

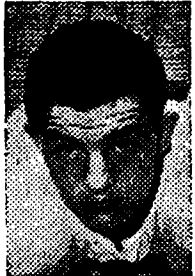
# Drazenovich Captures Crown In Lions' Sole EIBA Victory

TKO's Ilgenfritz to Win in Unlimited Class; Tighe, Benglian Upset by Underdog Cavaliers

After being crowned Eastern boxing king Saturday night, Chuck Drazenovich, the "Brownsville Bomber," was asked by Coach Leo Houck to compete in the National tourney at Wisconsin, April 1-3.

Other Lions' names submitted to the NCAA for approval were Freddie Smith, Johnny Benglian and Bob Keller. Smith will compete in the 112-pound division; Johnny Benglian will step into the ring at 127 pounds, the weightclass in which he won Eastern laurels two seasons ago, and Bob Keller in the 165-pound class. Olympic weights and rules will be observed.

Drazenovich, the broad-shouldered heavy, had little trouble annexing his first boxing title. He knocked out his lanky Coast Guard opponent Walter Ilgenfritz after only twenty seconds had elapsed in the first round.



**CHUCK DRAZENOVICH**

This lone victory in the finals gave the Houck men fourth place in the tourney behind Virginia, Syracuse and Army boxers. Virginia's 30-point total equaled the point record set by the 1943 Syracuse team.

### AU CLAIR LOSS

The upset of the tourney came in Saturday night's finals when 125-pound NCAA and EIBA champ of a year ago, Jerry Auclair, lost to Virginia's Al Hollingsworth.

Early in the second round, Auclair was cut above the left eye, with the fight being stopped shortly after Hollingsworth, leading in points at the time, was awarded the crown.

Upset, featured the meet, with Jackie Tighe's defeat by Virginia's Joe Miragliotta, Coast Guardsman Clarence Tannel's setback at the hands of Jack Sheehee, and John Benglian's elimination

# Swimmers Score Surprise Fourth

Cal Folmsbee, sophomore swimming star, finished second in the diving competition to lead the Blue and White mermen into fourth place at the Eastern Intercollegiate Swimming Tourney Saturday.

Seven other members of the Lion tank team were awarded medals for placing in the first five in the tourney finals. The Guttenmen, with 11 points, finished far higher than pre-tourney dopsters had predicted.

Mike Kutsenkow took fifth place in the diving competition. Bill Schildmacher was fourth in the 50-yard freestyle. Don Peck finished fourth in the 220-yard freestyle, and Peck, Schildmacher, Irv Tenzer and John McGrory, comprising the relay foursome, finished fourth in the 400-yard relay.

Dave Hughes, young sophomore who participated in his first collegiate competition this year, was eliminated in the 440-yard preliminaries.

Approximately 700 spectators saw Rutgers University, tourney host, sweep firsts in every event but one to annex the team trophy with 82 points. Temple placed second with 29 points. Pitt was third with 19.

### Czekaj Coach

Ed Czekaj, Nittany gridiron end in 1947, has been named line coach at Johns Hopkins University at Baltimore, Md. In addition to his line-coaching duties, Czekaj will be swimming coach and will teach several phys ed classes. He will assist head football coach Howdy Meyers.

# Maurey Nosed Out In EIWA Finals

Penn State's lone entry in the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Tournament finals, Jim Maurey, was defeated by defending champion John Fletcher of Navy, 8-5, in a close bout Saturday night at Lehigh.

Coach Charlie Speidel indicated yesterday that he is planning to enter George Schautz, Jim Maurey, Laird Robertson or Bob Hetrick, and Earl Long in the Nationals at Lehigh this weekend. Olympic weights and rules will be observed.

Fletcher, picked as the tourney's outstanding wrestler for the second straight year, scored an early takedown on the Lion 145-pounder, but Maurey led, 5-4, at the end of a hectic first period.

The Navy captain picked up two more points by reversing the Lion ace in the second period, and tallied a minute's time advantage to win, 8-5.

Penn State tied for seventh place in the team scoring with Yale, by scoring 5 points. Lehigh captured the team title for the second straight year, tallying 25 points. Following the champions were Franklin and Marshall, 18; Navy, 16; Army, 15; Syracuse, 14; and Columbia, 6. Maurey was responsible for all the Lion points.

