

Play at Lehigh Today

Kikla's Clutch Pitching Helps Lions Triumph, 3-1

Special to The Collegian LEWISBURG, Pa., May 10 -Relief pitcher Eddie Kikla struck out the side with the bases loaded in the fifth and final inning today to preserve Penn State's rain-shortened 3-1 win over Bucknell.



UN STA. EDDIE KIKLA ... strikes out the side

Kikla, suffering through a nightmarish 2-5 season, came in after the Bisons had loaded the bases and scored a run off starter Tommy Durbin.

With his lead cut to 3-1, Lion coach Joe Bedenk went to the bullpen in favor of Kikla, one of the top college hurlers in the nation a year ago.

Kikla repaid Bedenk for his confidence by striking out Vic Manuele, Steve Flamhaft, and Bob Wevedau to wrap up the win for Durbin.

The Lions went to bat in the sixth inning, but the rains which had been falling all afternoon increased and the game was called.

Durbin's win was his third of the campaign in as many outings while Bucknell starter Tommy Thompson suffered his fifth setback against one win.

State, now 8-6, scored all its runs in the top of the fifth inning on four hits and a wild pitch. After Durbin bounced out short to first, Lion captain Dick Landis singled to center.

Shortstop Bob Hrobak, a .106 hitter, then lashed a Thompson fast ball for a triple, scoring Landis with the first run.

Second baseman Larry Fegley was next up and he drilled one to short Ken Twiford made a nice play and held Hrobak out third while throwing Fegley out. Zeke DeLong brought Hrobak

home with a single and he moved to third on one of Bill Benton's three safeties.

DeLong scored on the next play when Thompson uncorked a wild pitch with Jim Suplizio at bat. Thompson then settled down and got Suplizio to bounce out third to first to end the rally.

The Bisons started trouble in their half of the fifth when first baseman Mike Kasnick singled and went to second on Durbin's throwing error. With men on first and second Thompson singled, loading the sacks.

Obviously rattled by the quick turn of events, Durbin walked catcher Ben Jones, forcing in Kasnick and setting the stage for

Kikla's heroics The Lion leftie disposed of the next three Bisons real quickly and the Lions were on their way to Bethlehem where they meet Lehigh this afternoon.

Either Marlin Biesecker (3-1) or Dave Bughey (0-0) will go against the Engineers State returns home Saturday to play Navy on Beaver Field.

Table with columns for Penn State and Bucknell, listing players and statistics.

Pitching table for Penn State and Bucknell.

Lion Averages table with columns for AB, H, BA, etc.

MAJOR LEAGUES

Table of Major League baseball statistics including American and National League records.

Varsity 'S' Club The Varsity "S" Club will meet Sunday night at 10 p.m. at Phi Kappa Psi Election will be held and reorganization plans will be discussed.

Advertisement for Mac Sez... featuring a portrait of a man and a suit illustration.

Lion Stickmen Meet Powerful Engineers

By DEAN BILLICK

If averages mean anything, Lehigh's Andy Jones, the top lacrosse scorer in the country, could outscore the entire Penn State team today when the two squads square off at 3:30 on Beaver Field.

The Penn State offensive attack has averaged a little better than three goals a game this year while Jones has averaged four goals a game for Lehigh.

Jones, who last year was the second leading scorer in the nation with 38 goals, is leading the scoring parade this year with 28 goals in seven games.

He is only a junior and last year won honorable mention All-American honors while leading Lehigh to its first winning season in 33 years.

The 6-4 midfielder heads a list of nine returning lettermen who have made things easy for new coach Bob Windish this year. The Engineers won their first seven games, but lost last week to Stevens in a major upset.

Lehigh has one of the most potent offensive attacks in lacrosse circles. With eight of the top ten scorers returning from last year's National Class 'C' Championship team, the Engineers have rolled over Colgate, Swarthmore, Drexel, Lafayette, Delaware, Franklin & Marshall and Dickinson.

Honorable mention All-American Dave Rullman, who last year had 30 goals and 21 assists, gives the Engineers the most powerful one-two scoring combination the Lions have faced this year.

While Lehigh is loaded with talent and experience at attack, the Engineers are not as strong defensively. They have no lettermen at defense and the Brown and White have allowed an average of eight goals a game.

Coach Earnie Baer plans no lineup changes for the Lions today. Gordon Bennett, Jim Kane and Dick Hammond will head the sputtering attack with Mike Raiser, Dick Bullock and Lou Meier at midfield, Dave Edwin, Andy Moconyi and Tom Greenlee will be on defense and either Jim Irwin or John Castella will be in the nets.

Flanker Captain Henry Oppermann, newly-elected Penn State football captain will be the first end to lead the Nittany Lions since 1954 when flanker Jim Garrity was co-captain with guard Don Balthaser.

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Golfers Meet Bisons Today

After a "disappointing" third place finish in the EIGA championships, Penn State's golf team hits the dual-meet trail again today against Bucknell in Lewisburg.

Coach Joe Boyle was disappointed that his Lions didn't take first in last weekend's EIGA tournament, but praised the showing of Dick Burgoon and Roy Altman.

Burgoon finished sixth in the individual medal-play and Altman qualified for the finals, though he was a near-last in the 16-man field.

Captain Burgoon retains his number one position in the Lion lineup and will face the Bisons' Bob Etzweiler, Middle Atlantic Conference individual champ.

Bob Devine holds down the second spot in Boyle's lineup for the Bison meet and Altman will play in the third slot.

The rest of the lineup remains the same with Ed Koimos, Haydn Thomas, Bob Rutherford and John Morton rounding out the seven starters.

The Lions downed Bucknell, 5-2, last year but the Bisons recently won the Middle Atlantic Conference team title and have the advantage of playing on their home links.

Veterans Bob Schad, Bill Curtiss and Jerry Lindholm form the nucleus of the team behind Etzweiler.

DU, Nittany Co-op Take IM Volleyball Crowns

Delta Upsilon successfully defended its IM volleyball championship with a 15-6, 16-4 win over Alpha Chi Sig.

DU won the title last year when they defeated Theta Chi.

While Delta Upsilon was capturing the fraternity crown, Nittany Co-op took the independent championship. The Nittanians had little trouble with Luzerne taking twin wins of 15-3.

Patriots Change Plans

MANCHESTER, N.H. (AP)—The Boston Patriots of the American Football League will not train at St. Anselm's College as originally planned.

Father Gerald McCarthy, the college president, said expansion of the club's training schedule involved more space than is available here. No site has been chosen.

Moran on WMAJ

Former Lion track star Ed Moran will be the guest on "Meet the Varsity" tonight at 9.45 on WMAJ.

Advertisement for Camp Rondack at Schroon Lake, Pottersville, New York, listing needs and interview dates.

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