

Rip Engle Releases Rosters For Blue-White Grid Game

Joe Gratson, Stew Scheetz Captain Teams

For the remainder of spring drills, Penn State's football team will show a sharp division of loyalties, with Coach Rip Engle having divided his squad into Blue and White elevens which battle April 26 in the second annual Bucket Bowl scrimmage.

Yesterday on Beaver Field the Lions began the second half of the 20-day spring session which will have its grand finale in the intra-squad game. The season-culminating Blue-White contest was played last spring for the first time.

Earl Bruce, Jim O'Hara, and Frank Patrick will coach the Blue squad and Al Michaels, Joe Paterno, and Sever Toretti will guide the White team.

Spirits High

One of the Ripper's main headaches in the spring drills has been the comparatively short time each individual athlete has been able to practice. With drills ending at 5:45 p.m. and many of the players having late afternoon classes, each player has averaged only one hour's practice per day.

The first ten days of practice held before the holidays were marked by a spirit, morale, and enthusiasm which Engle termed "excellent."

Squads led by co-captains Stew Scheetz, Blue, and Joe Gratson, White, are made up of:

Blue Squad

Ends—Jim Garry, John Knox, Ken McPheeters, Frank Miller, Bob Rohland, Jack Sherry, Dave Simon and Jesse Arnelo. Tackles—Al Bowden, Andy Balacanis, Ken Kurjiaka, Jack Pfirman, Herb Raifsnider, Stew Scheetz (captain), Jerry Strachak and Joe Pascarella.

Guards—Dick Arthur, Cy Brown, Gus Costas, Jim Doyle, Don Shank, Ed Sieracki, Pete Schoderbek and Dan Van Sickle. Centers—Don Balthaser, Jim Dooley, Charles Stachel, Bob Thomas and Ed Wible.

Halfbacks—Norm Hickey, Dick Jones, Paul Kempay and Mario Rossini. Fullbacks—Bill Bonner, Bob Pollard, George Schneider and Ron Youkers.

Wingbacks—Chestor James, Bob Rosebaugh, Wayne Wolfkeil and John Levy. Quarterbacks—Don Bailey, John Dubinsky and Bob Szajna.

White Squad

Ends—Bill Andresevic, Harold Cooper, Frank Crabens, Don Malinak, Ken Newman, Ralph Parkin, Burt Suder, Ralph Wagner and Joe Yukica.

Tackles—Bob Best, Dan DeFalco, Jim Eshbaugh, Gene Danser, Joe Gratson (captain), Rosey Grier and Paul Shattuck.

Guards—Don Barney, George Doverspike, Keith Horn, Orv Haldeman, Sam Green, John Schuler, Al Tomb and Bob Waters. Centers—Laurence Lancaster, Bob Smith and Chuck Sowers.

Halfbacks—Bill Demetris, Alton Frey, John Pasco and Buddy Rowell.

Fullbacks—Tom Dancercfield, George Ettinger, Ted McDonald, Ray Ondick and Pete Shopa.

Wingbacks—Jim Lafler and Don Eyer. Quarterbacks—Norm Paul, John MacAvoy, Tony Rados and Jim Wood.

Two Advance In Ping Pong

Annette Bortman and Jane Whitney moved into the semi-finals of the WRA all-college ping pong tournament last night with quarter-final victories.

Miss Bortman defeated Dee Heins while Miss Whitney eliminated Barb Weyand.

Four quarter-final matches remain to be played. In these matches, Nancy Jarden will meet Pat Lively, Marty Cooper will play Jo Bothwell, Anne Shettel will meet Pete Caraway, and Anne Broomall will play either Fran Black or Jane Lerew.

In a bowling preliminary contest last night Joan Shephard defeated Audrey Lipsky, 341-249. Two lines were bowled.

In a badminton preliminary last night Dottie Rose turned back Mary Jo Scharar.

Pitching Hope

Keith Vesling, sophomore wingback on the football team, looms as a starting pitcher on Joe Bedenk's 1952 Penn State baseball team. The Lions open the season April 11 against American University, at Washington, D.C.

Lion Grid Coach



Rip Engle

130 Enter NAAU Gym Tournament

When the Olympic gymnastic tryouts and NAAU championships open in Rec Hall April 25, 130 of the nation's top gymnasts will seek either national crowns or Olympic team berths.

Of the 130 entered 92 are men and 38 women. Entries have been received from all over the United States with California sending the most competitors, 18. Pennsylvania trails with 15, followed by New York, Florida, Illinois, New Jersey, and Michigan.

4 Women Return

The list of entries is dotted with the names of some of the country's top gymnasts. Included in the field of entries are four men and four women who represented the United States in the 1948 Olympics. The four male Olympians who return to seek berths on the 1952 team are Ed Scrobe, American Turners, Bronx, N.Y.; Joe Kotys, Cleveland Turners; Bill Rotzheim, Florida State Graduate School; and Vince D'Autorio, Swiss Gymnastic Society, Union City, N.J.

