

## Injury May Keep Ewell From AAU Fray Saturday

Cut from competition in Saturday's NCAA meet in Lincoln, Neb., by a pulled muscle suffered as he stepped over the takeoff board in a broad jump trial, Barney Ewell's condition was still questionable yesterday as he made the trip from Lincoln with Coach Chick Werner and Barney Plesser, the other Lion entry in the meet.

Unless the injury, considered rather serious immediately after it happened Friday afternoon, heals quickly, the Lion flash will be unable to compete in the National AAU meet in New York this Saturday, his last competition before entering the Army.

In the event that the injury does not heal enough to let him take part in this meet, he will have lost all chance to show his skill against Hal Davis, University of California sprinter, and to try again to break the jinx of their two-year-old rivalry.

Davis, after Ewell's withdrawal from the meet Saturday, easily won both the sprint events which were to be the "sprint of the century" as these two speed merchants battled it out for the next to the last struggle of their college careers.

If the Lion speed man can recover fully from his injury in time to train some this week, he will probably give the westerner a hard battle even though he will be running under great odds. Oddly enough, this injury which may mean so much to him, was Barney's first in his long track career.

Repeating for the eighth year in a row, Southern California captured team honors with 85½ points, followed by Ohio State with 44. Individual honors went to Davis and Bob Wright, Ohio State, with two firsts each.

The only Eastern titlist of the meet was big Al Blozis, Georgetown, who took the shot put for the third year in a row. Les Mac-Mitchell, NYU distance man, rated as near the top among the mile run contenders, drew his first NCAA defeat as he took third in the mile behind Bob Ginn, Nebraska, and Leroy Wood, California.

### At The Movies

**CATHAUM:**  
"The Big Shot"

**STATE:**  
"Remember Pearl Harbor"

## South Gains 5-1 Win In USO Stick Game; Gotwals, Mitchell Star

Gaining a 5-1 victory over Coach Nick Thiel's All-Star North lacrosse team in a short 25-minute exhibition scrimmage played Sunday at Gene Tunney's USO Sports Carnival in New York City's Polo Grounds, the South got some consolation for their earlier defeat in the regular post-season game.

Jim Gotwals and Tom Mitchell, Penn State stick stars who represented the Lions on the All-Star North team, played outstanding games for the losers, according to Coach Thiel, head mentor this year for the Atlantic seaboard champions.

The outcome of Sunday's battle has no bearing upon the regular series between the North and the South teams. Coach Thiel's Northern squad holds a one-game advantage over the South by virtue of a 6-3 win over the South in the regular game.

Among the many attractions at the Sports Carnival were a four-round boxing match between Corp. Joe Louis and a sparring partner, Donald Budge in a tennis exhibition, and an Army-Navy baseball game. Bob Feller and Hank Greenberg played in this game which the Navy won.

## Barna, Ott Lead In 6-2 Victory

Manager Mel Ott and Babe Barna hit homers in the ninth inning of yesterday's only afternoon encounter in the major leagues to wallop the Pirates by a 6-2 margin. Hal Schumacher was the winning pitcher and Max Butcher the loser. Barna had a double and triple in addition to his game-winning round tripper.

Although Joe Gordon failed to hit any of Johnny Niggeling's slants in the nightcap of the New York-St. Louis doubleheader and brought his 29-game hitting streak to an end, the New York Yankees copped two games by 6-1, 5-4 scores to sweep their Sunday bargain bill with the Browns.

Meanwhile, Boston's Fenway Park saw the Redsox whipping the Detroit Tigers 3-2, 2-1 to stretch their winning streak to eight and stay an even 9½ games behind the league-leading Yankees. Ulysses Lupien, Harvard-trained replacement at Jimmy Foxx's first base post, knocked in the winning runs in both games.

Lou Boudreau's Cleveland club split even with the A's, 8-3, 1-5, while the Chicago Whitesox were

## Sixteen Fraternity Teams Start IM Mushball Games

### 8 Independent Squads Clash Over Weekend

Fraternity league competition in IM mushball was initiated last night as 16 teams broke the ice in closely-contested matches that saw considerable action. Over the weekend, eight independent teams slugged it out on the diamond.

Matills continued undefeated in the Independent league by outscoring Irvin Hall, 9 to 4. Serago again led the victors, scoring seven strike outs. Tie at the end of the fourth inning, Matills quickly pushed across 5 runs to sew up the game.

Showing unlimited hitting power, Jordan Hall blasted their dorm mates, Watts Hall, 15 to 2, behind the slugging power of Lou Palazzi, who hit successfully 3 for 3, two of them homers. Winning pitcher, Batz; losing pitcher, McGill.

Perennial champs, the Canal Street Firehouse put out the boys from the Miller Club to the tune of 11 to 3. Cohen, Silan, and Borsa hit 3 for 4, while Borsa limited the Millerites to 4 scattered hits. A double play by the Firemen, Rabinowitz to Silan, hastened the Miller Club's downfall. Losing pitcher, Long.

Failing to show up for their scheduled game, the Penn State Club again forfeited, this time to the Electric Diner team.

