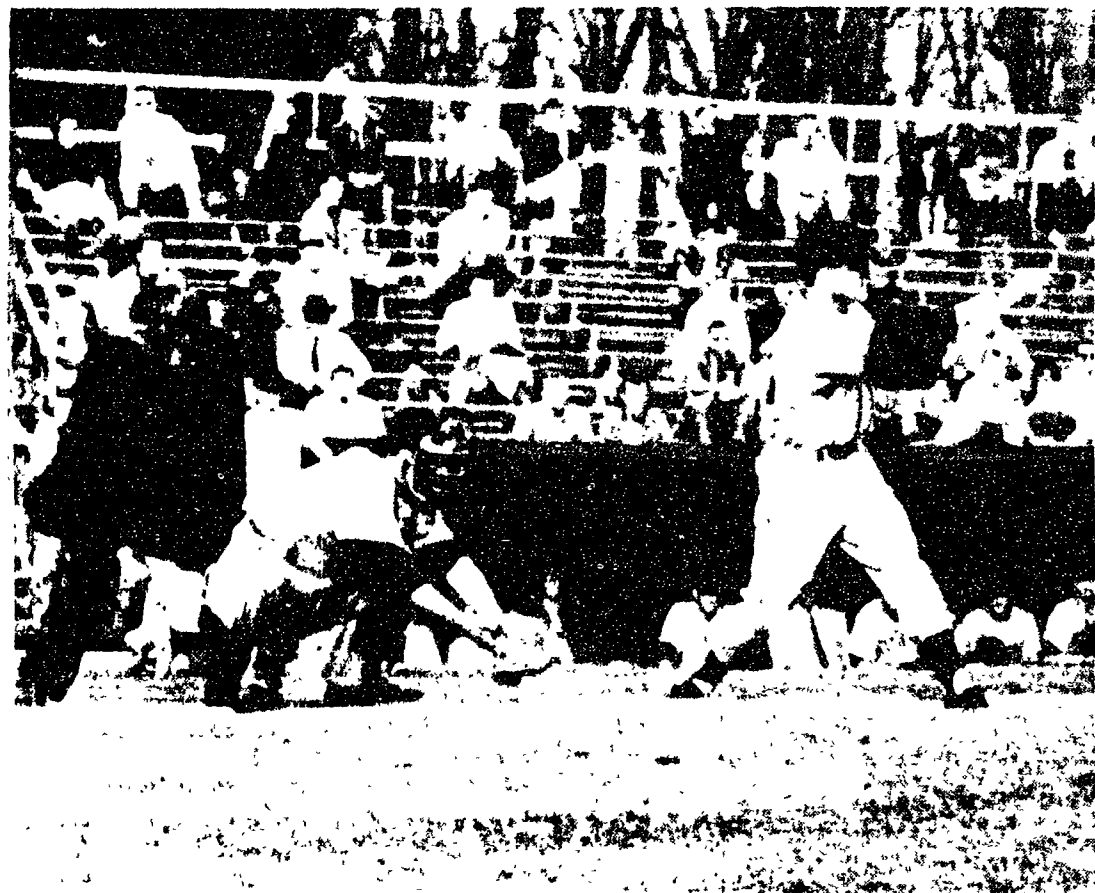


Lions Beat Bullets in Opener

Fegley, Hoover Star at Bat In 10-6 Win Over Gettysburg



HOME RUN SWING—Gettysburg shortstop Jerry Long blasted this pitch deep into leftcenter field yesterday for an inside the park home run, but the Lions topped the Bullets, 10-6 in the 1959 opener at Beaver Field.

By SANDY PADWE

Some timely hitting by Larry Fegley and Bob Hoover plus a strong relief job by Bob Arner gave Penn State a 10-6 win over Gettysburg yesterday in the 1959 baseball opener.

