# Penn State Sports-

Sports Editor

A recent magazine story that carried a line that Bethlehem, Pa. drew criticism from a former collegiate wrestler who now lives in Princeton, N.J. Where did he wrestle-you guessed it-Oklahoma A & M.

This fellow says, in effect, that Lehigh and its Captain and National champ Ed Eichelberger are to be congratulated, but that Bethlehem is not the No. 1 wrestling town for you know what.

This is so. For Oklahoma A & M has the digits to back up in AAU Meet such a claim-when it makes it.

Since 1928 the Aggies have chopped down the line of opposition with murderous effectiveness. They have strolled off with bis one of the indoor track seatitle each time from 1928 to 1931; six years later in 1937 they moved in again, and took six championships from 1937 till 1942. In the interim they took two more titles, plus a co-championship with largest later than the supposition of the indoor track seating many through the period. The basket-for-basket routine continued throughout the opening half as the largest lead taken by either square for the indoor track seating many through the period. The basket-for-basket routine continued throughout the opening half as the largest lead taken by either square for the indoor track seating many through the period. The basket-for-basket routine continued throughout the opening half as the largest lead taken by either square for the indoor track seating many through the period. The basket-for-basket routine continued throughout the opening half as the largest lead taken by either square for the indoor track seating in the same victory all the way as no Theta Delt hit double figures. John Wagner Scores Nine

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Since the war they've won it five times—the two most recent coming in 1954 and '55.

They've been equally successful under two coaches; first E. C. Gallagher from 1928 to 1940, and then Art Griffith who has picked up seven team championships in 14 years. Gallagher

had 11 to his credit.

After gaining the title last year in a run away from the East's powerhouses—Pitt and Penn State—Oklahoma A & M boasted two champs. This gives the property of the prope champs. This gives them a total of 63 individual crown bearers the most likely to succeed in his in 26 years of national mat opposition. (no meets were scheduled Jenkins is un

from 1943 to 1945).

Oklahoma leads the pack, naturally, but by what a lead—that's what's astounding. Iowa Teachers is next with 19, then Oklahoma lenge Jenkins, it will be Tom into the League C lead with a 5-1

occlination in the same state?) with 17 and so on Lehigh is tops in the Collected 12. Brown supported collected 12. Brown supported supported supported supported supported supported supported collected 12. Brown supported su (in the same state?) with 17, and so on. Lehigh is tops in the Courtney, late of Fordham, now East with six, and is tied for ninth place with Cornell and Minne- of the Army. sota. Pitt, Iowa, and Penn State each have five for a three-way knot for the 12th slot.

As for attendance. When Penn State visited Lehigh-notoriously lacking in adequate seating arrangements at Grace Hallit pulled in an overflow crowd of 3200 spectators. Lehigh was forced to close the doors on people, while those inside saw the Lions close the doors on the Engineer's unbeaten string, 17-13.

One week later and more than a 1000 miles away, in Stillwater, Oklahoma,-a town of 20,238-Oklahoma and Oklahoma Aggiestraditional interstate rivals such as the Lions and Lehigh and Penn State and Pitt, drew 8200 spectators. The meet incidentally, ended tling and volleyball should be up in a 12-12 stalemate.

Other facts: Penn State, in 1953, was the first Eastern team to win a team championship. The East may claim 29 individual champs since 1928; a major portion of the remaining 169 come from the midwest.

Enough said.

Bill Hulings, Pitt's 115-pound national semi-finalist last year, missed the Panther's 19-9 victory engagement against Lehigh Jan. 23. It was thought Hulings may have had his collegiate wrestling -career cut short because of an ulcer.

Since then he's wrestled three times, winning each time; one victory came by a 7-1 tally, the other, 4-1.

Hulings and Ed Peery, 130-pounder and 1955 National champion, will figure prominently in the Lions season finals with Pitt March 3 at Recreation Hall.

Syracuse mentor Joe McDaniels saw his team shellacked by Pitt, and then Penn State. When asked what he thought the outcome of the Lion-Pitt duel would be after seeing both teams in action, McDaniels said: "I think State should be able to stop Pitt." McDaniels qualified this, "but not by much.

"You have Krufka and Oberly, and they should win; the contest well could be decided in the first two weights. If State wins either of the two they could take it."

