

## Intramural Handball Ranks Dwindle to 36 in Prelim Play

Fast action and a number of forfeits dwindled the intramural handball singles to 32 men and the independents to four men in contests Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Winners in the preliminary flights of the tournament will be placed in a championship flight to determine the fraternity champion.

### ACTIVE FLIGHTS

Flights nine through twelve were active Tuesday and Wednesday.

John McHugh, Phi Kappa Sigma, beat Bob Bosser, Theta Chi, 21-17, 21-5; Vane Henry, Phi Gamma Delta, defeated Coleman Gainsburg, Zeta Beta Tau, 21-0, 21-8; Fran Rogel, Kappa Delta Rho, downed Dick Faber, Pi Lambda Phi, 21-0, 21-4; Dave Jones, Alpha Chi Sigma, won from Bertram Shore, Beta Sigma Rho, 21-7, 21-7; Bill Wilhelm, Tau Kappa Epsilon, beat Don Arbuckle, Beta Theta Pi, 21-7, 21-5; Jerry Wolf downed Joe Fiore, Sigma Chi, 21-14, 21-20.

Forfeits went to Hagop Terzagian, Alpha Chi Rho, Ward of Tau Kappa Phi, Bob Dieruff, Acacia, David Harman, Lambda Chi Alpha, and Arthur Oberg, Pi Kappa Epsilon.

### Independents

In the independent contests Al Tkac whipped Milt Simon, 21-4, 21-17, as Dave Fitzcharles lost to Rossman 21-0, 21-0. Milt Silberman beat Hart, 21-17, 21-14. The other independent match went to John Minarovich by forfeit. These four winners will take part in finals and semi-finals to determine the independent champion.

## 7-11 Club Holds Bowling Lead

The 7-11 Club continued to maintain first place in the Independent Men's Bowling League through games of March 21, by virtue of its 8-0 shutout win over Btyflyskys.

In other games, Mets whitewashed Kaufman Club, 8-0, and Ale and Quail won over Newman Club; Mac Hall conquered Nittany Co-op; ITK topped Tipplers; Cody Manor gained the nod over Penn State Club, all by 6-2 scores. The remaining game resulted in a 4-4 draw between Beaver House and Zeros.

Joe Mitskavich, Ale and Quail, captured high singles honors with

220, followed by Joe Skof, Kaufman Club, 209; Bob Hamilton, Cody Manor, 204; and Al Hoffman, Beaver House, 203.

High series laurels went to Willie Merritt, 7-11 Club, whose top score was 560, enough to edge the 559 effort of Mitskavich. Bill Bowser, Penn State Club, rolled 529.

Ale and Quail took high team game and high team series honors with scores of 857 and 2434, respectively.

Team standings are as follows:

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
7-11 Club	47	9	.839
Ale and Quail	42	14	.750
Btyflyskys	38	18	.680
Tipplers	36	20	.654
Nittany Coop	32	24	.571
Beaver House	30	26	.538
Penn State Club	28	28	.500
Mets	28	28	.500
Kaufman Club	24	32	.429
Newman Club	22	34	.393
Cody Manor	21	35	.375
Mac Hall	20	36	.357
L. T. K.	16	40	.286
Zero's	12	44	.213

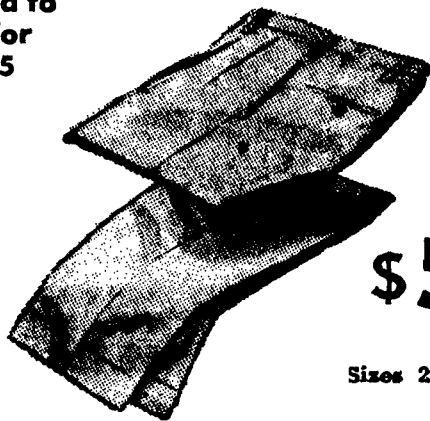
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## Exhibition Bout To Settle Mat Grudge

As an added attraction to the intramural wrestling finals next Wednesday night in Rec Hall, a special exhibition "grudge" wrestling match will be staged by Harold "Fearless Fauntleroy" Frazier and Bob "Missing Link" Ritz.

Of the 12 regulation matches which will be held for the intramural grapplers' championships, eight will be inter-fraternity bouts and four will be between independents. The fraternity bouts will be in all weight classes. Independent contestants will clash in the 125, 135, 145 and 175-pound divisions.

A basketball tilt, between Pi K. A. and Section 10, for the mythical all-College basketball championship, scheduled for Wednesday night, has been cancelled by the two teams.

## IM Mat

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independent, out with injuries, Fred Rodgers, Phi Gamma Delta, and indie Restifo won by forfeits. John Langstaff, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, also won the easy way.

### WEDNESDAY

Wednesday night, 128-pound champion Fred Shihaden, Phi Kappa Sigma, now fighting in the 135-pound class, racked up his second straight victory without walking on the mat. But mat fans had their share of excitement as six falls and six power-packed decisions kept action boiling.

Bill Laderer set up his Thursday night squabble by pinning Bob Seltzer, Pi Lambda Phi, in 1:41 of the second period; Charles Rodgers, Phi Gamma Delta, upset Harry Papacharalambous, in 3:25; Sandy Cameron, Beta Theta Pi 145-pounder, pounced on Andy Marcinko, Sigma Phi Sigma, in 2:35; Dave Cloud, Pi Kappa Phi, outdid Floyd Cantrell, Delta Tau Delta, in 2:50; Tom McDermott, Phi Delta Theta, pulled the holds on Aubrey Helfman, Phi Epsilon Pi, in 1:07, and independent Bill Kraybill used 5:57 to tie up Nick Vigilante.

