

# KAPsi Wins IM Track Title Golfers Visit Lehigh Today

## Sigma Nu, Alpha Zeta, Runnersup

By DAVE BRONSTEIN

Kappa Alpha Psi's well-balanced track team "ran-off" with the intramural track and field championship last night on the Beaver Field cinders. By virtue of their 21½ points, the champs will be presented a large trophy to signify their supremacy.

Sigma Nu won second place with 15½ points, while Alpha Zeta was third with 7½ points. Pi Kappa Phi was fourth with 7½ and Lambda Chi Alpha was fifth.

Kappa Alpha Psi revealed their strong intentions of copping the championship early by placing John Bowser third in the century. Bowser couldn't quite match the fast winning time recorded by John Milsom of Alpha Zeta. Milsom won the 100 by three yards over Joe Haller, Theta Kappa Phi, in 10.4.

Joe Haller, a transfer student from Germany, came back a few minutes later to avenge his 100 loss and capture the 440 run in 53.5.

Starter Don Kilmer got the six finalists off to a good start, and by the end of the first curve Haller took a lead that he never relinquished. Coming around the final curve with sixty yards to go, Dave Barney, Sigma Nu, and Alpha Zeta's Milsom, closed fast but couldn't catch the speedy Haller. Haller won by two yards, while Barney was given a hairline decision over Milsom. John Nickols, Alpha Gamma Rho, was fourth and Jake Highton, Pi Kappa Phi, was fifth.

Kappa Alpha Psi, with Earl Potter running anchorman, clinched the championship by winning the evening's final fraternity event—the 880 relay.

Bespectacled John Bowser led his team off fast but had to fight every second of the way to beat off Dick Ahern of Pi Kappa Phi. Gene Wethers ran second for Kappa Alpha Psi, and led to give the lead away to the Pi Kappa Phi charging Highton. Once Ted Maulding took over for the Psi's there was no stopping the champs. Maulding passed the baton to Earl Potter, and he sprinted to a ten yard victory. The winner's time was 1:38.8. Pi Kappa Phi was second with Ted Garrett at anchor.

Two-time champ Don Brown, came back after Wednesday's broad jump win, to outclass the field in the independent century run. Don ran it in 11.0.

## Sporting the Lions in their Finale



—Montage by Freeburn

PENN STATE'S GRADUATING tennis and lacrosse seniors who will perform for the Nittany Lions under the leadership of Sherm Fogg, tennis, and Nick Thiel, lacrosse, for the last time. Players at the top (l. to r.) are Bill Ray,

Bill Forrey, Bob Pauloski (26), and Jim Dean (21). Players at the bottom are Tom Goldsworthy (29), Dick Gross, Bill McCollough (19), and Wayne Hockersmith (49).

# Foggmen's Win Streak Goes On Block as Colgate Invades

It's three down and two to go for tennis Coach Sherm Fogg's dream of a better-than-500 season and only mighty Colgate and Duquesne stand in the way now.

Just three matches ago, everybody was crying the blues about the tennis team. Three matches ago, the Lions were the not-so-proud possessors of a 1-5 record. Then came the revolution.

Lehigh fell, 5-4; Pitt did too, 6-3; then Bucknell was completely reversed, 8-1. Bucknell had start-

ed the Lions off on the wrong foot in their opener by thumping them 8-1, at Lewisburg.

And now Colgate comes tomorrow for its second crack, at the Lions. The Raiders aren't a team to do things halfway on their home courts. This they proved once again earlier in the season as they panted the only shutout on Lions, 9-0, at Hamilton, N.Y.

Getting thumped by Colgate is nothing new to Lion tennis fans. It seems to happen once, and sometimes twice a season. Last season's score was 8-1, Colgate at Hamilton. The return match on home courts was washed out. In 1951 again it was all Colgate, the Raiders winning both.

The last time the Lions halted the Raiders was in the final match of the 1950 season. The match was held on the Lions' courts and was the second of the seasonal series, Colgate having won the first one as handily as ever, 8-1. But the Lions surprised on the finale and upended the Raiders, 6-3.

Colgate will bring in a formidable array of tennis names spearheaded by intercollegiate great Ben Bishop. Bishop was formerly national junior singles champ before he went to Colgate.

On the Lions side, Fogg has as yet not made any indication as to his singles or doubles choices. Dick Robinson, in all probability, will again be in the top singles slot with Bruz Ray at number three. Either Lou Landon or Bill Ziegler will be in the number two position with the other working the four slot.

Captain Bill Forrey will work the number five singles job with either Dick Gross or Bill Ray in the number six spot.

The doubles outfits will probably remain the same crews that performed against Pitt. They were Robinson and Landon, number one; Bruz Ray and Bill Ray, number two, and Forrey and Ziegler, number three.

