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Lions Take NCAA Lead Over Florida St. by 3 Points

By RON GATEHOUSE

Penn State's high-riding gymnasts did a repeat performance in the preliminary round of yesterday's National Collegiate gymnastic festival at the University of Illinois by all but clinching their second consecutive title.

As in last year's tourney, the Nittanies got off to a good start in the first-round competition to take the team lead and send all but one of their entries in to the final round.

Nine of the ten Lions entered will be competing today for national fame in the final round of the annual gym marathon. Bill Paxton, State tumbler, failed to place in the top ten in the qualifying round.

A total of 267 individual entries representing 23 teams from all corners of the nation have been entered in the 12th annual gymnastic marathon. Finals will be held from 7 to 10 (CST) tonight.

With one event completed—the all-around—the Lions lead in the team standings with 20 points. The Seminoles of Florida State are right behind with 17, with the

TEAM STANDINGS	
PENN STATE	20
Florida State	17
Illinois	8
Michigan	3
Syracuse	2

host team, Illinois, in third position with 8. Michigan State has three and the Orange of Syracuse accounted for two points to round out the top five.

Following last night's action, Lion mentor Gene Wettstone summed up the tremendous exhibition turned in by his Nittany stalwarts by commenting that they "performed far more superior than I had anticipated, and if they continue to do so tomorrow we should have little trouble in claiming the national title."

Two of Wettstone's fabulous gymnasts, amazing Jan Cronstedt, and versatile Karl Schwenzfeier each qualified in three events for today's final round.

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Scholarship Recipients Approved

The University Senate has approved the recipients of the John W. White medal, John W. White fellowship, Evan Pugh medals, and Phi Kappa Phi freshman scholarship.

The awards were recommended by the Senate committee on scholarships and awards and approved by President Milton S. Eisenhower before ratification by the Senate Wednesday.

Robert Euwema, eighth semester physics major, received the medal. The award is a gold medal presented to a senior for outstanding scholarship.

Rohrbeck, Rupp Named Recipients of the John W. White fellowship are Charles Rohrbeck and Richard Rupp, eighth semester pre-medical majors.

The \$600 award is presented to seniors for one year of advanced study in Graduate School at the University or at another college. It is based on scholarship, ability, and personality.

The Evan Pugh medals are awarded by the Honor Society Council to seniors and juniors who have been selected for outstanding academic achievements. Seniors receive gold medals and juniors receive silver medals.

Five Get Senior Award Recipients of the senior award are Virginia Bowman, journalism; Leon Johnson, agronomy; Richard Oswald, electrical engineering; Daniel Pettinato, agronomy; and Robert Hess, aeronautical engineering.

Those receiving the junior award are William Luyben, chemical engineering; James Wolfe, business administration; David Overmier, mechanical engineering; Carl McGrew, physics; and Bruce Schwalm, agricultural engineering.

The \$50 Phi Kappa Phi scholarship has been awarded to John Eastman, second semester chemistry major.

The award is presented to an outstanding freshman on the basis of his first semester's work.

Campaign Renewal Set for Tomorrow By Political Parties

After a weekend break from campaigning, Lion and State Parties tomorrow night will continue soliciting votes in fraternities and dormitories.

Lion Party men candidates for All-University and senior and junior class offices will resume campaign speeches at approximately

Cold, Winds Are Forecast For Weekend

If couples complained about the obscure moon and stars after the dance last night, because of the increased cloudiness which the Meteorology department reported, they will really have reason to complain tonight.

A cold front is moving in and will probably transform the supposedly spring-like weather of April temporarily into a combination of wind and cold apparently reserved specially for the big weekend.

At least the cold weather waited until after the IFC-Panhel Ball and Ralph Flanagan's arrival. The weather evidently decided to have mercy on Penn State students and spared Flanagan's orchestra, permitting it to play at the dance. The full dose of unseasonal weather will set in today and tomorrow.

Professors Represented By Britton at Convention

Joseph H. Britton, associate professor of child development and family relations, is representing the University chapter of the American Association of University Professors at the annual convention this weekend in Buffalo, N.Y.

Administration OKs WD Separation Plan

The administration yesterday approved the physical separation plan for Hamilton Hall, according to Dean of Men Frank J. Simes.

Under the plan, submitted by the Dean of Men's office in cooperation with the Department of Housing, Hamilton Hall will be divided into seven units. The division will be accomplished by fire-doors to be built across the hallways.

Each unit will house 70 to 80 men. Specifically, the separation will work as follows:

A and B level will remain as they are now. A level houses 76 men, B level 98.

First Floor Divided

First floor will be divided into two units, with 80 men in one unit and 71 in the other. Second floor will also be divided into two units, with 85 men in each.

Third and fourth floors will be considered as one unit, housing a total of 99 men.

