

Majors Open Training Amid 'Flu' And Holdouts

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NEW YORK, March 1—(AP)—The "flu" bug and some 30 persistent holdouts plagued Major League baseball teams, which officially opened spring training today, in far-flung warm weather resorts stretching from California to Florida.

Manager Billy Southworth of the Boston Braves is the latest to be sent to bed by the mild influenza wave. Brooklyn's peppery new pilot, Charley Dressen, was ordered to a hospital earlier this week.

Southworth became ill at the Brave's camp in Bradenton, Fla., and was ordered to his room for 24 hours by the team's trainer, Dr. Charles Lacks. Penicillin treatment was ordered.

Braves Still Ailing

Three other Braves, Coach Jimmy Brown and catchers Walker Cooper and Walt Lindren, have not fully recovered from the ailment that struck them last weekend.

There were two late signings today, reducing to 31 the number of players who had failed to come to terms with their employers.

Jim Hearn, who came to the Giants on waivers from the St. Louis Cardinals in June last year, finished with an 11-4 record and the lowest earned run average in the National league with 2.49.

Marshall Signs

Willard Marshall, the Braves' outfielder, signed a contract making Boston one of four Major League clubs without any hold-out problems. The others are both Chicago clubs and Cincinnati's Reds.

With the signing of Cleveland's ace pitcher, Bob Lemon, and the New York Yankees' Yogi Berra yesterday most of the top money players are now in the fold. Lemon signed for a reported \$50,000, making him probably the highest paid pitcher in baseball.

General Manager Hank Greenberg announced the Lemon signing last night from the Indians' Tucson, Ariz., training base. Berra signed for a reported \$30,000 after being contacted by telephone at his home in St. Louis.

Swimmers Face Temple Saturday

Lion swimmers will welcome Temple university to Glennland pool tomorrow afternoon as eagerly as any long-sufferer greets a revolution.

Such a turn-about should develop. For the Nittany mermen, undergoing the oppression of eight consecutive losses with nary a win, meet in the Owls' foe which has lost eleven against only one victory.

Consequently, Gutterson's lads must be cast in the unfamiliar favorite's role for the first time this year.

Lions Rate Edge

By comparing the best individual performances of both tank teams, the Lions rate a prohibitive choice to win. In every event except the breaststroke and the 300-yard medley, Penn State has recorded far better timings.

For a common foe this season, Pitt drubbed both the Lions and Owls handily. However, against the Templers, Pittsburgh was "saving" and swam many substitutes. Better indication of comparative strength can be found by matching with Delaware which trimmed Temple, 64-11, but barely edged State, 39-36.

Borowy, Kolber May Star

Double winners tomorrow could be State's sprint and distance duo Cas Borowy and Gene Kolber. Borowy may get three to his credit if he should swim with the 400-yard relay.

Last season's encounter resulted in a 45-30 Nittany triumph. It was one of the three registered last year by the Lions—a mark which cannot be equaled since Temple and Franklin & Marshall are the only clubs remaining on the dual meet schedule.

After the Lions swim F&M at home Wednesday, they wind up the season next Saturday in the ECSA's.

Phi Kap Cagers Down Theta Chi To Win 'B' Title

Phi Kappa of league B in the fraternity basketball league became the first squad to clinch its league championship by drubbing Theta Chi, 27-13, as Vic Straub poured in 17 points for the winners. It was Phi Kappa's sixth consecutive win. Another game in league B was Phi Kappa Tau's 13-8 triumph over Alpha Chi Rho.

In league E Alpha Tau Omega beat Delta Upsilon, 20-18 to remain one-half game behind Phi Sigma Delta.

Tau Kappa Epsilon won number six Wednesday night by denting Sigma Alpha Mu's tight defense, 16-8, rallying from a 4-4 deadlock at halftime. Phi Kappa Sigma downed Acacia, 22-9 as Ron Coder tallied six points.

Sigma Pi stayed in the running in league A by defeating Theta Xi, 25-12, while Phi Epsilon Pi dumped Sigma Phi Alpha, 29-14. League D games saw Beta Sigma Rho sink Delta Tau Delta,

IM Wrestling Makes Debut On March 30

The annual IM wrestling tournament will get under way March 30 with defending fraternity champion, Delta Upsilon, and several independents seeking to repeat last year's performances.

According to "Dutch" Sykes, assistant intramural sports director, each organization may enter one contestant in each of the seven weight classes—121, 128, 135, 145, 155, 165, and Heavyweight—with a total of not more than three alternates. Defending champions, however, must move

up one class. Contestants will also be permitted a three-pound allowance over the previously mentioned weights.

Sykes also stated that the bouts will consist of three two-minute periods with no overtime. In the event a decision cannot be rendered on points the referee will decide the victor. All wrestling matches will be held 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Sykes also emphasized that every participant must take a special physical examination to compete in intramural wrestling. Entry fee is 25c per individual; all entries must be turned in at the IM office, Rec hall, by 4:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 7.

IM BASKETBALL


League A		League B	
W	L	W	L
Pi Kappa AL	5 0	Phi Kappa	6 0
Sigma Pi	5 1	Theta Chi	4 2
Pi Kappa Phi	3 2	Phi Kappa Tau	4 2
Sig. Phi Alpha	3 3	Alpha Zeta	3 2
Theta Xi	3 3	Alpha Chi Rho	2 4
Phi Epsilon Pi	2 4	Alpha Epsil. Pi	1 4
Del. Theta Sig.	1 4	Tau Phi Delta	1 4
Omega Psi Phi	0 5	Lambda Chi Al.	1 4

League C		League D	
W	L	W	L
Tau Kap. Ep.	6 0	Beta Sigma Rho	5 1
Sigma Nu	4 1	Sig. Phi Epsilon	4 1
Phi Gam. Del.	4 1	Phi Delta Theta	4 1
Phi Kap. Sig.	3 3	Theta Kap. Phi	3 2
Delta Chi	2 3	Delta Tau Delta	2 4
Sig. Alpha Mu	2 4	Alpha Sig. Phi	2 4
Acacia	1 5	Zeta Beta Tau	1 4
Triangle	0 5	Alpha Phi Delta	1 5

League E		League F	
W	L	W	L
Phi Sig. Del.	5 0	Sigma Chi	5 1
AL Tau Omega	5 1	Phi Kappa Psi	4 1
Delta Upsilon	4 2	Alpha Gam. Rho	4 1
Chi Phi	2 3	Alpha Phi AL	4 2
Sig. Phi Sig.	2 3	Delta Sig. Phi	3 2
Alpha Chi Sig.	1 4	Sig. Alpha Ep.	2 3
Beta Theta Pi	1 4	Kap. Delta Rho	2 4
Pi Lambda Phi	1 4	Phi Sig. Kappa	0 4
		Kappa Sigma	0 5

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