

Twin Bill Slated for Tonight

Rutgers Game Starts Cagers' Busy Slate

By SANDY PADWE

The hustling Penn State cagers begin their busiest week of the season tonight when they meet old rival Rutgers at 8:30 in Rec Hall.

The Lions have four games in the next seven days, including a Monday night encounter here with Bucknell.

Following the Bucknell game, the Lions travel to Colgate Friday and Syracuse Saturday.

Penn State has a 7-7 record after losing to Navy Wednesday in a game that not only broke the Lions' four-game winning streak, but just about ruined their tournament hopes too.

Rutgers comes into tonight's game with a 9-9 record after losing to Bucknell, 70-53, in Lewisburg last night.

Thanks to coach Tom Kuolt and high scorer Doug Patton, Rutgers is having its best season since 1948-49.

Kuolt is in his first year as head coach at the New Burnswick, N.J. school, having taken over from Warren Harris just two days before the start of the campaign. Harris resigned to join ex-Rutgers' football coach John Stregman at Penn.

Kuolt has done an outstanding job considering that his top scorer from last year — Karol Stralecki — has been hampered by a bad leg most of the year and hasn't been too effective.

With Stralecki below par, Patton, a 5-10 junior, has been carrying the offensive load and is the leading scorer with a 19.4 average.

Al and Larry Ammerman, Rutgers' slick brother combo, also have been a pleasant surprise. They are right behind Patton in scoring and Larry is the team's leading rebounder.

Rutgers will have to find some way of stopping Penn State's high scoring backcourt team of Mark DuMars and Wally Colender if they have any hopes of winning tonight.

DuMars is the 15th leading scorer in the country with 324



FRANK SHEA

points in 14 games, an average of 23 points a game.

Colender is the second leading scorer for the Lions with a 15.5 point average and when he and the "magician" are hot State is hard to stop.

Lion coach John Egli plans to round out his starting five with Gene Harris at center and Paul Sweetland and John Phillips at forwards.

Egli also plans to use Jake Trueblood and Frank Shea quite a bit if the need arises. The Lion coach was pleased with their performances in the Navy game and hinted yesterday that they would see plenty of action the rest of the year.

Monday's game with Bucknell is slated to begin between 8 and 8:30 following the freshman game.

State-Rutgers Lineup
 Penn State: Paul Sweetland (44); Joel Osofky (31); John Phillips (42); Lee Ammerman (25); Gene Harris (22); Karol Stralecki (11); Wally Colender (21); Alan Ammerman (11); Mark DuMars (10); Doug Patton (5).

Reserves
 PENN STATE: Shea (14); Trueblood (50); Wilson (32); Eisele (34); Saul (54); Ramey (12).
 RUTGERS: Homer (21); Barton (45); Button (55); Hellings (51); Case (23); Kaufman (15); Hall (5).

Basketball Scores

NBA	COLLEGE
Cincinnati 133, Detroit 101	Bucknell 76, Rutgers 59
	Albany 75, Clarion 69
	VPI 86, The Citadel 74
	Fairleigh Dickinson 71, Brooklyn College 61
	Cornell 72, Princeton 61
	Newberry 112, Mercer 95
	St. Peter's 87, LIU 62
	Penn 69, Columbia 53
	Harvard 81, Yale 72
	Connecticut 91, Maine 79
	Cincinnati 60, St. Louis 57
	Holy Cross 92, Seton Hall 78
	Duquesne 81, Dartmouth 82 (2 ot)

Contestants OK Downhill Ski Course

SQUAW VALLEY, Calif. (AP)

A major Olympic hurdle was cleared yesterday when the men's downhill ski race course, a constant subject of controversy, was okayed by both officials and contestants.

A 12-man committee of experts approved the 2-mile course almost without change. The athletes, with but five days left before the start of the 1960 games, called it difficult and a fair test.

The downhill is the fastest and most hazardous ski race as contestants reach speeds of 70 miles an hour at times.

Another day of brilliant sunshine brought increased activity to this narrow valley — and an injury to Olthmar Schneider, coach of the Austrian men's alpine team.

Schneider, an Olympic gold medalist in 1952, twisted an ankle while testing skis beside the men's downhill course. He fell hard in deep snow.

Hockey teams for the first time got their own rink for practice. Previously, they had been on a catch-as-catch-can schedule, grabbing whatever time was available on the ice arena rink.

The 400-meter speed skating oval was jammed with skaters. Some figure skaters were indoors and others on a second hockey rink.

Jumpers again soared off the 80-meter jumping hill, while American, French and Austrian girl skiers zig-zagged through practice slalom runs on Papoose peak.

Unbeaten Grapplers To Meet Navy at 7

By JOHNNY BLACK

Coach Charlie Speidel's top-ranked eastern grapplers will lay their undefeated record on the line when they host a strong Navy team at 7 p.m. tonight in the opener of a Rec Hall twin bill.

