

# IM Grapplers Post 16 Falls, 23 Wins

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When the referee's whistle blew at 8:45 last night, 23 intramural wrestlers left Recreation Hall with wins. Sixteen of the wrestlers ended their matches with falls. There has now been recorded 44 pins in three nights of IM competition.

The night's shortest contest lasted 35 seconds. In this affair, referee Abe Schuster stopped the match with 165-pounder Mike Sorokach, an independent, showing the Rec Hall lights to Paul Smeal with a body press.

Steve Horlacher, Alpha Chi Rho, put on a gaudy performance before winning a 10-6 verdict over 135-pounder Christian Christiansen, Alpha Sigma Phi. Horlacher was credited

with two takedowns, two near falls, and a reverse. Christiansen had two reversals and two escapes. Walter Fresch, Tau Kappa Epsilon, exhibited a flashy performance and pinned Jack Bash, Alpha Chi Sigma, in 4:32. Two other TKEs found the way more difficult and lost. Larry O'Dell, Chi Phi, used a reverse half nelson and crotch hold to upset Carl Nale, TKE, in a 128-pound match, and Ralph Cryder, Beta Theta Pi, led Dick Stevens, TKE, all the way before pinning him in 34 seconds of the second period.

Charles Frey, Sigma Nu, and Charley DeLuca, Delta Chi, battled tooth-and-nail before DeLuca was awarded the decision on riding time. DeLuca, a 121-pounder, had a takedown and reversal, and Frey was credited with two reversals. The score was 5-4.

Sigma Pi and Alpha Zeta each entered one man in the 128-pound class in last night's competition and Ralph Hofmann, Sigma Pi, came out on top. He used a half nelson on Dick Weaver, Alpha Zeta, pinning him in 1:38 of the second period.

Jim West, 145-pound independent, pinned Nick Cranmer with a half nelson and body press with eight seconds remaining in the contest.

Tom Morgan, Phi Sigma Kappa, won a 3-0 decision over 121-pounder John Russell, Phi Gamma Delta. Morgan won with a reversal and one minute riding time. Paul Whipkey, Triangle, won his first 135-pound class battle by pinning Marvin Trimas, Zeta Beta Tau, with a half nelson and body press in 1:44 of the first period.

Speedy Allan Davies, Phi Sigma Kappa, met a tough 145-pound opponent in Gordon James, Acacia, and took the closely fought match by way of a pin in 5:15. James made a fine showing before losing out in the third period.

Will Noyes, Phi Gamma Delta, stopped Ned Kauffman, Theta Xi, in a 145-pound class match with a reverse half nelson in 2:30. Another Phi Gamma Delta, Norm

Rubash, lost out in a neavyweight battle to Andy Krassowski, Pi Kappa Phi. Krassowski pinned his opponent in 3:48.

Dick Ahern, Pi Kappa Phi, won a 4-0 decision over Bud Filler, Phi Kappa Sigma. Ahern had a take down and a reversal. George Dunn, Alpha Chi Sigma, was pinned by John William, Pi Kappa Alpha, in 1:45 of the second period.

The four final fraternity matches ended in pins. Charles Signorino, Theta Kappa Phi, pinned 175-pounder Steve Faus, Kappa Delta Rho, in 1:52. In another 175-pound contest, Don Metzger, Phi Kappa Psi, pinned John Weber, Triangle, in 1:50. Heavyweight Andy Staures, Delta Upsilon, pinned Bill Lechler, Alpha Sigma Phi, in 24 seconds in the second stanza. Ken McCulloch, Sigma Phi Epsilon, won a 9-0 decision over Cooper, Chi Phi.

