

# Army Wins IC4-A Meet; Penn State Takes Fifth Place

## Cadets Score Upset; Freebairn Leads Lions

The West Point cross-country turned in one of the biggest upsets in intercollegiate sports this fall when the Cadets captured the IC4-A meet in New York yesterday.

Coach Chick Werner's Penn State team finished fifth, only two points behind Syracuse. The all-junior Lion team was led by Bob Freebairn, who finished 13th, two places ahead of Don Ashenfelter.

Led by its star runner, Dick Shea, the Army team won its first IC championship since 1945 with a total of 54 points. In second place was Manhattan with 72 points. The pre-meet favorite, Michigan State finished in third place with 104 points. Syracuse nosed out Penn State for the fourth spot picking up 130 points to 132 for the Nittany Lions.

**Black Upset**  
Army's unexpected victory in the team championship was not the only upset of the day, however. The failure of Rhode Island State's Bob Black to retain the crown he had won the past two years was almost as big a surprise as the conquering of Michigan State. Black finished far back in the field, tired and beaten.

Behind Shea came Browning Ross of Villanova in second place. Shea's Army teammate, Bob Lewandowski came in third. Besides Freebairn and Ashenfelter, the other Lion runners in scoring positions were Al Porto, in 31st, Jack St. Clair, in 35th and Bill Gordon in 41st.

The Michigan State team went into the meet an over-whelming favorite to successfully defend its title. Syracuse was rated second. Army was given a chance to finish third in a three-way fight with Penn State and Manhattan.

The interest in the meet to Nittany Lion fans lies mainly in the showing of Bob Freebairn. The lanky junior is the most improved member of a team which has come a long way this season. His performance yesterday climaxed a drive which has carried him closer and closer to the leadership of the Nittany runners.

The Blue and White team, which Coach Werner considers the best he has ever had, lost no honor in its showing today. This year's IC4-A field was considered to be among the best to ever run in the meet. The Lions will now center their attention on the NCAA meet to be held next week in East Lansing, Michigan, home of Michigan State.

### Seeks Degree

Penn State's new basketball coach, Elmer Gross, soon will earn his doctorate from the University of Pittsburgh.

### Leads The Way



Bob Freebairn

## All Lion Rivals Record Wins

Penn State's 1949 rivals turned on their opposition en masse over the weekend and slapped out seven victories in seven tries.

Army and Boston College were idle. But from Villanova to Pitt the Lion rivals really went to town.

Villanova walloped North Carolina State, 45-21; Nebraska socked Colorado, 25-14; Michigan State trampled Arizona, 75-0; Syracuse dumped Colgate, 35-7; West Virginia edged Western Reserve, 28-20; Temple ousted Holy Cross, 20-7, and, oh yes, Pitt beat Penn State, 19-0.

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## Harris Predicts Army Victory

Army's 28-7 win over Navy leads Joe Harris' final roundup of Collegiate grid predictions. The pigskin picker also thinks that Tulane will slip by L.S.U. and Maryland will conclude a successful season by trouncing West Virginia 27-7.

Probable winners on the left:

- Intercollegiate Games Thanksgiving Day**
- Brown U-Colgate U—20-7
  - College of Pacific-California Poly—47-7
  - Cornell U-Penn—20-7
  - Davidson College-The Citadel—20-6
  - Detroit U-Wichita—27-13
  - Duquesne U-Chattanooga U—20-7
  - Gannon College - Steubenville—27-0
  - Gettysburg College - Franklin & Marshall—27-7
  - Houston U-St.Louis U—27-13
  - Lenoir Rhyne - Catawba College—13-7

- Maryland U - West Virginia U—27-7
- Miami U. (Ohio) - Cincinnati U—14-7
- Mississippi South-Louisville U—27-13
- Missouri U - Kansas State—34-7
- Missouri Valley - College of Emporia—20-7
- Morris-Harvey College - West Va. Wesleyan—14-0
- Mt.Union College - Wooster College—20-7
- N.W. Louisiana-E. Texas Baptist—34-6
- Nevada U - Denton State Teachers—27-7
- San Jose State-Fresno State—27-7
- Texas-Texas A & M—27-14
- V.M.I. - V.P.I.—20-7

- Saturday, November 26**
- Army - Navy, 28-7
  - Boston College-Holy Cross—20-7
  - Georgia - Georgia Tech 21-13
  - North Carolina - Virginia—21-7
  - Oklahoma - Oklahoma A&M—27-7
  - Rice-Baylor—27-14
  - S.M.U. - T. C. U.—20-7
  - Tennessee - Vanderbilt—14-7
  - Tulane - L.S.U.—20-14

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## Nittany Athletics Move Indoors As Football Season Closes

With football a thing of the past for this year, athletic activity at the College will swing indoors to Rec Hall.

Heading the list of sports already past the "warming up" stages is Coach Charlie Speidel's wrestling team and acting Coach Eddie Sulk's boxers.

Although Coach Speidel's grapplers are still learning the fundamentals, light workouts and minor battles spice the practice on the mats.

The boxing team, training this year under Eddie Sulk who is filling in for Coach Leo Houck, has been staging some easy fistie bouts in the ring.

Another team practicing daily in Rec Hall is the College gymnastics squad. Under the leadership of Coach Gene Wettstone, the tumblers and climbers are working out routines to try to gain the heights achieved by the National Championship team of 1948.

Coach Arthur Meyer's fencing team, which practices in the north hallway of Rec Hall, is still working on fundamentals of the thrust and attack.

Over in Glennland pool, Coach Bill Gutteron and his swimming team are trying to slice-off seconds from the natator's times to be ready for the top-flight competition later this winter.

### Sprint King

Earle Mundell, Mr. Five-Foot-Five of the Penn State squad, is a former Pennsylvania sprint champion who is used on kick-offs and also as a spot runner.

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