

SPORTS REVIEW

IT WOULD be hard to find a more pessimistic man than Walt Hicks, who predicts awful things for the Kingston Township High football team each season, and never gets a chance to say "I told you so."

At the other extreme is Coach Thorwald Lewis—we call him Lou, because Thorwald is a trifle too inspiring for anyone, even a football coach at Dallas Township.

Year after year, Dallas Township has lots of big boys on the squad. And year after year the big boys let smaller boys on other teams through for one too many touchdowns per game.

Yet Lou is an incurable optimist. "We're going to town this week," says Lou after each defeat. "The boys played a swell game last week, only they were a little overconfident or something."

WHY DALLAS Township players should be over confident is more than we know. But if Lou says they are, that's enough for us. Anyway, it shows that he has a lot of faith in the boys' faith in their own ability.

This year the Dallas players are smaller than they have ever been. Maybe smallness is what they need, to cut down overconfidence and build up that sick, defeated feeling that wins games.

Maybe Dallas will even win the local championship this year. At least, they ought to do better than they did last season, claims Lou, happily. After all, he says, they couldn't do much worse.

Dallas plays Edwardsville High in its opening game Saturday afternoon. If the local boys beat Edwardsville, anything is likely to happen. Last year they lost only by six points.

GETTING BACK to Walt Hicks and Kingston Township, we found this week that prospects are as bad as ever.

About the only things that the Orange and Black warriors do right, claims Walt, is calisthenics. The Kingston Township boys are good at exercises, all right. Every afternoon they wear their paunchy coach to a frazzle just showing them what to do.

But to us, Kingston Township looks pretty good in some other respects, also. In great shape after over two weeks of reconditioning, the players are blocking and tackling viciously enough to suit any coach, even Walt Hicks, and they are running their plays as smoothly as ever.

Out of about 25 likely-looking gridders, five are veterans of two years or more competition. The guard position, important in the Hicks system, are held by two tried and true players, Lou Evans and Claude Warden. Evans is fast and a good blocker, besides an outstanding defense man. And Warden was an all-conference (Luzerne County League) guard two years ago, and is just two years better now than he was then.

NEWHART, a senior who has played a lot of good ball for Walt over the past two years, is an end from last year's eleven, and in the backfield are two veterans, McFadden and Stencil.

Walt expects great things from Stencil this year, or as much as he allows himself to expect. 185 pounds of solid muscle and grit, Stencil is as fine a fullback as Kingston Township has ever had.

But while Kingston Township will try as hard as ever to keep pace in the rural league and win its share of games in the Luzerne County, the team to watch in this section is Lehman Township High, according to Walt.

Their new coach, Morgan, will do wonders with a swell crew of reserves from last year, Walt thinks.

IT LOOKS as if this will be our last column. Next week we're going to leave The Post for more Elysian fields.

And on the chance that we won't be able to get down to play with the Post Panthers, the only team able to beat Kingston Township, we are thinking of giving up the whole idea, unless someone else would care to carry on in our place. Any offers?

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NEW LUZERNE HIGH TEAM MEETS ST. MARY'S TONIGHT

With victory depending on the power of an inexperienced line, Coach Tony Demboski's Luzerne High gridders open their season against St. Mary's tonight under the arc lights at Connolly Field.

More than half the team, which held second place in the Wyoming Valley A Conference until the closing weeks of last season, was lost in graduation, and the '39 eleven has been molded from five veterans and a handful of first string subs.

But while only two of the returning varsity players are linemen, Demboski pins his hopes for a successful season on the performance of the forward wall.

The inexperience of the new line, and the fact that injuries have hampered early season sessions, will make tonight's game a real struggle for the Lions. In last year's opener, the Saints held Luzerne to a scoreless tie.

The return of three veteran backs, Sam Roccograndi, Gene Kryor and Pete Yurashes, gives Demboski a wealth of backfield power to begin the season. Joe Hutsko and Bill Diakovich are the prime candidates for quarterback, and either may start tonight's game. Tony Chernetzki, substitute back last year, and Butch Suponic, frosh back, who has shown real promise in practice scrimmages, are also seeking a place on the varsity eleven.

Left end Grandin White and Center Stanley Bogden are the only varsity linemen left in the squad. Gene Brennan and Don Farrell, hard working subs of last year, may start the game tonight. Ted Wesley and Walter Gorevich are in line for guard position, along with Ed Stravinski and William Ciconi. Joe Quather and Farrell are outstanding choice as tackles, with Al Nemetka and Dan Bogdon as alternates.

Four players are seeking starting position at right end, Thomas Kalak, Ray Guido, Bobby Hughes and Al Slavinski.

