

Penn Five Captures Sixteenth Consecutive Game in Humbling West Virginia's Quintet 35 to 10

W. VA. SIXTEENTH VICTIM OF PENN

Label Goldblatt Registers Ten Points in First Start in 35-to-9 Triumph

HUNTZ SCORES FOUR F. G.

COACH EDDIE MONTICHOLO, of the University of Pennsylvania basketball team, and his aid-de-camp, Joe Fogarty, saw Label Goldblatt, the former Southern High School star, the chance he has been waiting for all season—to start a game—last night in Weightman Hall against West Virginia. The contest proved easy for the Red and Blue, 35 to 9, for the sixteenth straight victory. In justice to the Mountaineers, it must be said that they were without the services of Martin, their high-scoring forward, and P. Hill, another forward, both of whom were forced to leave the team in Washington and return to Morgantown as a result of heavy colds.

Goldblatt did the foul-goal shooting in the first half and part of the second, registering six out of seven in the first twenty minutes and missing his first two in the last ten minutes of the second half, after which Tom Miller went to guard, and Goldblatt was benched, but only for a short time. In a scrimmage under the north basket Rosenast received a nasty bump over the eye that forced him to seek the bench. Goldblatt replaced him.

The former Southern High School star played a bang-up game last night and he handled the ball a little better and kept after George Hill, of West Virginia, a little closer would have been the outstanding star of the game. Hill was so much bigger and heavier than Goldblatt that Penn had had difficulty keeping on his track. The result was two field goals for the visiting forward.

Miller's guarding and floor play were better during the time he was in the game; but on general all-around effectiveness, considering Goldblatt's ability to convert fouls into points, the two guards fared about equal. Miller came through with a double-double in the second half and Goldblatt had two.

Had the West Virginians had a little more ability under the basket the score might have been much closer. They missed at least a dozen shots directly under the nets, several of them so easy that the small crowd roared. The visitors towered over Penn with the exception of Gray and Miller, who "well" yet they were unable to do any more scoring simply because they were meeting a new kind of opposition.

Players who were in action during the game for the Red and Blue—Miller, Dessen, Sullivan, "Jimmy" McNichol and Lang all getting into the fracas in the second half.

Huntz again led in the scoring, with four two-pointers, one in the first half and three in the second. Rosenast made two; Goldblatt the same number, and Gray, Miller and Dessen one each. One of the features of the second half was the return to form of Gray in shooting fouls. The tall captain made all five of his chances from the 15-foot line count, his best average of the season to date.

George Hill was the star of the Mountaineers. He registered two of the first two-pointers and made two out of nine fouls. Hawkins had a field goal and Fucy one foul out of three chances.

In the preliminary game the Penn junior varsity defeated the same quintet from St. Joseph's College, 31 to 10. Macintosh, with three field goals, and Schaeffer, with ten out of thirteen fouls, featured for the Red and Blue team.

RAILWAY TAKES LEAD
Has Slight Advantage in Phila. Manufacturers' Cage League
American Railway Express is in first place in the Philadelphia Manufacturers' Basketball League. That is until tomorrow when Art. Loun plays Keston and then there is likely to be another tie.

The Express boys last evening had little difficulty in running up a one-point score on Pittsburgh Plate Glass, the final total being 15 to 13. The glass team "broke" in the first round, but as they were only trailing 15 to 10 in the first period.

The feature of the game was the benching of Bill "The Pike" Pike, the best player. He was chased to the showers by Jimmy Runney for being "sassy" and such a brave act on the part of an official nowadays should earn a place in the big game. The other game Fletcher beat Monotype 32 to 20.

Scraps About Scrappers
Joe Conn, the British knock-outer who has been winning by knocking away Edith Paulson, is being the first knock-outer of a list of winners by Edith Paulson, of Chicago at the National Amateur Athletic Club, who recently stood off the R. O. C. K. (George) Gandy or other names, who dropped by Conn and then was in such bad shape that he had to be carried out of the arena. Conn's right cross is one of the best seen in any time. Ned Fitzgerald originally was scheduled to meet Ed Conn, but Conn was substituted for on the Australian was noted by Joe Hinkle.

