

Biben's Injury Makes Penn Backfield Uncertain for Game With Dartmouth Saturday in Gotham

COCHRANE MAY REGAIN GUARD POST AT PENN

Veteran Is Making Great Fight to Start Dartmouth Game; Backfield Uncertain for Saturday

JOE BIBEN IS INJURED

WALTER COCHRANE, Penn's husky lineman and veteran guard of the last two seasons, is making a determined fight to win back his berth that Graf, a former scrub player, took last Saturday. To be on a team for two seasons and then to lose the post to a scrub has fired the big Arizona lad with the fight that usually tells. Yesterday Heisman sent Cochrane into his regular place for the first time since early last week, and the manner in which the big guard smothered the scrub opposition brought a gleam of joy into Gus Ziegler's eye. Cochrane was all over the field yesterday and, despite the slippery ground and his weight, made tackles that several men many pounds lighter failed to make. Almost from the start of practice Cochrane worked like a heater, and when the scrimmage drill started he exhibited the kind of play that made him a star last season.

The coaches were non-committal about the position Cochrane is fighting for, but one of the veterans said that a continuance of yesterday's work would win him back his berth. This is Cochrane's last year at Penn and he is anxious to finish it out as a regular.

Big Gentner, the former Brooklyn football star who labored on the second team on Tuesday, was back at his old post yesterday and exhibited the same amount of pluck and partner, Cochrane. He will probably get the call on Saturday over Penitentiary, who held down the tackle in the offensive scrimmage drill on Tuesday.

The remainder of the line will be the same as started last Saturday, with the exception of changes of position. John Thurman, the veteran tackle of last year's eleven who has been playing guard most of this season, was switched back to his old post yesterday and will remain there for the remainder of the season.

Sutherland, who played tackle for four years, has been sent to Thurman's place at guard. Sutherland opened the season at tackle, but was changed when injured forced Thurman to the sidelines after the first two weeks of the season.

There is a possibility that Ernest-vang, who is suffering from a badly sprained ankle, may be kept out of the Dartmouth game at the start and George Sullivan sent in. Sully has been playing remarkable football at right end and in the scrimmage drills, and the coaches are becoming more and more impressed with his ability to catch forward passes and to provide interference.

Responsible for Only Score
He is the lad responsible for the tie score with Swarthmore and also the maker of the only touchdown Penn has made in the last two games. He is as light as Erie, but faster. His lack of experience in his only drawback, but the coaches are willing to overlook this factor if he continues his catching of passes and general all-around play.

The backfield is a matter of conjecture and probably will remain until the coaches meeting in New York Friday night. Yesterday Joe Biben, the former Central High School star, was unable to practice because of a badly bruised shoulder received in the scrimmage drill on Tuesday.

Biben did not complain about the hurt Tuesday after practice, but unable to sleep during the night he called Dr. Light's attention to it yesterday afternoon and he ordered the back to take a rest. A special brace will be made for the shoulder, and if there is the slightest improvement the coaches anticipate sending Biben in at fullback against Dartmouth.

It's Wray and Los Miller are the two candidates for the backfield, with the diminutive skipper calling the signals. Tom Hauser has not had enough practice this week to warrant his starting in the game, according to one of the coaches.

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The Germantown Friends' School went through the season without a score against it. The eleven players on success tie with Germantown Academy. Left to right, standing—Hague, Simons, Newhauser, Strawbridge, Atherton, Goff. Kneeling—Balk, Weygandt, Captain Hutchinson, Staples, Nicholas.

VAST SPORTS BODY URGED BY WEEKS

Secretary of War Proposes National Organization to Control Amateur Activities

STANDARDIZATION ONE AIM

New York, Nov. 10.—Formation of a huge national association, composed of all existing amateur sports organizations of importance, is proposed by Secretary of War John W. Weeks in a letter to Gustavus T. Kirby, of New York, president of the Olympia Committee.

Mr. Weeks in Washington has made public his letter, which bears the date of November 6. Mr. Weeks also has sent Mr. Kirby the draft of a proposed constitution for the new body, which he suggests shall be called the National Amateur Athletic Federation of the United States.

Mr. Weeks' letter is in answer to a letter to him from Mr. Kirby, sent in the latter part of October, and asking cooperation in the work of American participation in the next Olympic Games.