### DECISIONS

Decisions came when John Langstaff, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, fought off Porter Tupin, Sigma Phi Epsilon, 5-2; Bill Thompson, stocky 145-pound Theta Chi, won his third match, this time over John Walker, Delta Theta Sigma, 2-0; Jim Case, Alpha Zeta, had just enough to get by Jim Ewing, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 3-2; Merle Seiber, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, edged Jim Yetter, Alpha Zeta, in a thriller, 2-1; Bill Reynolds,

### Barr Leaves

Eastern heavyweight king Homer Barr and wrestling Coach Charlie Speidel left Altoona late Tuesday night for the National Collegiate wrestling tourney scheduled for Ft. Collins, Colo., today and tomorrow.

After reaching Chicago by train, the Lion duo completed their journey to Colorado by air.

Barr faces stiff competition at the NCAA's. No less than three Olympians—Dick Hutton, Oklahoma A & M; Bob Maldegan, Michigan State, and Vern Gagne, Minnesota—are entered in the unlimited division.

## 3 V-Ball Units Stay Unbeaten in IM Play

Three more intramural volleyball squads Wednesday joined the growing list of teams which have won three straight decisions.

Sigma Nu-A crushed Zeta Beta Tau-A, 15-1 and 15-4; Joe Does trounced Team Y, 15-6 and 15-9; Dorm 24 walloped Dorm 36, 15-7 and 15-5. These three teams raised the total of squads with three victories to ten.

Dorm 27 won by forfeit over Dorm 13; Pi Lambda Phi-A handed Pi Kappa Alpha-A a 15-17, 15-5 and 15-12 beating; Acacia won its first game by edging Alpha Epsilon Pi-A 16-14, 12-15 and 15-8; Sigma Alpha forfeited to Sigma Phi Sigma-A.

In other contests, Phi Gamma Delta-A trounced Theta Chi-A, 15-7 and 15-4; Phi Kappa Tau-A measured Kappa Sigma-A, 15-13 and 15-2; Theta Chi-B trimmed Delta Chi-B, 15-3 and 15-4; Theta Xi-A won by forfeit over Alpha Sigma Phi; Phi Kappa Psi-B nipped Zeta Beta Tau-B, 15-13 and 15-12.

### Small Margin

One of the closest meets won by a College team was the 60 1/2-60 win of the gym team over the Swiss Gym Team at Philadelphia in an A.A.U. meet.

Delta Upsilon, socked a 5-0 score down the throat of George Irvin, Sigma Chi; and Jim Worley, Sigma Nu, lasted out six hard minutes to beat Bill Celani, Alpha Phi Delta, 8-4.

The following men won by forfeit Wednesday: Ted Aiken, Phi Delta Theta; Bill Keifer, Alpha Tau Omega; Ron Coder, Phi Kappa Sigma; and Jim Kehs, Pi Kappa Phi.

## Talent Will Out; Hrivnak Attains Musical Fame

### Grocer's Son Now Noted Accordionist

The ringing cash register and the chitchat of customers still make music at Hrivnak's candy store at 1333 Freepport Road, Tarentum. But accordion rhythms no longer filter through the door leading to the living quarters behind the store.

Instead of entertaining customers with his music, 19-year-old John Hrivnak, is pushing his accordion buttons for fellow music-lovers during their after-class hours at the College.

### Outstanding Player

Until recently, modest John was just another one of the 9,500 students at the College. Today he is one of the outstanding accordion players on the campus, having won first place in the annual talent show with his accordion renditions of "Lady of Spain" and "Dark Eyes."

Although scheduled to appear last on the program of 12 performers, Johnny and his "Squeeze-Box Renditions" garnered the first place spot. John was selected by the judges to be one of the five finalists; final selection was made by audience applause.

### Numerous Requests

Since that night John has been bombarded with requests to play at numerous campus activities. Although kept busy with his industrial engineering studies, he finds time to practice after dinner every night, in his dormitory room filled with fellow students. "Hey, turn off the radio; Johnny's playing," is yelled down the hallway.

"So many fellows crowd into the room," says John's roommate, John Bixler, "I have to leap for the top deck of the double-decker bed to watch his fingers zip over the keys."

This latest honor of being chosen top performer in Penn State's talent show caps a musical career that began when John was 12 years old.

"Of course I would have rather played football or baseball with the other fellows than practice," admits John, "but my teacher, Walter Grabowski, kept after me."

### Accordion Ensemble

While attending Har-Brack high school, John was a member of the accordion ensemble consisting of 14 accordionists. Outgrowing two smaller ensembles, John now plays his classical, semi-classical, and popular music on a 120-button accordion.

Before entering college, John played for numerous civic organizations including the New Kensington Lions Club, Tarentum Lions Club, Kiwanis Club of Springfield, and the Tarentum Kiwanis Club. He also participated in programs over radio station WSHA, Grove City, and on the Wilkins Amateur Hour, Pittsburgh.

"Aw, go on and try out for the talent show," John says his dormitory mates urged him.

It was not possible, however, for John to participate in the "dress rehearsals" for the show because he had no way to tote his big, heavy accordion to the auditorium. His first and last "rehearsal" for the show was when he stepped in front of the footlights and played his way to top honors.

A transfer student from Grove City College, John came to Penn State "because of its good engineering school." He lives in a double room in one of the numerous temporary men's dormitories erected by the College to meet the critical housing shortage.

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