Clara Schroth Lamady, Philadelphia Turners; Marianne Barone, Philadelphia Turners; Meta Neumann, Chicago Turners; and Dorothy Dalton, Swiss Gymnastic Society, Union City, N.J., are the returning women Olympians.

Hairabedian Missing

All but one of the 1951 AAU champions will be represented in men's division. Rotzheim is the defending all-around title holder; Kotys, parallel bars; and Scrobe, long horse. Gene Rabbitt, formerly of Syracuse, who shared the side-horse title with Rotzheim, will compete, as will Jack Miles, Florida State College, flying rings champ, and Dick Browning, University of Illinois, tumbling.

The 1951 AAU calisthenics champion, Ara Hairabedian, will not defend his crown. Hairabedian is now assisting Lion Coach Gene Wettstone in preparation for the coming gym tryouts.

Of the 92 men entered in the two-day event, 30 will be competing for the eight coveted berths on the U.S. Olympic team. Nineteen of the 38 women entered will try for the Olympic team.

Sax to Compete At Seton Hall For Olympics

Ollie Sax, former Nittany Lion sprinter who dropped from school in February, will attempt to prove in the Seton Hall relays tomorrow that he is the U.S. No. 1 hope in the 400 meter Olympic competition.

Although the East's outdoor track inaugural will feature four world record holders and a full dozen national champions, the main interest will be in the race between 20-year old Sax and Herb McKenley of Jamaica, holder of the world quarter-mile record.

At a luncheon in New York, Sax conceded that his main headache was McKenley. In addition to the Jamaica flash, he faces, among others, in the 400, Reggie Pearman, former National AAU 800 meter champ; Hugh Maiocco, National AAU 600 meter titlist in '50 and '51; and John Nelson and Harry Bright, top-notchers from the New York Pioneer Club.

Last season, Sax paced assistant Coach Norm Gordon's frosh squad to a 3-1 record. Ollie also erased the quarter mile record of 50.6, set in '42 by Cliff St. Clair, running the course with a fast 49.4 clocking.

Rutherford Gets 1st Look At Lion Golf Candidates

Coach Bob Rutherford got his first look at the Penn State golf team candidates Tuesday and Wednesday when the linksmen shot a couple of rounds over the College course.

Scores were bad on Tuesday when the team played in a driving rain but on Wednesday the Lion golfers managed to clip off a few strokes. Gordon Stroup was low man on Wednesday with a 72.

The next top three men were Rod Eaken with a 74, Warren Gittlen with a 75, and Bill Albert a 77.

"The team looks just fair, but with a lot of hard work the men should develop," Rutherford said.

Rutherford has scheduled an informal match with the Centre Hills Country Club tomorrow and several matches to be played between the candidates.

Also a final series of elimination rounds will be played on Tuesday to pick the seven best men for the team.

"This team is considered a green one with only two lettermen back and with five more places to fill. The majority of the team will be new men," Rutherford said.

Three lettermen were expected back this year but an injury has sidelined John Wylie, leaving Captain Bob Bowers and Hud Samson the only veterans on the team.

"The season is too short for

the team to hit its peak in time for the Eastern Intercollegiate in May," Rutherford said. "Our first match is on April 30 against Gettysburg and then we have only one more match before the tournament."

"The really tough teams this season will probably be Pittsburgh, Navy and Georgetown," he said, "and Georgetown is already a month ahead of us, having played some 10 matches."

Major League Results

American League

Philadelphia 3 New York 1
St. Louis 3 Detroit 1
Cleveland 5 Chicago 3
Boston 9 Washington 2

National League

Brooklyn 8 Boston 2
Philadelphia 5 New York 3
Cincinnati 3 Chicago 0
Pittsburgh 5 St. Louis 3

Lion Batsmen Host Twin Bill Tomorrow

By JIM PETERS

Penn State's high-scoring baseball team will place its four-game winning streak on the line tomorrow afternoon in a doubleheader against the invading West Virginia Mountaineers.

Coach Joe Bedenk's nine has scored successive wins over American University, Georgetown (twice), and Western Maryland. In

doing so, the Lions have tallied 55 runs and smashed 50 hits while limiting the opposition to a total of 14 runs and 22 safeties.

Chris Tonery, Nittany left fielder, and Huber Kline, Lion third sacker, are leading the Bedenkmen in hitting with .429 averages. Tonery has rapped nine hits to lead the Lions in that department.

Bill Leonard, Bill Hopper, Sil Cerchie, and Carmen Troisi are all over the .300 mark, and have hit safely in every game they have played to date this season. Cerchie, Leonard, and Hopper own the only home runs of the young season.