## Lawther to Get Award

John D. Lawther, former Penn State basketball coach, will be the recipient of an honorary doctorate from his alma mater June 8 at Westminster College. Lawther, assistant to the dean of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, formerly taught and coached at Westminster. He retired from coaching in 1949.

## Schutz, Body . . .

# Valuable Thinclads

Saturday's track meet with Manhattan will mark the last dual meet appearance of Al Schutz and Bill Body for the Nittany thinclads. With the departure of these two men via graduation, the Lions will be losing two big men in the field events.

Shultz joined the track squad in September of 1950 after spending his freshman year at Mont Alto. He is a forestry major and hails from Bethlehem.

While attending Bethlehem High School he set a school mark with a discus throw of 140 feet which stood until last week.

His best mark at State in the discus was 135 feet against Pitt last year. He came close to that mark this season when he hit 127 ft. 10 in. against Ohio State last week.

Body has competed in the discus, javelin, and shot put events while at State. His home town is Boyertown. His best event is probably the discus, which he heaved 133 ft. 9 in. in the Buckeye meet to take second place. Against Michigan State this season he threw the javelin 155 ft. 6½ in. to cop third place.

The importance of Schutz and Body to the Lions was especially

## Lions Seek 6th Straight Of Season

By ROY WILLIAMS

During their visit to the Saucon Valley Country Club today, the unbeaten Nittany golfers are going to try their luck and skill in crashing the 11-1 record which the Engineers of Lehigh have built this year. State's 5-0 record will be at stake, in one of the Lion's toughest matches of the season.

One of the Engineers' most notable wins this season was their 9-0 thumping of the Bullets of Gettysburg. This was the same score the Nittanians posted against the Bullets' six-man squad.

Kryla Takes 2nd

Lehigh's squad won the Middle Atlantic tournament this year at Huntington. The Engineers compiled a total of 634 strokes to defeat Juniata's bid for tourney honors of 650. Consistent winners for the Brown and White have been Joe Kryla, captain, Russ Handwerk, Larry Lund, Dick Sperry, Bob Buhner, and Jerry Wells.

Kryla took second place in the MA competition with a 78-76-154, only two strokes behind Juniata's best score of 152. Sperry copped a third place berth with a 157, while his teammate Buhner shot a 159 for fifth place recognition.

Captain Hud Samson challenged George Kreidler for the sixth slot on the Lion squad Wednesday afternoon. Samson defeated Kreidler 69-72. He and the team left Saturday afternoon for Bethlehem's picturesque Saucon Valley Country Club, home of the National Amateur in 1951.

4 Seek Bates' Title

While the linksmen travel, the 54-hole Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association this morning on the Penn State golf course and will continue until tomorrow afternoon. Each entry will play 36 holes today and 18 holes Saturday morning.

Dave Bates, of Philipsburg, will face a field of 42 Pennsylvania schoolboy golfers, each seeking to replace him as champion in the title event. Bates won the PIAA crown last year with a 217 score—just ten over par. He came from behind with a one over par 70 in a sparkling round.

## Cerchie, Leonard . . .

# Leave College Game

By DICK McDOWELL

The careers of two outstanding Penn State baseball players are fast drawing to a close. With only one regularly scheduled game and possibly some NCAA playoff games remaining for the Nittany Lion squad, captain and centerfielder Sal Cerchie, and catcher Bill Leonard are about ready to hang up their college spikes.

The pair have had colorful baseball careers under the tutelage of Joe Bedenk. For three seasons Cerchie has been patrolling the Beaver Field center gardens. Leonard has been a regular behind the plate for two years besides playing three seasons on the Nittany football team.

The two met before they entered the College when they played against each other in the East-West American Legion All-Star game at Forbes Field in Pittsburgh in 1948. The next spring they teamed up and that's the way it's been ever since.

Sal, who hails from Elkland, Pa., broke into the lineup in his sophomore year and belted a solid .280. Last year he pounded the horsehide at a .295 clip and drove in 21 runs. Probably his greatest assets are his tremendous throwing arm and his ability to get the jump on the ball in the

field. Leonard is probably better known for his gridiron prowess. An excellent place-kicker, and hard hitting halfback, both offensively and defensively, the State College product made quite a name for himself in gridiron circles.

Bill stepped into the regular backstop position last season and hit .354. He's a workhorse behind the plate, always hustling and ready to take advantage of breaks. He handles pitchers well and can hit the long ball.

Both have tapered off in their batting this season, hovering around the .300 mark. Cerchie has 20 runs batted in and has belted three homeruns.

As usual the pair are both waiting for Uncle Sam to make his claim after graduation, so future baseball plans have been stowed away for the time being.