Young Shelock now is after a crack at the title of Pennsylvania champion. Shelock made a big hit in his battle on Monday night against Jimmy Tully.

JOE WRIGHT, OF PENN, AFTER COACHING AIDES

Large Number of Candidates and New Events Puts Added Burden on Veteran Tutor

ON WATER IN 2 WEEKS

COACH JOSEPH WRIGHT, of the University of Pennsylvania, through the medium of the newspapers, is sending out an SOS call to Red and Blue graduates who have had rowing experience. Two assistants will be selected to different crews together for the coming season, which, the coach says, is going to be one of the busiest in the history of intercollegiate rowing.

New races won't be the result of large number of candidates make it a Herculean task for a coach to look after two or three hundred candidates, each of whom must have some individual attention. Last year several old-timers looked after several of the crews, but only now and then.

Wright is anxious to get three or four men who have rowed on Penn varsity crews and who will be willing to devote the time to them that is necessary.

Other colleges have more than one coach to look after the candidates, the varsity tutor having little to do but supervise the other eight and devote all his time to the varsity. The result is several good crews that are well-coached. Not that the Penn crews after the first three aren't properly looked after, but the coach is unable to devote the time to them that is necessary.

This year Penn will have a varsity, junior varsity, 150-pound and freshman varsity, all of which will be entered in one or more important races. With the Torie Cup Race for crews other than the first or second varsity eight Penn will have about eight to ten crews on the river every afternoon.

Great Aid to Candidates
If I could get three or four men of experience who could devote a couple of hours every afternoon to the eight, I cannot get much time for," said Wright this morning, "we would be greatly aided in developing crews at Penn. Not only for this year, but every year. Take the inexperienced men who are trying out for the first time. Given the time that they would have under experienced assistants we would have men coming out in the following year with experience who would not need the rudimentary work that takes up so much time. It is the same with any sport for our eight, and a couple of assistants around would be of great benefit to them."

Wright is more than anxious to get his charges out on the water. "I will start the next two weeks, if the weather isn't too cold and the ice is out of the Schuylkill, I will send several eight out on the Schuylkill on the lower course, that is, the course of the South street bridge. Last year we got out early and I am anxious to get out as early as possible again this season. The sooner we get on the water the better it will be, for I can get a much better line on the men while on the river than on the indoor machines."

The oarsmen are uneasy in their seats since Wright's announcement on Monday that he was contemplating changes in his crews. At present Wright is not at all satisfied with the showing of several of his first-string crews and within the next week, unless several of the men show a reversal in form, he will make changes in all of his five eights.

Another relay quartet from the Penn track team will get into action tonight on the New York and a relay team will meet the best club and college teams in Gotham. Altmeyer, who ran on the relay team that won in Newark Monday night, will again run the 200. Ed McMillen, the former Central High star, will run the quarter mile; Jack Herr the half and Don Head the mile.

Buffalo Problem for Bobble
Coach Robertson has not decided whether to send a team to the national championships in Buffalo Saturday night. Several members of the team are suffering from heavy colds, notably George Meredith and Larry Brown, both of whom caught severe colds in Boston last Saturday night.

If Robertson decides to send a team, it will probably be composed of Boots Lever, who will run the 200; Holden, the quarter; George Meredith the half and Larry Brown the mile. The indoor season is under way with the swimming team meets C. C. N. Y. in Weightman Hall pool, Saturday night the varsity basketball team will play at Ithaca, Friday night the freshman team meets Brooklyn Poly Prep while on Saturday night the yearlings meet Staten Island Academy. The wrestling team meets West Virginia Friday night at Morgantown, while the boxers mingle with the University of Virginia here Saturday night.

One of the biggest indoor polo games of the season for the Penn team will take place Saturday night at the Armory. Captain Jimmy Sexton and his mates will meet the Tigers in what should prove to be the deciding game of the intercollegiate Association. A victory for the Red and Blue and they will meet the best in the intercollegiate competition.

