

# Engelbrink to Miss Penn Relays Today

By JIM KAFL  
 PHILADELPHIA, April 28; —Dick Engelbrink, captain and team leader of the Penn State track team, will not appear in the ranks with his teammates when the Lion thinclads compete in the Penn Relays here Friday and Saturday.

The Lion senior, one of last year's brightest track prospects and holder of the Penn State record in the 2-mile, has been running far below his past performances as a Blue and White track star.

The decision to leave Engelbrink behind was made by coach Chick Werner after his top middle-distance runner had run a trial mile on the oval at Beaver Field in 4:25, a comparatively slow time for him.

Track followers first became aware of Engelbrink's reversal of form at the IC4A indoor championships in February. The 2-mile national champion shocked 10,000 on-lookers at Madison Square Garden by dropping out of the 2-mile run after completing less than eight laps of the 22-lap race.

But the Lion captain says that his troubles actually began much earlier. "It all started last fall after the first two cross-country meets," he said. "I wouldn't get tired, but I just couldn't get a deep breath."

Although he had numerous medical check-ups, the reports revealed that he was in top physical condition.

The blond senior said that even in his best race this year, a 4.12 mile in the Boston Knights of Columbus Games, he had trouble breathing although he felt he was in top



DICK ENGELBRINK  
 ... out of relays

physical shape.

When asked if he thought his troubles were more psychological than physical, Engelbrink replied, "I don't know. I just don't know."

After running a 4:18.2 in the distance medley at Quantico two weeks ago, Engelbrink fell apart completely in the 4-mile relay and staggered home in 4:50, eliminating all chances for a Lion victory in that event.

"I know that I'm working as hard as ever," he said. "I've been working out everyday as hard or harder than anybody on the team. But even as I sit here talking I feel I can't get a good breath. There's nothing I can do but keep trying."

Werner is baffled by the Engelbrink case. He has arranged for medical examinations but they have shed no light. With Engelbrink running as he did formerly, Werner feels the team

could regain at least some of the glory that it won last year, when the thinclads swept both the indoor and outdoor IC4A titles.

But with the Lion captain running so poorly, Werner thinks it would be better if Engelbrink sat out the relays.

George Jones will probably take Engelbrink's position on the 4-mile relay squad, along with Herm Weber, Mike Miller and Steve Moorhead.

Werner is especially high on Moorhead "Watch Moorhead," he said. He can't help but blossom one of these days. The Lion sophomore broke the freshman mile record in a dual met against Cornell last year.

Bob Brown, Pat Cunningham, George Metzgar and either Dick Hambright or Bob Szezyler will handle the 440-relay, with the 880-relay being made up by the same group.

Brown will be facing the toughest assignment of any Penn Stater when he runs the 100 along with five world record holders, Dave Sime, Bill Woodhouse, Bobby Morrow, Ray Norton and Ira Murchinson.

The two-mile relay quartet will include Miller, Moorhead, Schwab and Don Davies. John Fariera will be the only Blue and White entrant in the 120-high hurdles.

Jim Schwab and Dick Campbell are the top Lions entered in the field events. Schwab, who won the collegiate division javelin throw at Quantico, has a good chance to take top honors again.

Campbell will have Boston U's John Thomas to contend with in the high jump, but the Lion senior has high hopes of annexing a second place medal.

Weightman Jon Musser, still nursing a sore right forearm, will compete in both the discus and javelin.

The pole-vaulting chores will be handled as usual by Dale Peters and Dick Gross.

# Lions Begin Trip Against Lafayette

To state it simply, Penn State can't afford any more slip-ups if it hopes to make the NCAA playoffs this year.

So with this in mind the Lions face their most important road trip of the season, beginning at Lafayette today and ending against Rutgers at New Brunswick, N.J., tomorrow.

State, fourth in the nation a year ago, is having troubles this year and the Lions have posted a sub-par 6-3 mark to date.

West Virginia handed the Lions their last loss, 7-5, at Beaver Field Wednesday. Lack of clutch hitting again was the deciding factor as Joe Bedenk's (hit-em-when-they're-not-on) boys left 14 men stranded.

