

# Cagers Host Bisons Tonight

## Seek Eleventh Victory; Play Dickinson Monday

The Lion cagers will try to add more insurance to their narrow win column this weekend when they host Bucknell University tonight and Dickinson College Monday. Possessors of a 10-7 record the courtmen will be out to stretch their winning streak in Rec Hall to include wins number 22 and 23.

Tonight's game with the Bisons will follow a preliminary match between the Lions and Bucknell Frosh. Monday's game will start at 8 p.m.

### Two New Coaches

Both visiting teams have new coaches and each are faced with a rebuilding program. For the Bison team it will be Benton Kribbs at the helm. He was formerly the head coach at Clarion State Teachers where he guided his team to an undefeated season last year.

For Dickinson College the new mentor is A. C. "Slim" Ransom who has only two lettermen back from last year's team — Robert Varano, a 6-2 sophomore, and Richard Johe, a 6-4 junior. No seniors are on the team which has a 3-11 record to date. They defeated the Bucknellians earlier this year by 22 points; final score read 55-33.

### Low Foul Avg.

Riddled by graduation the Bisons have taken only two wins out of 13 starts. The victories have been over Juniata, 76-73, (which defeated them later in the season) and West Maryland, 86-83, on Wednesday. Included in the lost column is a defeat to Gettysburg by 21 points, the same team the Lions defeated last month, 73-66.

Up to the beginning of last week, the Bisons were second in the country for fewest personal fouls committed. They had an average of 15.1 a game and were behind Niagara with 14.5.

Neither the Bisons or Dickinson college were able to do much against the Lions last year. The romping State cagers took Dickinson College 89-45 and defeated the Bisons twice by scores of 73-63 and 80-67.

### Team Scoring

The Lions have now scored 1144 points in 17 games while their opponents have managed 1072 tallies. Still pacing the Lions in scoring is the only senior on the starting five and the Captain, Herm Sledzik. He has 279 points but right behind him by only four points is the number two man, Jesse Arnelle, with 275.

Third highest scorer is Jack Sherry who has now made 10 more points than he had all last season. He stands in with 169 points. Ed Haag, who has been put out of action with the flu, has 112 and Ronnie Weidenhammer has 98.



Bob Rohland  
Nittany cage reserve

## Frosh Meet Bison Quintet In Preliminary

Coach John Egli's freshman basketball team gets back into action tonight following a four week layoff. The frosh will meet the Bucknell freshmen at 6 p.m. in Rec Hall.

The game will precede the varsity clash. Egli's quintet will be after its fifth straight win of the campaign. The yearlings dropped their season opener to Elmer Gross' jayvee squad and since then have come on to win four in a row, boasting wins against the jayvees in a return match, the Altoona Center squad, and two fraternity teams.

Egli has three of his original starters missing this semester, including phenomenal Hal Brown. He is expected to start Jim Brennan, Bob Christiansen, Rudy Marisa, Bob Wainscott, and newcomer Bob Hoffman.

### Baseball Managers

Sophomores interested in becoming assistant baseball managers may apply at the Athletic office in Old Main.

### Grid Meeting Tuesday

There will be a meeting for members of the football squad at 5 p.m. Tuesday in the team locker room.

## Champions Face Boxers In Syracuse

Eastern Intercollegiate boxing champion Syracuse provides the stiff opposition against which Penn State's boxing team tries for victory number one tonight in Syracuse, N.Y.

The Orange mittmen, eleven-time and twice-consecutive EIBA champs, are unbeaten in four matches already this season, but have been held to a draw. This lone blot on the Syracuse record was applied by Maryland in the season opener during the Sugar-Bowl tourney.

### Lions Still Winless

However, Syracuse rebounded strongly to knock off tough Miami U., to take revenge on Maryland, and then to defeat Virginia.

On the other hand the Nittany Lions have still not been able to reach the right side of the ledger. They bowed to Maryland in the opener and last week fell before NCAA runnerup, Michigan State.

Three EIBA champs in the Orange lineup make State's first win bid difficult. Syracuse has champs Art Nelson returning in the 132-pound division and John Granger at 139. Although he finished runnerup last year, 165-pounder Bill Miller nabbed an EIBA championship the year before.

### Melmeck Fights 156

Three other veterans and two standout newcomers give the Orange a strongly balanced team at every weight class.

For the Lions only one lineup change is likely. That will be in the 156-pound class where Steve Melmeck will replace Hank Arnold, who has a 1-1 record in his first varsity season.

Three Nittanians will be attempting to preserve unbeaten records. They are heavyweight Andresevic (0-0-2), 139-pounder Tony Flore (2-0) and 176-pounder Adam Kois (1-0-0).

