

Lions Defeat Orange Twice

Ron Riese Wins First On 2-Hitter

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Robert Louis Stevenson never had Penn State's baseball team in mind when he wrote his famed "Dr. Jekle and Mr. Hyde" a couple of hundred years ago. But it would seem that way after the performance the Lion nine gave in its twin-bill against Syracuse Saturday afternoon on Beaver Field.

Coach Joe Bedenk's crew won both games (to up their season record to 6-2), but it was in the way that they won that brought out the split personality.

The Nittanies looked like world beaters in the first tilt, romping to an easy 11-0 decision behind the two-hit twirling of Ron Riese and an all-out nine hit offensive. But in that second test, they looked like a Little League team playing its first game.

The final score was 8-5 but all of Syracuse's runs were unearned.



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SYRACUSE second baseman Mannara cocks his arm for a throw to first after forcing Jack McMullen on second in an attempted double play in the first game of Saturday's double header. His throw was too late to get the Lions' Gary Miller.

until the sixth when with one down, Mike Beauvais belted a 2-2 pitch thru the box for a single. However, he was later rubbed out on a force play at second. Syracuse's other hit came an inning later when Bill Vrooman ripped a line shot to right center for a two-bagger. Vrooman didn't get any further, either, as Riese sent the next two batters down on strikes.

Riese's control was excellent and only once did he have to carry a man to the full 3 and 2 count—and he fanned that man. He used only 94 pitches and 51 of those were recorded as strikes, including five foul tips.

The win was not only Riese's first of the year but it was also the first for any other Lion hurler outside of Emery.

Jack McMullen, Gary Miller and Ron Rainey led the Lion clubwork in the first tilt with two hits apiece. One of McMullen's blows was a three-run round-tripper to deep center in the first frame. Miller, who had his seven-game hitting streak stopped in the nightcap, included a double on his credit card.

Rookie second sacker Larry Fegley was the batting hero in the second tilt, rapping out three singles, including a run-scoring job in the third.

But it was center fielder Chuck Caldwell's sharp single over first base in the sixth inning which actually gave the Lions the second game victory. His shot sent Rainey, who had reached base via an error, home from third with the winning run.

The Nittanies had two big innings in which five men crossed the plate—once in each game. In the lidlifter, the five tallies were plated in the opening frame when nine men came to bat. A walk, hit batsman, singles by Rainey and Caldwell, Miller's double and McMullen's homer accounted for the runs.

Nine men also batted in the second frame of the second game when two walks, a hit batsman, two errors and singles by Steve

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Fegley, 2b	6	3	1
Hoover, ss	4	1	1
Rainey, lf	2	1	0
Stickler, c	3	1	0
Moore, cf	1	0	0
Caldwell, cf	2	1	1
McMullen, rf	0	1	0
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Baldy, Simmers and Fegley scored five men.

Norris Vaults 13'11 3/4" In Penn Relays Carnival

Track co-captain Ogie Norris missed by one quarter of an inch of becoming the first Penn Stater to clear 14' in the polevault in Saturday's Penn Relays at Franklin Field in Philadelphia.

The slender senior officially cleared 13' 11 3/4" to break the Nittany record for the second time in as many weeks. At the relay carnival Norris tied for fourth, but barely brushed the bar off the standards at 14' 4"—the winning height.

The Lion two-mile and four-mile relays also placed well in the 64th annual track extravaganza. The four-mile relay, anchored by junior Ed Moran, took second—15 yards behind a strong St. John's contingent.

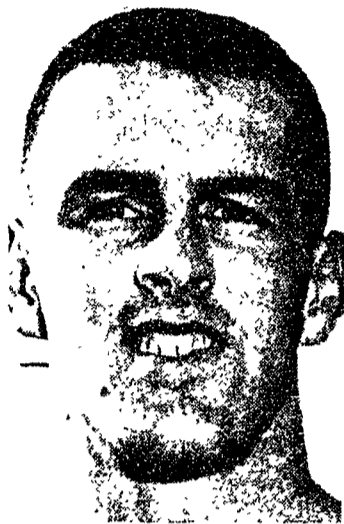
The first three runners for the Nittany quartet—Chick King, Dick Engelbrink and Fred Kerr—left the Lions in fourth place when Moran took the baton. Moran passed the Georgetown and Indiana runners early in the race and pulled within a few yards of the pace setter Peter Close—St. John's IC4-A indoor mile champion. In the indoor mile, Close defeated Moran in the mile distance by .5 of a second in 4:10.3.

When the two hit the backstretch Close stepped away to win by 15 yards in 4:13.4 to give the Redmen the title and a new record in 17:15.2.

The Nittany two-mile relay was never in real contention for the title as Michigan State won the coveted title on a last-minute lunge by the Spartan's sensational half-miler Willie Atterbury. Manhattan—anchored by the Jaspers' 6 foot 4 inch IC4-A 600-yard champion Tom Murphy—was only one tenth of a second behind the Spartan foursome. In annexing the title, Michigan State set a new relays' record of 7:30.1, breaking the four-year-old mark by 7.9 seconds.

The fourth-place Penn State team was made up of King, Kerr, Bill Schwab and Moran.

The Lion sprint medley team placed fifth after lead-off man



Ed Moran
... second in mile

Dick Hambricht was brushed and fell as he was coming out of the starting blocks on the 440 leg. This vital loss of yardage was a factor in the Lion's fifth-place position. Jim Norton and Blaine O'Conner ran the 220 legs, while Engelbrink ran the anchor half-mile.

Freshman sprint star Bob Brown finished third in the invitational 100-yard dash behind Duke's Dave Sime and Abilene Christian's Bill Woodhouse. Brown was clocked in 9.9 with Sime winning in 9.7.

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Baldy, 3b	3	0	0
Miller, 1b	4	0	2
Riese, p	4	1	1

Totals 33 11 9
RBI—Rainey 2, Caldwell, McMullen 6
E—Machachan, Swanson, Mannara, Vancaum 2, Miller, Riese HR—McMullen
LOB—Penn State 8, Syracuse 2, BB—off Riese 0; off Machachan 1; off Hallett 2; off Vancaum 3, LOR—Riese 8; Hallett 1; Vancaum 3, HO—Riese 2 for 0 in 4; Machachan 3 for 5 in 1 1/2; Hallett 2 for 3 in 1 1/2; Vancaum 2 for 3 in 5 1/2, HRP—Baldy, WP—Machachan 2, Vancaum, W—Riese, L—Machachan.

cluding several by veteran per as the Lions made six errors, informers. However, the Orange were just as generous, recording five errors and giving the Lions six unearned tallies.

And it was because of this extreme generosity on Syracuse's part that the Lions won. For three of those miscues were chalked up in the last of the sixth inning when the Lions broke a 5-5 tie to push three runs across with the benefit of only one hit—a single.

Of course the relief hurling of Lion ace Cal Emery was also instrumental in the second win. Emery came on in place of starter Dave Simmers in the sixth with two men on and no outs and Penn State leading, 5-2. Sloppy fielding and a couple of bonehead plays prevented Emery from doing a perfect relief job as Syracuse tied up the score without hitting the ball out of the infield.

However, Emery retired the last six men he faced, five on strikeouts, as he stretched his unbeaten streak to 5-0.

But it was the hurling performance of Ron Riese which drew the most raves of the afternoon. The pint-sized righthander hurled a near-perfect game, facing only 29 men, giving up only two hits, and passing none.

Riese had a no-hitter going

Baer Learned Hard Way

Penn State's lacrosse coach, Ernie Baer—like most of his players—never played the sport until he entered college.

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