Jerry Seckler, star 157-pounder, will lead a stalwart Nittany lineup that includes seven unbeaten wrestlers in the nine weight classes.

Tony Scordo (123), Artie Ravitz (130), Guy Guccione (137), Hank Barone (177), Phil Myer (191) and Johnston Oberly (Hvy.) are the other Lions who have not lost this year.

Seckler has rung up six straight decisions this season none of which were by less than a two-point margin. The sturdy junior now boasts a collegiate record of 7-1. Adding to a 1-1 record last year, he emerged victorious against every opponent the Lions have met this year—Army, Colgate, Michigan, Lehigh, Cornell and Maryland.

Seckler will defend his perfect record against Dick Royston, junior Navy letterman.

The next best record on the team belongs to Guy Guccione. Second to captain Sam Minor in total career victories, Guccione has won all five matches he wrestled this year, one by a fall.

The Lion senior missed the first meet at Army and Artie Ravitz filled in. That was Ravitz' only win and only start. He will go in the 130-pound class for the Nittanians tonight.

His opponent will be either Middies captain Paul Ilg or letterman-returnee Jim McKinney. These men are so closely matched that Ilg has had trouble holding his job and has relinquished it to McKinney on some occasions this year.

Guccione's foe at 137 will be Scott Boyd or Gene Kessler.

Also undefeated for the Lions is Johnston Oberly, who wrestles in the unlimited classification. The 250-pound junior owns five triumphs, and a draw. He is the team leader in falls, having recorded four.

Oberly will attempt to make Leon Christ, Navy's expected heavyweight representative, his next victim.

One step behind Oberly are 177-pound Hank Barone and 123-pound Tony Scordo. Each have 4-0-2 records.

Barone includes one fall among his wins and scored one of his decisions in the 191-pound category. Scordo has two wins and



CAPTAIN PAUL ILG ... must fight for job

two draws in meetings with four opposing team captains. He also holds two other decisions.

Barone's probable opponent is veteran Jim TenBrook, while Scordo should draw John Eller, a flashy Navy soph.

The seventh untamed Lion in the starting array is 191-pound Phil Myer. The stocky, tow-headed sophomore has won both his assignments as a varsity performer. He will meet Midshipman John Griffith tonight.

The Lion wrestlers in the two remaining classes—147 and 167—have tasted defeat but still post impressive slates.

Captain Minor at 147 has lost only once in six matches and has been held to one draw. He will face Navy letterman Bob Smith.

Nittany sophomore Ron Pifer racked up three straight falls before dropping two of his last three matches by decisions to lower his record to 4-2. His probable opponent at 167 is Pete Nelson or Joe Mueller.

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Ohio State Leads In NCAA Scoring

By The Associated Press

Oscar (Big O) Robertson continues to blaze away at a record scoring pace but he hasn't been able to hoist his Cincinnati teammates into the team scoring lead in college basketball.

Ohio State dominates the show with indications the well-balanced Buckeyes will give the Big Ten its first NCAA team scoring championship.

Although Midwestern basketball has produced the highest general scoring for the past three years and rates 1-2 over the past decade, no Big Ten team ever took the national scoring crown. Purdue was runnerup in 1932.

The latest collegiate figures, compiled by the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau, show the Ohio States averaging 93.2 points a game through games of Feb. 6. This is 3.2 points better than the efforts of the second place Cincinnati team.

In the individual race, Robertson, who already has set a three-year career record for major colleges, is averaging 36.8 points a game. This puts him well out in front of his rivals although he failed to gain on his closest pursuer, Tom Smith of St. Bonaventure. The latter is averaging 31.5.

Ohio State has the top individual marksman in Jerry Lucas, who has scored on 64 per cent of his field goal attempts.

Whitt Grabs 2d Round Lead In Phoenix Golf

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Don Whitt yesterday fired a seven-under-par 64 to grab the second round lead in the \$22,500 Phoenix Open golf tournament.

Whitt, 29-year-old pro from Borrego Springs, Calif., missed the 18-hole tournament record by a single stroke.

Two strokes back were three tournament veterans — Jack Fleck, Los Angeles; Lionel Hebert, Lafayette, La., and Doug Ford, Crystal River, Fla.

Ford who shared the first round lead with Jay Hebert of Sanford, Fla., slipped to a one-under-par 70 after an opening round 66.

Hebert scrambled all the way to get a 71 and is deadlocked at 137 with Fred Hawkins of El Paso, Tex.

Grouped at 138 were Jerry Barber, Los Angeles; Bob Rosburg, Brookridge, Kan.; Ken Venturi, San Francisco, and Howie Johnson of Meadowlark, Calif.

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