

# More Records Could Fall in MSC Meet Saturday

By DICK McDOWELL

If the pattern continues in Saturday's track meet with Michigan State, cinder fans can expect more records of some sort to fall. In the Lions' first two dual meets no less than 14 marks, both Penn State and meet records, have been erased and there isn't any sign of a letup.

The biggest question, however, is not whether records will be broken, but rather who will break them. Rosey Grier and Chuck Blockson, Chick Werner's outstanding weight men have been consistent record breakers and either could sneak in a new one this week. Grier has broken the shot put mark three times this spring and Blockson has smashed the discus mark twice.

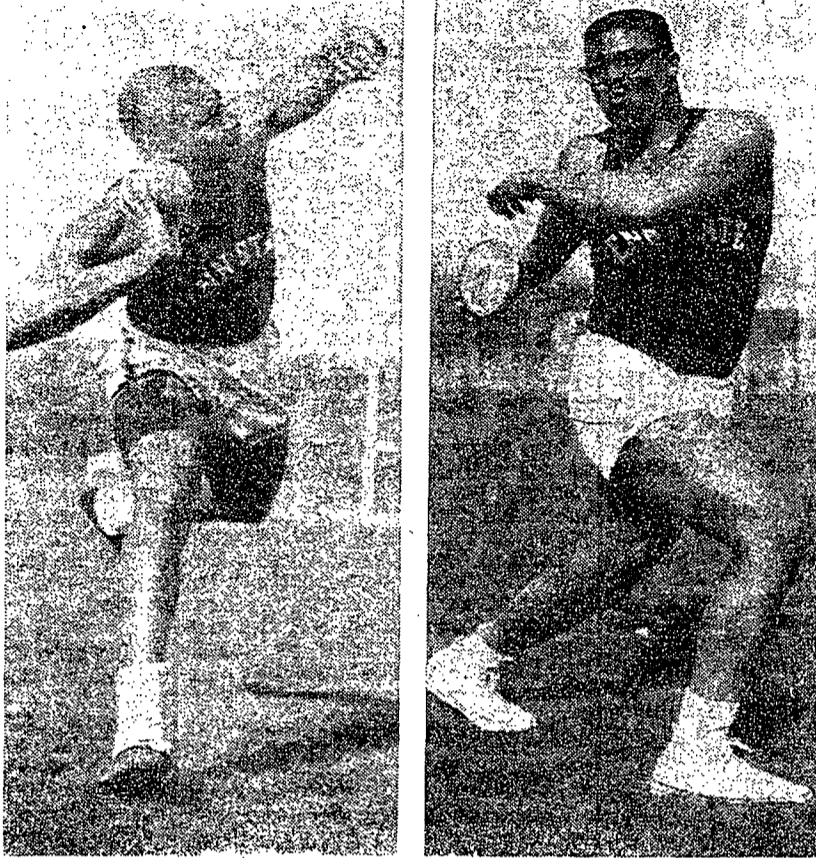
## Pollard is Threat

Lightning Art Pollard stands as a definite threat to shatter the 220-yard dash mark set by Bernie Ewell in 1942. Pollard, boarding on greatness as a sprinter, ran the 220 in 21 seconds against Pitt, .3 second above Ewell's mark of :20.7. However, the Comet wasn't pushed by anybody and he should be this week. The Spartans' Ed BraBham was clocked at :21.1 in the 220 last week against Notre Dame. These two could provide the race of the day.

Pollard also shaved his 100-yard dash time down to :9.7 against the Panthers, boarding just .1 second above the Penn State mark held jointly by Harry Henry (1907), Dick Bartholomew (1928), and Ewell (1940).

## Sax Slipped Saturday

Ollie Sax, who set a new Penn State mark



Chuck Blockson and Rosey Grier

Whose turn this time?

in the 440 against Navy, slipped last week, but is potentially a record breaker. However, he'll meet Al Gosper Saturday and that could mean trouble for the Lion speedster. Gosper ran the quarter in :48.5 last week, .4 second better than Sax's mark of :48.9.

Spartan Coach Karl Schlademan will field a team that is particularly strong in the running department. In the hurdles John Corbelli is a strong favorite for first place honors. Corbelli was timed at :14.5 in the 120-yard high hurdles last week and turned in a :23.7 in a tie with teammate Bennie Savoldi in the 220 lows.