### EASTERN CHAMPIONS

- 121 pds.—Bobbie Schell, F.&M.
  - 128 pds.—Stan Mouselis, F.&M.
  - 136 pds.—Dick Kelsey, Lehigh.
  - 145 pds.—John Fletcher, Navy.
  - 155 pds.—Stan Thevenet, Army.
  - 165 pds.—Pascal Perri, Syracuse.
  - 175 pds.—Jim Jackson, Lehigh.
- Heavyweight—Newbold Smith, Navy.  
\*1947 champions.

# Two Lions Annex Titles

Bill Meade and Steve Greene, ace Lion gymnasts, captured individual Eastern titles in tumbling and side horse, respectively, in Saturday's championships at West Point.

Meade won easily in his specialty when Temple's Stout, who was expected to offer tough competition, did not enter the tumbling event. The Blue and White star was in tough form and will be one of the principle gymnasts who return to Coach Gene Wettstone's fold next year.

By copping the side horse event, Greene retained his Eastern crown annexed last year and climaxed the recent dual meet season in which he conquered all opponents.

Although the meet decided individual titles only, the College was awarded the Eastern team trophy, won in dual meet competition. No team scores were tallied in the meet.

Captain Ray Sorensen and Bill Bonsall placed third and fourth, respectively, in the horizontal bar and all-around events.

Rope climbers Joe Linn, Norwood Lawfer and Greene finished second, third and fourth in this event with times of 4.1, 4.2 and 4.4 seconds. Winner was Marvin Schenker of Navy who climbed the rope in 4.0 seconds.

at the hands of the Cavaliers' "Bat" Masterson heading the list. Curt Crook entered the semi-finals after receiving a bye in the quarter-finals. He lost a close decision to 135-pound king, Jim Miragliotta.

Paul Smith also entered the semi-finals after he had completely outclassed Western Maryland's John Sgariglio but his bout with Army's Pete Monfore was stopped when, in the second round, Smith received a gash on his forehead. The decision went to the Cadet boxer.

Jack Sheehee entered the semi-finals against Virginia's Basil Miragliotta. After three grueling rounds the Cavalier boxer nosed out a close decision.

### EASTERN CHAMPIONS

- 125 pounds—Al Hollingsworth, Virginia.
  - 130 pounds—Grover Masterson, Virginia.
  - 135 pounds—James Miragliotta, Virginia.
  - 145 pounds—Basil Miragliotta, Virginia.
  - 155 pounds—Joe Miragliotta, Virginia.
  - 165 pounds—Jim Rollier, Syracuse.
  - 175 pounds—Ralph Shoaf, Virginia.
- Unlimited—Chuck Drazenovich, Penn State.

# Penn Haven Wins In IM Volleyball

In recent intramural volleyball contests, Penn Haven defeated Dorm 33 15-11, 15-11 Steers won by forfeit over Dorm 21. Dorm 14 topped the Hemlocks by scores of 15-11 and 15-10 respectively, and Anonymous 8 won over Dorm 25-A 15-7 and 16-14.

Five fraternity entries also registered victories. Phi Kappa Sigma-B won over Tau Kappa Epsilon-B 15-10 and 15-5, Phi Kappa Psi-B trimmed Sigma Phi Sigma-B 15-11 and 15-8, Phi Sigma Kappa-B nipped Phi Kappa Tau-B 15-11 and 15-10, Theta Chi-B won over Sigma Chi-B 15-9 and 15-13, and Sigma Nu-B trounced Phi Sigma Delta-B 15-5 and 15-7.

### Tonight's schedule:

- 7 o'clock: Alpha Chi Rho—Phi Kappa Tau-A (1), Alpha Phi Delta—Sigma Phi Epsilon (2), Phi Delta Theta-A—Kappa Sigma (3).
- 8 o'clock: Alpha Chi Sigma-A—Delta Tau Delta (1), Phi Epsilon Pi-A—Phi Kappa Sigma-A (2), Alpha Gamma Rho—Delta Theta Sigma (3).
- 9 o'clock: Alpha Phi Alpha—Sigma Phi Sigma-A (1), Kappa Delta Rho-A—Pi Lambda Phi (2), Delta Sigma Phi—Phi Gamma Delta-A (3).

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