

Nittanies Lose To Wolfpack; W. Va. Next

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Despite a 66-60 loss at the hands of North Carolina State Saturday night at Raleigh, N.C., the Nittany basketball team gave a fair indication of the potential it has and, with a bit of luck, of things to come in the future.

Considering the facts that the cagers were playing their first away game, and against the number eight team in the nation to boot, their performance could be classified as their best of the youthful season.

After the game, however, Coach John Egli warned his players of becoming self-satisfied with themselves because of their play. The Lions meet West Virginia tomorrow night at Morgantown and Egli realizes they have another tough competition to cope with. "We're going to have to work hard to get up our potential," he said.

The strong Lion defense was the most notable feature in the team's creditable performance. Using the traditional 3-2 sliding zone, the Nittanies held the Wolfpack to only 62 shots—something which could be considered somewhat of an accomplishment since the Wolfpack has a reputation for being one of the highest-scoring contingents in the collegiate game.

The Lions were so tough on defense that Jim Maglio, NC State co-captain, was held scoreless for the first time in his career. He could only get one field goal attempt in 38 minutes of playing time.

North Carolina State's coach, Everett Case, said after the game that the Lions' defense was the best he saw in years.

Junior Forward Ron Rainey led the Lions in scoring, hitting for 23 points—the first time this year that any Lion has scored 20 or more points.

Rainey hit on 10 of 25 field goal attempts, good for a 40 per cent average. The Lions' total average was only 31.2.

Hugh Bill Seitz, 6-11, 263-pound senior center, and John Richter, 6-8 sophomore, led the winning attack with 25 and 15 points. Alternating in the center post at the foul line, Seitz and Richter were constant threats with either a one-handed jump shot or a hook.

Both were also the Wolfpack's top rebounders, Seitz grabbing eight, Richter 14. Cliff Hafer, 6-4 senior, also picked off eight rebounds, besides scoring 15 points.

The Lions were off in their shooting in the first half, but their tough defense kept the halftime score at 25-21, NC State.

Egli felt as though his team could have won the game if its shooting were more accurate, especially in the first half. "If we were just a little sharper, we might have won it," he said. The Lions hit on only 25 of 80 attempts from the field.

Captain Bob Leisher and center Bob Ramsay were named, along with Rainey, as the team's top performers against the Wolfpack. Ramsay, playing what was prob-

Ralph Brower Elected 1957 Soccer Captain

Ralph Brower, junior fullback from Kennett Square, was elected captain of the 1957 soccer team Sunday night replacing veteran halfback Steve Flamporis.

Jack Halpern, junior in business administration from Altoona, was chosen head manager for the coming campaign. He succeeds Dick Dollinger.

Brower has been a regular at left fullback on Coach Ken Hosterman's eleven for two years.

This year, Brower helped lead the Lion booters to a 8-2-1 season. Their only losses came in 1-point defeats to Navy and Penn, while the tie was a 0-0 contest with Eastern champion West Chester.

Because of his fullback position, which is solely a defensive post, he was overshadowed this year by his high scoring teammates Tom Nute, Per Torgeson, and Mike Stollmeyer. However, along with Flamporis and senior goalie John Lawrence, Brower was instrumental in helping the Lions' limit opponents scoring while registering six shutouts.

Next year he will take charge of a team that will have five

starters and a host of second stringers among its returnees. And with a good crop of freshmen coming up from the unbeaten frosh team, another good season may be in the offing.



Ron Rainey Scores 23 Points



Engle to Go West

For the second year in a row, Penn State's Rip Engle again will be a member of the East-West coaching staff at San Francisco.

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ably his best game of the year, grabbed 12 rebounds and scored 11 points. Leisher, who drew praise from Case for his all-round play, also hit double figures with 11 points.

Last night, Egli drilled his team chiefly on its offensive mistakes to prepare for the Mountaineers. Rod Hundley and Co. figure to be tough, especially on their home floor.

	PENN STATE			N.C. STATE		
	FG	F	TP	FG	F	TP
Rainey	10	23	23	Hafer	6	13
Baidy	1	2	4	Hopper	0	0
Palmer	3	6	6	Pond	0	0
Hanscock	0	2	0	Richter	7	15
Edwards	2	4	4	Seitz	9	25
Ramsay	4	7	10	Pacilio	0	2
Leisher	4	4	11	Marlio	0	0
Schwand	1	6	2	Bell	4	9
Totals	25	18-10	69	Totals	26	23-14

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