

# Golfing 'Mudders' Win Fifth, Outpoint Colgate, 6-1

By JOE CHEDDAR

Playing on a course so muddy that the ball often sank from sight on landing, the Penn State golf team romped to its fifth victory of the season Saturday, outpointing the Cornell University squad, 6-1.

The linksmen slogged through the mire in grand fashion, threatening to shut out the Big Red, but Cornell's number seven man, Steve Klein, pinned a loss on Johnny Boyanowski to avert the shutout.

The Lions followed their usual policy of presenting a different medalist each match as Gus Gerhart posted the low score—74.

### Tuneup for EIGA

The match also served as a tuneup for the Eastern Inter-

collegiate Golf Association tournament, to be held on the same course later this month. It gave the linksmen an excellent opportunity to familiarize themselves with the course. Of course the conditions might be different for the "big" tourney. At least the Lions hope so.

Pat Rielly, playing number one for the first time, shoved the Lions off to a good start when he won 2 and 1 from Cornell's Dave Stotz. The talented sophomore was having putting trouble, but his drives were high and far off and the tee keeping him out of trouble.

Had he been able to control his short shots—he three-putted several greens—he might have made a complete rout of the match.

### Mayes Wins, 2-0

Jim Mayes bounced back from



Gus Gearhart Leads Lion golfers

his setback Friday to put the Nittanians ahead, 2-0, in the second match. The Philipsburg ex-caddy disposed of John Tallman four and three.

Gus Gerhart shot the best Nittany round of the afternoon, winning a 1-up thriller over Cornell's Harry Halac. Halac was shooting above-average golf for most of the match, in fact he led after 15 holes, 2 up. But he weakened on the final three and Gerhart won out.

The 17th was the equalizer for the consistent Nittany. He was outridden from the tee, but he pitched to the pin from 30 feet away for a "gimme" putt that completely unnerved his opponent. He rode home free on the 18th.

### Ginsberg Extends Lead

Jim Ginsberg then lengthened the Lion lead to four, winning

the game-cinching match 4 and 2. Ginsberg had a red-hot putter and ended the match on the 16th green.

John Branish won his 10th match in succession, downing Bill Hauser 5 and 3. Branish hasn't been beaten since he lost a 23-hole affair against Cornell last year in his debut in the Nittany lineup.

The Lions number six man, Leo Kukkola, kept the attack running smoothly, running away from Jack McCormick, 6 and 4. "Kook," after losing Friday at Colgate, was all business as he trimmed his opponent in an abbreviated 12-hole match.

Johnny Boyanowski suffered the only Lion loss, a tight 2 down setback to Steve Klein. Boyanowski, perhaps pressing to seal the shutout, lost his touch and the match.

# Colgate Edges Stickmen 6-5 in Overtime Session

By LOUIE PRATO

"We must not be a hot weather team." That was Coach Nick Thiel's verbal comment after the Lion lacrosse men had dropped their 1956 home opener Saturday afternoon to Colgate, 6-5, in overtime.

It was the third loss in eight games for the stickmen and the first time since the early 1950's that a Thiel-coached team has been involved in an overtime victory.

Despite the sluggish play of the Nittanians in the 80 degree heat, there was one bright

spot in the lineup. Sophomore scoring leader Bill Hess tied the season scoring record of 24 goals set in 1954 by Al Fulton when he whipped the ball past goalie Elliot Case at 10:37 of the third period. The goal came on Hess' seventh attempt and gave the Lions a 4-3 lead at the time.

### Lydecker, Case Pace Win

Junior attackman Doane Lydecker and goalie Elliott Case were the heroes in the Red Raider win. Lydecker tallied the game winning sixth point in the first five minute overtime period while the 300-pound Case stopped many would-be Lion shots from reaching the goal.