In last night's fraternity battles, Alpha Sigma Phi nosed out the Beta Sigma Rho contenders in a close match, 9 to 8. The wild slug fest saw the Alpha Sigs hit 18 times to the Beta Sig's 8. Winning pitcher, Schrom; losing pitcher, Warschal.

Alpha Chi Rho defaulted to the Beaver House, while Alpha Phi Delta won on a forfeit from Alpha Chi Sigma.

Leventhal's home run with the bases loaded provided the punch that enabled Pi Lambda Phi to romp home victors over Gamma Sigma Phi, 11 to 8. The Pi Lams squeezed 11 runs out of 13 hits, while Gamma Sig garnered 8 runs from 11 hits. Rothberg was the winning pitcher.

Led by batteries, Mattern and Masseh, Sigma Nu eked out a 9

slugging out 9-3, 11-4 victories over the Washington Senators.

In the older circuit the St. Louis Cardinals picked up a full game in the standings by walloping the Phils 9-1 in the opener and squeezing out a 6-5 victory in the nightcap on their Sportsmen's Park diamond. The Brooklyn Dodgers split with the Cincinnati Reds as Whit Wyatt limited McKechnie's outfit to three hits in the opener and Rookie Ray Starr took his eighth victory against two defeats by shading the league leaders, 2-1.

Pittsburgh's Pirates split with the Giants, 3-4, 8-3 in their bargain bill Sunday afternoon and Chicago permitted the Boston Braves to halt their 12-game losing streak after they lost the opener, 6-8.

### Standings Today

American League				
	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	41	13	.759	....
Boston	32	23	.582	9½
Cleveland	31	28	.525	12½
Detroit	31	30	.508	13½
St. Louis	28	32	.467	16
Philadelphia	25	37	.403	19½
Chicago	22	33	.400	20
Washington	22	36	.379	21

National League				
	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Brooklyn	38	15	.717	....
St. Louis	32	20	.615	5½
Cincinnati	29	27	.518	10½
New York	30	28	.517	10½
Chicago	28	31	.475	13
Pittsburgh	27	30	.473	13
Boston	27	35	.435	15½
Philadelphia	16	41	.281	24

## Lion Nine Drills For Colgate

Bill Debler, captain of the 1942 baseball team, is confined to the infirmary with a foot ailment as the Nittany nine prepares to take the road Thursday for Hamilton, N. Y., where Colgate University will provide the opposition in two games Friday and Saturday.

According to information from the infirmary, the Lion first baseman will be released either late today or tomorrow and will probably be able to play in the Colgate game.

Meanwhile, the athletic committee in charge of schedules and eligibility, is scheduled to meet at 11 o'clock this morning to decide whether or not Summer schedules in all sports will be considered separate seasons. It is expected the group will rule the Summer contests to stand as informal additions to the regular Spring card.

Only player on the baseball team involved, as far as eligibility is concerned, is Debler. A first baseman, Debler had been playing in the outfield during practices to give sophomore Jack Weber experience.

Although George MacWilliams is the only regular catcher back, Sandy Bittings was converted from an outfield post and is doing a good job behind the plate.

Dale Bower is shaping up at second base, with Maurice Posner and Bill Sidler providing competition and trying out at shortstop where Whitey Thomas has a virtual monopoly. Gene Sutherland has good chances at third, while Don Sandercock is pushing him for the post.

In the outfield are ex-pitcher Ed Tuleya, Jack Burford, Bob Vail, John Bennett, John Sylvester, Bill Grimes, Bill Debler, and Bob Perugini.

to 8 victory over Phi Kappa Psi. Minnick was the strong man for the losers, hitting 3 for 4, but the Phi Psis couldn't overcome Sigma Nu's early lead. Morgan was the losing pitcher.

Another closely-fought contest saw Beta Theta Pi bow before the superior defense of Phi Sigma Kappa when they pulled up to within one run of the Phi Sigs in the last inning. Winning pitcher, McLane; losing pitcher, Giles.

"Big Mike" Kerns pitched Delta Upsilon to a 15 to 6 walk away from Phi Kappa Sigma, aided by the infield play of Barbara and Hannan. Scoring all their runs in the fourth and fifth frames the Phi Kappa's were never even close. Losing pitcher, Osborne.

In a free-scoring game that saw Phi Delta Theta score at will, Sigma Phi Alpha went down to defeat, 22 to 1. Hank Yeagley pitched a 2-hitter for the Phi Deltas, aided by the 4 for 4 hitting of Moriarta. Folwell was the losing pitcher.

### Today's Schedule of Games: Fraternity League 5 p. m.

Alpha Chi Sigma vs. Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Tau Kappa Epsilon vs. Pi Lambda Phi

Delta Chi vs. Beta Sigma Rho

Theta Chi vs. Phi Delta Theta

### Independent League 7 p. m.

Watts Hall vs. Canal Street Firehouse

Jordan Hall vs. Irvin Hall

Miller Club vs. Electric Diner

Matill's vs. Penn State Club

All teams entered in the Mushball League must fill out the tally sheets in their entirety if they wish the scores to be published. Full results will be printed whenever space permits.

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