

Unbeaten Ohio State Blasts Baseball Team, 9-0

The honeymoon is over for Penn State's baseball team. Coach Joe Bedenk's 1958 diamond edition found out yesterday afternoon that they couldn't survive on last year's reputation when undefeated Ohio State handed them a 9-0 thumping at Columbus.

It was Penn State's first regular season loss in two years. Last year the Lions won 17 straight during the regular campaign and finished the year with a 22-2 record.

Two more tilts with Coach Marty Karow's Buckeyes are on tap this afternoon. Lefty Cal Emery, the Lions' number one hurler, is slated to open the first game with junior Dave Summers going in the night-cap.

It was the excellent mound-work of the veteran Ron Nischwitz and Ohio State clutch hitting which brought the Lion crew down from 'Cloud Nine.'

Nischwitz, a portsider with a 2.82 earned run average last spring, allowed only one Lion past second base as he posted his third straight victory of the year. He was reached for seven hits by the Penn State nine but all of them were singles. In the meantime, he fanned six and issued nary a free pass.

"His control was great," Penn State's baseball manager Bill Wallace commented in a telephone relay to the Daily Collegian last night. "He kept those pitches right in there and didn't give our players anything they wanted."

Gary Miller, one of the Lions' many two-year veterans, and sophomore rookie Larry Fegley led Penn State's punchless

inning. Fegley led off with a hitting attack. Miller, who had three hits in the Lions' first two scraps, raised his average to .600 with three singles in three at bats. Fegley was two-for-four.

Larry Bayer started on the hill for the Lions and gave up all nine runs. He left in the middle of an Ohio State uprising in the fifth in favor of Ron Riese. There was one out and two men on at the time.

Riese was clobbered for a three bagger by the first man he pitched to, but from then on, he was as tight as a miser. He retired the next two men in the fifth and then proceeded to send the Buckeyes down in order for the rest of the game, including the last three men on strikes.

The Lions' only serious offensive drive came in the sixth

single but failed to move on Ron Hoover's fly to left. Ron Rainey, the leading stickman before the game, forced Fegley, but captain Don Stickler kept the rally alive with a single and advancing Rainey to third. However, Joe Moore's infield tap forced Stickler at second to end the outburst.

Rookie catcher Johnny Edwards, a sophomore who bats in the clean-up slot, paced the Buckeye's with three hits including a triple in the first.

Bayer started the game as if he was going to tear the home club apart, whiffing the first two men. However, he walked the next man, Bill Ramseyer, and then dolled out two back-to-back triples before getting the third out.

Another run crossed in the second on two singles and an error by Dave Watkins, and

two more tallies were plated in the third on a walk, single, sacrifice and another error.

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	AB	R	H	AB	R	H	
Fegley, 2b	4	0	2	Davis, ss	4	0	0
Hoover, ss	4	0	0	Okulovich, 2b	4	1	1
Rainey, lf	3	0	0	Ramseyer, rf	2	2	1
Michel	1	0	0	Barkstall, cf	2	2	1
Stickler, c	4	0	1	Edwards, c	4	2	3
Moore, cf	4	0	0	Woehler, 3b	3	0	0
Watkins, rf	4	0	1	Youngpeter, lf	3	1	1
Bayer, 3b	4	0	0	Haverkamp, p	4	1	2
Miller, 1b	3	0	3	Nischwitz, p	3	0	1
Bayer, p	2	0	0	Holland, ss	1	0	0
Riese, p	1	0	0	Weizelski, 2b	0	0	0
				Hampshire, rf	0	0	0
				Booth, c	0	0	0
				Leppert, lf	1	0	0
Totals	34	0	7	Totals	31	9	10
Penn State	000	000	000	0-0	7-2		
Ohio State	212	130	000	x-9	10		

RBI—Ramseyer, Barkstall, Edwards 2, Youngpeter 2, Haverkamp 2, Nischwitz, E-Watkins 2, 3B—Barkstall, Edwards, Haverkamp. SB—Okulovich, Ramseyer. Sac—Barkstall, Woehler. LOB—Penn State 6; Ohio State 4. BB—Bayer 3; Nischwitz 0. SO—Bayer 3; Riese 4; Nischwitz 6. HO—Bayer 0 for 0 in 5 1/3; Nischwitz 7 for 0 in 0; Riese 1 for 0 in 2 2/3. Balk—Riese. W—Nischwitz. L—Bayer.

Thinclads, Netters Home Today

By MACK MCGAUGHAN

Penn State track fans will get their first opportunity to view the Nittany Lions on their home cinders during their dual meet with the Naval Academy this afternoon.

The Middies sunk the Lions during the indoor season and the Lions will be seeking revenge.

There is a good possibility that the Penn State records in the pole vault, 440-yard run and the half-mile will be broken.

Ogie Norris, the Nittanies' number one pole vaulter, will be out to break the 13-5/8 mark set by Dan Lorch during the 1954 season. Norris set the indoor record—13-6—at the Philadelphia Inquirer Games earlier this year. He finished in a six-way tie for first place—also at the 13-6 mark—in the collegiate competition at the Quantico Relays last weekend.

The Lion contingent in the 440-yard run will be made up of co-captain Jim Norton, Dick Hambricht and the versatile Ed Moran. All three men are capable of record breaking performances and they may very well slam the event today.

Bill Schwab, George Jones and Moran are the Nittany entries in the 880-yard run. Both Moran and Schwab have been looking strong in practice and turn in record breaking performances. The record is 1:53.2—set by Schuyler Enck in 1924.

Moran and Schwab will join Norton and Hambricht in the mile relay. Norton will lead off, Moran will run the second leg, Schwab the third and Hambricht will anchor.