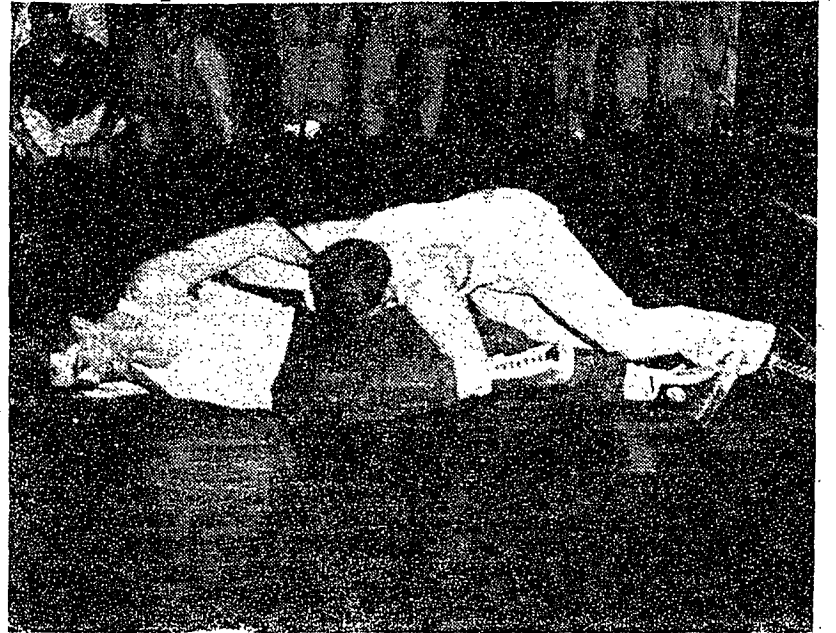
Bill Pharaoh, 165-pound independent, quickly spun Bill Whitacre around and scored a pin in 1:51. Jerome Kleisath, 155-pound independent, found Gerald Werner a hard competitor before he overturned him in 57 seconds in the second period.

In a 135-pound skirmish, Dale Blaha, independent, recorded a 3-0 decision over Hess. Blaha was credited with a takedown and riding time. Tom O'Hara, independent 145-pounder, eliminated Norman Schue from further intramural competition by winning a 9-4 decision.

Wrestlers who entered second round tournament competition by way of forfeit victories are: Sid Ziff, Phi Sigma Delta; Murray Horewitz, Phi Sigma Delta; Thomas Smith, Delta Upsilon; John Milson, Alpha Zeta, Tom Dangerfield, Delta Chi; Jordan Bauscher, Sigma Chi; and James Schulte, Chi Phi.

Monday night 32 more grapplers will participate in first round matches. The initial bout will commence at 7:30 p.m.

## Steady Please!



RALPH HOFMANN, SIGMA PI, fails to secure a cradle hold on his 128-pound opponent, Dick Weaver of Alpha Zeta, in intramural wrestling action at Rec Hall last night. Hofmann, however, emerged the victor, pinning Weaver in 1:38 of the second period with a half nelson.

## Giardello TKO's Troy In Seventh

NEW YORK, March 19 (AP)—Joey Giardello, the world's second ranking middleweight contender from Philadelphia, tonight floored durable Willie Troy three times and handed the Washington Negro youth a savage beating to win on a technical knockout in 39 seconds of the seventh round.

Giardello, a 13 to 10 favorite, weighed 159 to Troy's 156½.

The clever and hard-hitting Giardello dropped the 21-year old Troy twice in the first round and once in the second round with right hand smashes. Each time the game youngster staggered to his feet at the count of three, but was given the mandatory eight count.

### 8 Straight Punches

Troy, winner of his last seven fights by knockouts, took a brutal beating from then on but he wasn't floored again. Referee Al Beal finally stopped the slaughter after Joey walloped Willie with eight straight punches to the jaw.

The cocky Brooklyn-born Philadelphian hit the strong seventh-ranked contender with everything he had, but he never stopped Willie from moving in.

### 8,159 Fans Watch

Even when he was obviously out on his feet, Troy gamely plodded forward as the crowd of 8,159 marveled at his ability to absorb the fearful punishment. The gross gate was \$31,225. The scheduled ten rounder was broadcast and telecast nationally.

Before the fight, Giardello said "He's a sucker for a right."

He was 100 per cent correct. Troy brought his left hand back slowly and Joey threw over right hands to the jaw for all of his knockdowns. In addition, Giardello hit Troy flush almost at will with his fast left hooks to the jaw over Willie's low right guard.

## Sain Decides To Play Again

MIAMI, March 19 (AP)—Even Manager Casey Stengel was surprised today at the news that veteran pitcher Johnny Sain was coming out of retirement to rejoin the New York Yankees.

Sain left his Walnut Ridge, Ark., home yesterday in an automobile headed for the world champions' camp at St. Petersburg. Reportedly he has a contract in his pocket calling for a \$30,000 salary, a raise of about \$8000 over last year.

Yankee headquarters announced the towering righthander is expected to rejoin the club when it returns to its home base at St. Pete Tuesday.

The Arkansas pitcher won 14 and lost 7 for the Yankees last year and should be a big help to a team which has been suffering repeated reverses in spring games.

