# Lafayette Tests Unbeaten Lion Nine Today

#### State Aims to End Leopard's Three **Season Dominance**

By JIM PETERS

Coach Joe Bedenk will send his unbeaten Penn State nine against Lafayette this afternoon in what may be the toughest assignment of the season for the Lions. The game is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. at Beaver Field.

The Leopards (5-2-2) are traditionally a rough aggregation, and according to their record this spring appear to be just as much a problem as ever. The Lions have not defeated Lafavette for three years. However, State will field a powerful team today that has swent next evice consequence. has swept past seven consecutive opponents this year.

The Lions are averaging better than seven runs a game, and as a team are hitting a potent 309, with catcher Bill Leonard leading the regular with 201

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Lafayette may use Ronald Owen, its young freshman hurler, in today's all-important game. Owen, a southpaw from Wyoming, Pa, allowed only one unearned run in the 19 innings he pitched prior to Wednesday's Milt Mead and LaSalle's Jimmy

game with Muhlenberg.

Bedenk is in a good position to start either of his aces, Bill Everson (3-0), or Jack Krumrine (2-0), or Keith Vesling (2-0). Everson mile relay race for State.

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beat the Bisons with only two days rest, and may get the call again today.

The rest of the Nittany line-up will probably be unchanged, showing Mike Hunchar, Bill Mihalich, Carmen Troisi, and Huber Kline in the infield; Captain Bill Hopper, Sil Cerchie, and Chris Tonery in the outfield, and dependable Leonard doing the backstopping.

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Webb as chief rivals in his event.

Pitcairn Island is a small vol-canic island in the South Pacific. Hamill, John Blood, Jack Horner. Chicago Philadelphia Detroit

### Lacrossemen Face Penn Today, Seek to Even Win-Loss Record

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After that, State was practically three goals, two of them in the unbeatable, losing only to Syracuse in one of its last six games.

Defensively it will be Barr

Penn State seemingly is on the same path this year as it lost its first matches to Loyola and Navy and then rallied in the final quarter of Thursday's match to beat Washington and Lee, 7-6. This was its first win.

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Defensively it will be Barr Asplundh and a pair of Johns—Henry and Amber.

Don Bell, who played a stellar game at goal, will open at the goal tending spot.

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State will go along with the same ten men who beat the W&L Generals although attackman Doak Walker may be able to start if his sprained ankle is better.

Walker's outlook is doubtful, however, and Coach Nick Thiel will probably go along with Bob Koon, Dick Rostmeyer, and Tom Goldsworth. Koons and Rost-meyer each scored a goal against Washington and Lee. Rostmeyer's

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Brooklyn	7	1	.875	
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Cincinnati	5 5	.3	.625	2
New York	5	4	.556	2½ 3
St. Louis	4	4	.500	3
Boston ·	4	7	.364	4½ 5
Philadelphia	2 2	6	.250	5
Pittsburgh	2	8	.200	6
AMERICAN LEAGUE				
St. Louis	7	1	.875	3/2
Boston	9	2	.818	
Cleveland	8	2	.800	1/2
Washington	4	4	.50 <b>0</b>	31/2
New York	4	5	.444	4
Chicago	2	6	.250	51/2

show it, Penn has a strong team potentially. The Quakers have played teams out of their class.

The Quakers, coached by for
The Chicago 7 Cincinnati 3

three matches, the Penn State lacrosse team will seek to bring its record to the .500 mark when it battles Penn today at Philadelphia.

Last year, the lacrossemen beat Western Maryland and then dropped tilts to Loyola and to Navy. After that. State was practically three Carlot of the Penn State star Perc Belfield, have lost to Yale (13-5), New England runner-up to Harvard last year; RPI, upstate New York titlist last year (16-2); Swarthmore (13-6), Pennsylvania-baller Bill Hockersmith, and Captain Bud Wolfram. Hockersmith Western Maryland and then dropped tilts to Loyola and to Navy. After that. State was practically three Carlot true of the Count, 5-5, in the field, have lost to Yale (13-5), New England runner-up to Harvard last year; RPI, upstate New York titlist last year (16-2); Swarthmore (13-6), Pennsylvania-baller Bill Hockersmith, and Captain Bud Wolfram. Hockersmith Western Maryland and then dropped tilts to Loyola and to Navy.

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