The Lions play a nine-game schedule this season, facing seven conference teams, and ending the season November 18 against Berwick.

Bowlers Begin New Season

Six Teams To Compete In Openers Tonight

Second season of the West Side Merchants' Junior Bowling League will open tonight (Friday) with six teams scheduled to bowl at 7 and six more at 9.

The Juniors will bowl every Thursday night for a thirty-three week schedule. Sarg Evans will be in charge of the 12-team league until officers are elected at the next meeting.

The Fairsex Quins, who made their debut in the summer league, will bowl with the Juniors, led by Johnny Osalka. Frank Clark, manager of the Woolworth Store, may enter a team of girls in the circuit, also.

Jack Jones will be foul line judge. All games must start promptly. Practice will be allowed at 6:50 and 8:50.

Chicago—Richard Kenealy, 9, who suffered from an optical disease which caused him to see everything upside down has been cured. He saw the world right side up for the first time on September 1, the day Hitler turned it upside down.

MUSIC

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DALLAS TOWNSHIP TO OPEN SEASON AT EDWARDSVILLE

Making its debut in the Luzerne County League, Dallas Township High School will open its football season tomorrow afternoon at Edwardsville.

Last year the Township eleven lost to Edwardsville, 12-6, and may give the West Side eleven even a better tussle this time. While Coach Thorwald Lewis has his lightest team in years, the local players are fast and shifty enough to be a real threat in both the Luzerne County and rural leagues.

Kingston Township High, rural champions last year, will begin their season September 30 against Clark's Summit on the Trucksville gridiron. Walt Hicks' team ended in fifth place in the County League last season.

BOWLING

Again the winter season of bowling is having its turn. Monday night found the boys somewhat upset. The alleys had been renovated and the coat of shellac prevented that hook from working and made the boys squirm in their efforts to hang up high scores. Joe Simmons managed to weather the storm and came through with "high game" and high "three games" to lead the league.

With the new rule abolishing unnecessary noise during the games, the boys on 1 and 2 alleys seemed to be lost . . . to the tune of three points.

Pete Smith and his boys surprised the Bon-Tonners in that first game and hung up enough pins to take extra point.

Joe Banks has released Frank Zawatski. With the rules calling for a weeks' lay-off Zawatski will bowl with Rahl's during the third week.

On account of not getting that new shirt, Sarg will quit. Hope the sponsor sees this.

John Sobek was a busy man, bowling and distributing the rules and schedules.

George Wheeler needs a secretary to fill out his score sheets. We didn't get that score sheet and according to the rules your game did not exist. Signatures of both team captains must be on each sheet.

Johnny Rosnick turns in the neatest score sheet. Thanks for those extra pains in making the totals plainly visible.

Stelma has been delegated to take charge of adding for Piledgi's, and Steve Walko, without being told to do so, filled out Wheeler's sheet. For this we are very grateful to Steve. How about you, Mad Russian?

Next Tuesday all bowlers will travel up to Hank's for the big opening of his place. Hank has the old place looking great.

Piledgi Leads As Bowling Season Begins

Rahl's Take Buddies, Tie For Second Place; Simons High Scorer

Winter competition in the Businessmen's Bowling League began Monday night at St. John's alleys with Tony Piledgi's keggers taking possession of the league lead.

Rahl's Market, winner of the St. John's Summer Bowling League pennant, won two games and total pins from Buddies Men's Shop to go into a four-way tie for second place.

Among the high scores were Bellas, 210, and Kender, 210, for single games; Brown, 540, and Kittle, 573, for match scores. With the alleys just renovated the hook artists found themselves in trouble.

The League Standing

	W	L	Pts.
Piledgi Tavern	3	0	4
Luz. Anth. Office	2	1	3
West Side Ice	2	1	3
Stegmaiers	2	1	3
Rahl Market	2	1	3
Pete Smith	1	2	2
Bon Ton	2	1	2
Luz. Anth. Outside	1	2	1
Brokenshire's	1	2	1
Greenwald's	1	2	1
Buddies	1	2	1
Luz. Anth. Truckers	0	3	0

Schedule for Monday:
7, Stegmaiers vs. Buddies, Truckers vs. L. A. Office, Brokenshire's vs. Bon Ton.

9, L. A. Outside vs. Pete Smith, Greenwald's vs. West Side Ice, Piledgi's vs. Rahl Market.

The Junior League will bowl its games on Thursday, starting next week.

Tom Lavelle looks very prosperous according to that swell front he has put on. Can't get down the hatch that way, Tom.

Nick Buynak says the bowlers are getting better. He only rang the bell five times. One night we had only one chance and the darn bell wouldn't ring.

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