Add this to poor fielding and Eddie Kikla's poor year and you have the reason why the Lions aren't doing as well as predicted.

Kikla's case is a real puzzle to the Lion braintrust. Just a year ago he had a brilliant 9-1 record as a sophomore, but he hasn't been effective at all this season and has a 2-3 mark.

Nevertheless, the stylish southpaw will probably get another starting assignment Saturday against Rutgers. That is if he isn't needed today in relief against Lafayette, one of the better teams in the East.

Gas-Houser Charley Gelbert coaches the Easton nine and he's turned out teams patterned after the Cardinals for the last 15 years.

They're always fast with plenty of hustle and the 18-4 pasting they handed Bucknell Wednesday is indicative of their power.

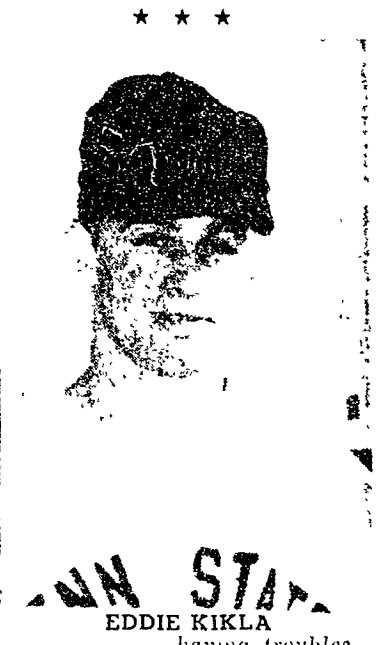
Gelbert lost only two men from a team that finished 13-5 last year and just missed the District II playoffs.

Bedenk plans to use Marlin Biesecker (2-0) on the mound against the Leopards today with Kikla ready for duty in the bullpen.

Tom Durbin, also 2-0, will start Saturday if Kikla pitches today.

There will be only one lineup change this afternoon and that finds captain Dick Landis back on third replacing sophomore Don Robinson.

Landis missed the Georgetown trip last week after his lip was split open by a ground ball. The injury was extremely painful because the same thing happened to him the week before at Penn and six stitches were required to close the wound. Bob Hrobak and Larry Fegley



EDDIE KIKLA  
 ... having troubles

will be the keystone combination and Bill Benton or Larry Beigley will be on first. Jim Suplizio, Roger Kochman and Zeke DeLong will be in the outfield with Harry Beans or John Adams behind the plate.

The Lions play Rutgers tomorrow against Bucknell Wednesday.

Averages		Pitching	
ab	h	W	L
Suplizio	11 7	0	0
Foxley	35 16	0	0
Beans	19 7	0	0
Benton	20 6	0	0
Beigley	8 2	0	0
Robinson	11 3	0	0
Adams	9 2	0	0
Durbin	17 3	0	0
DeLong	31 5	0	0
Hrobak	36 5	0	0
Kochman	25 4	0	0
Phillips	27 3	0	0
Landis	13 0	0	0

**Olympic Mat Trials**  
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 Johnston Oberly, Penn State, dec. Ben Davidson, University of Washington.  
 Wenzel Hubel, Los Angeles, pinned Paul Stegner, Penn State.

# Golf, LaX, Net Teams To Host Arch Rival

The Penn State lacrosse, golf and tennis teams all host long-standing rivals on the home grounds tomorrow. The golf and tennis teams meet Lehigh while the stickmen tangle with Rutgers on Beaver Field.

Coach Sherm Fogg's netters face the Engineers in their third home meet of the year. Lehigh beat the Lions last year, 8-1, and have a strong squad back again this season.

The Lions have a young team and have improved with every meet. Captain Jerry Carp is the only senior now that John Krall has been sidelined indefinitely with a pulled elbow muscle.

A 6-3 win over Bucknell Wednesday upped the netmen's record to 2-4 and boosted their hopes for a win over the always tough Engineers, who beat Bucknell, 8-1, earlier this season.

