roethke's only change in the line-up was a switch in the first and second doubles combines. Captain Mac Weinstein teamed with Don Parker at the No. 1 position, and Del Hughes and Bill Lundelius were at No. 2.

In the first singles contest Weinstein easily outplayed Taintor Smith, visitor from the battlefields, 6-2, 6-0. Also dropping only two games was Don Parker at No. 2, who eased through over Bill McKee, 6-1, 6-1.

Playing third for the Lions, veteran Del Hughes had little trouble in stopping Quent Garman 6-1, 6-3, and Chuck Bowman lost only one game in his fourth match against Dick Richards, 6-0, 6-1.

The Nittanymen will take to the road for the first time this Saturday when they travel to Syracuse to face a strong squad of Orange netmen.

The summaries: Weinstein (S) defeated Smith, 6-2, 6-0.

Parker (S) defeated McKee, 6-1, 6-1.

Hughes (S) defeated Garman, 6-1, 6-3.

Bowman (S) defeated Richards, 6-0, 6-1.

Lundelius (S) defeated Myers, 6-1, 6-4.

Knobe (S) defeated Shumaker, 6-1, 9-7.

Weinstein and Parker (S) defeated Smith and Shumaker, 6-4, 6-2.

Hughes and Lundelius (S) defeated Myers and Garman, 6-2, 6-3.

Bowman and Davis (S) defeated McKee and Richards, 6-0, 7-5.

Lions Outclassed 17-8 By Syracuse Stickmen

His Boys Win



"Doctor" Leo Houck, above, who in the minds of Lion fans is usually associated with boxing, coached his yearling baseballers to a 9-5 victory over Kiski Prep yesterday.

Syracuse Offense Too Strong For Thielmen

Throttled by the Orange high-powered offensive attack, a hard fighting Nittany lacrosse team dropped their fourth straight game of the season to Syracuse, 17-8, on New Beaver Field yesterday.

Jimmy Ritter with 3 goals and Captain Bud Dattlebaum, in home, with 3 tallies were the only State stickmen able to find the range of the Orangemen. Despite the splendid goal-tending of Nittanyman Mort Saler, Syracuse managed to keep jumps ahead of the Lions throughout the game.

Several times the Nittanymen found scoring opportunities but because of poor passing failed to tally. Sophomore Bobby Koch and little Jimmy Riddell tossed one goal each into the Orange netting for State's remaining two points.

The Orangemen led by a sparse 7-4 edge at the half, but went on a scoring spree in the third quarter to pile up eight points to the Lions' solitary one. In a nip-and-tuck fourth period the Nittanymen displayed a sudden spurt of lacrosse power to score three times, but the final gun found them trailing the Orange 17-8.

Orangemen Ken Malloy and Laurie Nigro paced their teammates by each scoring four points. Every attack man on the Syracuse team was able to tally one or more goals.

Lion Coach Nick Thiel, former Syracuse All-American, has bowed once more to his own college coach Roy Simmons. With yesterday's defeat, the count in the seven-year sports rivalry between the two mentors stands 5-2 favor Simmons.

The Nittany Lions aren't the only victims to fall before the Orangemen's thundering assault. Last Saturday, Syracuse snapped Cornell's five-game winning streak with a 15-9 upset.

The lineups:

Syracuse	Penn State
I. H.—Burdick	Dattlebaum
O. H.—Ritch	Riddell
F. A.—Malloy	Koch
S. A.—Nigro	Ritter
C.—Steinberg	Blair
S. D.—Morrison	Campbell
F. D.—Eek	Henning
C. P.—Bond	Ziegenfus
P.—Sugarman	Gotwalls
G.—Anderson	Saler

Score by quarters:

Syracuse 4 3 8 2—17
Penn State 2 2 1 3—8

Goals: Penn State—Ritter 3, Dattlebaum 3, Koch 1, Riddell 1. Syracuse—Malloy 4, Nigro 4, Ritch 3, Morrison 2, Burdick 1, Steinberg 1, Murray 1, Cunningham 1.

