

Nittany Courtmen Top Bisons, 58-33

Using their height and a perfected zone defense to good advantage Penn State trounced the Bucknell basketball team on the Rec Hall court, Wednesday evening, 58-33. A well-balanced offense led by Dick Light and Wally Hatkevich gave State a lead, which the visitors never threatened.

The Bisons started the game rolling after 50 seconds of play when Frank Haas converted a free throw but Hatkevich came back with a field goal immediately. With that, State's scoring streak started as Batnick, Simon, Light, and Currie in succession followed with quick field goals.

The man-to-man and the 2-1-2 defense of the orange-clad visitors didn't trouble the Lawthermen. They used the 2-3 zone defense throughout the game which prevented Bucknell from scoring from the field until eight minutes of the first quarter had elapsed.

At the start of the second quarter, with a 19-5 score against them, Bucknell extended their defense to cover both the forecourt and the backcourt and maintained it for the remainder of the game. Dick Light continued to break through the Orange defense with his fakes, pivots, and dribbling.

Woody Ludwig's Bisons came to life at the beginning of the second half and outscored the Lions in the third quarter by one field goal and a free throw making the third quarter score 41-25 in State's favor.

The accelerated pace was kept up by both teams through the last quarter but both teams suffered player losses on fouls. Haas and Fleuchaus were fouled out for Bucknell and Hatkevich for State. Substitutes played out the remaining minutes and rolled the score up for the third Lion victory of 58-33.

The Lawthermen's next game will take them to Allentown on January 5 for a return engagement with Muhlenberg who handed the Lions their worst defeat of the current season.

The Box Score

Penn State	G	F	P
Light, f	5	2	12
Simon, f	2	2	6
Zagoudis, f	1	1	3
Russell, f	0	0	0
Denniston, f	0	0	0
Waldorf, f	0	0	0
Currie, c	2	7	7
Funk, c	0	0	0
Nugent, g	1	0	2
Hatkevich, g	4	6	14
Batnick, g	4	0	8
Rusiniko, g	1	0	2
Pfirman, g	1	0	2
Masticola, g	0	0	2
Totals	22	14	58

Bucknell	G	F	P
Wilson, f	3	2	8
Mazery, f	0	0	2
McGinn, f	1	0	2
Jest, f	0	0	0
Trainer, f	1	3	5
Fleuchaus, c	1	4	6
Edmunds, c	0	1	1
Hess, g	2	2	6
Seel, g	0	2	2
Katzelas, g	1	0	2
Edgcomb, g	0	1	1
Totals	9	15	33

Half-time score—Penn State 30, Bucknell 11.
Fouls missed—Penn State: Light 3; Simon 2; Currie 2; Hatkevich 2; Russell; Bucknell: Wilson 2; Fleuchaus 2; Trainer; Frazier 2.
Personal fouls—Penn State: Simon 3; Currie 4; Hatkevich 5; Batnick; Denniston 2; Nugent; Bucknell: Wilson 2; Joest; Fleuchaus 5; Hess 5; Seel 2; McGinn; Trainer; Johnson.
Officials: Melman and Klinzing.

A dentist advertises to exchange dental work for groceries. He apparently intends to fill the bill.

Veteran Smith Rejoins Boxers

Paul Smith, 136-pound Lion boxing veteran and runner-up in that division in the Eastern Intercollegiate last year, has returned to the College after a practice teaching course at Johnstown High School and will resume training immediately after the Christmas vacation.

Smith, who was captain of the team last year, was not the only encouraging bit of news to Coach Houck, Vaughn Stapleton, who split the 165-pound berth with Navy trainee Eddie Davies last year, rejoined the team last week and is participating in daily workouts.

With Smith and Stapleton back as strong contenders for varsity berths, Coach Houck now has all but last year's 127 pounder and heavyweight in the fold. Vying again for positions on the team are trainee Bill Cramer, 121-pounds; Joe Bondi, 145-pounds; Jack Seitchick, 155-pounds; and Nick Ranieri, light heavyweight.

Strongest competition Smith will have to face in the 136-pound class will come from a former Golden Gloves runner-up, John Benglian. An X-G-I Benglian looked very good in practice bouts, according to the Lion mentor. Other contenders for the position are Roger Kress and Navy trainee Bill Trisler.