Both Fegley and Hoover had two hits and four RBI's apiece, including a tremendous homerun by Hoover which sailed out of Beaver Field. Hoover's home run went about 360 feet into right center field before disappearing into the football stadium.

"That was one of the longest drives that I've seen by a right-handed hitter since coming here," said baseball Coach Joe Bedenk.

It was Fegley, however, who kept the Lions in the game until Hoover hit his fifth inning blast that put the Nittanians in front for good.

After Gettysburg had jumped into a 3-0 lead by shelling starting pitcher Ron Riese, the Lions came back in their half of third to narrow the gap to 3-2.

Thirdbaseman Mike Hader started off the Lion third with a walk and then stole second. Bill Benton, who had come in to relieve Riese in the third, flied out to center and Dick Landis popped to short.

Centerfielder Ron Rinker drew a walk to put men on first and third and then Fegley stepped in. The Lion second sacker slashed a single to right center scoring Hader.

But the relay from Gettysburg rightfielder Fred Muller went through the legs of thirdbaseman

Jeff Kahler and Rinker scored too. The Bullets added a run in the fifth on an inside the park home run by shortstop Jerry Long.

Then with the Lions down, 4-2, Benton singled to open the Lion half of the fifth.

Dick Landis got a break on Long's error and Ron Rinker advanced the runners with a sacrifice. Fegley came up again and knocked the runners in with another single and the score was tied at 4-4.

Then Hoover blasted his home run with Fegley aboard and the Lions were out in front 6-4.

The Bullets made a strong effort to go ahead in the sixth, but Arner came in to put the fire out with a run already across.

Arner pitched good relief ball the rest of the way except for a little wildness in the ninth when Gettysburg scored their final run.

The Lions, however, had sewed things up in the bottom half of the eighth scoring four runs on three walks, a hitbatsman and a single by Hoover.

Dick Hawkins, the first of the three Gettysburg hurlers, took the loss and Benton was the winning pitcher for the Lions.

Assistant Coach Chuck Medlar

said that Benton pitched pretty good in his relief stint, but he was more impressed with Arner's four inning job.

The Lions next game will be Friday afternoon at Rutgers, and then they will play at Lafayette Saturday. They return home Tuesday to play Bucknell.

GETTYSBURG				PENN STATE			
	AB	R	H	AB	R	H	
Mueller,lf	4	3	2	Landis,lf	4	2	0
Long,ss	4	1	1	Rinker,cf	2	3	1
Fruchter,lb	5	1	4	Fegley,2b	2	2	2
Liedel,3b	6	0	1	Hoover,ss	4	1	2
Kahler,2b	5	1	3	DeLong,rf	5	0	2
Smith,lf	2	0	0	Beans,c	4	0	0
Frederick	0	0	0	Beighey,ib	3	1	2
Kissner,lf	1	0	1	Hader,3b	2	0	0
Binger,cf	4	0	1	Riese,p	0	0	0
Youse,c	4	0	0	Benton,p	2	1	1
Hawkins,p	2	0	0	Arner,p	2	0	0
Jacobs,p	0	0	0				
Davidcock	0	0	0				
Knox,p	0	0	0				
Walters,p	0	0	0				
Totals	36	6	13	Totals	30	10	10

—ran for Smith in 6th
—walked for Jacobs in 8th
Gettysburg 201 011 001—6 13 3
Penn State 002 040 04x—10 10 1
RBI—Fegley 4; Fruchter, Hoover 4.
Long, Kahler 2; Binger, E—Hoover, Liedel, Long, Youse. 2B—Beighey, Rinker.
HR—Hoover, Long. SB—Landis, Fegley.
DeLong, Hader, Sac—Rinker, Long, Hoover, Hader, DP—Penn State 2; Gettysburg 2.
LOB—Penn State 8; Gettysburg 10.
BR—Riese 0; Benton 2; Arner 3; Hawkins 3; Jacobs 1; Knox 3; Walters 0.
SO—Riese 2; Benton 3; Arner 4; Hawkins 2; Jacobs 0; Knox 0; Walters 0. HO—Riese 5 for 3 in 2¹/₂; Benton 4 for 2 in 2¹/₂; Arner 4 for 1 in 2¹/₂; Hawkins 7 for 6 in 4¹/₂; Jacobs 3 for 0 in 2¹/₂; Knox 1 for 4 in 2. HBP—Knox (Landis). WP—Knox, Benton. W—Benton, L—Hawkins.

