

One 1953, 3 1952 Titlists Entered in NCAA Boxing

By ROY WILLIAMS

A star-studded field, including one champion and six runners-up from the 1953 field and three 1952 titlists, is expected to produce a keen battle for individual and team honors this weekend in the three-day, National Collegiate boxing tournament.

Among the 15 schools entered is Idaho State College, defending team victors. Other formidable entries are Wisconsin, Maryland, San Jose State, Louisiana State, Penn State, Virginia, Syracuse, Washington State, Army, Michigan State, and Idaho.

Wisconsin, favored entry to dethrone Idaho State, and the 1953 Eastern team crown bearers from Maryland, each have entered six men. San Jose State has entered five men.

Because Idaho State's Vic Kobe and Tom Hickey both have dropped from the NCAA's, only Wisconsin's Ray Zale, 178-pounds, returns to defend his 1951 title. But two 1952 champs have entered. Roy Kuboyama, 119-pounder, also from Wisconsin, and Gordy Gladson, 165-pounder from Washington State, seek 1954 honors. Gladson goes into the tournament with a record of 18 wins and no losses.

Entries in the nine different weight classes are expected to be the heaviest in the 139-pound class. The following are entries in each weight class from the 15 teams:

125 Pounds

John Hernandez, San Jose State; Jim Harrell, North Carolina A&T; Harry Papacharalambous, Penn State; Frank Guelli, Syracuse; Seiji Naya, Hawaii; Ed Olson, Washington; and Bob Freeman, Louisiana State.

132 Pounds

John Stiglets, Louisiana State; Vince Palumbo, Maryland; Bob McMath, Penn State; Gerald Jaf-

fee, Syracuse; Cyril Okamoto, Hawaii; Roland Walton, North Carolina A&T; Joe Rodriguez, San Jose State; Terry Tyan, Wisconsin; and Ralph Wadsworth, Idaho.

139 Pounds

Chuck Magestro, Wisconsin; John Granger, Syracuse; Gil Inaba, Washington State; Norman Andrie, Michigan State; Larry Fornicola, Penn State; Ronald Titus, Idaho; Tony Hansell, Army; George Pickens, Hampton Institute; John Parker, North Carolina A&T; and Vic Harris, San Jose State.

147 Pounds

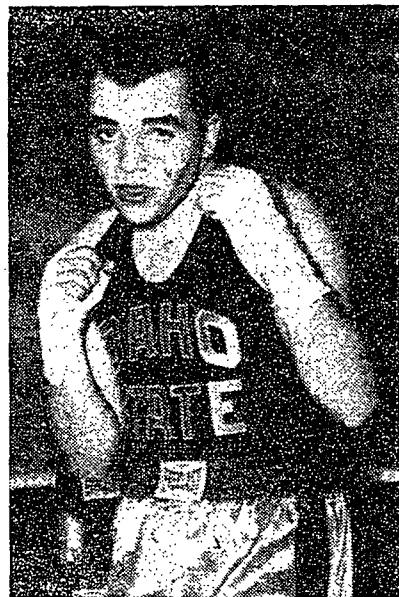
Herb Odom, Michigan State; Connie Stamps, Hampton Institute; Russ Lundgren, Idaho State; Jack Stokes, Penn State; Bob Theofield, Maryland; and Lynn Nichols, Idaho.

155 Pounds

Dick Bender, San Jose State; Pete Potter, Virginia; Gary Bowden, Louisiana State; Bob Reid, North Carolina A&T; George Sissinni, Michigan State; Joe Humphreys, Penn State; and Bob Meath, Wisconsin.

165 Pounds

Vince Rigolosi, Syracuse; Sonny Nichols, Virginia; Frank Breidor, Penn State; Gordy Gladson, Washington State; Nelson Alvarez, Hampton; Earl Orr, North Caro-



Mike McMurtry
Sugar Bowl Champ

lina A&T; Bill McInnis, Maryland; and Lewis Neal, Idaho State.

178 Pounds

Zale, Wisconsin; Adam Kois, Penn State; Don Quarles, North Carolina A&T; Tom Stern, San Jose State; Greenway, Michigan State; and Ron Rhodes, Maryland.

Heavyweight

Bob Hinds, Wisconsin; Mike McMurtry, Idaho State; Joe Goleman, Penn State; and Leo Coyne, Maryland.

IM Tournaments Open

Handball and badminton doubles start tonight. Participants who have not received schedules should check with the intramural office.

Thiel Seeks Substitute For Arnold

Lacrosse coach Nick Thiel is looking for a replacement today for injured captain Dave Arnold. Thiel will probably insert letterman George Bickelhaupt or sophomore Andy Bergeson into the midfield vacancy when the stickmen open their season with Kenyon on Saturday.

Arnold suffered a shoulder separation in practice Saturday and will be lost to the team for two or three weeks.

The rest of the midfield will remain intact. Jim Fulton, returned from service duty, will be flanked at center by sophomore Bob Hamel.

Three Seniors Start

The absence of Arnold will leave just three seniors in Thiel's tentative starting lineup. They are Fulton, James Reed, another returning serviceman, and goalie Don Bell.

Frank Locutus will move up to the second midfield line in order to maintain the necessary six-man balance there. He will be joined by Allan LeChard and either Bickelhaupt or Bergeson, depending upon who gets the starting assignment. The second line will be backed by John Cranos and Dave Friedenber.

At the close attack positions will be Ron Youtz, a portside sticker, at left home, and Richard Klein, a junior letterman, at right home. Joseph Erwin and Ed Jones should see plenty of action on the attack also.

Defensive Positions

On defense, Herbie Horikawa, at the crease position, will have Jim Hay on his right and Everett Weidner at his left. John Collett, Stephen Friedman, and Binghamen Lentz will be the three most-used defensive reserves.

