

LIU Cancels Games, Ends Collegiate Play

Bulletin

NEW YORK, Feb. 20—(AP)—Long Island university tonight cancelled its remaining basketball games and said it is withdrawing from intercollegiate athletics of all kinds.

A special meeting of the university's trustees decided to return all sports at LIU "to the status of intramural competition."

NEW YORK — (AP)—Four Long Island university stars, drawn into the greatest scandal in college sports history, were charged today with taking \$18,500 to fix seven big-time basketball games. It was the fourth and largest cage scandal since 1945.

Three of the LIU players were arrested today, bringing to eight the number of local college players or ex-players who allegedly sold out for an overall total of \$25,000 in gamblers' bribes.

The fourth, who played last year but not this year, already was charged with taking part in an earlier bribe attempt that broke the fix wide open.

Seven Games Fixed

Authorities said the four players admitted fixing seven games—three last year and four this season, and one of them in the National Invitation Tournament. They said the last game they fixed was on Jan. 4 when LIU played Bowling Green.

Finally, the players were quoted as saying, they sickened of the deal and shrugged off further tainted money to go straight a month ago.

The latest three players nabbed in the spreading betting coup included Sherman White, 22-year-old Negro forward and the nation's leading scorer. The gangling star was regarded as a cinch for All-America honors this year.

Charged with bribery along with White were LIU's other star forward and team captain, Adolph Bigos, 25, and Le Roy Smith, 21, a classy Negro guard.

They were held in \$15,000 bail each.

Questioned All Night

District attorney Frank S. Hogan said the three cracked under night long questioning and finally admitted their part in the LIU fixes.

The fourth LIU man involved was Edward Gard, said by Hogan to have been bribed first when he played on the LIU squad last season.

He is accused of drawing his three teammates into the setup. Then, with his playing days over, Gard was accused of acting as a go-between to help bribe players from other schools.

Besides the four LIU players, four from other schools have been arrested since the scandal broke Sunday.

Seized then were three members of City College's "cinderella"

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Council Aids Voting Petition

The move for state legalization of absentee voting gained further support Monday night when the Education Student council voted to send a letter to Harrisburg where the bill is now being considered.

Other business at the meeting included the announcement that the revision of the council's constitution is now complete. However, Clarke Young, president of the organization, proposed an amendment which would give presidents of several clubs and honoraries a seat and a vote on the council.

Items on the budget included a student council-faculty mixer to be held in conjunction with the Future Teachers of America, two student council awards, and financial help for Edits.

Also discussed was the advisability of aiding an FTA project, "Books for Kids." It was suggested that money be appropriated for supplies and athletic equipment to aid these children attending school in one-room schoolhouses.

Fix Expose Shocks Lion Cage Coach

By ERNIE MOORE

Disappointment, shock, and a cry to bring college basketball back to the campus was the reaction of the Penn State cage coaches and players to the big "fix" expose in New York city which has rocked the entire sports world.

Penn State's Coach Elmer Gross said that he was "very much surprised" at the sudden turn of events which has drawn CCNY, NYU, and Long Island into the biggest scandal yet to involve college sports.

'Tremendous Shock'

"It must have been a tremendous shock to the coaches of the teams. You hate to think of it, but that money is a big factor," he said.

"The boys probably don't have much money and when someone flashes a couple of thousand dollars in your face, it looks pretty big. The trouble is that the boys think they won't be caught. Now their lives are ruined," he continued.

Favors Games On Campus

Former Lion cage coach John Lawther stated emphatically, "I

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Atwater Cites Discussion Need

Better techniques of mediation and negotiation within the United Nations would help it to survive the Korean crisis, according to Dr. Alton Atwater, associate professor of political science.

Speaking before the International Relations club last night, Atwater said that it sometimes seems as if partisan forces within the U.N. are "more concerned with victory for themselves than with a solution at least partially satisfactory to each side."

Cease Fire

"A cease-fire command was given to North Korean forces in June, 1950, when U.N. forces were being badly beaten. But when U.N. troops were crossing the 38th parallel for the first time, there was no talk of mediation," he said.

Either the Korean war will be localized or it will develop into a third world war, according to Atwater. And if it is not localized the U.N. will probably become a wartime coalition of anti-Communist forces and lose its original identity as an international organization, he added.

Atwater was formerly a member of the international relations staff at American university in Washington, D.C. He has attended meetings of the U.N. organization in Geneva and has observed sessions of the Security Council regarding the Korean question.

Major Power Aggression

"The United Nations is not equipped to handle aggression by a major power," he said. As an example he cited the two days needed for the U.N. to declare a small country, Northern Korea, an aggressor in June, 1950. He contrasted this with the two months of negotiation necessary before Communist China was declared an aggressor after its intervention in Korea.

Debaters



DAVID LEWIS, left, and Harry Kondourajian, members of the men's debate squad, discuss their victory last weekend in the Washington and Jefferson tournament. The two men defended the affirmative side. Winning a victory in the tournament for the third consecutive year, the College also won permanent right to possession of the W and J debate trophy.

Taylor Says World Not In A Crisis

The West is not justified in calling the present situation a world crisis, Dr. Paul V. Taylor said last night in the "Meaning of the Crisis" colloquy of Religion-in-Life week.

Dr. Taylor, recently returned from Huachong university, China, said the West is confused and does not know what weapons to use in its first struggle with communism. War is adolescent—not mature—and the West is showing signs that it can be adult, he said.

Dr. Carl W. Miller, professor of physics, Brown university, said the present situation should not be called a world crisis but rather world danger. He said it would not last for a few years, but for generations.

