

PENN FIVE DOWNS

COLUMBIA, 69-53

Mlkvy Leads Quakers With 22 Points as Zone Defense Thwarts Lion Team

IVY LEAGUE BASKETBALL

	W.	L.		W.	L.
Dartmouth	6	1	Princeton	4	3
Brown	4	3	Harvard	3	4
Cornell	4	3	Yale	2	5
Pennsylvania	4	3	Columbia	1	6

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Penn's defense and Bob Mlkvy proved too much for the Columbia basketball team last night. The Quakers, leading from start to finish, beat the Lions, 69-53, in an Ivy League contest at University Hall.

The Quakers' 1-2-2 zone worked perfectly to thwart the Columbia offense.

Meanwhile, Mlkvy, a 6-foot 4-inch junior, turned in a stunning performance. He was high scorer with 22 points and spiked Columbia's hopes repeatedly under the basket as his team's leading rebounder.

The victory was the visitors' fourth on the circuit, against three setbacks, all of which have come on the road. Columbia remained in the cellar with a 1-6 mark.

Penn led at 7-0 and 24-14, but the Lions spurted and came within a point at 24-23. At the half Penn was in front, 28-23.

Penn Widens Lead

In the second half Penn rolled up a 48-34 advantage. Columbia could get no closer than 8 points after that.

Columbia, with a 1-3-1 defense, failed to stop Penn on its inside drives and did not control the ball as well.

Penn's shooting from the floor accounted for twenty-six field goals in sixty-six attempts and seventeen of twenty-seven free throws. The Lions bagged only sixteen of fifty from the floor, but converted twenty-one of twenty-eight free throws. Columbia grabbed forty-four rebounds to its rival's forty-one.

While Penn moves on to Ithaca for a game with Cornell, Columbia is host to another Ivy foe, Princeton, tonight.

Last night's fray was the 116th between Columbia and Penn. The Lions hold the edge in the series, with sixty-one victories to fifty-five for the Quakers.

PENN (69)					COLUMBIA (53)				
	G.	F.	P.	P.		G.	F.	P.	P.
Greenleaf	3	0	3	6	Rodin	2	1	3	5
Canzano	5	2	0	12	Auzenberg	2	9	2	13
Mlkvy	10	2	2	22	London	1	1	2	3
Regan	4	6	3	14	Melton	4	3	4	11
Cook	1	0	5	2	Tellefsen	2	4	4	8
Kwalt	1	4	1	6	Needleman	3	1	2	7
Aberman	1	3	2	5	Bernson	2	0	1	4
Zajac	1	0	0	2	Erdhelm	0	2	0	2
Gamba	0	0	0	0	Brown	0	0	0	0
					Grossman	0	0	0	0
Total	26	17	16	69	Total	16	21	18	53

Half-time score—Penn 28, Columbia 23.

Free throws missed—Rodin, Auzenberg 4, London, Tellefsen. Penn: Greenleaf, Canzano, Mlkvy 3, Regan 5.

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