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Penn State Sports In Review Wertz, Batting

King, Is 'Ballplayers' Idol

Dick Wertz, Penn State's version lege Park, Md. of Stan 'The Man', who as a senior the past year batted over .350 not take home the winner's troto lead his Nittany teammates for phy, he played his part in push-ing Attlesey to a new world's the second successive year.

And yet, it is hard to pick out event, clipping one-tenth of a secthe individual things that make ond off the old mark. Dick an outstanding ballplayer, or

the things that make him an outstanding man. All these points seem to be blended into him and all give reason why he is called a 'ballplayer's ballplayer.'

Dick is a holler guy, a hustler, a winning ballplayer.

His teammates thought he was enough of a holler guy, a winning ballplayer, and a hustler to name him captain for the past season.

His fellow students in the Phys Ed school thought enough of him as a good guy, a scholar and a clear thinker to elect him president of the Phys Ed Student Council.

But you'll never learn any of these things by talking to Dick, for to employ a much-used word, he is 'modest'.

One thing Dick will say is that he is a ballplayer, for baseball is a part of him.

Like all youngsters, Dick wanted to become a pitcher but after getting banged around on the Newport sandlots, he decided to try his hand at first base.

In his sophomore year at State Dick and 14 other guys tried out for the first base job. Dick was quite worried about making the squad, let alone a starting job. But the other 14 guys went their way and when the season started Dick had the '1b' beside his name in the lineup.

For three years now he has been a fixture at first for the Lion nine, each year hitting well into the .300's and fielding with the best.

Quiz Answer

It was Marion Lawrence "Larry" Shields; '19, who ran the anchor leg of the relay that day.

Undoubtedly one of Penn State's all-time greats in the track world, Larry won the in-tercollegiate one-mile champ-ionship in 1920, establishing a record of 4:22.4.

In 1922 he won the national and IC4A mile titles and placed third in the half-mile at the nationals.

Also in 1920, Larry was a ember of the Olympic team. The long-waited National AAU seventh, and broke the tape with floundered in the first round to and captain of Penn State's terms high hurdles duel between Dick a three-yard lead on the Altoona Attlesey, Southern California's Express.

Attlesey, Southern California's Express. man of destiny, and Jim Gehrdes, the Nittany Lions lanky whiz kid, Curt S There is much to be said about finally became a reality at Col-

> While Penn State's Gehrdes did record of 13.6 in the 110-meter

Attlesey, NCAA 120-yard high hurdle kingpin, had to come from behind to nip the speeding Gehr-des who had to be content with a second-place finish.

The Penn State captain got off nia ace for the first six hurdles, Collegiate championships held last Jim Maurey, former Clearfield the second but Attlesey caught him at the week at Albuquerque, N. M., High PIAA wrestling champion ling team.

Curt Stone, two-mile runner and former Nittany trackman, and Gehrdes both left for Norway, Sunday, as part of a 15-man con-tingent from the United States which will seek additional track bopore in Fusion 26 percent and the states which will seek additional track honors in Europe. score was 138 for 36 holes.

Horace Ashenfelter, another State track luminary, will join the party invading England, Ire-land and Scotland and departing Network State track luminary, will join the party invading England, Ire-land and Scotland and departing Network State track luminary, will join tween Eastern and Western links-men, Smith teamed with Roy Mc-land and Scotland and departing Kensie, of North Carolina, to deon July 29.

Smith Beaten At Golf

The 'Mighty Mouse' of Penn to a flying start and maintained State golfdom, Tommy Smith, an advantage over the Califor- competing in the 53rd National Maurey Gets Mats Job

representative.

feat Bell Evans, of Austin Col- right-hand man on the mats. lege and Johnston, 1 up. During the regular season Smith copped

8 of 11 matches.

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teach science there.

It was not known whether Maurey would aid the varsity, jayvee or junior high gridders, but he will be Coach Lind Yerg's

Maurey climaxed his final col, legiate season this year by win-ning the Eastern Intercollegiate Wrestling Association's 145-pound

title. He was recently named to Jim Maurey, former Clearfield the second All-American wrest-



He's now in charge of alumni and fund raising activities at Philips Academy, Andover. Mass.

Sports Bill -

(Continued from Page Ten) being formed. Teams will be scheduled to play two games weekly and anyone interested in entering a team is requested to contact 'Dutch' Sykes at Room 213, Recreation Hall.

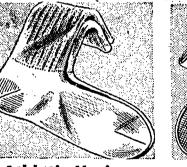
Athletic equipment will be available at the equipment room in Dorm 34 each afternoon. Mon-day through Friday, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

The Recreation Hall will also be open to students except when classes are in session. Equipment can be obtained from the towel room (South Locker) daily from 8 to 5 p.m. Men can purchase towel tickets at the Bursar's Ofe and use the towel-locker ser

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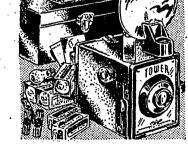
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