Sain bought an automobile agency at Walnut Ridge last October and announced he was through with baseball. The Yankees have been trying to get him to change his mind.

# Cagers Are Eliminated By LaSalle, Lose 69-54

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story. These 20 Penn State field goals came in 72 shots from the floor, a paltry .253 percentage. LaSalle, on the other hand, scored on 44 per cent of their attempts from the floor.

Both teams scored sparingly in the opening frame but LaSalle took control early and moved into a 15-10 lead at the end of the period. With Gola, Chuck Singley, and Frank Blatcher leading the way, they widened the margin to 33-22 at the half. Arnette, who was the only Penn State player who managed to find any success against the high-flying Explorers scored nine of the Lions 12 points in that frame.

Coach Ken Loeffler's quintet kept up the onslaught in the third period with 12 more points while Penn State countered with 10.

State went into a pressing man-for-man in the final frame and the game turned into a contest of fast breaks. LaSalle poured 24 markers through the nets and Penn State scored 22.

A win tonight for the Lions will still give them third place in the tourney. Even in advancing this far, the Nittany Lions have done the unbelievable. Their two wins against LSU and Notre Dame last week, chewed deep impressions into this nearly-completed basketball season. Their amazing rise served as a super-

charger for what appeared two weeks ago just another year for college basketball.

The loss sets the Nittany record

**KANSAS CITY, March 19 (AP)**—The fighting Bradley Braves drove back from an 11-point deficit to claw their way into the finals of the National Collegiate basketball championship tonight with a 74-72 victory over Southern California.

Behind more than half the game, the Braves from Peoria, Ill., grabbed the lead for good with a minute and three seconds left on a driving lay-in by Bob Carney.

With 17 seconds left they got a gift when Carney fell over a stumbling Southern Cal player in midcourt and drew a pair of free throws. He sank both to put Bradley ahead 74-70.

The Trojans raced back with a goal by Jack Dunne but they never got a chance for another shot.

It was a heartbreaker for the Trojans who made a brilliant recovery in the first quarter after falling behind by five points in the first five minutes.

at 17-6, 14 of these coming during the regular season. From all appearances another tough battle is on tap for Gross's cagers tonight. Southern Cal almost succeeded

in upsetting Bradley in their semi-final contest. The Trojans took an early lead but ran out of steam late in the fourth quarter and lost a one-point lead with seconds remaining.

PENN STATE		LaSALLE	
fg	ft	fg	ft
Sherry 1	4-7	Maples 3	1-1
Hagg 2	0-0	Blatcher 7	5-7
Brewer 3	0-0	Singley 4	2-4
Fields 2	1-1	Gola 5	9-13
Arnette 5	8-10	O'Hara 2	1-3
Weid'ham'r 1	1-2	O'Maley 3	3-6
Edwards 2	0-0		
Rohland 2	0-2		
Bloeker 2	0-2		
Totals	20 14-24 54	Totals	24 21-34 69

Score by periods—  
Penn State 10 12 10 22-54  
LaSalle 15 18 12 24-69

## Defending Champion Records Handball Win

Defending champion Dave Girard, Sigma Nu, easily defeated Gary Fox, Sigma Alpha Mu, 21-2, 21-2, for one of six wins recorded in the second round of intramural handball singles played Thursday night.

Bob McMillan, Delta Tau Delta, beat Tom Hand, Lambda Chi Alpha, 21-2, 21-4. Dick Matacia, Alpha Sigma Phi, won over Jim Griffin, Kappa Sigma, in two sets, 21-18 and 21-11. John Hawk, Sigma Chi, defeated Walt Fresch, Tau Kappa Epsilon, in three sets, 21-10, 15-21, 21-10. Harry Zeybel, Delta Upsilon, won over Tom Rich, Theta Kappa Phi, 21-9, 21-13.

## Extortion Attempts Revealed by FBI

MIAMI, Fla., March 19 (AP)—Robert Hugh Lonsford, 46, an ex-convict from Baltimore, pleaded guilty today to four charges of attempting to extort \$6000 from jockeys Ted Atkinson and Conn McCreary by threatening them with death unless they tipped him on winners at Hialeah.

The threats were made in letters and telephone calls to the two jockeys in February. Lonsford was arrested by FBI agents in Hollywood, Fla., Feb. 26.

The FBI said Lonsford admitted he threatened James W. Arthur, trotting horse driver, with mutilation or bodily harm in a similar deal in June, 1953, at Laurel Park Race Track, Laurel, Md.