3 Lettermen Return To Lion Net Team

By CARMELLA LASPADA

Lion tennis Coach Sherm Fogg faces another rebuilding program this year because of only three returning lettermen. However, even though the team is inexperienced, Fogg considers his netters "real scrappers."

Lost from graduation are last year's captain, Fred Trust, Chuck Questa and Dick Jacobs.

Captain Chuck Bibleheimer, one of the Lion's top players and number one man on the squad, heads the list of returning starters. Veterans John Krall and Don Harnett are the only other returning netters from the 1958 team.

Lettermen Gene Flick and Mel Royer will not be playing with the Lions this season. Flick has a knee injury that will require an operation and Royer has not practiced with the team due to competition in the ABC Bowling Championship.

Jerry Carp, a junior, will be Fogg's number three man against Cornell this Saturday. Carp was ineligible to play last season because of his transfer status and had to wait a year in order to be eligible.

Four sophomores up from last year's freshman team will be rounding out the squad. They are Dick Ludwig, Gary Moore, John Blanck and Don McCartney.

The singles line-up against Cornell will be: Bibleheimer, Ludwig, Carp, Moore, Krall and Blanck. In the doubles, it will be Bibleheimer and Carp, Moore and Ludwig and Blanck and McCartney.

The Lions have a 13-game schedule this year—seven at home and six away. All home games will be played on the new tennis court near the skating rink.

The Lions' home schedule is: April 11, Cornell; April 25, Georgetown; April 29, Bucknell; May 4, Navy; May 9, Svracuse; May 22, Colgate; and May 30, Pittsburgh.

All home matches will be played at two o'clock Saturdays and three o'clock weekdays.

Fogg expects Georgetown to be the toughest of the home foes with Cornell, Navy and Colgate also being tough contenders.

In last year's match against Cornell, the Lions were beaten 6-3 at Ithaca. This year, the Big Red has most of its lettermen back. The Raiders have already begun the 1959 campaign against a few Southern schools.



Jerry Carp ... tennis newcomer

Football Coach Resigns From Naval Academy

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP)—Eddie Erdelatz resigned yesterday after nine years as head football coach at Navy.

The surprise announcement from Rear Adm. Charles L. Melson, a cademy superintendent, gave no immediate reason for the resignation of the 45-year-old coach who has guided Navy to 50 victories, including two bowl championships, since he came here in 1950. His teams have lost 26 and tied 8.

IM Tennis Doubles

Entries for the Intramural tennis-doubles tournament are now being accepted in the IM office in Rec Hall. The entry deadline is 4:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Tennis Managers Called

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

Deadline Tonight

for
Student Handbook

Ads

meeting in 9 Carnegie
at 6:30

Spring Soccer Drills Will Begin Monday

Spring soccer practice will start Monday, April 13 for all varsity and freshman players.

All candidates must stop in the equipment room this week and pick up their medical card. They must see Dr. Griess at the infirmary and take their physical.

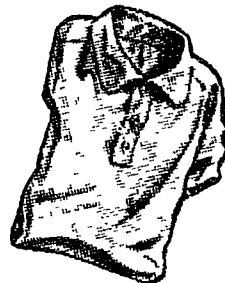
Intramural Golf Entries

Entries for the Intramural Golf tournament are now being accepted in the IM office in Rec Hall. The deadline for the entries is 4:30 p.m., Tuesday.

Each organization may enter one team consisting of five players.

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