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The Indian Game.

State met defeat at the hands of the Indians in a fast game of football at Williamsport last Saturday by the score of 18 to 5. The Indians outweighed State by a considerable margin and their team work due to their long football careers was very much in evidence. Aside from a good many remarks in regard to the unsatisfactory work of the officials and to Coach Warner's tactics along the sidelines, the game was very much enjoyed by the crowd of 4000 or more spectators. A noteworthy feature of the game was the excellent cheering done by State's 800 undergraduates who seemed never to lose faith in the team. A hundred Bucknell students also cheered for the White and Blue.

The Indian squad of 40 men were first on the field and their appearance won much applause which was hardly distinguishable, however, amid the deafening roars which greeted State's squad of 25 men, who soon followed.

Referee Dunbar soon called the teams together for final instructions in regard to the game and a circle was formed for the toss, which the Redskins won. They defended the west goal with a stiff wind in their favor.

At the whistle McCleary kicked off to Hauser who ran back to the 30 yard line. Hauser gained but 5 yards on two downs and Mt. Pleasant kicked 45 yards to McCleary who sped back 10. At this point State was like a whirlwind to the Indians as Maxwell skirted left end for 20 yards, McCleary 15, then none and Larry made 10 around

right end. McCleary 5, Vorhis 6, Hirshman made 3 but lost 1 on the next try, and State was given 5 yards for offside playing. Smith circled tackle for 3 and State was here penalized 15 yards for holding. Maxwell made 17 on a forward pass, Smith 1, and Burns rumbled a forward pass but Smith fell on the ball for State. This should have been a first down for State with a good chance to score but the official failed to see it that way and gave the Indians the ball on their 9 yard line by a margin of 2 inches. On the first line-up Mt. Pleasant kicked 50 yards to Vorhis who went back 8. The Indians got the ball on a forward pass and then a fake kick and forward pass by Mt. Pleasant netted 25 yards. Hauser made 8, Hendricks 8, and a fumble gave State the ball on her 21 yard line amid great cheers. McCleary at once kicked 35 yards but by a series of rushes the copper hued men carried the ball to State's 35 yard line where Hauser missed a try at goal from placement. McCleary kicked out from the 25 yard line and the Indians again got 18 on a forward pass out fumbled the next, Weaver falling on the ball for State. McCleary again kicked and on the first play Hendricks got away for what looked to be a touchdown but a fine tackle by Vorhis floored him on State's 16 yard line, in which the plucky quarterback got a kick on the head. At this point the Nittany Lions held and Hauser succeeded in scoring a placement kick from the 23 yard line. Score 4 to 0.

McCleary kicked off to Exendine on the 25 yard line who ran back 8. Hauser failed to gain and Mt. Pleas-

ant kicked 35 yards to Hirshman who was downed in his tracks. Winnie went in for Hendricks and on the first play "Bull" McCleary got through the Indian line for a beautiful 70 yard run for a touchdown. Zink failed to hold the ball on the kickout and the score stood State 5, Indians 4.

Mt. Pleasant kicked off to McCleary who brought the ball back 22 yards. McCleary immediately kicked 25 against the wind and Smith downed the redman where he stood. From here the ball was juggled back and forth until Burns blocked Hauser's attempt at placement from the 50 yard line and got the ball. State failed to gain and McCleary punted 25. On a forward pass Exendine got away for a 35 yard run for a touchdown. Mt. Pleasant kicked the goal, making the score 10 to 5. Shortly after this, time ended for the first half.

SECOND HALF

As the teams went on the field for the second half, Grey was at center for State, Haverstick at quarterback, Coulson in left half, and Hirshman at fullback, while Lubo replaced Exendine, who went to right end for the Indians. Mt. Pleasant kicked off to McCleary on the 5 yard line who sped back 22. McCleary made 1 then punted 40 yards to the fleet-footed Mt. Pleasant who went back 20 and was brought down by Ritchey. The Redskins netted 21 yards on line plays and were penalized 15 yards for holding. They then made 33 yards on a forward pass and line plunges which brought the ball to State's 17 yard line from which Hauser kicked another goal from placement. Score 14 to 5.