

Lions Rained Out of 2; Kikla Faces Navy Today

By JOHN MORRIS

The Indians had their rain dance and the farmers have their cloud-seeding airplanes, but Penn State baseball Coach Joe Bedenk has a rainmaker that puts them both to shame.

All Bedenk has to do to start a deluge is mention that he is planning to start Tom Durbin on the mound for his water-logged Lions.

The Nittanians (4-1) were scheduled to play Penn Saturday and Bucknell yesterday with Durbin scheduled to hurl in both contests, but rain forced the Nittanians back into the dressing room without even working up a good sweat.

The Penn game cannot be rescheduled, but the Bucknell game will be replayed as part of a double-header May 18 on Beaver Field.

The Lions now have been rained out of six games and Durbin was supposed to start in five of them. He beat Lafayette, 3-2, in a rain-shortened game for his only decision.

The Lions will try again today against Navy, probably the best team in the East. The Middies

Navy Hands Lion Netmen Fifth Defeat

By JIM WELSH

If nothing else, the Penn State tennis team proved its showmanship Saturday by following a slightly altered Broadway slogan — "the match must go on."

Playing despite a torrential downpour, the Lions dropped their fifth match of the year to Navy on the Jordan Courts, 6½-1½.

However, Coach Sherm Fogg said the final score wasn't a true indication of his netters' showing.

"They played much better today than they did against Bucknell," he said. (State defeated Bucknell, 6-3, Friday.)

Fogg was pleased with the performances of Don McCartney, Captain John Blanck, and Don Benner although all were defeated.

Blanck dropped a 6-0, 6-2 decision to Colin Fox, rated as one of the outstanding tennis stars in the East. Blanck's seasonal mark is now 4 wins and 3 losses.

McCartney was defeated by John Quinn, a native of Brazil. Quinn nipped McCartney in two sets, 6-4, 6-4.

Benner made his first singles appearance since the Maryland match and extended Sam Karabasz to three sets before losing, 3-6, 6-0, 6-4.

Other State losers were Vance Rea and Dwight Moore.

Rea seems to be setting the pattern for Penn State's wins and losses. The 5-9 senior has a 2-5 record — identical to the team's fortunes. Both wins came against State victims and his five losses to Lion conquerors.

Lion Stickmen Drop Fourth Straight, 11-4

By DEAN BILLICK

After Saturday's 11-4 loss to Syracuse on Beaver Field it appears that the Penn State lacrosse team is following the same script it used last year.

The Lions lost their final nine games after a win in the opener last season, and this year's stickmen seem to be headed in the same direction. Saturday's loss to the Orange was State's fourth straight and dropped their record to 1-5.

To make matters worse the Lions' play against Syracuse was an exact replica of last year. State had trouble getting the ball and when they did the attack was ineffective.

Minus Tom Hayes, their top scorer, who was out with a charley horse, the Lions couldn't cope with the Orange defense.

The stickmen fired 38 shots at the Syracuse nets but most of them were either wild or else were stopped by the Orange's tough little goalie, Pete Coe.

The lone bright spot for the Lions was the scoring of sophomore Dick Seelig. The 6-4 at-

tackman tallied three of the Lions' four goals and upped his season total to 13. The three scores left him one goal behind Hayes.

The Orange, who now have won four straight, opened up a quick 2-0 lead before nine minutes of the game had elapsed and State never caught up. Bob Orenstein got the first Syracuse score at 7:23 and Pete DeLeeuw tallied the second score at 8:50.

With Syracuse two men short because of penalties, Seelig gave State its first goal. Gordon Bennett scooped up a loose ball at midfield and threw a sharp pass to Seelig, who dumped in the shot about four feet from the goal.

The Orange jumped the score to a 7-2 lead before the half ended. Pete Erber scored for State six minutes after the start of the second half on an assist from Steve Schrader, but the first half lead was too big.



ZEKE DeLONG

boast a 17-0 record so far this year.

Navy is led by Joe Bellino, the team captain and catcher.

First baseman Pat Kelly, left-fielder Bob Foyle and centerfielder Steve Todd lend support to the Navy attack.

Either Chuck Davis or Ed Ettinger will do the hurling for the Middies.

Bedenk will go with ace lefty Ed Kikla (3-0) this afternoon in an effort to upset the smooth sailing Middies.

The rest of the State lineup remains the same with Barry Rodenhaver on first, Bart Brodtkin on second, John Phillips at short and Don Robinson on third making up the infield.

Al Gursky, leading hitter Dick Pae and Captain Zeke DeLong form the Nittany outfield with Don Jonas behind the plate.



Steve Schrader

MAJOR LEAGUES

By The Associated Press American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
x-Detroit	16	5	.762	—
x-New York	13	7	.660	2½
x-Minnesota	11	10	.524	5
x-Baltimore	11	10	.524	5
x-Cleveland	11	10	.524	5
x-Kansas City	8	9	.471	6
x-Boston	8	10	.444	6½
x-Los Angeles	7	12	.368	8
x-Washington	7	14	.334	8½
x-Chicago	7	13	.350	8½

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
San Francisco	14	7	.667	—
Cincinnati	13	10	.565	2
Pittsburgh	11	9	.550	2½
x-Los Angeles	13	10	.542	2½
St. Louis	10	10	.500	3½
Milwaukee	8	10	.444	4½
Chicago	9	12	.429	5
x-Philadelphia	6	15	.286	8

Yesterday's Results
San Francisco at Pittsburgh, ppd.
Probable Pitchers
American League

Washington, McClain (3-1) and Daniels, (6-3) at Detroit, Mossi (3-0) and Foytack (1-1)
New York, Ford (4-1) at Kansas City, Herbert (1-1)
Baltimore, Estrada (1-1) at Minnesota, Ramos (2-1)
Boston, Delock (1-1) at Los Angeles, Mueller (0-1)
Cleveland, Perry (2-1) at Chicago, Score (6-0) or Shaw (2-1)

National League
San Francisco, McCormick (2-1) at Pittsburgh, Mizell (2-1)
Los Angeles, Drysdale (2-2) at Philadelphia, Mahaffey (2-2)
St. Louis, Gibson (1-0) at Cincinnati, Jay (1-2) or Maloney (1-1)
Chicago, Hobbie (1-3) at Milwaukee, Buhl (0-2)

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