

Higgins Tackles Task Of Rebuilding Lion Team

The Nittany Lions' chances of chalking up another successful season are still unpredictable as football practice enters its third week.

Never before has Head Coach Bob Higgins been faced with the problem of rebuilding an entire team, line and backfield, from a squad whose talents are yet to be proved.

Practice sessions so far have consisted of passing, running, and blocking drills and wind sprin's, although light scrimmages Tuesday and Thursday indicate that the routine will be intensified next week.

The five returning lettermen, Sparky Brown, John Jaffurs, Aldo Cenci, Red Moore, and Bobby Williams give Higgins some foundation for the 1943 Lion team but fashioning a smooth running combination from candidates who have been drawn from 10 or 12 colleges isn't an easy assignment.

Skull practice for the squad is held every day in the Little Theater by Higgins and his staff to outline and explain in detail just how Penn State will cope with its opponents this year.

The roster of football candidates includes: Agnane, Allworden, Accrocco, Berry, Bishop, Blank Brown, Cauffman, Czekaj, Culver, Cenci, Castignola, Chabek, Diefenderfer, Dunlap, Demeter, Davis Falkowitz, Fugate, Goldinger, Graham, Hibner, Hapanowicz, Hardy, Howard, Hadorn, Hautsner, Jaffurs, Jackson Jones, Kyle, Klausung, Kozuck, Knozen, Kennedy, Lafleur, Langlieb, Marchi, McCloskey, Mariades, Moore, Misiewicz, Mouch, Maloney, McGuire, Olshefsky, Pollock, Plonski, Peters, Powers, Robb, Ross, Richards, Slater, Stapel, Slobodniak, Schleifer, Smyth, Sisler, Terzi, Trumbull, Williams, Wolf, Weber Wallace, Zeffiro, Zoul.

Co. D Wins In ASTP Ball Game

Company D, comprised of ROTC and ASTP engineers, defeated Company C of the ASTP by a score of 9-7 in a baseball game that was deadlocked in a tie in the ninth inning and completed in the tenth.

Team lineups and scores are as follows:

Company C		Ab.	R.	H.
Lurie	4	0	0	1
Lauman	4	1	1	1
Elliot	3	2	2	1
Arnold	4	1	1	1
Fries	4	0	1	1
Emden	4	1	0	0
Cambell	4	1	1	1
Weiss	4	0	0	0
Brown	4	0	0	0
Sprague	3	1	0	0
Prusak	2	0	0	0
	40	7	6	

Company D—ROTC & Engineers		Ab.	R.	H.
Filo, c	5	1	1	1
Smith, 1b	5	1	2	1
Yonkers, 3b	5	1	1	1
Briner, lf	5	3	2	2
Bodina, sc	4	0	1	1
Kurlie, rf	4	0	0	0
Holbrook, cf	4	0	0	0
Kaiser, 2b	4	1	1	1
Ranck, p	4	1	1	1
Morningstar, ss	4	1	1	1
	44	9	10	

Company D	123	110	000	2-9
Company C	102	013	000	0-7

Soccer Team Upsets Ensigns In Every Game Of Navy-Varsity Series

Judging from the results of the series of scrimmages with the Naval Ensigns, this year's soccer team will measure up to Bill Jeffrey's high standards. The varsity swept the Navy off its feet by capturing every contest in the series of five.

Standout performers in these scrimmages were Jake Lombana, All-American performer last fall, Jim Atherton, Ramzi Gurcay, Sam Schure, and Frank Klase, John Wrynn, Bill Shellenberger, Mark Frederick, and Ted Reichwein, all of V-12 on campus.

State's soccer squad moved into heavy drill this week with newly issued equipment. A group of 30 booters is diligently preparing for the season's opening clash with Cornell early in October by daily practice sessions on the golf course field.

Scheduled contests with Bucknell and Cornell, whose squads will be bolstered by large V-12 units, will be highlighted by V-12 as well as intercollegiate rivalry. Veterans of last year's squad will be out for revenge when State meets Temple, our only conqueror last year, in the season's finale.

WESTMINSTER FOUNDATION BULLETIN BOARD

REV. REX STOWERS CLEMENTS of the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church Will be Guest Speaker at Westminster Foundation Sunday Morning—9:30

Tennis Tourney Scheduled Golf Tourneys Begin For Servicemen, Students

An all-independent tennis tournament has been scheduled for the week of Sept. 7, according to Charles Aikman, in charge of the competition.