Stapleton, who appeared in five bouts last year, will get competition chiefly from Bill Christmas and Jim Scott. Keenest rivalry will probably show itself for the 145-pound berth, with no less than seven candidates competing. Chief among these are two veterans, Bondi and Jim Cassidy, member of the '41 Lions. Their rivals are Lee Eisenhart, Bob Novack, Ted Ashby, Bill Heagy, and Navy trainee Ed Spillane.

A strong battle looms when eliminations for the 155-pound berth are held. Seitchick, who gave good accounts of himself in his few varsity fights last year, will have a fight on his hands in Stan Lachowski, another X-G-I who looked very good in sparring matches, according to Coach Houck. However, Herald Fahringer, 145-pound Williamsport High School champ, another promising contender. Cramer, 121-pound veteran, will get a strong bid from Ray Polansky. In the 127-pound division, however, Dick White is the only likely candidate.

Lacrosse Prexy Barracks 9 Trampled, 40-18 In Navy Basketball Game



Carl P. Schott, dean of School of Physical Education and Athletics at the College, was recently elected president of the United States Intercollegiate Lacrosse Association. Dean Schott, elected for a two-year term, is the first non-lacrosse player ever to hold this position in the history of the association.

for one event. Lee, a former Lion gymnast, has just been discharged from the Army Air Corps.

One of the most promising newcomers is Walt Glover, a sophomore, who rates first on the horizontal bars and stands an even chance with Hal Frey on the parallel bars. Veteran gymnast Hal Frey's tumbling, skill on the flying rings and parallel bars still stands out as the best effort of any man on the squad.

The Lion gymnasts will face Navy here on February 9 in their first meet.

Barracks 37, runner up for three weeks in the Navy basketball league, toppled Barracks 9, 40-18 Wednesday evening to take over the lead position. This was the first game played between 9 and 37. Previously each had four wins to their credit.

The scoring attack of Barracks 37 was paced by Cutter and Waggoner, while Cloud was high scorer for the losers. At half-time the victors held a lead of 24 to 5. At no time in the game did Barracks 9 threaten the hopes of the team from 37.

Ever since the opening of the series, Barracks 9 held a constant lead over the other competitors. The upset Wednesday night proves again that past records do not count too heavily when previously unmatched teams meet for the first time on the court.

ketball tournament must be completed with:
1. No intramural player is allowed on the gym floor until 9 p. m.
2. Games will be played in 15 minute halves. Each team may call out twice in each half.
3. Any team not on the floor ready to play 10 minutes after schedule time must forfeit.
4. No game may be postponed under any circumstances.
League I includes: Alpha Chi Sigma, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Phi Delta Theta, Delta Chi, Alpha Phi Delta, Pi Kappa Alpha, Pi Kappa Phi, and Phi Sigma Kappa, while league II consists of: Phi Delta Theta, Chi Phi, Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Epsilon Pi, Beta Sigma Rho, Phi Kappa Sigma, Phi Kappa Psi, and Delta Sigma Phi.

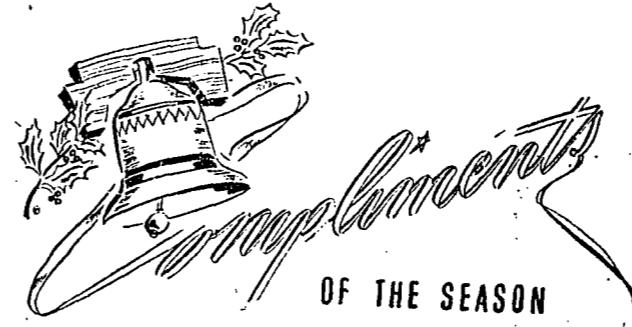
IFC Begins Bowling, Basketball Tournaments

Interfraternity sports finally got a definite start with the releasing of the basketball schedule and the playing of the first league bowling matches. The schedule for leagues I and II, except for playing dates, has been announced, while league III's schedule will not be released for a while yet, according to Dick Lose, chairman of the basketball and bowling tournaments.

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