Strang, the substitute last year who distinguished himself last Saturday night against the Brooklyn Riding and Driving Club trio, will probably start the game again tomorrow night. Dixon and Sexton will be the other members of the team.

CHEEVES STARTS TRAINING
Big Cub Harler Follows Advice to Begin Ahead of Schedule
Chicago, Feb. 8.—Another member of the Chicago Nationals' pitching staff, Virgil Cheeves, has started spring conditioning in advance of the scheduled program.

The big Texan was advised by Manager William Killefer to go to Hot Springs, Ark., and indulge in daily hikes and take a course of heat to take off some superfluous weight. After a week or ten days at the resort he will go to Kansas City Mo., where he will join the first squad on February 18, en route to the training camp on the Pacific Coast.

Grover Alexander, another member of the twirling staff, has been conditioning his legs for the season.

Duncan, flashy basketball forward, again will play third base.

There are three candidates who will wage a merry battle for the backstop post. Harold Hallock, basketball captain; Jack Miller, once catcher at Calver Military Academy, and Arthur Klose, former Atlantic High player, are the ambitious catchers.

The pitching material isn't so good. Bill Grafton and Ray Johnson, scrub pitchers from last year's team, are going to report, and they develop rapidly under Coach Ogden's experienced tutoring. A regular census is being taken in hopes of finding additional boxmen.

BASEBALL CALL AT SWARTHMORE PREP

Johnny Ogden to Coach Garnet Candidates Before Leaving to Train With Orioles

PRACTICE STARTS MONDAY

By PAUL PREP SWARTHMORE PREP SCHOOL has issued its first call for baseball candidates. The initial practice will take place in the gymnasium next Monday afternoon.

Johnny Ogden, former Swarthmore College star all-around athlete and considered one of the best twirlers in the International League, will coach the team. Johnny has been tutoring the baseball quintet, which is making a great record.

Ogden, however, will not be able to coach the team during the entire season. He will drill the team during the early weeks and then will go away for the spring training trip with Jack Dunn's Baltimore Orioles.

Big League Coach?
The Garnet and Gray institution has made no plans for coaching the team after Ogden leaves. However, it is whispered a former big leaguer will join Ogden in a few days and will assume the reins immediately after the former Garnet star's departure.

Captain "Les" Brown again will be seen in his favorite position. He will play center field. Johnny Swope, formerly of Darby High, is expected to win one of the other outfield jobs, while Julian Hurt, the manager, will hold down the remaining position.

"Al" Evans, the Little Quakers' heavy hitter, again will make an appearance in a Garnet and Gray uniform. Evans, however, will not be seen in the outfield, as he intends to try for the first-base position. "Herb" Dalmas, the lanky football player, also is out for the initial-sack job.

Hallowell at Second
Johnny Crate, former Camden High star, will try for the shortest post and probably will win the position. Bill Hallowell seems to have the second-base job clinched, while "Tiny" Hall will be in the infield.

RATH TO STAY HERE
Former Red Infielder Does Not Intend to Return to Organized Ball
The Pacific Coast Baseball League has waived Maurice Rath, infielder last season with the San Francisco Club, out of that organization, and he may be sent to Kansas City, according to dispatches from the coast.

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New Haven, Conn., Feb. 8.—Tate, recently defeated Wesleyan here in a swimming meet, won his first game since the match which he is playing with Stewart, of Glasgow, for the world's or champion title. Another game played match now stands: Stewart, 2; Tate, 1.

Walter Hagen a Nimrod
Philadelphia, N. C., Feb. 8.—Walter Hagen, who won the world's amateur golf championship, defeated the weekly handicap tournament. The last shooting of the day was done by Edward Johnson, of Pittsburgh, who had 92 breaks to his credit. But the prize was awarded to John Johnson, of Buffalo, who led the field with a net score of 86, 12-98.

Banks Wins at Cheekers
Glasgow, Feb. 8.—Newell Banks, who won his first game since the match which he is playing with Stewart, of Glasgow, for the world's or champion title. Another game played match now stands: Stewart, 2; Banks, 1.

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