

# Bucknell Batsmen Score 11 in 7th To Jolt Lions, 15-3

By GEORGE GLAZER

There are some days a ballplayer just can't make a nickel, and yesterday there wasn't a cent to be had in the Nittany lineup as Bucknell trounced the State nine, 15-3, at Beaver Field.

The Lions were riding high after taking two from West Virginia over the weekend at Beaver Field, 13-7 and 4-2, and when Hen Albright tripped to start yesterday's game, it looked as if the Lions had found the hitting range once again.

Art Raynor, Bucknell hurler who now has defeated State twice this season, stood the Lions on their collective ears after Albright's hit and did the same thing in the second when Captain Dick Wertz led off with a double.

### Two Home Runs

Trouble started in the third when the Bisons hit two homers for three markers. They added one more in the sixth before the Lions broke in with two runs.

Then the roof fell in. The Bisons scored 11 runs off loser Al Tkac, Bill Everson, Herb Budin and Bill Bair. Only five Bisons hit safely in the melee but two walks, two errors and a hit batsmen helped considerably.

The Lions rumbled in the seventh and eighth frames but only one run came out of the noise.

The loss to Bucknell now puts the Nittany log at 6 wins and 4 losses.

Saturday was a different story. While winner Dalton Rumberger had to be relieved by Everson, the closest the Mountaineers could come was three runs. In the second, Bair, with a new outfield behind him, came through with a six-hit job in seven innings for his second straight win.

The lineups:

Bucknell	Ab	R	H	Penn State	Ab	R	H
Sinclair, lf	6	1	1	Albright, lf	4	0	1
McKibbin, lb	5	3	2	Toel, 2b	4	0	0
Frankie, rf	5	2	2	Tonery, ss	5	2	2
Coneklin, cf	5	2	2	Hopper, cf	3	1	0
Dyer, c	5	1	2	Wertz, lb	3	0	2
Shirk, 3b	3	2	2	Kurty, c	4	0	0
Weber, ss	4	1	1	Dougherty, rf	3	0	1
Kough, 2b	5	1	1	Little, 3b	4	0	0
Raynor, p	5	2	3	Tkac, p	2	0	0
				Everson, p	0	0	0
				Budin, p	0	0	0
				Bair, p	0	0	0
Totals	43	15	16	Totals	32	3	6

### IM Deadline

This afternoon at 5 o'clock has been set as the entry deadline for independent and fraternity IM golf putting, horse-shoe doubles and track. Applicants are to sign up in the intramural office in Rec Hall.

Howard Brewer, Washington State College tennis team manager from Lind, Washington, is the holder of the WSC intramural heavyweight boxing title. Brewer is also a good tennis player, but is laying out this season.

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# Cornell Foils State EIGA Tourney Bid

As a result of Sunday's playoff loss to Army at West Point, Penn State's golf team was back on campus today sadly viewing the termination of its 3-year domination of the EIGA round-robin sectional tourney.

Cornell, the new titlist, will represent the Lions' district at Yale this weekend.

Last Friday the Lion golfers took the Cadets by a 4-3 score and Cornell beat Pitt, 5-2. Saturday morning play showed Army over Pitt 4-3, with State bowing to Cornell, 4-3.

Match play Saturday afternoon scored State over Pitt, 4-3 and Army edging Cornell, 4-3.

Cornell, Army and State entered a three-way playoff Sunday with the Big Red winning with 47½ points. Army collected 45 and State posted 43.

Coach Bob Rutherford explained the defeat following the match, "We should have won when we had three men 'up' against Cornell on the last 3 holes—but they just couldn't hold on.

"All teams were evenly matched and our boys played some fine golf. Captain Tom Smith and Joe Durniak won all three of their matches and played outstanding golf."

Friday's Results

Penn State over Army, 4-3  
Cornell over Pitt

Saturday's Results

Cornell over Penn State, 4-3  
Army over Pitt  
Penn State over Pitt, 4-3  
Army over Cornell

Sunday's Final Scores

Cornell 47½  
Army 45  
Penn State 43

### Orange Netmen Host At Easterns

SYRACUSE, N.Y.—Syracuse University will be host to the 1950 Eastern Intercollegiate tennis championships, it was announced recently by Lewis P. Andreas, Orange athletic director. Andreas received official notification from the Eastern lawn tennis association.

The dates of the tournament for singles and doubles play for varsity squads are June 12-17.

History was made in the announcement in two respects. It marked the first time that the Eastern championships will be staged on a college campus, and it also will be the first time that they have been conducted in upstate New York.

Cornell University will seek to defend its laurels won a year ago at the Montclair A.C., while the Big Red's Richard Savitt will defend his singles title. Some 25 schools are expected to be represented in the tournament.

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# Orange Win Over Lion Lacrossers

From the frying pan into the fire!

That's the plight of Nick Thiel's Nittany lacrosse team which will take on Virginia, Saturday, in the Lions second home game of the season. Virginia is Syracuse's only conqueror this season.

