

# Stickmen, Thinclads at Home

## LaXers Try For 8th Win; Hayes Out

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Someone once said he would rather be lucky than good—any day of the week. And perhaps that someone had a fairly good point because it always helps to have Dame Fortune on your side.

This season the "old lady" has smiled on the Penn State lacrosse team with a regularity that has helped carry the stickmen to a 7-2 season so far. True, this year's team has been good, but the little breaks that have come the Lions' way every so often haven't hurt one bit.

However, just when it seems the Lions need her the most, Dame Fortune has turned her face.

State's leading scorer for the past two seasons and candidate for All-America honors, Tom Hayes, suffered a sprained ankle and pulled achilles tendon in practice Thursday and will miss today's game with Colgate at 2 p.m. in Beaver Stadium.

**THE BLOW CAME** at a time when the Lions are seeking to make this year the most successful in State history. A win today would give the Nittanians their eighth victory, one more than any other State lacrosse team. The 1946 team was 7-3 and the 1955 team battled to a 7-5 chart.

Hayes has fired in 27 goals for coach Dick Pencek's battling crew and the midfielder's generalship on the field has molded the Lion offense into the highest scoring attack in Lion history. "The loss will really hurt us," Pencek said in his office yesterday.



**TOP SCORERS:** Juniors Dick Seeling (left) and Tom Hayes have led the Lion lacrosse team in scoring this season and helped the Nittanians to a 7-2 record. Today State closes out its season against Colgate at 2 p.m. in Beaver Stadium. Hayes, however, will miss the game because of injuries suffered this week in practice.

day, "but I don't want the boys to think we can't beat Colgate without Tommy. We can."

Hayes isn't State's only player who will watch this, the final game of the season, from the sidelines. Second unit midfielder Ron Rosen injured his knee in practice and will be unable to suit-up.

**WITH THE TWO** injuries at midfield, Pencek's patched-up middle units will look like this: Co-captain Lou Meier, Bill Charon and Andy Pollock will handle the first unit. Pollock is the regular second unit midfielder and will move into Hayes' spot. Lou Paulin, who was hurt in

the Maryland game, will come off the injury shelf to team with Dave Ashley and Ken Staub in the second unit, midfield.

The remainder of State's lineup will be the same that started most of the games. Dick Seelig, John Meisel and Howie Spencer will be at attack, and co-captain Andy Lockhart, Dick Swensen and Jim Stoup at defense. Vinnie Tedesco is the goalie.

Colgate will be no easy pickings for the stickmen. The Big Red proved that when it lost just 5-2 to Syracuse. The Lions suffered a humiliating 15-8 loss to the Orange two weeks ago.

**PENCEK, HOWEVER,** thinks the best team lost at Syracuse and he feels his Lions can prove that tomorrow.

"This is our chance to prove we had a bad day at Syracuse," the first-year coach said. "It sure would be nice to be 8-2."

Besides Syracuse, the Lions lost to powerful Maryland, 16-7. Victories came over Penn, 8-7; Washington & Lee, 10-3; Loyola, 8-7; Lafayette, 20-10; Rutgers, 18-13; Lehigh, 14-7, and Swarthmore, 17-8.

Five seniors will be playing their final game—Lockhart, Meier, Ashley, Stoup and Swensen.

### Majors Vote to Stabilize Minor League Operations

**NEW YORK (AP)**—The major leagues approved a baseball player development plan yesterday that would guarantee operation of at least 100 minor league clubs.

The 100 clubs would be distributed among three classifications of minors, probably on the basis of 20 in Class Triple A, 20 in Class Double A and 60 in Class A. The six existing classes would be reduced to three by merging Double A and A into a new Double A level and combining B, C and D into a new Class A.

Commissioner Ford Frick said he hoped the plan would be in operation by 1963. The next step will be a meeting of the major league general managers and farm directors. No date has been set for the meeting.

## Spikers Face Tough Job Against Quantico Marines

By DENNIS KNECHT

Last Saturday was a great day for Pennsylvania track fans. The Quantico Marines met Villanova in a dual meet and almost upset the IC4A Champions in what Villanova's coach 'Jumbo' Jim Elliott called "the greatest dual meet ever staged in the East."

