

Werner Nominates Five To Compete In K of C

Track Coach Chick Werner has chosen five of his Nittany thin-clads to compete in four events at the Cleveland Knights of Columbus meet tonight.

Captain Jim Gehrdes will lead the Lion delegation in its first invasion of the mid-west this season. Jumpin' Jim will go in the 45 yard high hurdles and run the initial leg of the mile relay. His running companions in the relay will be Guy Kay, Bill Lockhart and Wil Lancaster. This is the same team that set a new Penn State indoor mile relay record two weeks ago.

FRITTS TO JUMP

The Lions' champion high jumper, Vic Fritts will do his specialty and Wil Lancaster, in addition to his chore in the mile relay, will run in the 50 yard sprint. The meet will be the first for the Wernermen since the New York K of C meet two weeks ago.

In the hurdles test Gehrdes will face 3 men he has been running against all season, Harrison Dillard, Craig Dixon and Bill Mitchell. In the New York K of C meet, Dillard, the former Baldwin-Wallace star, nipped Jim by an eyelash. Dixon is an ex-UCLA ace and Mitchell is still attending Georgetown.

GOOD COMPETITION

The record-busting mile relay team which has established itself as one of the best in the East, will meet the best of the teams it faced in this section of the country plus the best of the middle-west. The quartet's new record is 3 minutes 21-2 seconds.

Curt Stone and Horace Ashenfelter, the two grad students, will run in the two mile. They should have things pretty much their own way with the absence of Fred Wilt who has passed up the meet in order to be fresh for his meeting with Don Gehrmann Saturday night in Chicago.

John Twomey of the Illinois A.C., who also trains at State, will go in the mile in an attempt to cool off the currently sizzling John Joe Barry from Ireland, running for Villanova.

Play Continues In IM Handball

Independent and Fraternity intramural handball singles matches continued to move at a rapid rate as 34 fraternity men were eliminated, and the independents moved into their second round of play.

Don Desandro, Alpha Sigma Phi swamped Bill Beck, Chi Phi, 21-2, 21-5; Jack King, SAE, conquered Clarence Grimm, Pi Kappa Alpha, 21-2, 21-5; Bob Koons, Sigma Pi, decisioned Fred Singer, Phi Sigma Delta, 21-17, 21-14, and David Harman, Lambda Chi Alpha, won by forfeit from Dick Gillespie, Alpha Tau Omega, in flight five play.

Art Betts, Phi Delta Theta, beat Paul Lapcevic, Sigma Phi Sigma; Gilbert Goldstein, Beta Sigma Rho, topped Jim Barr, Sigma Nu, and Art Oberg, Pi Kappa Alpha, triumphed over Paul Kelly, Phi Kappa Psi, in forfeit matches.

SQUEEZE

Harold Wolfson ZBT, lost to Bob Bunnell, Phi Gamma Delta, 21-4, 21-5; Robert Morrow, DTD, squeezed by Tony DeJulius, Alpha Phi Delta, 21-13, 21-14; footballer Owen Dougherty, Kappa Delta Rho, smashed Donald Linville, Alpha Zeta, 21-3, 21-6; Bob Kolarik, Lambda Chi Alpha, tumbled Bernard Sotak, Phi Kappa, 21-0, 21-8; and William Goode, Theta Xi, smothered Ted Yorsch, Sigma Phi Alpha, 21-3, 21-4 in flight seven action.

David Bischoff, Sigma Nu, eeked by Walter Rushinsky, Delta Chi, 21-19, 21-19; Leslie Lampert, Beta Sigma Rho, notched a close victory over Rhys Phillips, Theta Chi, 21-19, 21-19; Edward Diddlebock, Phi Kappa Tau, swamped Bob Miller, Phi Epsilon Pi, 21-8, 21-9, and Dick Fader, Pi Lambda Phi, topped Edward Davis, Phi Kappa Sigma, 21-10, 17-21, 21-8 to round out Monday night's play.

BOROWY WINS

Dick White, Tau Phi Delta, dropped his match to Tom Robinson, Phi Kappa Psi, 12-10, 12-10; swimmer Cas Borowy, Delta

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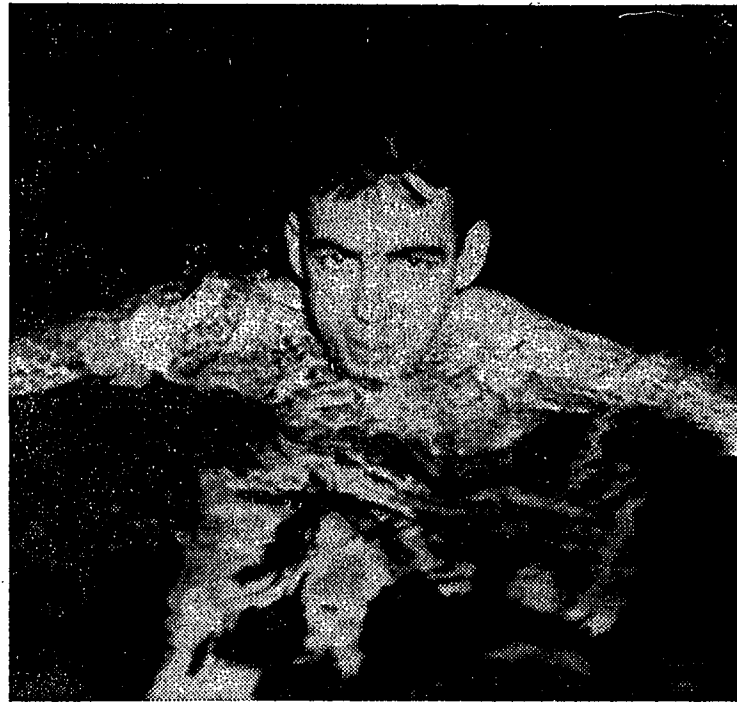
Contract for Rogel?