Special emphasis was placed on the fact that the tournament is not only for men in organized houses, but also for any independent man. However, no more than three persons can enter from one house in the singles matches, and not more than two doubles from one house. No entrance fee will be required. Anyone who is interested must contact Chuck Aikman from August 30 to Sept. 2 between 7-9 o'clock during these days. Telephone 2084.

Cross-Country Runners Service Golfers Compete; Student Tourney To Open

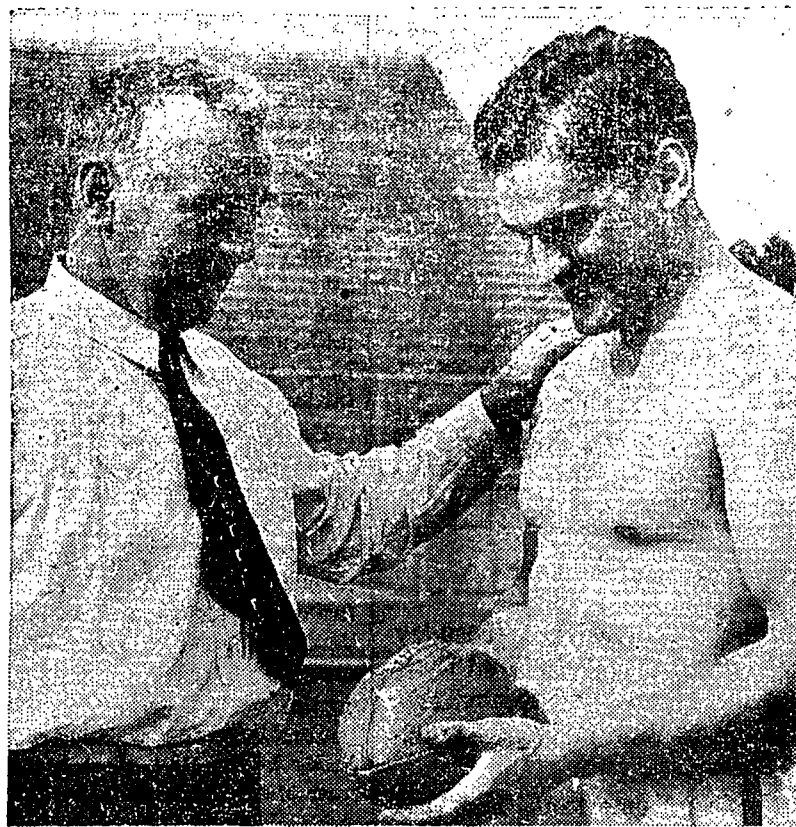
CROSS CNRY—LUK acks...631- Civilian and service candidates for cross-country running are requested to report to Stu Block, manager, at the Water Tower at 4:30 any afternoon, after first securing physical examinations from the College Health Service, Room 3, Old Main.

Regular practices will begin Monday, August 30. Johnny Hermanies, miler and two miler of last season is expected to shine. The season schedule is:

Oct. 9—Manhattan at State College; Oct. 16—Cornell at Ithaca; Nov.—IC4-A championships at Van Courtlandt Park, N. Y.

Call For Assistants

Freshmen and upperclassmen who are interested in becoming assistant managers in cross country should see Stu Block, manager, at the Water Tower any afternoon at 4:30.



Coach Bob Higgins cast a satisfied glance in Ensign John Petty's direction when the former Purdue and Chicago Bears fullback reported for football practice at the College. Petty will assist the coaching staff while completing a special course in diesel engines.

V-12 Sports News

V-12 softball play-offs swing into their final weeks of play as Barracks 13 led Barracks 9 for the On-Campus honors while the teams from Barracks 20 and Barracks 41 were tied for leadership in the Off-Campus league at week's end.

Navy and Marine men were also active on the tennis courts and golf links. Three men from Barracks 29 and two each from Barracks 20 and Barracks 9 prevailed in the first round of the V-12 tennis tourney.

Sixteen golfers will vie for honors in the first 18-hole round of the golf round-robin tournament Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

Barracks 13 vs Barracks 37
Aided by four errors, Barracks 13 league-leaders pounced on Barracks 37 for three markers in the first inning and were never headed as they chalked up their fourth, straight victory. Durkee, Crawford, and Early each got life on errors and Chekaj fouled out, but Castignola slammed a ball to left for a single to shove his mates across the plate. Barracks 13 got only four hits off Whitey Kirk while the losers touched Arndt for a meager two.

Barracks 9 vs Barracks 24
Meanwhile Barracks 9 kept their second place spot by knocking off Barracks 24 by a 5-1 count. Smith allowed the losers one hit to bring the three game total of hits off him to a sparse six. On the scoring side, Barracks nine picked up two runs in the first on three walks and a single and came back in the third to gather up three more on two errors, a walk and a single.