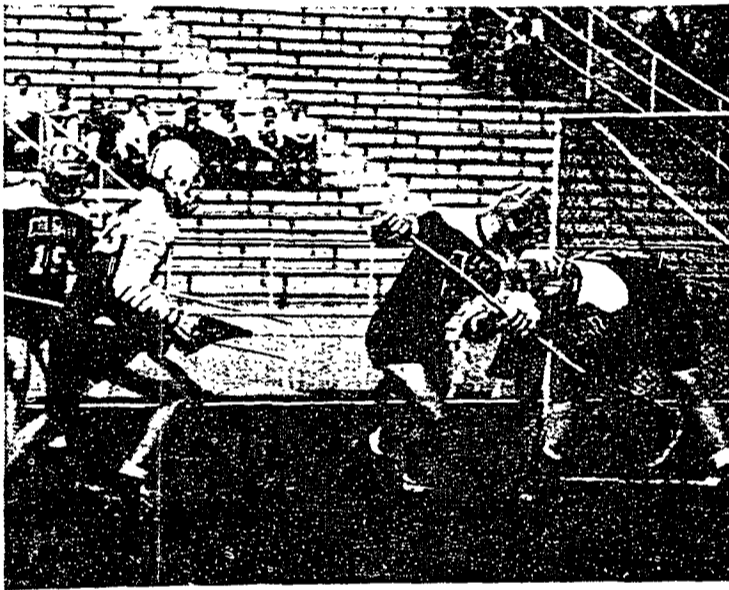
Lydecker's score was more of a feat than most of the 200 spectators realized, for it came with less than a second remaining in the first overtime period.

Case's physical makeup played a major part in his defensive play. Many of the shots attempted by the Nittanians might have pierced the defensive maneuvers of a small goal tender, but not the monstrous Case. He was credited with nine saves, four of them coming in the final period and two in the overtime fiasco.

### Score Deadlocked, 5-5

The score was tied at the end of the regulation time, 5-5. Under national lacrosse rules two extra five minute periods might be played to determine a winner.

Neither team could find the range of their opponents goal until Lydecker reached the mark in the waning moments of the period. The goal was even more heartbreaking to Coach Thiel for



—Dave Bayer Photo

ELLIOT CASE, COLGATE'S 300-pound goalie, scoops up the ball after blocking a shot by Penn State's Tom Seeman, second from left, in the fourth period of the Lion lacrosse game Saturday afternoon. Colgate won, 6-5, in overtime.

it came when the Lions defensive alignment was missing a man because of a 30-second penalty.

The Lions could not penetrate the Colgate goal in the second extra frame and the Red Raiders claimed their third straight victory of the campaign.

Bill Dimas opened the Colgate

scoring with only 40 seconds gone in the game but the Lions came right back 11 seconds later with Tom Seeman chipping in a shot to deadlock the score.

### Girard, Hamel Tally

Ron Pauls catapulted the Raiders into the lead at 4:30 of the second stanza, but Lou Girard and Bob Hamel followed that up with goals to give the Lions a 3-2 halftime margin.

Lydecker bounced one past Lion goalie Jim Houck at 5:36 of the third frame but Hess came through with his record-tying point to push the Nittanians back into the lead. Dimas tallied his second of the game at 14:28 of the same period.

Girard bounced the Lions back into the lead with his second goal of the contest before John Hilkert deadlocked the score with eight minutes left.

Neither team could score in the time remaining, paving the way for the Lydecker's winning goal in the overtime session.

# Frosh Lacrosse Team Loses 2d Straight, 6-1

Colgate's freshman lacrosse men handed the Lions their second loss of the season Saturday morning in the home opener, 6-1.

Colgate slipped the first shot past goalie Jim Mullen at 1:10 of the first period, and although the Red Raiders were continually in control of the ball, Mullen stopped the visitors from scoring for the next 20 minutes by making 21 straight saves.

While Mullen was warding off the Colgate attack, Al Markus tied the score at 7:30 with the first goal of his career.

But Mullen could not withstand the Colgate attack alone and his inexperienced defensemen were no help.

In the second period at 21:40, Colgate started on a scoring spree that netted three scores in the space of two and a half minutes, and 43 seconds before the half ended, added another for a 5-1 lead.