The linksmen face a determined Engineer team that has a strong core of veterans back from last year. Lehigh posted a fine 10-2 record in 1959, but lost, 6-1, to the Lion golfers.

The Lions lost to Penn Wednesday, 5-2, but boast a 4-3 log for the year. Penn defeated the Engineers in an early season match, 6-1.

Lehigh has never beaten the

Lion linksmen, but the Engineers are hoping that this may be the year to break the Nittanies' seven season skein.

Lion coach Joe Boyle will have captain Dick Burgoon back in the lineup to face the Engineers' captain and number one player Stew Riffe.

Coach Earnie Baer's stickmen meet perennial toughie Rutgers in their fourth outing of the year.

The Lions lost to the Scarlet, 17-5, last year after giving them a close game for two periods. The win ran Rutgers' streak to nine straight over the Nittanies.

Rutgers' coach Al Twitchell has a strong team this year and Baer is planning some lineup changes to give the Lions more scoring punch.

The Lions were given a jolt in practice yesterday when honorable-mention All-American attackman Jim Kane reinjured his knee. Kane may see only limited action in tomorrow's tilt.

# MAJOR LEAGUES

By The Associated Press  
 National League

W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.	
Pittsburgh	10	3	.769	—
San Francisco	8	4	.667	1 1/2
Los Angeles	7	5	.583	2 1/2
Milwaukee	6	5	.545	3
St. Louis	6	6	.500	4
Philadelphia	5	8	.385	5 1/2
Cincinnati	4	9	.308	6
Chicago	3	8	.273	7

x—Playing Night Game  
 Yesterday's Results  
 Pirates 3, Phillies 0

American League

W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.	
Detroit	5	2	.714	—
New York	5	3	.625	1 1/2
Kansas City	4	4	.500	1 1/2
Washington	5	5	.500	1 1/2
Baltimore	4	5	.444	2
Boston	4	5	.444	2
Chicago	3	4	.429	2
Cleveland	2	4	.333	2 1/2

x—Playing Night Game  
 PROBABLE PITCHERS

New York, Short (1-0) at Baltimore  
 Brown (0-0) N.  
 Kansas City, Larsen (0-1) at Cleveland  
 Perry (0-1) N.  
 Detroit, Lary (1-0) at Chicago, Wynn (0-1) N.

National League  
 Pittsburgh, Witt (0-0) at Cincinnati  
 McLish (0-1) N.  
 Philadelphia, Owens (1-1) at Milwaukee  
 Buhl (1-1) N.  
 Chicago, Morehead (0-1) at St. Louis  
 Miller (1-0) or Kline (0-0) N.  
 San Francisco, McCormick (2-0) at Los Angeles, Podus (1-1) N.

# Gymnasts Compete In Olympic Trials

Four Penn State gymnasts entered in the AAU-affiliated Olympic preliminaries, slated to get under way this evening at West Point, N.Y.

Grad student Armando Vega, Jay Werner, Greg Weiss and freshman Tommy Seward will take part in the weekend tourney which cuts the number of aspiring Olympians down to 12.

Vega was a member of the 1957 Olympic squad and was national all-around champ in 1959. Werner, co-captain of this year's team was national all-around champion and co-champion on the flynnings this year.

# British Fans Shocked By Alleged Sport Fixes

LONDON (AP) — British sports fans, already shaken by reports of a doping conspiracy in horse racing, got another shock yesterday as police investigated alleged fixed matches in the English Soccer League.

Detectives talked to five players of the Oldham Athletics about alleged conversations on throwing games.

It has been estimated that approximately 196 million dollars is bet annually on soccer results.

# Hungary Leads Ireland In Davis Cup Opener

BUDAPEST, (AP) — Hungary took a surprising 2-0 lead over Ireland yesterday in the opening matches of their first round European Zone Davis Cup tennis competition. A slow, clay court handicapped the Irish, who normally play most of their matches on grass.

Andras Adam toppled Guy Jackson 6-3, 6-0, 6-3 and Istvan Gulyas defeated J. D. Hackett 6-2, 6-2, 6-1.

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