The Secretary of War has in mind the formation of an organization which will have an important, perhaps vital, influence on the upbuilding of the Nation's manhood and womanhood, an organization which will seek to aid in bringing physical exercise, through sports to a much larger percentage of the population, men, women and children, than now derives benefit from this source.

The proposed organization would standardize the rules of all amateur sports, would maintain the highest ideals of true amateurism, and would direct and control participation in the Olympic Games.

It is intended that each of the individual organizations composing the national federation membership shall direct its own activities and conduct its own competitions in accordance with the rules of the central body.

Penalties imposed by one member would be honored by all members. It is further suggested that there shall be regional and State bodies, in direct local control of sports, on behalf of the national body, in regions and States under their jurisdiction.

Pitt Prepares for W and J.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 10.—The Pitt Panthers will practice this morning instead of afternoon. Marshall Foch will be the guest of the city today and a big reception is to be tendered him in grand outdoor at Phipps Plaza, which will precede his use in the afternoon by the football players.

Wesleyan Regulars Return
Middletown, Conn., Nov. 10.—All the men who were injured in the Amateur game are now back in the Wesleyan line-up. Foch is nursing a badly cut lip, but played yesterday at right guard and did good work.

Famous Centre Eleven to Play on the Coast

Danville, Ky., Nov. 10.—Coach Charles Moran, of the famous Centre College football team, announces that his players will journey to Pasadena to meet the University of California eleven, on Christmas Day. A message inviting the Centre team to play a post-season game on the Coast was received here several days ago.

The local collegians have two more games to play before the close of the regular season. They will meet the Auburn College eleven, one of the strongest teams in the South, at Birmingham, Ala., on Saturday, and a week later they will oppose Washington and Lee at Louisville.

Tigers Start Swimming Drill
Princeton, N. J., Nov. 10.—Full practice for the Princeton swimming and water polo team started here when forty men reported to Coach Sullivan for their first workout. Among the candidates were eight members of the Tiger championship water polo team of last season. Sixteen from the swimming squad of last year and twenty-seven members of the 1921 squad were likewise on deck.

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BIG GRID RALLY AT WEST PHILLY

Speedboys Will Hold Mass-Meeting, on Eve of Central Game, Tonight

NORRIS GREEN IN CHARGE

By PAUL PREP
The annual football rally of the West Philadelphia High School will be staged by the Alumni Association at Arcade Hall, Fifty-first street and Baltimore avenue tonight. The rally will be staged in an effort to inspire the Speedboy gridlers on the eve of the big Intercollegiate League game with Central High's Mirrors on Houston Field, Twenty-ninth and Somerset streets, tomorrow afternoon.

The mass-meeting tonight, which, by the way, will start at 8 o'clock, is what might be called a tradition at the Walnut street institution. True, the school has only been in existence since 1914, but from the first time that the Speedboys met the Mirrors, the team has held a rally on the eve of the game.

League Game Today
One Intercollegiate League football game is scheduled for this afternoon, Frankford High is booked to meet Southern High on Brown's field, Oxford pike above the high school. Frankford will be forced to start the

Interscholastic League Standing and Schedule

FOOTBALL	I.	T.	P.
Frankford High	3	1	0
West Phila. High	3	1	0
Central High	3	1	0
Northeast High	3	1	0
Germantown High	3	1	0
Southern High	3	1	0

TODAY'S GAMES
FOOTBALL
Intercollegiate League
Frankford High at Southern High, Brown's Field, Oxford pike and Borus street, ROCHAM.

OTHER GAMES
Intercollegiate League
Southern High at West Philadelphia High, Fifty-first street and Chester avenue.
Central High at Northeast High, Northeast Field, Twenty-ninth and Clearfield streets.
Frankford High at Germantown High, Haverford School at Penn Charter, Queen Lane.

game without the services of its star fullback, Charlie Weekes. His injury, a sprained ankle, came on the eve of the game, which, if won by Frankford, will give the Pioneers their first league championship. Frankford is the favorite, even though Weekes, who is the second highest scorer in the league, is out.

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Frankford on Saturday

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Manager Bowker, of the Yellow-jackets, will not likely make any changes in the line-up of the home team. Perrotti will play center. The backfield will start with Pool, Henning, Smith and Nemzek. Williams and Adams may start on the wings. Taylor may play a guard position.

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