### Lineups

Penn State	Weight	Syracuse
Sam Marino	125	Tom Coulter
Joe Reynolds	132	Art Nelson
Tony Flore	139	John Granger
Stan Engle	147	Larry O'Sullivan
Steve Melmeck	156	Eddie Martin
Dick Cameron	165	Bill Miller
Adam Kois	176	Vince Rigolosi
Bill Andresevic	Hwt.	Bill Winney

## Sax Leads Lions Into NAAU Meet

By DICK McDOWELL

Another red hot battle appears destined tonight between Penn State's Ollie Sax and Mal Whitfield, as the two prepare to compete in the 600 yard run at the 64th annual American indoor track and field championships at New York's Madison Square Garden.

Sax and three other Lion trackmen will compete tonight at 15 National AAU titles are put on the line. Along with the phenomenal Sax, Coach Chick Werner will send shot-putter Rosey Grier and high jumper Jim Herb into action. Freshman Art Pollard will compete in the 60-yard dash as an unattached entry.

The classic story of the Sax-Whitfield races began four weeks ago when the two met in the 600-yard gallop in the Philadelphia Inquirer games. Marvelous Mal won that one with the Lion sophomore finishing second, and that has been the story ever since. In three races following their first meeting, Whitfield, ranked as the best middle distance runner in competition today, has finished first each time, with Sax right at his heels. In the Buermyer "500" at the New York AC games, Whitfield set a new world record, ripping off a 56.6. At the same time, Sax, finishing second, tied the old record, turning in a 56.9.

### Whitfield Shoots for Record

Whitfield has failed seven times in his attempts to win the event. In last year's meet Sax whipped him, although finishing second to Charlie Moore of the New York AC.

Whitfield has stated that he will not only be shooting for the "600" victory, but also for a new meet record. "I'm in top shape now, and only a cold kept me from bettering the 600 record up in Boston two weeks ago," he said.

But Sax cannot be counted out. The young speedster has been coming fast ever since the indoor season got underway five weeks ago, and although Whitfield has been almost flawless, Sax could beat him with a good night.

Grier, who set a new Penn State shot put record against Army two weeks ago when he tossed the sphere 51½, will be meeting the best in the world in that department. Jim Fuchs, world record holder, won the event last year with a 53-3½ mark.

### Art Pollard in Sprints

High jumper Herb will go into the meet with a definite disadvantage. Because there is no room in Rec Hall for the jumper to practice, he has been forced to move out-of-doors. However, the weather has been so cold and wet the past few weeks that Herb has been unable to practice to any extent. J. Lewis Hall, University of Florida, won the event in the 1952 meet, hitting 6-6.

Pollard, the sprinting freshman with a bright looking future, will also be meeting top contenders. Last year's winning mark in the 60 yard was a fast 6.3 seconds. Pollard has only been in competition once this season. He ran in the Washington Star meet and finished third in the 70, 80, and 100 yard dashes, behind Art Bragg, 1952 Olympic performer.

The Lions, with only three official entries, stand a very slim chance to pick up enough points to capture a team victory. The New York AC won the team championship last year, with former Penn Stater Horace Ashenfelter leading the way, chalking up a three mile victory.

Next Saturday Werner will take his squad to New York again to compete in the IC4A meet at the Garden.

## Matmen Meet Rough Orange Tonight

By SAM PROCOPIO

Penn State's unbeaten matmen wrestle tough Syracuse on the Orangemen's mat at 7 tonight in search of their 25th straight dual meet victory. It was the 1950 Syracuse squad which was the last team to top Coach Charlie Speidel's two-time Eastern Intercollegiate champions.

Syracuse, loser in an upset to Cornell by two points, looms as the roughest Lion foe since Lehigh. One of the biggest assets the Orangemen from New York possess is several veterans who have defeated some of Penn State's outstanding grapplers.

### Dick Lemyre Returns

In the opening encounter, Syracuse's Bob Hellman shouldn't be too much trouble for the Lion's EIWA champion, Bob Homan, 123 pounder. The next seven weights, however, will be the deciding factor in the meet.

The 130 pound class will find Dick Lemyre returning to the lineup, facing Bob Campbell, who decided his Army opponent, 9-3.

Rugged Jerry Maurey will tackle either Charles DeDulles or Bob Fury in the 137 pound class. DeDulles, an Eastern Pennsylvania

champion, and Fury are capable of moving up or down one weight.

Veteran Fury, should he move up to the 147 spot, will meet State's Co-captain Don Frey. Syracuse's 147-pounder has beaten graduated Don Maurey but lost to brother Jerry last year.

### Dvorozniak at 167

An outstanding matman, according to Speidel, is Ed Rooney, who will face Don Frey's twin brother, Doug, in the 157 class. Rooney defeated Don last year.

George Dvorozniak, looking for

his second win, will oppose Syracuse's 167-pounder, Lee Martin, who decided his Army foe, 9-1.

Veteran Enva Martinelli will face Co-captain Joe Lemyre in the 177-pound class.

Heavyweight Dick Beyer, whom Speidel termed extra strong, should be another test for the Lions' fine wrestler, Hud Samson. Unbeaten Beyer, who co-captained the Sugar Bowl football team, has defeated State's pride of the heavyweights, Lynn Illingworth.

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