

Bedenk Blames Troubles On Poor Hitting, Fielding

By SANDY PADWE

Thinking up the answers to Penn State's baseball troubles is no great task and Lion coach Joe Bedenk is the first to admit it.

Hanked sixth in the nation after a fourth place finish in 1959, Bedenk's district II champs have posted a 4-2 record after six games, far below what the experts predicted.

"The team just hasn't clicked yet," Bedenk said yesterday before practice. "We haven't been hitting in the clutch and the defense has been a disappointment but our pitching is fine."

"This team reminds me of the 1958 squad," the 62-year-old coach said as a worried expression clouded his face. "We had everyone back from a team that finished second at Omaha (College World Series) but they were complacent just like everybody is this year."

"What we need is someone to fire the boys up, a take-charge guy. That's why I've been playing Harry Beans and Bill Benton. They have plenty of drive and hustle."

Bedenk, in this 30th year as head coach here, hinted that there might be some lineup switches tomorrow when the Lions travel to Washington for a doubleheader with pesky Georgetown.

One change involves third base where sophomore Don Robinson will probably start if a righthander pitches for Georgetown. Robinson has appeared in only two games this spring but has looked exceptionally good in the field.

Bedenk's charge that the Lions haven't been hitting is justified after a look at the six game statistics. His regulars are hitting a paltry .207 and only one man, Larry Feeley, is above .300.

The Lion second sacker has



BILL BENTON

fireball at first

a .454 average on 10 hits in 22 at bats.

Catcher Harry Beans is next with .273 followed by Benton with .269

Averages		Pitching	
W.	L.	W.	L.
Feeley	10-22	151	167
Benns	4-11	274	110
Benton	4-15	260	125
Beans	1-4	250	110
Robinson	1-1	250	987
DeLoog	4-21	189	9-1
		Adams	9-4
Durbin			
Biesecker			

Yanks Clip Bosox, 4-0 On 2 HR's

BOSTON (AP) — Bill Skowron and rookie John Gabler carried New York to a 4-0 victory over Boston yesterday in a 1960 version of the time-honored Yankee "power plus pitching" formula.

Skowron blasted a three-run homer in a fourth inning exhibition of New York muscle.

Two pitches later, Gil McDougald drove a delivery by Boston starter and loser Bill Monbouquette over the left field screen. The ball bounced on a rooftop across the street.

Gabler limited the Red Sox to three singles for seven innings before fireman Ryne Duren finished up. Duren surrendered a pinch single to Garry Gieger.

Braves Beat Reds

MILWAUKEE (AP) — The Milwaukee Braves pushed across a pair of runs in the seventh inning to blank Cincinnati 2-0 yesterday as Carl Willey mastered the Reds with a brilliant four-hitter.

Willey, a hard throwing right-hander, who relies mainly on his fast ball, struck out 10 and walked 3 in out-duelling Cincinnati southpaw Jun O'Toole.

The Braves collected only 3 hits off O'Toole and reliever Bob Purkey, but combined 2 of them with a walk and a sacrifice fly for their runs.

Klu's Hit Beats KC

CHICAGO (AP) — Big Ted Kluszewski singled across the winning run from second in the 11th inning as the Chicago White Sox clinaxed an uphill battle with a 6-5 victory over the Kansas City A's Thursday.

Weightmen Hold Key To Lion-Navy Meet

Success or failure in the field events may be the key to a Penn State victory when the Lions clash with Navy in a dual meet at Annapolis tomorrow.

In a triangular meet with Pitt and the Middies in February, State took six of eight firsts in the running events but

flopped badly in the field events, to finish second, 16 points behind the victorious Midshipmen.

But with Dick Campbell coming on strong in the high jump and weightmen Jim Schwab and Jon Musser in the line-up, State's

Penn State grad student Ed Moran indicated yesterday that he would probably enter the 1500 meter run in the Olympic tryouts this summer.

"Right now I'm pointing toward the 1500 but if I run some good 800's I would consider switching," he said last night.

The Olympic hopeful will hook up in the important 800 meter dual with Tom Murphy at the Penn Relays April 29-30.

chances for a victory tomorrow are much brighter.

State coach Chick Werner will be counting heavily on Musser who throws both the javelin and discus, but the big junior has been suffering from a pulled muscle in his right arm and may not be at top strength.

Campbell will be facing a tough opponent in Lew Hilder, who was second only to John Thomas in the IC4A's this year. Hilder cleared 8-8, with Campbell and Gene LaBorne of Army tied for third at 6-6.

Schwab, who won the javelin title at the Quantico Relays, appears to have little competition, but elsewhere in the field events the Middies have depth and strength.

Jim Hart who captured fourth place in the IC4A's shot put, is a consistent 52-footer. Pole vaulter Myrel Maxson, although erratic at times, has cleared 14 feet and Hart and Jud Sage are strong in the discus.

IM Soccer

All entries for IM soccer must be turned into Dutch Sykes in the IM office in Rec Hall by 4:30 Tuesday.