## Jarret in Half

Half miler Dick Jarret will be a big threat for first place honors in that event. Jarret did the 880 in 1:54.8 last week and leads a strong mile relay team.

Pole vaulter Dan Lorch looks like a winner Saturday if he matches his high of 13' against Pitt. Michigan State's best man has been unable to reach that mark. A wide open battle looms in the broad jump where Ron Johnson could get the edge. BraBham won the event against the Irish with a 21' 5 3/4" leap. In the high jump, surprising Rus Snyder promises to turn a previous Nittany weak point into a possible point-getter. Snyder tied for first against Pitt with a 6'2" leap.

Red Hollen and Doug Moorhead, unbeaten in dual meet competition, are favorites in the distances. Hollen has two wins registered in the two-mile and Moorhead has won for two consecutive Saturdays.

# Nittany Bat Marks on Upswing

## Ettenger Boosts Average, Leads Squad With .419

By HERM WEISKOPF

Penn State's baseball team would probably like to play Bucknell more often. In the two meetings between these teams this season the Lions scored 29 runs and blasted 23 hits.

The Lions defeated Bucknell last Tuesday at Beaver Field, 9-1, and this Tuesday they slaughtered the Bisons 21-0 at Lewisburg. Going into the second game between the two squads the Lions owned a .216 team batting average. However, Penn State brought its team average up to .235 by clouting four Bucknell pitchers for 14 hits.

In nine games so far this season the Lions have picked up 68 hits, with more than one-third of them, 23 to be exact, coming off Bucknell hurlers.

## Ettenger Gets Three Hits

Nittany catcher George Ettenger got three hits in five at bats in the most recent encounter with the Bisons to boost his batting mark to a team high of .419. The stocky receiver has collected 13 hits in 31 trips to the plate. He has displayed the ability to hit to either field.

Last year's leading hitter, Charlie Russo, has the second highest average. The Lion second baseman has collected nine hits in 32 swings for a .281 mark. Although he has not equaled his .342 average of last season, Russo has been one of the most valuable men on the team. He has been the number one threat on the bases for the Lions and has stolen home three times this season—twice against Bucknell.

## "Weedy" Batting .257

Ron Weidenhammer added 57 points to his average by getting two singles and a double Tuesday against the Bisons. The Nittany shortstop is now meeting the ball

at a .257 pace. Weidenhammer started the season in center in order to make room for Francis Bowman at shortstop. "Weedy" has been inserted at short, where he played regularly last year, in the past four games and Bowman has moved to right.

First baseman Kennedy currently has the fourth fastest batting average for the Lions. He is hitting at a .250 clip—seven safeties in 28 tries. Kennedy has picked up two of the three triples hit by Penn Staters so far. Bowman, a former GI, has the other. Kennedy has hit safely in each of the past five contests.

## Kline Gets Revenge

Hubie Kline has picked up seven hits in 30 official at bats for a .233 average. Although the Nittany third baseman had a rough time in the first game with the Bisons (he went 0 for 4) he made up for that by getting two hits in three tries in the second time around.

Leftfielder Rex Bradley has found hits rather scarce in the past few games and has slumped to .226 with seven hits, including a home run, in 31 at bats.

# No TV for Bannister

NEW YORK, May 12 (AP)—Great Britain's Roger Bannister flew to New York today to tell American television fans about his record-smashing 3:59.4 mile but instead found himself the baffled center of a hassle over amateur rules.

Three hours after the young medical student's arrival at Idlewild Airport, the British Information office abruptly announced all appearances for the great miler on commercially-sponsored programs were off.

John Russell, director general of the BIO in New York, said: "The question was raised about the propriety of Bannister's appearance on a sponsored program. Rather than take any chances with his amateur standing we decided to cancel the

engagements." The 25-year-old Briton was brought here specifically by the sponsors of tonight's Columbia Broadcasting System's network show, "I've Got A Secret."

Originally he was booked into this country under an assumed name—Richard Bentley—and the whole thing was to be kept secret until he appeared on the panel show. His secret: the first man to break the four-minute mile.

But the story of the venture leaked out yesterday and subsequently the miler ace was booked on other big network shows, including Dave Garroway's "Today" and "Tex and Jinx" tomorrow over National Broadcasting Company and a sports show over the American Broadcasting Company.

