

Boxing Highlights

By BEN FRENCH

There's still a lot of action around the sparring ring at Rec Hall these days and it's not just post-mortems on the EIBA tournament. Coach Leo Houck has the boys working out for the National tourney at Madison, Wis., later this month.

At this time, Houck is planning to take Jackie Tighe, Jim Cassidy, Johnny Slusser, and Battista Soster, the new 135-pounder, who fought such a fine fight last Friday night.

Champion Glenn Hawthorne has decided against making the trip so Tighe will be Houck's only EIBA title-holder going to the Nationals.

Houck indicated that Tighe might enter the Nationals at 155 pounds, since he has been losing weight all season.

Smith Anxious

Another fellow who would like to make that trip is Fred Smith, 125-pound boxer and ex-member of the Carlson Raiders marine task force in the Pacific.

"Smitty" lost a close decision to Steve Gremban of Wisconsin, who was the only man this year to stop Syracuse's Gerry Auclair. Even if he doesn't make the trip, "Smitty" has already started working out for next season.

The slugfest between Virginia's Ralph Shoaf and Syracuse's Julian LeVine is one of those bouts they'll talk about for years when the hot stove league meets at Graham's.

Shoaf was knocked out at the end of the second round but was saved by the bell. He came back

in the third to flatten LeVine in a fight that saw more leather flying than most pro matches.

Most of the sportswriters took Johnny Slusser's side when the Lion 155-pounder lost a semi-final decision because his opponent, Dick Howell of Army, could not finish the fight.

Slusser, cut Howell's left eye in the first round but the referee awarded the decision to the Army boy when he was

unable to continue the second round. Glenn Hawthorne lost to Syracuse's Vinnie Byrne last month on a like decision.

Jerry Sitkin deserves a lot of credit for the showing he made in the tourney. Without more than a week's training, Jerry went into the tough heavyweight class and surprised everyone by knocking down Army's Paul Weaver in true Humphrey Pennyworth style.

Johnny Benlian and Eddie Sul-



Cassidy

Phi Sigma Delts, KDR's Gain Lead In IM Volleyball Leagues

Phi Sigma Delta "A" swept into first place in League 5 of the intramural volleyball series last night by copping their second victory of the tourney from Beta Sigma Rho "A".

In League 7, Kappa Delta Rho "A" nudged a scrappy Alpha Zeta combine to gain the top spot in their league, while the Berks Independents tied Fairmount Hall for first place honors

in the Independent League by downing Penn Haven.

Last night's scores in League 4 were Tau Kappa Epsilon "B" over Sigma Pi "A", 15-12 and 15-11, and Phi Kappa Sigma "A" over Alpha Gamma Rho "A", 15-9 and 15-5.

LEAGUE 5

In League 5, Alpha Chi Rho over Alpha Phi Delta "A" 14-16, 15-6, and 15-2, and Phi Sigma

Delta "A" over Beta Sigma Rho "A", 15-12 and 15-8.

In League 6, Delta Upsilon "A" over Alpha Sigma Phi, 15-8 and 15-1, and Phi Sigma Kappa "A" over Phi Kappa Tau "A" 15-5 and 16-14.

In League 7 Kappa Delta Rho "B" over Alpha Zeta 10-15, 15-13, and 15-11, and Phi Delta Theta "B" over Pi Kappa Alpha "A", 4-15, 15-10, and 15-11.

In the Independent League, Berks Independents over Penn Haven, 15-5, 14-16, and 15-12.

Snow Conditions On Big Dipper Trail At Boalsburg Still Excellent For Skiing

Snow conditions on the Big Dipper Trail at Boalsburg are excellent according to reports from Robert Dunlop, chairman of the slopes committee of the Penns Valley Ski Club.

All trails are in good condition and the jump is being used by enthusiasts who refuse to believe the signs that spring is approaching.

Dunlop said the Hank Thurston Ski School would instruct skiers Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m. Ski buses will leave for the trail

at 1:15 p.m. and return at 5 p.m. on both days.

Food will be served in the afternoons. The tow will operate daily over the weekend.

Current snow conditions will be posted on the bulletin board in the Athletic Store window.

kowski deserve much of the credit for Penn State's high showing. Eddie, although only a lightweight, has sparred with every man on the team.

Johnny was last year's EIBA 127-pound champ. Together the boys form a fine combination of seconds.

Varsity Rifle Team Splits in 6 Matches

In six matches last week, the Penn State varsity rifle team split even. The Lion sharpshooters defeated Penn. West Virginia and Clemson but lost out to Coast Guard, Army and Oregon State.

In addition, California State Teachers forfeited a match to the Nittany Lions while a scheduled match with Lehigh was cancelled.

In a five-cornered meet, the ROTC rifle team beat the cadets from West Virginia but lost to Lafayette and Clemson.

The fifth team in the competition—the University of Alaska—has not been heard from yet.

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