

**Marksmen in Action**

**Rifle Squad Wins Twice After Five-Year Absence**

Competing for the first time since 1942, the varsity rifle team in postal matches recently defeated Niagara University and Columbia University. The Penn State marksmen shot a score of 1853 while the Columbia score was 1827 and Niagara shot 1598.

Results of the matches were revealed by Capt. Harold W. Yount, coach of the Lion team, when scores were received from Niagara and Columbia. The team also competed with Clarkson College but Clarkson informed Captain Yount that they were unable to fire and would forfeit the match.

**Penn State Men Who Placed and Their Scores**

	P	S	K	OH	Total
K. Yount	98	95	99	90	382
G. Cleveland	99	96	88	88	371
J. Jones	97	95	92	87	371
J. Hallman	97	94	93	81	365
A. Wolfe	100	92	92	80	364
Team Total					1853

**Other Scores**

W. Suter	97	93	87	83	360
R. White	99	87	91	82	359
E. Root	99	94	83	78	354
J. Hornholdt	99	95	86	73	353
R. Lunt	97	95	89	71	352

**ROTC Rifle Squad Loses Two, Wins One**

The ROTC rifle team lost two postal matches, and won one, it was learned when results were received recently from competing teams.

The Penn State team, composed of elementary and advanced ROTC students, fired 1754 while State College of Washington shot a score of 1877. The University of Florida also topped Penn State by shooting 1788.

Niagara University's marksmen shot 1457, and Clarkson College informed Capt. Harold W. Yount, the rifle team's coach, that it was unable to fire and would forfeit the match.

**NROTC Teams Resume Competition**

NROTC rifle and pistol squads resume intercollegiate competition this week shooting against naval trainees from six other colleges.

Holy Cross, Michigan, Minnesota, and Oregon State are the opponents of the riflemen, while the pistol shooters vie with New Mexico and Northwestern.

A recapitulation of last semester's matches shows the rifle team breaking even in 12 matches, and the pistol squad winning two out of five.

**40 Baseball Players Answer Bedenk Call; Practice Indoors**

Although the season is still weeks away, nearly 40 candidates for the baseball team have answered a call from Coach Joe Bedenk to begin workouts in Rec Hall.

Practice will be limited to inside work for several weeks until the weather permits outside sessions. At the present time, the rink for the ice hockey team occupies the outfield of the diamond.

Coach Bedenk urged all those interested in going out for the team to report to him at Rec Hall any afternoon this week.

**Dorm 11, Sigma Nus Win IM Cage Titles**

Dorm 11 outplayed the Yahoos, 23-14, to win the independent championship while Sigma Nu outscored Phi Delta Theta, 26-16, to emerge as the fraternity champions in playoff games late last semester.

The semi-finals found the Yahoos downing Berks Independents, 20-17, in a close match, while the Dorm 11 five squeezed through a 26-23 victory over the Maccabees.

In the fraternity playoffs, Sigma Nu took the measure of Theta Chi, 25-21, while Phi Delta Theta won over Sigma Pi, 26-19.

**FINAL STANDINGS**

- Fraternity League Winners**  
 League 1—Phi Delta Theta "A"  
 League 2—Theta Chi  
 League 3—Phi Kappa Psi  
 League 4—Beta Sigma Rho  
 League 5—Phi Sigma Delta  
 League 6—Sigma Nu (Champions)  
 League 7—Phi Epsilon Pi  
 League 8—Sigma Pi  
**Independent League Winners**  
 League 1—Berks, Independents  
 League 2—Yahoos (Greystone Manor)  
 League 3—Dorm 11 (Champions)  
 League 4—Maccabees

**Cagers Hope To Regain Stride Against Carnegie Tech Tonight**

As Penn State takes on Carnegie Tech in Rec Hall at 8 o'clock tonight Coach John Lawther finds himself well on the way to the most unusual season on his career.

After winning the first two games from Susquehanna and Georgetown, his Lions dropped the next four in a row, then bounded right back to compile a six-game winning streak in which they averaged close to 50 points a game. The month-long streak finally came to an end in Convention Hall last Saturday night when Penn State bowed to Temple, 38-37.

**BEAT GOOD TEAMS**

Numbered among the teams beaten by the Nittany Lions are Georgetown, Bucknell, Muhlenberg and Temple, representatives of some of the best basketball in the East.

