

DU, PKS Risk Perfect Records in IM Clash

Playoffs to determine fraternity and independent basketball titleholders will start tonight when two undefeated fives, Delta Upsilon and Phi Kappa Sigma, clash in Rec Hall at 9:25.

Delta Upsilon is unbeaten in a league "D" starts, while Phi Kappa Sigma annexed the league "E"

33 Receive Grid Letters

Thirty-two Nittany Lion gridmen and the head manager earned football letters in 1947. Twelve players have donned blue and white togs for the last time, either because of senior status or collegiate eligibility rules. A thirteenth, Bob Ross, has transferred to the University of Washington at Seattle.

Answering Coach Bob Higgins call for 1948 spring practice next month will be 19 lettermen.

Names of monogram-winners follow: David Barton (manager), Charles Beatty, Fred Bell, Joe Colone, Larry Cooney, Ed Czekaj, Chuck Drazenovich, Joe Drazenovich, Jeff Durkota, John Finley, Clarence Gorinski, Bob Hicks, Dennis Hoggard, Larry Joe, Paul Kelly.

Bill Kyle, Bill LaFleur, Bill Luther, John Misiewicz, John Nolan, Negley Norton, Elwood Petchel, John Potskian, Francis Rogel, Bob Ross, John Simon, Steve Suhey, Sam Tamburo, Wallace Triplett, Ray Ulinski, Bob Weitzel, Bobby Williams, John Wolosky.

Lettermen not returning to next season's squad include Bell, Czekaj, Durkota, Kyle, LaFleur, Misiewicz, Nolan, Potskian, Ross, Suhey, Weitzel, Williams and Wolosky.

Bellefonte High Names Bell Head Grid Coach

Fred Bell, end on the Lions' undefeated 1947 football team, has been named head football coach at Bellefonte High School.

Replacing John Weber, Bell will begin his coaching career by opening practice sessions next August.

As a tall terminal on the Blue and White eleven, Bell was rated a capable pass catcher and saw considerable action in the Cotton Bowl game. He was also an outfielder on the Penn State baseball nine.

Bell played football, baseball and basketball at Kittanning High School. He moved to Erie after graduation and now makes his home there.

The new coach, who did his practice teaching this year at Bellefonte High School, was married to the former Joyce Cederlof after graduation from the College January 31.

crown with seven consecutive victories.

Pi Kappa Alpha captured the league "B" title Monday night by defeating Sigma Chi 20-6. The Pi Kappas got off to a slow start, and were leading only 5-3 at half-time. In the second period, however, the victors, sparked by Platt, came on to outclass their opponents. Platt was high scorer for the evening with nine points.

Both Phi Epsilon Pi and Sigma Pi registered wins to end the league "C" race in a tie. Led by Marc Claster and Sam Freedson, the Phi Eps unleashed a barrage of field goals to down Alpha Phi Alpha 39-12, while Sigma Pi topped Chi Phi 31-14.

Other scores: Phi Delta Theta 27, Pi Kappa Phi 14; Kappa Delta Rho 19, Sigma Phi Alpha 4; Phi Gamma Delta 16, Delta Chi 14; Phi Kappa Sigma and Alpha Phi Delta did not play.

On the Mats

Jim Maurey owns the best record of the Lion grapplers with five wins and a loss... Al Vigilante and the injured Bob Hetrick have each triumphed thrice while losing once.

The Speidelmen will be seeking revenge on Saturday, when they tangle with Cornell. The Big Red upset the Blue and White, 21-19, last year... The varsity meets Cornell at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, followed by a jayvee match between the same teams at 4:30.

The Lion matmen are in the red in the scoring column as a result of the 28-6 loss to Navy. State has tallied 89 points to 96 for their opponents... The Nittany fighters have scored 8 falls, while 10 have been racked up against them—the powerful Navy aggregation was responsible for 5.

Coach Charlie Speidel plans to enter a full team in the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Tournament... The tourney is scheduled for March 12 and 13 at Bethlehem... Tickets go on sale on March 1 at Taylor Gymnasium, Lehigh University, for the EIWA championships... The Lehigh grapplers are defending champions.

Skimen Place Fifth At Syracuse Snow Carnival

At a hexagonal ski meet at Syracuse Coach Sherm Fogg's skiers placed fifth in a field which included such ski giants as Cornell, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and Syracuse.

Lacking sufficient snow, the jumping and cross country events were cancelled and scoring was confined to the downhill

Higgins Again

Bob Higgins, Penn State football coach, has been named 1947 winner of the John D. Plant Award which goes annually to Peddie's outstanding representative in the field of athletics. The award is voted by the athletic committee of The Peddie School at Hightstown, N. J., where Higgins prepped for Penn State.