Saturday, Syracuse defeated Penn State, 17-3.

State jumped into the lead in the first period against the Orange and gave indications of making a battle out of the contest.

Jim Reed and Co-Captain Bob Louis put the Lions into the lead with a goal apiece before the Orange could muster a point.

But the lead was short-lived as the veteran Syracuse stickmen scored four times before the first period, ended to take a 2 goal lead.

"The boys looked good in the first 13 minutes, but after that they couldn't control the ball and their defense fell apart," commented assistant Lion coach John McHugh.

Phil Raffensperger added the Lions' only other tally in the second period as the Nittanians were blanked in the final half.

Jack Britton and Bill Fuller paced the Orange attack with three goals apiece.

Six of Penn State's 16 intercollegiate athletic teams are coached by alumni of the institution.

# Lancaster, Gehrdes Star As Wernermen Bow, 82-59

The Penn State track team's efforts went to no avail Saturday as they suffered an 82 to 59 defeat at the hands of a powerful Michigan State squad.

Two old standbys led the Nittany tracksters as Capt. Jim Gehrdes placed in four events and Wil Lancaster scored in three.

In all, the cinder forces of Coach Chick Werner picked up six first places. Lancaster won both the 100 and 220-yard dashes, Gehrdes the 120-yard high hurdles, Bill Lockhart the 440-yard run, Vic Fritts the high-jump. Bill Ashenfelter and Al Porto tied for top honors in the two mile.

Mile run: Won by Mack, Michigan State; second, Drezdler, Michigan State; third, Bill Ashenfelter, Penn State. Time—4:24.8.

440-yard dash—Won by Lockhart, Penn State; second, Jones, Michigan State; third, Steffen, Michigan State. Time—50.8.

100-yard dash—Won by Lancaster, Penn State; second, Gehrdes, Penn State; third, Smith, Michigan State. Time 0:09.7.

120-yard high hurdles—Won by Gehrdes, Penn State; second, Thomas, Michigan State; third, Smith, Michigan State. Time 0:14.5.

880-yard run—Won by Makielski, Michigan State; second, Dave Peppard, Michigan State; third, Dianetti, Michigan State. Time—1:56.

220-yard dash—Won by Lancaster, Penn State; second, Henson, Michigan State; third, Hervey, Michigan State. Time—0:21.6.

2-mile run—Won by Bill Ashenfelter and Porto, Penn State, tie; third, Acheson, Michigan State. Time—9:55.2.

220-yard low hurdles—Won by Smith, Michigan State; second, Gehrdes, Penn State; third, Fraser, Michigan State. Time—0:22.9.

Mile relay—Won by Michigan State (Henson, Jones, Akielski, Dianetti); second, Penn State. Time—3:25.7.

Pole vault—Won by Arndt, Michigan State; second, Coder and Wilkinson, Penn State, tie; Height—12 feet.

Shot put—Won by Carey, Michigan State; second, Mueller, Michigan State; third, Drzenovich, Penn State. Distance—48 feet 3 3/8 inches.

Broad Jump—Won by Thomas, Michigan State; second, Lancaster, Penn State; third, Bueschlen, Michigan State. Distance—23 feet 3/4 inch.

High jump—Won by Fritts, Penn State; second, Bueschlen, Michigan State; third, Gehrdes and Lewis, Penn State, tie. Height—6 feet, 3 inches.

Javelin throw—Won by Thomas, Michigan State; second, Roderer, Penn State; third, Bertram, Penn State. Distance—181 feet, 3 inches.

Discus throw—Won by Mueller, Michigan State; second, Miller, Michigan State; third, Cripps, Penn State. Distance—132 feet 1 3/4 inches.

# State Tennis Squad Outpoints Hoyas

Coach Sheman Fogg's tennis-seers ended a two-game losing streak Saturday by running up a 7-2 decision over the Georgetown Hoyas on the Beaver Field courts.

Yesterday afternoon the Penn State netmen met Bucknell, at Lewisburg, in the replay of a cancelled game.

Captain Owen "Sonny" Landon defeated Hoya Captain Jack McCarthy, 6-2, 6-3, Saturday, while Dick Wieland drubbed Bob Egan, 6-1, 6-3, Jim Howells took victory number three by whipping Barry Hynes, 6-3, 6-2; Mark Borland, number four, beat Stuart Carr, 6-3, 6-4, Nick Wolfe, Georgetown, edged Spence Boyer 5-7, 7-5, 6-4, and Ed Davis bested Walt Muckerman in the last singles, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1.

Wieland and Howells lost to McCarthy and Egan, 6-3, 2-6, 9-7, Landon and Davis rapped Wolfe and Hynes, 6-4, 6-2, and Wood and Kauffman stopped Carr and Muckerman, 6-3, 4-6, 6-1, in the doubles.