Industrial Development

The situation has arisen from rapid industrial development and scientific inventions. Miller said the situation was inevitable, and has come in God's purpose.

In the 18th century man tried to give scientific answers instead

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Religion-In-Life Week Schedule

Tomorrow's schedule for Religion-in-Life week is shown below. The program which started Sunday as Penn State's part in National Brotherhood week will end with a closing service tomorrow night. Joan Hutchon and Emerson Jones are co-chairmen of the program.

Thursday's Schedule:

7:40—8 a.m. Worship—Penn State-in-China, 303 Old Main.
8:30 a.m. Radio: The Rev. Homer V. Heisley, speaker.
9 a.m.—4 p.m. Classroom appointments and personal conferences.
12 noon. Leaders' luncheon meeting, Allencrest.

3 p.m. Movies, 119 Osmond.
3—5 p.m. School seminars.
5:30—8 p.m. Firesides in dormitories and fraternities.
8—8:30 p.m. Radio broadcast; The Rev. Samuel Proctor, speaker.

8:30 p.m. Closing service with Joan Hutchon and Emerson Jones presiding; College Chapel choir; Modern Dance group.

Drop Is Slight In Enrollment

Enrollment at the College did not drop as much as expected for the spring semester, according to figures released yesterday by Ruth H. Gold, admissions office statistician.

A total of 10,342 students are enrolled in the College now, a drop of 790 from the 11,132 students enrolled last semester. But the drop is only 43 from the 10,385 enrolled at the beginning of the spring semester last year.

College officials throughout the country predicted there would be huge drops in enrollment in February of this year, but apparently this has not been the case on this campus.

While the enrollment did drop from last semester's, to be accurate, the figures must be compared with enrollment of previous spring semesters.

Of this semester's total, including graduate, special, part-time and two-year agriculture students, 7,918 are men and 2,424 are women, a ratio of almost three men for every woman.

Semester Totals

The totals by semesters are: first semester, 101 men and 37 women; second, 933 men and 370 women; third, 111 men and 31 women; fourth, 1577 men and 662 women; fifth, 237 men and 56 women; sixth, 1696 men and 481 women; seventh, 286 men and 56 women; and eighth, 1647 men and 405 women.

There are also 1184 men and 198 women enrolled in the graduate school; 94 men and 128 women enrolled as special students; and 52 two-year agricultural students.

By schools, the totals are Agriculture, 1710; Chemistry and Physics, 823; Education, 1620; Home Economics, 674; Engineering, 1545; Liberal Arts, 2647; Mineral Industries, 610; Physical Education, 314; and Division of Intermediate Registration, 399.

New System Lets Frosh Enroll Early

A new emergency acceleration program enabling June high school graduates to get an early start on their college education was announced yesterday by President Milton S. Eisenhower.

Under the new program, the new freshman classes will be admitted July 2 and again Sept. 9, Eisenhower said. The July session will be of nine weeks duration and will afford the newcomer an opportunity to initiate his training in any one of the 57 courses of study now offered by the College.

May Enter In Fall

President Eisenhower emphasized that entering students may take their choice as to whether to begin their freshman year in the summer session, or wait until the opening of the regular fall semester.

Freshman week in the fall begins Sept. 9 and classes get under way Sept. 17. The summer session, opening July 2, will end Aug. 31.

Not Limited To Boys

The summer session will not be limited to boys, according to Eisenhower. Girls will be allowed to take the courses offered in the July session. Certain basic courses common to nearly all freshman programs will be offered during the special summer session.

"Students returning from the last war," Dr. Eisenhower explained, "insisted upon the accelerated programs. They were older, and many of them had assumed new obligations. The important thing to them was to get started on their careers. By accelerating now, we believe we will be rendering a service not only to our country, but also to those youngsters who sooner or later may be drafted for defense duties."

2500 Persons Sign Petition

The National Student association's petition urging the Pennsylvania legislature to legalize absentee voting has been signed by about 2500 students, David Fitzcharles, chairman of the NSA absentee voting committee, said last night.

The petitions will be circulated in the dormitories, fraternity houses, and in town during mealtime for the rest of the week.

Edward Shanken, Thomas Farrell, Leonard Wargo and Otto Grupp are circulating the petition in town and at fraternity houses. Joan Yerger and Joanne Esterly are at Simmons, while Ella Louise Williams is at McElwain.

Woodward At McAllister

Guyla Woodward is handling McAllister. Fitzcharles and William Klisanin will be at a table in the Nittany-Pollack dining hall today.

The petition will be at the Student Union desk in Old Main all week.

The floor presidents of the West dorms explained the petition at house meetings last night.

Klisanin observed a lack of interest in many students under 21 who don't realize that by the time the measure goes into effect they will be old enough to vote.

Auto Traffic To Be Checked

Stricter enforcement of existing Windcrest traffic regulations will begin taking place soon, according to a release from the Windcrest council.

A regulation restricting traffic in the Windcrest area to residents only will be enforced by the council in cooperation with the Campus patrol, the dean of men's office, and Tribunal.

The council asked that all faculty, townspeople, students, visitors, delivery trucks and workers keep their cars out of the area because of the danger of hitting the many children at play.

Today ...



The Nittany Lion Roars

FOR Lou Lamie, Penn State's "Mr. Basketball," who has broken the three-year Nittany scoring mark by amassing a total of 587 points. Lou, cage captain this season, surpassed Jack Biery's old total of 576.

The sports-minded Nittany Lion was a little confused for a while, but now that the record has been confirmed, he roars with admiration and the hope that "Mr. Basketball" will scorch the hoops for the rest of the season and break the one-year record now held by Marty Costa at 299.