

Varsity Tracksters Field Seasoned Outdoor Squad

Two current Penn State record holders and 16 returning lettermen give promise of bright prospects for the Nittany Lion outdoor track season, which opens this weekend with the Quantico Relays in Quantico, Virginia.

Captain and double record holder Ed Moran heads a solid array of veterans that forms the nucleus of a squad that is also studded by promising sophomore talent.

Moran, who last year set the Lion records in the 880-yard and mile runs, is joined by top distance runners, Dick Engelbrink, Freddie Kerr and Charlie King. All are seniors except Engelbrink who is a junior.

Quarter-mile record holder Dick Hambright paces a middle distance crew that includes previous letter winners Bill Schwab and George Jones.

Hambright, a junior, made an entry in the Penn State record books with a 47.6 clocking in the 440 during a sparkling rookie season with the Lion varsity last year. Schwab and Jones are both seasoned juniors.

Three sophomores have stood out among the newcomers to the varsity lineup in early practices. Footballers Dave Truitt and Jim Schwab and cager Jon Musser have showed that they also possess skills on the track and field.

Musser and the younger of the Schwab brothers are javelin throwers. Each won the PIAA championship in his class as a schoolboy. Truitt is a promising young hurdler and sprinter.

Coach Chick Werner, starting his 26th year as Penn State spike mentor, has been drilling his runners and field men since the close of the indoor season and had 30 of his top men sacrifice their spring vacation to work out for the pending schedule.

Five dual meets and two relay carnivals plus the IC4-A



Dick Hambright ... 440 record holder

and NCAA championships comprise the Nittany outdoor spike activity this spring.

Navy, Ohio State, Michigan State, Pitt, and Manhattan furnish the dual meet competition for the Wernermen who will also participate in the Quantico and Penn Relays

Tennis Managers Called

Second, third and fourth semester students interested in assistant managers in tennis should apply at the Athletic Association office in Rec Hall.

Royer, Lacky, Anderson Post Wins in Intramural Badminton

Mel Royer of Alpha Tau Omega paced Intramural Badminton competition last night as he scored a double shutout victory over Dick America of Omega Psi Phi, 15-0 and 15-0.

In a contest that went to three games, Bob Lackey of Pi Lambda Phi defeated Bob Thompson of Pi Kappa Alpha, 11-15, 15-7, and 15-5.

In other games, George Goldstein of Sigma Alpha Mu defeated Bob Mills of Delta Tau Delta, 15-8, 15-2. Ted Lopushinsky of Beaver House beat Gabriel DePietro of Tau Phi Delta, 15-13, 15-7; Lou Benzak of Sigma Pi took Dave Reeder of Acacia, 15-1, 15-12; Lou Papp of Chi Phi

beat Larry Shearer of Delta Upsilon, 15-5, 15-13; and Al Horne of Alpha Zeta beat Joe Boston of Sigma Phi Epsilon, 15-2, 15-6.

Ron Dietz of Alpha Gamma Rho swept Dave Martinez of Phi Kappa Psi, 15-4, 15-5; John Sawhill of Pi Kappa Alpha took Carl Overdorf of Delta Theta Sigma, 15-12, 15-7; Ron Novak of Theta Xi won over Steve Miller of Phi Epsilon Pi, 15-10, 15-2; and Dave Anderson of Delta Chi beat Fred Kochev of Beta Theta Pi, 15-2, 15-1.

Forfeit wins went to Tim Eisenman of Alpha Chi Sigma, Paul Richardson of Phi Delta Theta, and Art Nagle of Alpha Sigma Phi.

Bucs, Reds Will Open Tomorrow

NEW YORK (AP)—The big leagues are switching the script for this year's openers. The clubs will be in the same cities but the players will be in new towns.

Only about 50 per cent of last year's starters will be manning the same battle stations when the baseball season gets under way with two special openers Thursday and a seven-game schedule on Friday.

Here is the two-day opening schedule that is expected to attract about 267,000 fans, par for the course.

Thursday—American League: Baltimore at Washington. National League: Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.

Friday—American League: Boston at New York, Chicago at Detroit, Cleveland at Kansas City. National League: Cincinnati at Philadelphia (night), San Francisco at St. Louis (night), Los Angeles at Chicago, Milwaukee at Pittsburgh.

And the weatherman said, "It should be sunny and mild Friday in Pittsburgh with the temperature in the 60's."

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Southpaw Curt Simmons of the Philadelphia Phillies will be operated on Friday for the removal of a bone chip from the elbow of his pitching arm, the club said Tuesday.

Baer Credits Win To All-Around Play

If a prediction can be made from the way a team performs in its opening game it looks like the Lion lacrosse team is in for one of its best seasons. The Baermen pounded Loyola, 14-3, in their opener Saturday.

"It was the consistent team play in all sections that made the outcome of the game so decisive in our favor," said Coach Earnie Baer as he talked of the Lions' victory.

"Consistency such as this is what wins games and teamwork is another factor that rates high in whether a club is going to win or lose," he said.

"The defense did a spectacular job of clearing the ball out to the midfield." "Dick Dill and Mike Beattie did an excellent job in this respect along with Dave Erwin and Andy Moconyi," Baer said.

"Their aggressive play and hustling all over the field helped contain the Loyola offense almost completely and gave our offense more opportunity to score," Coach Baer said.

"The midfield also did an outstanding job in getting the ball up to the attack and checking back on defense," he commented.

Baer also said that Bob Swanson was especially effective in his midfield position as he scored three and assisted on three. "He ran the plays as planned and helped to set up the attack for a scoring position," Baer praised the junior playmaker.

"Ray Tuleya and Dick Bullock should also receive merit for their defensive play on midfield," Baer continued.

"John Behne, of course, deserves much praise for his eight



Dick Dill ... hustling defenseman

goal scoring effort. If he continues in this fashion he could top Bill Hess for all-time honors," Baer said.

Baer said that Jim Winpenny, Bill McDonough, and Jim Kane also did an excellent job on the attack as Winpenny scored a goal while McDonough and Kane picked up an assist apiece.

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