The Lion coach has been invited to attend a dinner of Peddie alumni at the New York Athletic Club, March 5, when the award will be formally presented. Bruce DuMont, prominent Peddie alumnus, will make the presentation.

Between Rounds

Some of the prominent spectators at the Wisconsin-State boxing meet were Wisconsin's Governor Rennebohn and Harry Suhl-drener, one of the "four horsemen" of Notre Dame grid fame.

John Benglian was tagged by John Walsh, Badger coach and also U.S. Olympic boxing mentor, as the "most promising looking prospect for a National title."

14,500 spectators jammed into Wisconsin's fieldhouse to see the fisty contests. They gave Lion Captain Tighe tremendous applause when he departed from the ring after being held to a draw by Badger Don Dickinson. Yesterday's Daily Collegian listed Dwaine Dickinson as Tighe's opponent, whereas brother Dwaine actually was the decision victor over Jack Sheehe.

The blow with which Benglian floored his opponent was a right hook—an unusual knock-out for a southpaw.

"Fred" Houck was received warmly by Badger boxing enthusiasts. He was the guest of honor at a party thrown by Dr. R. McIntosh, one of his old colleagues.

And now a chuckler—between rounds in the Tighe-Dickinson duel one of the seconds handed Jackie the spitbox. Tighe missed it completely and spit into Governor Rennebohn's face. Not everyone can spit into a governor's face and get away with it!

race and the slalom. Lion Captain George Quimby placed fifth in the downhill and tenth in the slalom while Andre Tobler was the only other Blue and White representative to break into the scoring column, placing twelfth in the downhill event.

Former Lion Grappler Leads Bellefonte High to Peak

Schoolboy wrestling was virtually unknown in Bellefonte a year ago but today it engenders more enthusiasm than any sport on the high school calendar.

Glenn Smith, coach of the sport, is unwilling to accept full credit for its emergence as a crowd-pleaser but ascribes this newfound interest to his team's winning habits.

"Bellefonte," Smith says, "was hungry for a winner. Wrestling provided it. That's all there is to the story."

But that's not wholly true. The 26-year-old Smith, who won the Eastern intercollegiate 155-pound title as a senior at the College, launched the sport at the county seat high school just a little more than a year ago and during the 1946 Christmas recess only two boys reported for the team. Today, there are 68 boys on the varsity squad.

Smith, who wrestled at Mt. Carmel High School and Wyoming Seminary before enrolling at Penn State, already this year has piloted his team to victories over se-

ditional powers like Philipsburg, Tyrone, DuBois, Lock Haven, State College and Hollidaysburg. All of these schools have engaged in the sport for at least six years.

Bellefonte, looking ahead to continued success, is building on firm ground. Smith and members of the varsity squad meet with grade school youngsters twice a week, and in five hours impart the rudiments of the game. Approximately 50 youngsters between the ages of 7 and 14 are enrolled for these classes.

"It's a wonderful way to start," Smith says. "Nobody knows anything about the sport, and they all want to learn the fundamentals. And perhaps the greatest asset of all is their eagerness to learn."

Last year, in their first season of interscholastic competition, the Bellefonte grapplers lost their first five matches. They defeated Muncy in the season's finale. This year, they added eight victories to the Muncy win to give them an unbroken string of nine triumphs.

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Jayvees Solo
Penn State's jayvee basketball team will make its only solo trip tonight when it goes to Hazleton to play the Undergraduate Center at 8:15. While the jayvees play Hazleton, Coach John Lawther's team will practice for the important Colgate game slated for Saturday.

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Some Questions About This Barbershop Issue

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2. Did CORE stir up trouble where no trouble existed before?
NO. Somebody else started the discrimination. Then somebody else brought it to light. And finally CORE was formed, representing 80% of all the organizations of town and campus, united to solve American problems in an American way. CORE hates trouble—and tries to clear up the situations that cause it.
3. But isn't CORE a "pressure group"?
YES. Like cancer committees, March of Dimes, churches, Red Cross. Yes, CORE promotes a cause. Our cause is RIGHTS—Bill of Rights, American Rights. Our methods are democratic education, persuasion, talk.
4. Well, isn't CORE taking the wrong approach?
ANSWER THAT YOURSELF. That remains to be seen. CORE's "approach" has been the one good American use on their neighbors—talk, promises, reason. Some may call ours "the wrong approach." But let's give it a try first. Let's see! If you believe in fair play for everybody, TELL YOUR BARBER NOW!

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