MAJOR LEAGUES

By The Associated Press

National League				
	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Los Angeles	5	2	.714	—
San Francisco	5	2	.714	—
Milwaukee	4	2	.667	1/2
x-Pittsburgh	4	3	.571	1
Cincinnati	3	4	.429	2
Chicago	2	4	.333	2 1/2
x-Philadelphia	2	4	.333	2 1/2
St. Louis	1	5	.167	3 1/2
x-Play night game.				

Yesterday's Results
Milwaukee 2, Cincinnati 0

American League				
	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	2	0	1.000	—
Detroit	2	0	1.000	—
New York	2	1	.667	1/2
x-Washington	2	1	.667	1/2
x-Baltimore	1	1	.500	1
Houston	1	3	.250	2
Cleveland	0	2	.000	2
Kansas City	0	2	.000	2
x-Play night game.				

Yesterday's Results
New York 4, Boston 0

Probable Pitchers
National League
Cincinnati, Hook (1-0) at Philadelphia, Roberts (0-2) N.
Milwaukee, Pizarro (0-1) at Pittsburgh, Friend (1-0) N.
San Francisco, Jones (2-0) at Chicago, Anderson (0-0).
Los Angeles, Koufax (0-0) at St. Louis, Jackson (0-2) N.
American League
Cleveland, Hawkins (0-0) at Kansas City, Herbert (0-0).
Chicago, Donovan (0-0) at Detroit, Banning (0-0).
Boston, Sullivan (0-0) at Washington, Kant (0-0) N.
Baltimore, Wilhelm (0-0) at New York, Ford (0-0).

TIM Softball

All entries for the TIM softball league must be turned in to the dean of men's office by 5 p.m. Tuesday. A meeting will be held tomorrow for all umpires in room 214 HUB.

Nine members of Penn State's 1960 baseball squad are majoring in engineering.

Ingo, Patterson Sign for Fight

NEW YORK (AP) — Ingemar Johansson and Floyd Patterson, the man he dethroned last June, signed contracts yesterday to meet in a return bout for the world heavyweight boxing championship on Monday, June 20, at the Polo Grounds.

The signings took place yesterday morning at the office of the New York State Athletic Commission thus putting an end to months of verbal sparring, managerial bickering and legal entanglements.

Under the terms, each fighter will receive 25 per cent of the gate receipts. Patterson also will get 50 per cent of the money taken in for TV, radio and film rights by the promoters of the fight, Feature Sports, Inc.

Johansson will get only 35 per cent of the ancillary rights but probably will more than make up the difference by a special agreement with the promoters which assures him the total income from the Scandinavian film and Swedish radio rights.

The agreement also calls for Patterson to give Johansson a return bout under the promotion of Feature Sports, Inc., should he regain the title. If Johansson repeats his victory of last June 26, when he knocked out Patterson in the third round at Yankee Stadium, he will be free to dicker with whomever he pleases.

Enole Is Popular

Penn State's Rip Enole, president of the American Football Coaches Association, is a popular speaker at grid clinics. He's slated to attend three in June: Florida A & M Clinic at Tallahassee from June 6 until June 9, the Tri-States Coaches Clinic Bristol, Va., June 9-10 and the Spalding Clinic, Montecello, N.Y. June 20-24.

Big Ten Ace

Gene Wettstone, veteran coach of gymnastics at Penn State, is a graduate of the University of Iowa where he was a Big Ten gymnastics champion.

Saperstein to Head New Cage League

CHICAGO (AP) — The American Basketball League was formed yesterday with franchises going to Cleveland, Chicago, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Kansas City, and Washington, D.C.

Abe Saperstein was named acting president. The owner of the Harlem Globetrotters and part-owner of the Philadelphia Warriors of the National Basketball Assn., said that Wilt Chamberlain definitely will not be playing in the new league.

Saperstein said the league will operate in the 1960-61 season and that the league constitution, board of directors and other matters will be taken up at the next meeting. The meeting will be within four weeks at an undetermined site.

Saperstein said applications from Pittsburgh, Vancouver, Honolulu and Portland, Ore., had been tabled for consideration next year.

Veteran Coach

Ernie Baer, Penn State lacrosse coach, served as athletic director for the 28th Infantry Division while serving with Uncle Sam in Europe from 1950 to 1953.

Golfers, Netmen Play Tomorrow

Penn State's golf and tennis teams will attempt to continue their winning ways tomorrow when the linksmen meet Syracuse here and the netmen play Cornell at Ithaca, N.Y.

Coach Sherm Fogg's tennis team will be looking for its second straight victory after beating Pitt, 9-0 Wednesday. The Lions dropped their first three matches this season but apparently hit their stride in the Pitt meet.

The Lion golfers will put a three-game win streak on the line against Syracuse. After losing a triangular meet to Maryland and Georgetown in the opener, Joe Boyle's boys have beaten West Virginia, Pitt and Villanova.

Three freshman teams—tennis, track, and baseball—swing into action for the first time tomorrow. The track and tennis teams face Cornell at Ithaca while the baseball team takes on the Altoona Center here.

Time's Running Out!

This is the last weekend we'll have Steamed Clams until fall. So, be sure you don't miss your last chance to enjoy them in the quiet atmosphere of the Lion's Den.

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