# Landon Shows Dad That Tennis Is His Racket

By LOWELL KELLER

Most good tennis players start out their net career by chasing balls for their dad or uncle at the local tennis club or on the public courts. Later on they learn the fundamentals and after playing through high school and reaching the collegiate age they are usually good bets to make the team.

Owen "Sonny" Landon, 1950 Penn State co-captain elect, along with Bill Aiken, is one player who worked himself along this way.

But he had better luck than the average "retriever." By the time Sonny started swinging the (you should pardon the expression) catgut at State he was considered a veteran campaigner even to the tune of playing in amateur tournaments on the other side of the Atlantic.

### Williamsport Lad

Sonny was born and raised in Williamsport where his father participated in all the big tournaments in the Brandon Park Tennis League.

Naturally, sixteen-year-old Sonny chased the balls and later was taught the essentials by his dad. In high school Sonny captained the net squad which was undefeated in his senior year.

The PIAA tournament brought him to State College where he was defeated in the finals. This apparently was no discouragement to the youngster, for he captured the Susquehanna Valley championship and the Williamsport Tennis Club title that same year, 1945.

In the latter matches Landon won a youth over age triumph when he outlasted Irving Wheatcroft, ranked fifteenth in England in 1936, in the finals.

The next big step for the sandy-haired Nittany leader was a hook-up with the Army in '45.

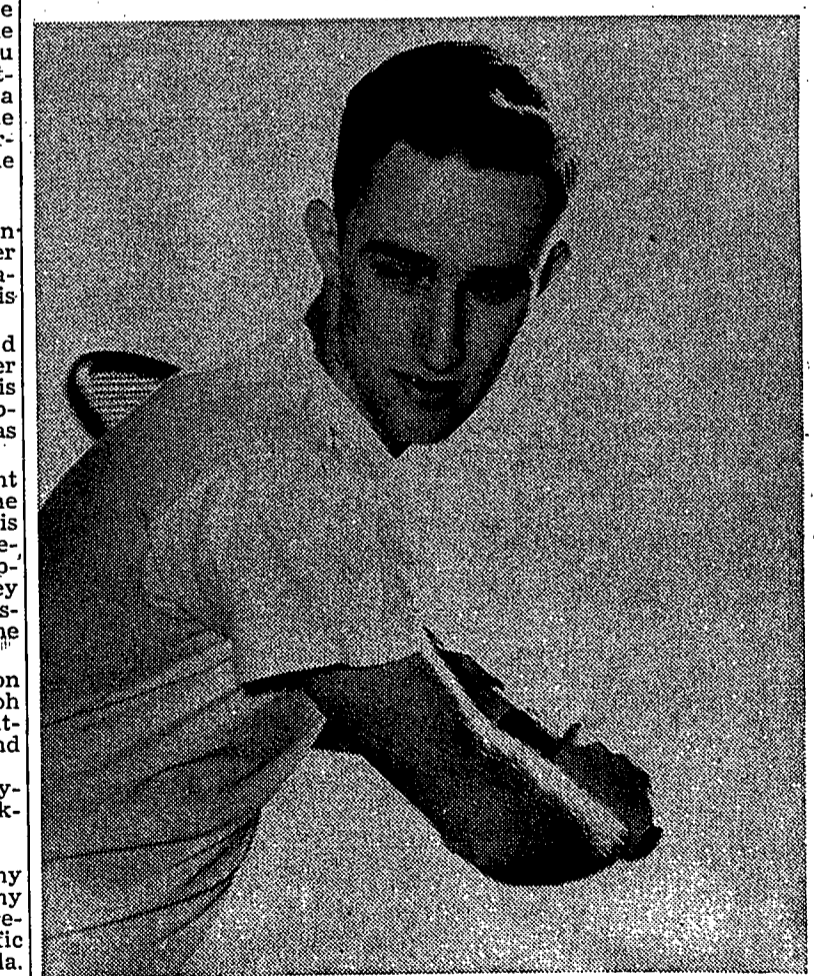
### Army Champ

After winning the US Army championship in Korea, Sonny captained a five-man team representing Korea in the All-Pacific Tennis Championships at Manila.

While playing in the Philippines he ankle about on the world-famous Raza Stadium which, besides having the "best courts I've ever played on," includes a football field, baseball diamond, track for all field events and a field house for basketball and other indoor sports.

Back in the United States, Sonny attended Lycoming College in Williamsport where he captained that school's first tennis team. A small note should be

# No. 1 Nittany Racqueteer . . .



Co-Captain Owen Landon

made that Lycoming had an unblemished record that year.

Coming to the Nittany Valley last year, the tall junior stroked his way through eight victorious matches while dropping two. He and Herb Beckhard, Lion captain in '49, represented Penn State at the conclusion of the regular season in the Eastern Intercollegiate at Montclair, New Jersey, in both

singles and doubles. So far this year Captain Landon has breezed through 6 out of 7 matches.

He has his eyes set on an Eastern crown this season and there is no reason why he shouldn't realize this ambition. After all, he began by chasing balls and getting advice from his father just like all good tennis men