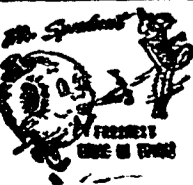
Mullen, assisted by Mike Beaty, blanked the Colgate stickmen in the third frame but allowed the 6th goal in the final quarter. Markus was the first frosh

stickman to score this year as the Lions were shutout by Lower Merion High School last week in the only other game.

### IM Horseshoe Entries Due Tomorrow

Entries for the Intramural Horseshoes Doubles Tournament must be turned in by 4:30 p.m. tomorrow at the IM office in Rec Hall.

The matches will consist of a best-of-three 21 point games on a single elimination basis. Competition begins Wednesday, May 9, on the courts at the North side of Rec Hall.



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# Bison Visitors Face Lion Netmen Today

The Lion tennis team will face the Bucknell netmen at 3 p.m. today on the Beaver Field courts.

This time last year the Nittanians were in the same position that they occupy now. Winless in three games, the netmen were looking for a predicted win over the Bisons when the rains came and washed out the match.

This year the Lions have dropped four straight and are predicting an initial win over tomorrow's Bucknell opponents.

The Nittany netmen did face the Bisons later in the '55 season and picked up a 6-3 win, capturing four of six singles contests and two of the three doubles matches.

### Pulizzi Is Bison Ace

The Bucknell squad will be headed by John Pulizzi. The number-one man, Pulizzi has compiled a 14-1 record over the past two years. Last year Pulizzi swamped Lion Ed Seiling 6-2, 6-3, and will be facing him again today.

Coach Sherm Fogg expressed disappointment at the team's showing against Colgate on Friday. Excepting Dean Mullen's return to form with a winning match over his Red Raider foe, Fogg stated that the team played below their form in what should have been a much closer, if not a winning, match.

### Fogg Juggles Line-up

After juggling the line-up for three of the last four contests, Fogg will once more go with a veteran squad against the Bisons this afternoon.

Except for sophomore Fred Trust who will play in the number two spot, the Lion team will be made up of last season's veteran lettermen.

Ed Seiling, Fred Trust, Captain Chuck Christiansen, Dean Mullen, Doug Zuker, and Larry Adler will comprise the singles list.

In the doubles line-up Coach Fogg said that he believed he had hit on the combinations that will prove victorious for a majority of the remaining matches, despite the poor losing performance at Hamilton, N.Y., Friday.

### Veterans Dominate

Trust and Seiling, Christiansen and Joe Eberly, and Joe Williams and Mullen will be the Lions duo teams today.

Beside the prolific Pulizzi the Bison will advance junior John Fincke, who also downed his Lion foe last year.

The Nittanians will play their next match against Georgetown Saturday at the Hoyas' home courts.

Penn State, Florida State and Illinois are the only college teams ever to win National AAU gymnastics honors.

# Russell, Heinsohn Picked by Celtics In NBA 'Robbery'

NEW YORK, April 30 (AP)—The Boston Celtics hit an All-America jackpot; Bill Russell, the all-everything boy of the 1955-56 college season, was made third choice and the Philadelphia Warriors pulled out the name of Bevo Francis as the National Basketball Association staged its annual draft of college talent today.

The Celtics, who traded away one of their top performers and gate attractions, Easy Ed Macauley, yesterday, wound up with two 1956 All-America players and one member of the second All-America team.

It worked this way. The Celtics yielded their regular first-round choice in order to make a "territorial" selection of Tom Heinsohn, 6-foot-7 Holy Cross captain.

The Rochester Royals had first pick in the regular rounds of drafting and chose Duquesne's spring-legged Sihugo Green instead of Russell. St. Louis picked Russell next and handed him over to the Celtics as a part of the Macauley deal. Boston's third choice was Casey Jones of San Francisco.

Completing the first round picks, the Minneapolis Lakers settled for 6-6 Jim Paxson of Dayton; the New York Knicks selected tall Ron Shavlik of North Carolina State and picked DePaul's back court star, Ron Sobieszcyk; Syracuse chose Joe Holup of George Washington and Philadelphia picked Hal Lear of Temple.

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