Georgetown, originally rated high in Eastern circles, fell 40-37; Bucknell suffered its first defeat in Rec Hall after winning from the Lawthermen in overtime in the first encounter between the two teams; Muhlenberg, another stand-out performer, lost to the Lions 48-36; and Temple, with its Convention Hall win, atoned for an earlier loss to the Lions.

**HORNSTEIN OUT**

In an attempt to put his team back on the win trail in the game with the Tartans tonight, Coach Lawther will probably have to get along without Captain Dave Hornstein, out of the line-up due to a recent operation on a foot injury.

Then, following the Carnegie

**Weatherman Rules Out 4-College Ski Meet**

Lack of snow in Ithaca over the weekend resulted in the cancellation of the quadrangular ski meet with Cornell, Colgate and Syracuse Saturday.

If the current flurries develop snow sufficient for the Pennsylvania State Championship Meet scheduled for Feb. 14-15, the run at Boalsburg will be the scene of the biggest meet in the state this week.

Tech tussle, the Nittany Lion trouble-shooters have a chance to spoil two more outstanding records—those of Navy and West Virginia.

West Virginia, one of the few unbeaten teams in the nation at this writing, will face Penn State in Rec Hall a week from Saturday. The first game between the two went to West Virginia in the final minute of play at Morgantown 40-37.

**NAVY NEXT**

The Middies, beaten only once this season, play host to the Nittany Lions at Annapolis this Saturday.

In place of the injured Hornstein for tonight's fray with Tech, Coach Lawther will probably start Bruce Dietterick, a regular substitute throughout the season, who ranks sixth in the Lion scoring parade. Jack Biery and Milt Simon will again get the nod at forwards, and Johnny Rusinko and Jim Lawther will form a capable back-line.

**Gymnasium Fire Postpones Match With Syracuse Boxers Until Tuesday**

With Syracuse's Archbold gymnasium in ruins after last month's fire, the Lion-Orange boxing meet, originally scheduled for Saturday night, has been moved back to next Tuesday. The meet will be held in Nottingham High School in Syracuse.

Syracuse officials notified Coach Houck that it would be impossible to hold the meet on the night scheduled and requested that the Lion squad make arrangements for the new date.

The Lion mittmen will leave Monday for Elmira where they will spend the night before traveling to Syracuse.

Syracuse will enter a strong team against the Lions. The Orange has only a draw with Army to mar their record this year. They recently defeated North Carolina 5½-2½ in the Sugar Bowl festivities in New Orleans for their most impressive win.

Vinnie and Billy Byrne, at 135 and 155 pounds, make up the third brother combination to face the Lions this season. Other outstanding boxers are Joe Bongo,

**Hockeymen To Meet Cadets at West Point**

Coach O'Hora's hockeymen left yesterday to meet a tough Army squad at West Point.

The game today may be a repetition of the 14-0 win by Colgate since the Cadets took a 9-4 victory over the Red Raiders recently.

Although Colgate walloped O'Hora's pucksters, the Blue and White team has been able to go through more practice sessions and may provide a better showing against the Cadets.

Probable starting line-up to be selected from the 17-man traveling squad is Fast at goalie, Johnny Egan and Ted Kauffman at the forward spots, and Bernbaum, Black and Goodwin on defense.

Following their return from West Point, the team will play host to Georgetown Saturday afternoon, weather permitting.

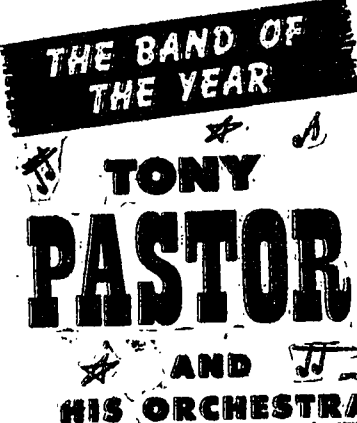
145; Gerry Auclair, 125; Ray Fine, 175, and Walt Bowe, 130.

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Wrestling—Army . . . . . 2 P. M. Fencing—Cornell . . . . . 2 P. M.

Swimming—Pitt . . . . . 2 P. M. Boxing—Wisconsin . . . . . 7 P. M.

Basketball—W. Va. . . . . 8:30 P. M.

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