At the same time, in a one-sided dual meet, Penn State broke four records and smashed the University of Pittsburgh, 93½-37½, in what the Lions' coach Chick Werner called "the finest record of any Penn State team I can remember."

Two of those participating teams, Penn State and Quantico, clash this afternoon on Beaver Field and the chances are a few more records will go. The field events will start at 1:30, the running at 2:00.

Last night was also a great evening for track fans and Penn State's star distance runner, Gerry Norman, who ran the 5000-meter event in the Los Angeles Coliseum.

**NORMAN,** a junior from Bristol, England, competed in the 22nd annual Coliseum Relays, but is expected to return in time for today's dual meet.

Norman ran against some of the world's finest distance runners including New Zealand's Barry Magee, Merle McGhee of the Los Angeles Track Club and Pat Clohessy of Houston.

Peter Snell, world record-holder of the mile run, from New Zealand, and Oregon's Dyrrol Burleson were the entries in the featured mile race.

Norman ran at 9:50 (PT) and no results were available at press time.

**OF THE TWO** dual meets held last week, the Quantico-Villanova match drew the most national attention. The Wildcats' 100-yard dash world record-holder, Frank Budd, tied the world mark of 20 seconds in the 220, and ran 9.3 in the 100 to lead his team to a 78-62 win.

However, Villanova's triumph didn't come easily or before Quantico's Cary Weisiger and Dick Edmunds set new records in the mile and 440. Weisiger, former Duke star, took the mile in 4:02.7. Edmunds, former Princeton star, won the quarter-mile in 46.8 and then helped the Marines to a 3:11.4 mile relay victory.

Unfortunately for Quantico and the track fans, but fortunately for State, Weisiger may not compete today. He also ran in the Coliseum Relays, and probably will not return in time for the meet.

"This enhances our chances of winning," Werner said yesterday, "but I still have a lot of respect for this Quantico team. They're graduates and we're undergraduates."

**LION BOB GRANTHAM** will have strenuous duty today. Besides his regular events—the high and low hurdles, broad jump and shot



MIKE MILLER



JERRY WETTSTONE

put—he will run the 100-yard dash.

"Grantham suggested it himself," Werner said, "and it's a good idea. We're going to do everything we can to win this meet."

A former runner for Penn State, George Metzgar, will be with the Quantico team today. Metzgar, who placed third to Budd and Paul Drayton in the sprints last week, is a member of State record-holding relay teams that set the mile relay standard of 3:13.3 in 1959 and the 880-relay mark of 1:26.8 in 1960.

## Lion Track Lineup

- 1:30—**POLE VAULT:** Ciro Risoldi (14'4¼"), \* Ron Beard, Dave Brier
- SHOT PUT:** Tom Urbanik (53'3¾"), Bob Grantham
- HIGH JUMP:** Jerry Wettstone (6'6¼"), George Casey, Earl Pace
- BROAD JUMP:** Grantham (23'6½"), Jim Tyson, Hal Powell
- JAVELIN:** Dick Walker (184'7"), Risoldi, Bill Coulouris
- 2:00—**MILE RUN:** Steve Moorhead, Howie Deardorff (4:16), Lionel Bassett
- DISCUS:** John Courtney (150'1½"), Rowland Bowers, Walker
- 2:10—**440-YD. RUN:** Mike Miller (50.4), Tom Mettrick, Dick Kessler
- 2:20—**100-YD. DASH:** Steve Popp (9.8), Hal Powell, Grantham
- 2:30—**120-YD. HIGH HURDLES:** Grantham (14.7), Wettstone, George Barnhill
- 2:40—**880-YD. RUN:** Deardorff (1:50.6), Miller, Mettrick
- 2:50—**220-YD. DASH:** Popp (21.6), Fischman, Tyson
- 3:00—**220-YD. LOW HURDLES:** Grantham (23.9), Wettstone, Barnhill
- 3:10—**TWO-MILE:** Gerry Norman (9:00.5), Moorhead, Dick Tuft
- 3:25—**MILE RELAY:** Mettrick, Kessler, Bassett, Miller (3:22.8)

\*best mark this season

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