West Dormitory upperclassmen will be concentrated in Hamilton, on a basis of four upperclassmen to six freshmen. The other four dorms in the West Dorm area will house freshmen. Upperclassmen

Clergyman To Speak On Marriage

Louis H. Evans, minister-at-large of the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church, will discuss "Love, Marriage, and God" at Chapel service at 10:55 a.m. tomorrow in Schwab Auditorium.

Chapel choir will sing as introit, "Ah, Dearest Jesus" (Cruger) and as anthem "I Have Longed for Thy Saving Health" (Byrd). George E. Ceiga, Chapel organist will play as prelude "Litanie Solenne," for offertory "Pax Vobiscum," and for postlude "Benedictus" (all by Edmondson).

Evans, who had been pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Hollywood, Calif., for 12 years, is frequent speaker in colleges and universities, conventions, and on radio and television. He is the recipient of the Tau Kappa Alpha national "Speaker of the Year 1951 in the Field of Religion" award.

A graduate of Occidental College, Los Angeles, and McCormick Theological Seminary, Chicago, Evans holds honorary doctor of divinity, doctor of laws, and doctor of humane art degrees. He is a honorary member of Rotary International.

As president of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, Evans has visited Japan, Korea, China, India, and Egypt. He has served on the boards of San Francisco Theological Seminary, Western Theological Seminary, Occidental College, the broad-casting and film commission of the National Council of Churches, and the World Alliance of Reformed Churches.

He is author of "Youth Seeks a Master," "The Kingdom Is Yours," and various magazine articles.

State Nominees to Speak At noon Monday, State Party's All-University and junior class candidates will speak at Tau Kappa Epsilon, Chi Phi, Delta Tau Delta, and Kappa Delta Rho. Sen- (Continued on page eight)

Knodt Resigns As Dairy Prof

Cloy B. Knodt, professor of dairy husbandry, has resigned, effective March 31, according to President Milton S. Eisenhower. Knodt has accepted a position as head of the dairy research and sales program with General Mills, Inc.

Effective June 30 is the resignation of Kendon R. Smith, associate professor of psychology. Smith has been named chairman of the Department of Psychology at Woman's College of the University of North Carolina.

Visiting professor of engineering research, Marcel Nicolet, has resigned effective April 30, to return to Belgium where he heads the Radiation department at the Royal Institute of Meteorology.

Seniors to Order Caps and Gowns

Seniors who expect to be graduated in June may order caps and gowns at the Athletic Store. The schedule is as follows: agriculture seniors, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday; education, Thursday, Friday, and April 10; engineering and architecture, April 12, 13, and 14; chemistry and physics and physical education, April 21, 22, 23; liberal arts and business administration, April 26, 27, and 28; and home economics and mineral industries, April 29, and 30 and May 1.

Invitations and announcements may be ordered at the Student Union desk in Old Main on the same days. The deposit for a cap and gown is \$5. Seniors should know their hat sizes when ordering. Students who will graduate in military uniforms should not sign up for caps and gowns.

2 Students Caught In 5th Speed Trap

Two University students were among the offenders caught yesterday in the fifth speed trap run by State College police since their drive to end speeding in the borough began last week.

Sixty-five cars were checked by stop-watches on N. Atherton street in front of the College Heights school. Seven arrests were made.

The students caught are Harlin Wall, sixth semester architecture major, and John Shulick, sixth semester electrical engineering major.

Reds Learn Power Of H-Bomb Blasts

LONDON, April 2 (AP)—The Russian people were told today hydrogen bombs, such as those tested by the United States in the Pacific, can destroy "the fruits of a thousand years of human toil."

Renewed emphasis by the Russians on the destructive nature of the H-bomb aroused speculation in Moscow and elsewhere over improved chances for East-West agreement on control of nuclear weapons.

There were these additional developments related to the H-bomb:

1. Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru of India called for Russia and the United States to agree on a standstill pact which would bar any more H-bomb explosions. Nehru said this agreement could be reached in the UN disarmament commission.

2. Britain's top political leaders, both Conservative and Labor sought to quiet growing alarm over the H-bomb. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden declared the bomb in some respects could be an instrument of peace—"an appalling warning to anyone who should contemplate aggression."

The Soviet press approached the subject of destructive capabilities of the H-bomb by carrying a resolution of the Communist-sponsored World Peace council in Vienna which declared the U.S.

hydrogen bomb tests had gotten out of control.

The resolution said the peoples of the world were despairing because "science has liberated boundless forces which can destroy the fruits of a thousand years of human toil." The resolution called for immediate agreement of the big powers on banning all kinds of mass annihilation weapons.

The significant factor of observers in Moscow was that the Russian people were being told again of the U.S. tests in the Pacific.

Pravda had only mentioned the tests once before. There have been no reports in the Soviet press of the H-bomb furor in Britain, and the demands of British Laborites for a meeting of Premier Georgi Malenkov, Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Dwight D. Eisenhower to discuss control of nuclear weapons.

Malenkov had warned previously that an atomic war could mean the destruction of civilization.

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