The Lions may be strong in this event but the Middies are too. Jim Dunn, John Dettbarn, Bill Garrett and Navy team captain Fred March will run the distance for the Academy.

Dunn nipped both Norton and Hambricht during the indoor season and he will be out to turn in a repeat performance this afternoon. Dettbarn and Garrett are equally fine quarter-milers.

March is the Naval Academy's Ed Moran. Not only is he a top quarter-miler but he is also a



UP AND OVER goes Lion pole vaulter Ogie Norris. Norris will be looking for a record breaking performance as the Nittanies meet the Middies at Beaver field this afternoon. It will be the Lions first home meet of the season.

deadly half-miler.

The Middies' strongest asset is their depth in the field events. Top name on the field roster is Wayne Morris. Morris is a double threat—deadly in the shot put and javelin. He won top javelin honors in the Middies' dual meet with Pitt with a throw of 217-8. If he duplicates this effort tomorrow he will break the meet record set at 215-2 by Bill Allison of Navy.

Paul Mankowitz and Larry Kaufman team up with Morris to complete the Navy shotput contingent. John Williams will join Mankowitz and Kaufman in the discus and Al Swanson and Bill Schroeder join Morris

in the javelin.

The Midshipmen are favored in the sprints with strong squads in the 100 and 200-yard dashes. Bill Smoot, Randy Teague and George Van Houten are Navy's entries in the 100-yard dash. Teague, Van Houten and Dettbarn will run in the 220-yard dash.

Penn State's hopes in the meeting hinge on the results of the middle distance and distance events. Assistant track coach Norm Gordon has decided to meet the Middies head-on in three of their best events—the 440- and 880-yard runs and the mile relay. He has loaded these events in an effort to hit Navy where it will do the most damage.

Lions Meet Terrapins In Second Net Contest

By BEN BRONSTEIN

"We'll be lucky to win," Lion net coach Sherm Fogg said on the eve of the Nittanies' big match with the Terrapins of Maryland.

A bit o' luck is always needed against a perennial winner like the Terps, defending Middle Atlantic Conference champs.

Besides having their usual fine players, the Terrapins have the advantage of much "actual combat experience."

The Terps are 4-2 for the season, having lost their last two matches to Virginia and George Washington. The Washington score was 7-2. They own two wins over MIT, and one each over South Carolina and Clemson.

Yang was undefeated until the GW affair where he lost his first singles competition. Yang will meet Fred Trust today.

Although Trust and Yang never played each other before, they have seen each other play in past Lion-Terps matches. Yang said last night of Trust, "He is a fine player; he really gave Dave (Freishtat, former Maryland junior Davis Cupper) a tough fight last year." Trust remembers his Maryland counterpart as a "small, but tough competitor with a lot of heart."

State's number two man, Charlie Bibleheimer, will oppose Carl Bucks, who also held that ranking on last year's club. Bucks after a slow start has regained his winning form of last year. Bibleheimer won his only match, 9-7, 7-5, in a thrilling battle last week.

The Lions best performer last week, Chuck Questa, will meet Don Schweitzer in the number three match while the number four Lion, Gene Flick will take the court against Tom Beall.

Beall, a junior, is undefeated in six singles matches this year. Flick, in his varsity debut against Western Maryland, won his match over the team captain.

On the fifth court today will be Lion Dick Jacobs and Terrapin Humberto Domenech of Puerto Rico.

The sixth court is the scene of the Lion's only lineup change. Mel Royer, who Fogg said gave the most satisfying performance last week, reaps his reward by replacing Don Harnett as sixth man.

Royer experienced his varsity baptism against Western Maryland, teaming with John Krall to



Mel Royer ... reaps his reward

win the third doubles match. Today at 1:30 Lady Luck and Gentleman Skill will determine the victor at Beaver Field courts.

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Norris Quits as IBC Prexy

NEW YORK (AP) — James D. Norris, multi-millionaire boxing promoter, Friday resigned as president of the twin New York and Illinois International Boxing Clubs in a move that surprised boxing circles. He was succeeded as head of both companies by Truman K. Gibson, Jr., of Chicago, a long-time assistant.

Norris, 52, said he was yielding both posts because of health reasons and on the advice of his physicians. He was stricken with a severe heart attack last fall during re-negotiations with Sugar Ray Robinson for his first middleweight title fight with Carmen Basilio.

The tall, husky Norris, continues, however as president of the Madison Square Garden Corp. Gibson, a 46-year-old Negro, has had increasing duties in the handling of IBC affairs both here and in Chicago.

IBC promotes the Wednesday night network television fights. The New York company handles the weekly Friday night fights on radio and television.

Norris' resignation and the elections of Gibson to the two top posts took place here and

in Chicago.

Norris was not present at the meetings where his resignations were tendered and where Gibson was named successor. He was believed on a cruise somewhere off Florida. He has a home in Coral Gables.

Sports Dope . . .

Football Managers

Edward Hintz, junior in business administration from Wyoming, has been named student manager of the 1958 Penn State football team, succeeding Paul Schonbacher, senior in science from Wilkesburg. Elected to assist Hintz were David Williams, sophomore in business administration from Bradford; Galen Myers, Newburg; and Lawrence Wolf, sophomore in business administration from Pittsburgh.

Czekaj in New Post

Newly-appointed business manager of Penn State athletics is Edward M. Czekaj, who played on the unbeaten Cotton Bowl football team ten years ago. His predecessor, H. R. Gilbert, now is concerned with the financial aspects of the University's rapidly-expanding program of student loans and scholarships.

Penn State established an athletic honor roll three years ago to encourage classroom competition among athletes.

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