Barracks 24 vs Barracks 26
After forfeiting a game to Barracks 36, Barracks 26 came back to lose a close one—their fifth defeat in a row—to Barracks 24. The boys from 26 led up until the last of the fifth when Bisbe and Baum accounted for two runs to give the decision to Barracks 24.

Barracks 37 vs Barracks 36
Finding their hitting eyes, Barracks 37 scored two runs in the first frame, picked up two more in the third and tagged home for four in the fourth to outscore Barracks 36, 8-4. Barracks 36 got one in the second, another in the third and two in the fourth for their four counters. Keefe and Kirk got two bingles apiece for the winners.

ON-CAMPUS LEAGUE

Barracks 13	4	0	1.000
Barracks 9	3	0	1.000
Barracks 37	2	2	.500
Barracks 24	1	2	.333
Barracks 36	1	2	.333
Barracks 26	0	5	.000

OFF-CAMPUS LEAGUE

Barracks 20	2	0	1.000
Barracks 41	2	0	1.000
Barracks 29	1	0	1.000
Barracks 22	1	2	.333
Barracks 62	0	1	.000
Barracks 35	0	3	.000

Batting:

Padakovich, -Bar.	35	4	5	.800
Price Barracks 26	6	8	.750	
Slonackev, Barracks 22	4	6	.667	
Czekaj, Barracks 13	6	10	.600	
Ryan, Barracks 41	4	7	.571	

Twelve games were played off in the first round of the tennis tourney, under the direction of Lieut. T. F. Coleman, Navy sports head, and G. E. Bischoff, Physical Education instructor.

Barracks 29 placed White, Wiley and Trumbauer in the second round to take the lead. Hamilton and Patterson from Barracks 9 won their matches while Barracks 20 also took two places as Fink and Duff came through with victories.

Other winners were Lippman, Barracks 37, Krause, Barracks 36, Smith, Barracks 41, Annis, Barracks 13, Levin, Barracks 62.

On the Swimming Front
Chief Belders tells us that the big inter-service meet, run off between the Navy and Marine men during the regular swimming hours, resulted in a victory for the Marine Corps by the total score of 813 to 777. The 32 separate meets between Advanced, Intermediate and Beginners' classes included competition in, underwater swimming, backstroke, side stroke, free style and relays.

Service Groups Battle In Boxing Finale Tomorrow

By Rem Robinson, A/S, USNR

Penn State's first major engagement of the war will get the starting whistle in Rec Hall tomorrow night at 7 o'clock, when finalists from the Navy, Marine, ROTC, and ASTP boxing teams slug it out for crowns in the All-Service boxing tourney.

Pvt. Sam Harry, All-College boxing champ last semester, and co-captain of the varsity wrestling team, will lead the ROTC pack into the tourney, when he meets Seaman Art Lorenz, Navy 135-pounder, in the first bout on the card. Last week, Harry scored a TKO over Pvt. Cy Ivory of the Marine Corps, to gain a notch in the finals. Lorenz took a decision from the ASTP entry, Bill Cline, at the same time.

In the next fight, the ROTC, piloted by former intercollegiate champ Jack Grey, will send Pvt. Lennie Catanosa through the ropes to meet either Pat Colella or Garland White in the 145-pound go. Both of his possible opponents are ASTP entries, and must eliminate tonight to see which man gets the nod to fight the ROTC winner. In the semi-finals last week, Catanosa punched a well-earned victory from Navy boxer, Ed Ferranto.

Another ASTP-ROTC battle will be in the 155-pound class, where Will Carmean meets Harry Philo, ASTP representative. In last Saturday's eliminations, Carmean took a TKO win from Leatherneck Dave Kelley, Marine welterweight.

In the 165-pound bout, fans will see the battle of the V-12 training group, when Seaman Chuck Lake meets Marine Pvt. Mike Sweeney, in the only bout of the night between the two services. Lake advanced to the finals by whipping Pvt. Charles Kaveny of the ROTC, in the semi-finals. Mike Sweeney also won his notch in the title bout last week, when he pounded Pvt. Cliff Nilsson to a decisive victory.

ROTC trainee Sid Cohen, meets ASTP Pvt. George Purnell in the final bout of the tourney, where both khaki-clad teams hope to add the heavyweight crown to their booty for the round-robin. Cohen out-smarted Pvt. J. Vender of the Marine Corps in the semi-finals last Saturday, while Purnell drew a bye for the eliminations.

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