Fran "Punchy" Rogel, erst-while Nittany fullback, has received a contract from the Pittsburgh Steelers offering him approximately \$5000 for one year. Rogel said he will not sign the contract until he gets at least "a couple thousand more."

High-Scoring Five

Penn State's 1950 basketball team averaged 57 points per game in its first season under Coach Elmer Gross.

The Captain Takes A Breather



It's Blue, White and Green When McGroary Takes His Mark

By ART BENNING

It's a great day for the Irish when a patch of dark hair and a pair of flailing arms slice through the water in Glennland pool on Saturday afternoons. The sight never fails to bring the fans to their feet with cries of "Go Mac".

When the shouts subside, and another distance event is entered in the books, John McGroary, lean, quiet mannered Nittany swimming captain, climbs from the water for a deserved rest.

John, who also co-captained his high school team in Hazleton, holds the Penn State team record for the 220 yard freestyle. He outstroked Seton Hall's Al Stein in Glennland pool this season, setting the new mark of 2:24.3.

SHORT TO LONG

John came to the campus in the fall of 1947, after spending his freshman year at the Hazleton Undergraduate Center. Since then he has performed for Coach Bill Gutteron's swimming team, first as a sprinter, and later as one of the best distance men to ever swim for the Lions.

In the 1949 Eastern Intercollegiate, John placed fourth in the 220 yard freestyle as the Lions captured fourth spot behind Rutgers, Seton Hall, and Temple. Last weekend he met many of his dual meet opponents and plenty more in the '50 Intercollegiate at Rutgers.

The distance men in the East this year are especially strong. Despite swimming the best race he ever swam, according to swimming manager Don Koontz, John failed to place in the star-packed lineup.

As a junior in Hazleton High School John won a third place in the PIAA swimming meet, and a year later, captured the runner-up spot.

"That was the year," John

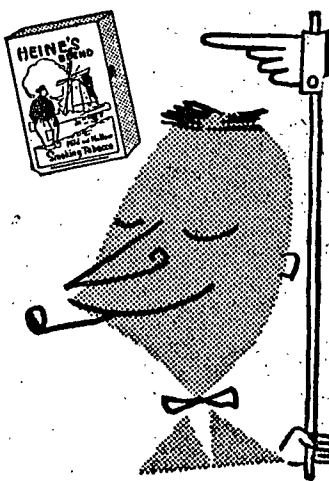
said, "that we beat York in a dual meet, before they went on to win the state championship."

During the war the Nittany captain spent 38 months in the states as an Air Corps radio mechanic. Although he had little time for swimming, he modestly tells of winning the 220 yard freestyle in the First Air Corps swimming championships.

BIG THRILL

But according to Mac, as his teammates call him, his biggest thrill came from winning the mile title in the Senior Men's AAU meet in Northeastern Pennsylvania.

When John set a new team



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Gridders Bunn, Hoover 1950 Question Marks

One of the big problems that Penn State's 1950 football coach will have to face is what to do about the vacancies left by the graduation of 19 lettermen. Another problem remaining from the carnage of the late and lamented football campaign are the knee injuries sustained by linemen Ken Bunn and Ed Hoover.

Bunn, who earned a letter for his play at the offensive center

Silver Anniversary

This is Lew Andreas' Silver Anniversary season as Head Basketball Coach at Syracuse University. At the start of the 1949-'50 season Andreas' cage team had been responsible for 337 wins against only 124 defeats for a .731 winning average since he accepted the position in 1924.

Lose Co-Captains

Penn State will lose its basketball co-captains, Marty Costa and Joe Tocci, by graduation in June.

record for the 220 this season, it was nothing new for him. He merely broke the record he set as a junior. In losing to some of the best distance men in the East this year, John has bettered the existing team mark for the 440 yard freestyle, but records are set only when winning.

The distance ace was quick to give his coach, Bill Gutteron, credit for developing him. "He's a good coach, and has the critical eye that a coach needs," John says. "He's helped me a lot."

TOUGH FOES

In commenting on the past season, John said the team did a great job, but that the competition turned out to be especially tough. He said that all the opponents this year used subsidized swimmers, which makes it hard for a team without scholarship men.

"I think next year's team will be a good one," he commented. "Two of the breaststroke men are graduating, which will weaken the team even more in its weakest event. But they'll do all right," he said.

Good evidence of how much the swimmers will miss their graduating captain, is the 56 points he scored during the dual meet season in '50.

position, and Hoover, a good tackle replacement, are expected to help fill two of the gaping holes left by the departure of such sturdies as Chuck Beatty, Ray Hedderick, Joe Drazenovich, Paul Kelly, Neg Norton, Don Murray and Bob Hicks.

Troubled by a bad knee all season, Bunn recently submitted the knee to an operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. It will not be until the Fall, however, before he will be ready for action.

SCORED TD

Hoover, a substitute tackle who broke into the headlines last year when he intercepted a pass and ran for a touchdown against Boston College, was also plagued by a troublesome knee. He recently underwent an operation to remove a cartilage and is now available for limited action only.

Earl Bruce, in charge of the Spring drills, doesn't want to predict that both boys will be ready for full-time duty in the Fall. Knees are cantankerous parts of the anatomy, Bruce points out, and there is a chance that they may not heal properly.

In the meantime, Bruce and his four assistants are running their 75-man squad through the first

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