

BOX LACROSSE IN DEBUT HERE THIS EVENING

Swarthmore Indians Meet Chester Comets on P. M. C. Polo Field

Porter Waite Presents Gala Group of Stars for First Fray

Swarthmore **Chester**
Whitehead goal Gatchell
J. Kahler left defense Hesch
Blake right defense Stabler
Green left wing Shrader
Waite center Frazer
Ford right wing Buddington
Swarthmore Indians Reserves—
Hickman, Mailey, I. Kahler, Stritzle,
Rocher, Slupka.
Chester Comets Reserves—Budd,
French, W. Kahler, Rice, Merry-
weather, Weiss, Dolman.
Time of game—4:15 p. m.
Place—P. M. C. Practice Polo
Field, Seventeenth and Chestnut
streets.

Box lacrosse makes its debut here tonight under the arc lights. Through the courteous co-operation of Colonel Frank K. Hoyt, of the Pennsylvania Military College, Porter Waite and his fellow-lacrosse enthusiasts have been able to erect a playing box on the Seventeenth and Chestnut streets corner of the P. M. C. polo practice field and will begin their campaign at that site this evening. The first night's attraction will be presented free of charge.

The game of box lacrosse is not a new one to Chester fans as many of them were regular spectators at the former site of Porter Waite's presentation of the sport in Swarthmore. In addition, many citizens of North Chester have been to daily attendance as the Chester Comets and the Swarthmore Indians have been going through their training routines in the last few weeks.

The modified form of the sport that was handed down from the Indians is one of the fastest sports in the country today. Outstanding stars of the game, as played in this vicinity during the last few years, will be seen in action at tonight's game. Both teams will have line-ups composed of experienced box lacrosse players who first gained their merits in the original game of field lacrosse as played by the college teams.

The Indians' line-up will be about the same as last year. Goal Tender Whitehead, rated the outstanding net guardian in the Philadelphia Lacrosse League, will be back at his old post and will present a terrific obstacle to the Comets' hopes of victory. The front line defense will present the colorful all-around athlete, Joe Kahler, at left defense, with Ave Blake at the other. While Joe learned his game in the box, his partner is one of the outstanding lacrosse men in the country.

Waite will start at center with Budd Green, former Penn State luminary, and Hank Ford, Swarthmore star of a few years ago, at the wings.

Ave Blake is one of the outstanding exponents of lacrosse in the United States. He is the head coach at Swarthmore College and has just returned from a tour of England as coach of the All American lacrosse team which won all seven games played.

The alternate attack line will be composed of Bill Hickman, one of the redoubtable twins whose brother Bud is away this month but will join the team next month. Fred Mailey from Penn State, with the other wing position assignment divided between Irv Kahler and Wilkie Stritzle, both local products of the Box. The defense apares will be handled by Preston Rocher of Swarthmore College and Walt Slupka.

The All-Stars will line up with Marn Gatchell of State in the goal, Marty Hesch, another State grad, and Bob Stabler, former Swarthmore star, at the defense positions.

Wayne Frazer, captain of next year's Swarthmore team, will play center, with Irv Shrader, high scorer of the college team this year and Gus Buddington another of their teammates, at the wings.

The alternate line will be as strong as the first line, with the addition of Bob McCubbin, Baltimore star who played in the league down there last year and formerly played at Baltimore City College and Mt. Washington Club. He will be supported by Marty Scoll and Kermis Gordon of Swarthmore College. The defense apares will be Ike Budd and Charley French.

Others who will see action are Walt Kahler, Jack Rice, Ben Merryweather, Bobby Weiss and Jack Dolman.