Saturday's opener will get under way at two o'clock and will be played on Beaver Field. A new twist may be added to this year's inaugural. Dan Grove, popular WMAJ announcer, may present a running commentary on the game over the public address system, expalining different phases of the game as play proceeds. Grove has been working out with the team and possesses a keen knowledge of the game.

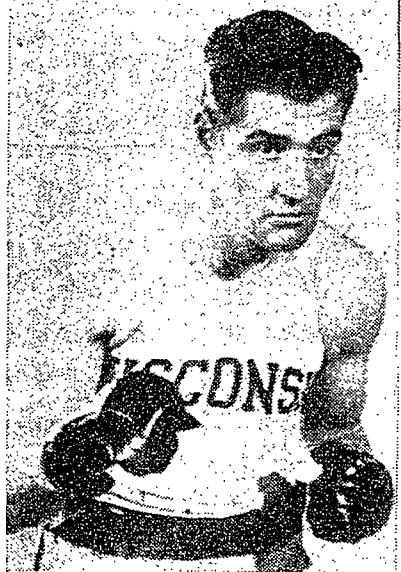
tennis when she saw it being played for the first time five years ago and has been playing ever since.

Miss Hudcovich prefers to hold her racquet with what she calls a semi-western grip, and says the forehand is her strongest stroke, just as it is with most players. She is a fourth semester physical education major and has been on the dean's list since she came to Penn State.

Although she can't participate in tennis at the University, she plays basketball and badminton. After graduation Mary plans to keep on playing tennis, and believes she would enjoy coaching at a girls' junior college.

Betty Love, also a fourth semester physical education major, is extremely talented in one of the newer activities of WRA, modern dance. Before coming to Penn State Betty had five years of training in ballet, some in tap, and a very little in toe. Her dancing ability enabled her to win second place in a talent show. Betty will do a primitive dance solo in the

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Bob Hinds
Wisconsin Heavy

Yukica Is Coach of Local Team

A former Penn State football player, Joe Yukica, has been named head football coach at State College High School. The action was taken Monday night at the school board meeting.

Yukica, a graduate student at the University, was graduated in 1953 after three years of varsity competition, all at end. In 1950, he played offensively and defensively, and during the next two years he was the regular offensive right end.

Last year, Yukica, a native of Midland, served as assistant freshman coach under freshman coach Earl Bruce.

In 1951, he caught ten passes for 147 yards. The following year he grabbed 15 aeriels for 163 yards. But one of these catches was disastrous for Yukica.

Against Nebraska, he snared six passes good for 63 yards and one touchdown. The last catch enabled Tony Rados to break Elwood Petchel's record for completions in one season. But Yukica was injured on the play and was forced to sit out the rest of the season.

"Joe is a good coach," State football mentor Rip Engle said. "He works well with boys, is likeable, and is a well-mannered and a poised man. His handling of freshman players bears me out."

WRA Results

Volleyball

Women's Bldg. over Pi Beta Phi
Thomp. 3&4 over Delta Gamma
Alpha Omicron Pi over Alpha Xi Delta.

Bowling

Thompson 1&2 over Chi Omega
Delta Delta Delta over Kappa Kappa Gamma
Gamma Phi Beta over Alpha Chi Omega

Soccer Managers

Candidates for Soccer managerial positions are requested to sign up at the Athletic Association in Old Main, according to Dick Gordon, head manager.

WRA Problem . . .

Get Women to Take Part in Program

By CAROLE GIBSON

The word 'how' has but one connotation to Women's Recreation Association officers—how to get all women students who would really enjoy taking part in the recreation program to come to White Hall. They feel that every coed who likes sports, no matter whether she be an athlete or not, would find both her favorite game and new friends at White Hall.

Some girls may argue they are not expert players, and there would be no place for them on teams in the badminton, bowling, and volley ball tournaments. Even if this were

Weston and Mary Hudcovich, have won recognition for their tennis abilities. Miss Weston began playing tennis in eighth grade when her high school started a girls' tennis team and won many national honors. A sixth semester physical education major, she is a member of the Merion Cricket Club in Philadelphia where she has been given instructions by club coach William F. White. White had a hand in coaching Vic Seixas and many other tennis notables.

For instance, this spring one may belong to the swimming, outing, rifle, dance, officials, ski, golf, or lacrosse club. As a member of the swimming club, a beginner would receive instructions, while those who are advanced would be practicing for the aquacade.

For taking part in club and intramural sports programs coeds may earn points toward a participation cup for her dorm or sorority.

Not only will those not particularly skilled in athletics find their favorite sport in the WRA program, but there is also a place for girls who have won recognition in some sport before they became members of WRA. Among the Penn State coeds who belong to this group are four girls who are outstanding.

Two of the girls, Betty Dean

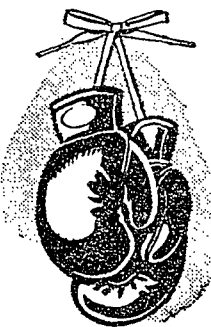
doubles champion; and winner of the Public Parks singles and mixed doubles.

Miss Weston was also runnerup in both the Middle States Women's Grass Court Singles Championship tournament and the Eastern Clay Court Championship tournament. As a national umpire she can referee a tennis match played on any court in the nation. In the summer she practices from noon until 9 p.m.

She likes to practice with someone who is a better player than she is, for she feels this is the best way she can improve.

Tournament tennis and perhaps a job with a sporting concern after graduation are future goals for Betty Dean. She hopes from here to go into professional tennis.

Miss Hudcovich has won the women's and girls' singles and doubles in Montrose, Scranton, and Binghamton from 1951 to 1953. She became interested in



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