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MT. WASHINGTON LACROSSE CLUB AT SWARTHMORE

Crack Baltimore Club Passers Visit Garnet Field Tomorrow

College Team, Hard Hit By Graduation, Hopes To Extend Classy Foe

Swarthmore College will play host to the Mt. Washington Club team on its home field, tomorrow, to officially pry off the lid of the lacrosse season in this section. The college played a practice game with the Swarthmore Lacrosse Club, last Saturday, and showed to advantage, turning in a 13-8 victory.

The Lacrosse Club was composed of members of the Summer Boy-Lacrosse League and therefore had had no practice as yet, but some good individual performers made the college boys step at times. The college team, though green, looks promising with a little more work.

The college team was hard hit by graduation last year, but the newcomers are rapidly shaping up. The veterans are led by Captain Frazer at center, who has been out of practice since his second day out, with a separation of the shoulder, making it doubtful if he will see action this week. Lew Coffin, at one home, with Barney Price at first attack, and Gary Wille at second attack are the other veterans.

Ike Budd, a member of the Chester Comets in the summer league, and Herm Knittenmaker, a football end and co-captain are fighting it out for the other home position.

The defense was harder hit, with only Fred Shaffer, a Baltimore boy, back at one point, and Mickey McCormack at goal, Izzy Sachs, from Chester, and center on the football team, and "Tennessee" Smith, both sophomores, are waging a merry battle for the other point position, with Harry Reid, who learned his lacrosse at a Maryland high school, at present taking care of the first defense job.

The position of second defense is wide open, with Carl Collet, slightly ahead of the field of Nate Smith, Bob Peelle and Bill Boam. In the absence of Captain Frazer, Dave Harman is the likely starter at center, with the Snyder brothers, Art and Paul, and Sam Creason all lacrosse boys, likely to see action in the mid-field.

The Mt. Washington team represents one of the finest groups of players in the country, having held the mythical open championship several years, until nosed out by the Baltimore Athletic Club, last year. It includes in its line-up, five members of the All-American team which toured England, last summer, winning seven out of seven, and coached incidently by the college coach, Ave Blake.

One of these boys in particular—Jack Turnbull—at first attack, Blake claims to be the finest attack man he has ever seen since he has been connected with the sport.

Lorne Gadd, one of few fine southpaws in the game, Fritz Stude, an exceptional goalie, Fred Steiber, a clever attack man, and "Kid" Norris, another southpaw midfielder with an exceptionally fine long shot, complete this group of all-stars.

The balance of the team is composed of former college and prep school stars, many of whom earned All-Maryland and All-American mention of their time.

This array of talent is expected to outclass the College boys, but Coach Blake is hoping to make a creditable showing while his boys get a lot of valuable experience.

With the starting of a few of the local high schools in the game, interest is growing rapidly and all coaches and students have been invited to attend the game as guests of the college, and this visiting team will give them a chance to see some of the best in the game in action.

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