Bedenk has plenty of able hurlers at his disposal and ready for action in tomorrow's contests. Jack Krumrine, (2-0) who pitched a three-hitter in the American U. opener last Friday, twirled four innings against Western Maryland Wednesday, and may not get the call to go nine innings so soon.

Keith Vesling, Bill Everson, John Moore, and side-armor Bill Bernotski will be available for heavy duty. Vesling and Everson hold the other two Lion victories.

Player	Lion Averages:				Pct.
	G	AB	R	H	
Mowry	1	1	0	1	1.000
Krumrine	2	6	2	4	.667
Vesling	1	4	1	2	.500
Tonery	4	21	8	9	.429
Kline	4	14	6	6	.429
Leonard	3	13	5	5	.385
Hopper	4	17	8	6	.353
Cerchie	4	18	7	6	.333
Rhodes	1	3	1	1	.333
Troisi	4	19	7	6	.316
Hunchar	4	15	4	3	.200
Mihalich	4	15	5	1	.067
Everson	2	3	1	0	.000
Moore	1	1	0	0	.000
	4	150	55	50	.333

Jerry Maurey Draws Bye In Mat Tryouts

Jerry Maurey, 137 pound wrestler for Penn State's unbeaten mat team the past season, drew a first round bye in the final U.S. Olympic tryouts yesterday at Ames, Iowa, the Associated Press reported. Maurey is wrestling in the 136.5 pound class, representing the New York Athletic Club.

No results were available on Homer Barr, former Penn State heavyweight wrestler, who is also wrestling in the tryouts.

Hugh Perry, NCAA wrestling champion from Pitt, moved up in the 114.5 pound class by pinning Louis Macias of Mankato (Minn.) Teacher College, in six minutes, two seconds.

Former NCAA two-time 123 pound champion Tony Gizoni of Waynesburg College lost his first match by decision to L. W. Smith of the U.S. Army in the 114.5 pound class.

Manuel Pihakis, Pennsylvania State high school champion from Canonsburg, was pinned by Ed Dawkins of Ursinus College in 11 minutes and 30 seconds in the same class.

Other results included:
114.5 pounds
Sam Coursen, Springfield (Mass.) College, decisioned Don Hagadorn, U.S. Navy.

136.5 Pounds
Clyde Bean, Iowa State Teachers, decisioned Ted Bienkiwski, Springfield, Mass., College.

147.5 Pounds
Len Deaugustino, Lock Haven, Pa., Teachers, pinned Wilbur Bauer, Portland, Ore., 5:39.

160.5 Pounds
Keith Young, Blue Earth, Minn., decisioned Barton Downs, U.S. Navy (Kennett Square, Pa.).

Dick Fantoro, U.S. Marines (Bethlehem, Pa.) decisioned Bill Miller, Toledo University.

160.5 Pounds
Charles Cope, Lehigh University, decisioned Vince Kelly, Baltimore.

Only Three Seniors

Coach Elmer Gross will face only three men from his 1952 Penn State basketball squad. The graduating seniors are the co-captains, Hardy Williams and Jay McMahan, and Joe Piorowski.

12 Fraternity V-Ball Teams Garner Wins

Ten fraternity B teams and two A teams posted victories Wednesday night as the intramural volleyball league opened its post-vacation play. Only eight of the 12 games scheduled were played, however, as four of the teams picked up wins through forfeit.

In the B division of the loop, Triangle defeated Alpha Tau Omega, 15-2, 15-6. Pi Kappa Alpha downed Alpha Sigma Phi, 15-3, 15-7. Phi Gamma Delta whipped Alpha Zeta, 15-3, 15-5, and Delta Chi defeated Theta Xi, 15-2, 15-5.

After dropping the first contest, 15-9, Sigma Phi Alpha came back to win the last two games from Delta Theta Sigma, 15-2, 15-11. Sigma Phi Epsilon turned back Sigma Nu, 15-5, 15-7. Pi Kappa Phi won its first game from Theta Chi, 15-2, but ran into trouble in the last two contests, dropping the second game, 15-12, and squeezing out a victory in the final game, 15-12.

Delta Tau Delta, Phi Sigma Delta, and Pi Lambda Phi all picked up wins through forfeit. The Deltas were scheduled to go against Beta Theta Pi, and Phi Sigma Delta was slated to meet Sigma Pi. Pi Lambda Phi was scheduled to play Zeta Beta Tau.

In the A section only one game was played. Alpha Chi Rho outlasted Theta Kappa Phi, 15-11, 16-14. Sigma Pi was scheduled to see action against Zeta Beta Tau but picked up a victory via the forfeit route.

Golf Champ Reinstated

AMBRIDGE, Pa., April 17—(AP)—WPIAL golf champion Bill Gabal prepared to return to Ambridge High School today after being suspended 3 weeks for fighting with a shop teacher.

The school board decided to readmit Gabal in hopes the suspension "impressed upon him the seriousness of his actions."

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