Substitutions: Penn State—Bitner, Koch, Lockwood, McHugh; Rice, Singley, Henderson. Syracuse—Boggs, Cunningham, Fellows, Jacobus, McQueen, Murray, Rich, Cooper, Anderson. Referee: Carl Ferris.

Frosh Baseballers Top Kiski Prep Nine 9-5 In Season's Opener

Leo Houck's frosh baseballers opened their season yesterday afternoon by mowing down Kiski Prep's nine by a 9-5 count in a game decided in the early innings.

The yearling Lions practically clinched the game in the first inning by tallying four runs. Second baseman Ed Lucas and shortstop Ed Sebastianelli singled in succession and were forced around the bags when Kiski twirler Hasselman walked four men and was touched for another single by catcher Jim Romberger.

Houck's diamondmen continued their run producing in the second inning, bringing three more runs across on Sebastianelli's walk and doubles by Jack Burford and Bill Sidler.

KISKI	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Blanchard, ss	5 1 0 0 2 0
Fullerton, cf	2 2 2 0 2 1
Merritt, 3b	2 1 0 5 1 0
Hasselman, p	3 0 2 2 0 0
Rogan, 2b	3 0 0 2 1 0
Semelko, lf	3 0 0 3 1 0
Brown, c	4 0 0 5 0 0
Utz, 1b	4 1 2 6 0 0
Negus, rf	3 0 1 1 0 0
Totals	29 5 7 24 7 1

STATE	A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Lucas, 2b	5 1 1 2 3 1
Sebastianelli, ss	3 3 3 3 1
Burford, cf	2 2 1 3 0 0
Sidler, 3b	5 1 2 2 0 0
Greene, lf	2 1 1 1 0 0
Shaffer, rf	3 1 2 0 0 0
Germain, 1b	2 0 0 8 0 1
Romberger, c	4 0 1 7 0 0
Stover, p	4 0 0 1 8 0
Totals	30 9 11 27 14 3

Between The Lions

With PAT NAGELBERG

Why Spring Football?

It's ninety in the shade, all the dubbers are out wrecking Bob Rutherford's spacious lawn, and it's only 157 days 'till the Lions open their 1941 gridiron campaign with Colgate's Red Raiders on October 4. You've probably guessed it, the heat got us, and spring and sweaters notwithstanding, we're going to give you our expert opinion (backed by five years of bench warming) on the forthcoming football wars.

What made us take this out-of-season prospective, when daisy picking and shorts are in style, is the climax to the Higmen's spring practice sessions Saturday afternoon. Just like all other football followers around these hills, we bemoaned the gapping holes left in the Lions' lineup by the outgoing seniors and were all ready to throw in the towel when the Duquesne powerhouse eleven would riddle our supposedly weak forward wall.

Well, we're sorry to disappoint you all but the 1941 football edition to wear the White and Blue will do all right by us. To everyone's great amazement (we suspect Bob Higgins' too), an eager squad of up and coming sophomores, ably supported by several season campaigners like Captain Len Krouse, Pepper Petrella, Bill Smaltz and Sparky Brown, tore into the Dukes with vengeance and before the game was more than half over, piled up a commanding 18-0 lead.

Let Boys Have Fun

True, the Nittanymen cooled off somewhat after this and permitted the visitors to deadlock the count before the final gun sounded. But for that, Duquesne can thank Bob Higgins and his generosity. The Hig evidently thought more of giving his entire squad the experience of playing against a standout opponent than chalking up a meaningless victory, which he could have easily done.

It's very refreshing in these days of cut-throat competition, on and off athletic fields, to find one big time coach who places sportsmanship and conditioning of his boys on such a high level. After watching your sophomores filling in your so-called weak spots, Bob, we're willing to bet the Lions' opposition this fall is in for several unpleasant afternoons.

Which brings us to one of our pet peeves, namely, spring football. Too bad all coaches can't get together and abolish this practice brought about by the pressure of big gate receipts. Everyone would be just as well off in the end and the boys could take life easy like the rest of us. Or does spring football come under the heading of national defense.

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