## Baseball's Big Leagues

BROOKLYN, May 12 (AP)—One pitch—a home run to Gil Hodges in the fifth inning—prevented Lew Burdette from pitching a no-run, no-hit game today as the lanky righthander pitched the Milwaukee Braves to a 5-1 victory over Brooklyn today, to knock the Dodgers out of first place.

Burdette, a throw-in in a deal that sent Johnny Sain to the New York Yankees several years ago, faced only 29 men as he registered his third victory of the season against two defeats. He walked two and struck out two.

CLEVELAND, May 12 (AP)—Behind 5-0, the Cleveland Indians jumped on southpaw Eddie Lopat for four runs in the eighth inning today, but Johnny Sain halted the rally there and New York won 5-4 to move into a third-place tie with the Tribe.

PITTSBURGH, May 12 (AP)—Wally Moon slammed out five hits, and Red Schoendienst got four, sparking the St. Louis Cardinals to a 13-5 win over the Pittsburgh Pirates today.

It was a batmen's field day, with the Cards racking up 21 hits and the Bucs 14.

DETROIT, May 12 (AP)—Ted Gray, a losing pitcher for the last three years, protected Detroit's league lead today by winning his first game of the season—a 4-2 victory over the Washington Senators.

The 29-year-old southpaw, who had lost twice, allowed only five singles and a ninth-inning home run by Jim Busby.

CHICAGO, May 12 (AP)—Right-hander Don Johnson's second two-hitter of the season bested a brilliant but erratic three-hit effort by rookie Tom Brewer to give the Chicago White Sox a 1-0 victory over the Boston Red Sox today.

The 22-year-old Brewer walked four of the first six White Soxers to face him, to force in the run that handed him his second loss against no victories.

NEW YORK, May 12 (AP)—Bobby Hofman's pinch home run with Ronnie Samford on base in the ninth gave the New York Giants a 2-1 victory over Cincinnati's Harry Perkowski today after the Cincy lefthander had pitched two-hit shutout ball for 8 1-3 innings.

# Two Away Matches Slated for Golfers

Coach Bob Rutherford and his seven-man golf squad left this morning on the start of a two-match weekend schedule at Colgate and Cornell. The Lions—who slipped to a tenth place ranking among 18 Eastern colleges in the 27th annual Eastern Intercollegiate Golf Association tourney last week—are undefeated in 12 dual meets.

Another sophomore—Jim Ginsberg—has been added to the Lions' six-man Eastern team. Ginsberg defeated veteran George Kreidler earlier this week one down for the seventh slot on the Nittany squad.

Ginsberg, along with two other sophomores—Jim Boyanowski and Gerald Gerhart—will bolster the bottom half of Rutherford's squad this weekend. The Nittany coach will again depend on his "big four" of Captain Rod Eaken, Gordon Stroup, Joe Webb, and Warren Gittlen in the lead-off positions.

But Rutherford will be without the services of his former ace this season, Bob Smith. The flashy senior missed the Easterns, and will probably be out the remainder of the season because of scholastic ineligibility.

Gittlen and Gerhart are the only men who have losses on the Penn State ledger. Eaken, Stroup, and Webb show the best cards with 3-0 scores; Ginsberg and Boyanowski have 1-0 records. Gittlen has a 1-1 record. Gerhart lost his only match of the season against Navy.

## Baltimore Peddles Lenhardt to Bosox

BALTIMORE, May 12 (AP)—The Baltimore Orioles dealt outfielder Don Lenhardt to the Boston Red Sox, turned loose pitcher Vern Bickford on his own, and sent two more players back to the minors today to reach their player limit.

The Orioles continued to cement relations with Richmond, Va., which succeeded them in the International League, by optioning pitcher Mike Blyzka and catcher Darrell Johnson.

Lenhardt was the leading hitter of 1953 at St. Louis with .317. He also was among the leading batsmen for the Orioles in spring exhibition games.

## Correction

Acacia defeated Phi Kappa Psi, 1-0, in intramural soccer play Monday. The result of the match was incorrectly reported by the Daily Collegian.

## Slaughter Treated For Side Injury

CLEVELAND, May 12 (AP)—Enos Slaughter, veteran outfielder of the New York Yankees, left the club today to return to his Belleville, Ill., home for treatment of an injured side.

He will be examined and treated in nearby St. Louis and will rejoin the team in Chicago Tuesday. Slaughter has torn muscles in his left side. He injured himself by crashing into a fence during practice at Yankee Stadium in New York last Sunday and aggravated the injury here last night in the Cleveland game.

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