What about a draw? McDaniels was asked.

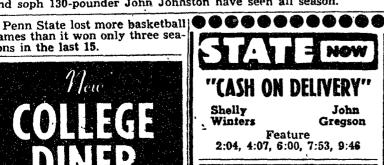
"That may do it, but I doubt it, he said.

Hulings and Sid Nodland, the Lions' undefeated 123-pounder have met before. Their meeting in the dual meet ended at 1-1; Hulings edged Nodland 2-1 in the Eastern semifinals; this year at the Wilkes tourney Nodland gained a slim victory.

Perry, son of Rex Perry, Panther coach, and Hulings will open the season finale with some of the toughest action either Nodland and soph 130-pounder John Johnston have seen all season.

games than it won only three seasons in the last 15.





#### STARTS SUNDAY 'WORLD IN MY CORNER

Starring Audie Murphy

## Alpha Sig, Delta Sig, Canadians, Theta Delt Pace IM Cagers

Sparked by the 21-point bombardment of Dick Ferrari, Alpha Sigma Phi halted Alpha Phi Alpha's five-game win streak, 41-26, Thursday night — blasting the losers from a first place deadlock in Fraternity League B of Intramural basketball.

Ferrari tallied 18 of his points from the field. Buster Thomas led the losers with 11

The loss dropped Alpha Phi Alpha to a second place tie with the Alpha Sigs, and home of Lehigh University, is the No. 1 wrestling town in the U.S. bolted the high-flying Sigma Alpha Epsilon quintet into the circuit lead. SAE's record

### Track Records Seen Falling

Charlie Jenkins, junior, has been ogling Mal Whit- have now lost six in a row. field's world indoor 600-yard mark of 1:09.5 all season.

Pitt's Arnie Sowell is the big lneged by Joe Deady of Washington, who has given up chasing Ron Delany in the mile.

They're the three most likely marks to fall, although in this meet anyone might come through.

gures, splitting 20 points.

Dorm 9, Playboys Also

#### **IM Deadlines**

Entries for intramural wresturned in at the IM office in 202 Recreation Hall by 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Dutch Sykes, intra-mural assistant director, has announced.

An organization may enter one try fee is 25c per man.

is at 6-0, while the runner-ups now own 5-1 slates. In another loop B encounter.

Theta Delta Chi romped to its third straight win after three successive defeats earlier in the season with a convincing 34-18 tri-markers for the evening, the tops umph over Sigma Pi.

the bug, there's no telling where saw Phi Sigma Kappa knock Al- opening round and Brown contheir record-shattering efforts pha Epsilon Pi deeper into the tributed four. circuit basement with a low scor-

Delta Sig's Move Into Lead

Canadian Club jumped into the Rainey lead of Independent League G by Fields man in the 1000, and he'll be chal- handing Stalag 10 a 43-14 pasting. Don Shearer ripped the cords for 14 points to cop game-scoring honors. Denny Uhrin and Carl Bennett also hit in the double fi-

Dorm 9, Playboys Also Win Both Dorm 9 and the Playboys scored wins on Thursday night. Dorm 9 plastered Pollock 4, 46-25, while the Playboys squeezed by the Rebels, 16-15.

Seven of the Dorm 9 cagers entered their names in the scoring column with Harold Peak's 19-point outburst leading the parade. Tom Botlock scored 10 for the los ing Pollock 4 quintet.
In the other League G fracas,

contestant in each weight class. Pollock 12 pushed its season rec-However, independents may en-ord over the .500 mark by sending ter as individuals, and not neces-the A.H.'s to a 22-16 defeat. Bill sarily as members of a team. En- Forbes scored six to lead the vic-

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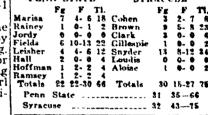
for the Nittanies.

The other League B attraction five of his 13 field goals in the

Penn State's two-one-two zone Villanova ing 17-12 conquest. The AEPi's defense baffled the New Yorkers for the first thirty minutes and Another cellar-dwelling team, was the major fact in holding Kappa Sigma of league C, added Syracuse in check. The Lions

ffort tomorrow.

Norm Schue tallied 11 points markers and guard Bob Leisher
Jenkins is unbeaten in five for Alpha Zeta but it wasn't collected 12. Brown supported





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