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ANALYSIS OF SEASON'S PLAYS

Mauthe Leads in Scoring—Miller Gains Most Yards—Forward Pass "Very" Successful.

Captain Mauthe proved to be the greatest point winner for Penn State in the football season just closed. He scored 11 touchdowns, 8 goals from field and kicked 29 goals from touchdowns totalling 119 points. Very ranks second with 9 touchdowns, and Miller a close third with 8 touchdowns and two goals from touchdowns. The scoring record follows:

	G.	T. D.	F. G.	G.	T.
Mauthe	8	11	8	29	119
Very	8	9			54
Miller	7	8		2	50
Berry'n	8	3			18
Lamb	8	3			18
Wilson	8	2			12
Welty	8	1			6
Keller	5	1			6
Totals	38	38	8	31	283
Safety—State against Gtsbg.					2
					285

The records for the season show that "Shorty" Miller was the greatest ground gainer, the midget quarterback carried the ball 66 times in seven games for a total gain of 801 yards in seven games, an average of 12.4 yards per trial, and of 114 yards per game. Mauthe is second in number of yards gained but first in number of times of carrying the ball. The Blue and White leader took the ball 121 times for a total of 710 yards, an average of 90 yards per game and six yards per trial. Most of the yards gained by Capt. Mauthe were on line plays while Miller gained mostly on end runs. Berryman ranks third in yards gained and times carrying the ball with Very fourth. The latter has the highest average in yards gained per trial, the star end taking the ball 17 times for a total of 234 yards gain or an average of 14 yards trial. Twenty-four men played for the Blue and White during the season and thirteen of these took part in carrying the ball from scrimmage. Penn State made over 100 first downs, and gained over 2300 yards from scrimmage as against 25 first downs and 830 yards from scrimmage. Summary of yard gained from scrimmage by leading players follows:

	Y.G.	C.B.T.	Av.T.	Av.G.
Miller	801	66	12.4	114
Mauthe	710	121	6	90
Berry'n	369	62	6	46
Very	234	17	14	29
Welty	91	18	5	8
Tobin	89	14	6	22
Wilson	65	13	5	8

Lamb, Engle, Weston, Keller, Langdon, and Welling were the other men who carried the ball for lesser yards of gain.

In the use of the forward pass Penn State showed superiority over all opponents. Many sporting writers chose Pazetti of Lehigh for All-American quarter back, giving as one of their reasons, his ability to throw forward passes. They evidently had not consulted the records of "Shorty" Miller, who in 23 attempts succeeded 17 times for a total gain of 230 yards. Of more importance is the fact that nine of these passes carried the ball over the line for touchdowns. Mauthe made three successful passes gaining 122 yards. Very

and Wilson received the same number of forward passes, but the former gained more yards. He caught eight passes for 187 yards gain while Wilson caught eight for 115 yards gain. Lamb and Engle caught two passes each for total gains of 25 yards each. State was successful 20 times in 30 trials. With the exception of Cornell, our opponents succeeded but five times in 12 trials. Cornell made most of her gains on the forward pass but could not use the play to produce touchdowns, which latter fact was the greatest one in connection with Penn State's use of the play.

Mauthe, punting for the Blue and White, more than held his own with opponents. Mauthe kicked 38 times for a total of 1447 yards, an average of 38 yards per punt, while our opponents were forced to kick 67 times for a total of 2092 yards or an average of 31 yards per punt.

Miller proved to be in a class by himself in handling punts. He caught 35 without a fumble, and returned them for a total of 596 yards, or an average of 17 yards, while his opponents averaged but 7 yards. Mauthe returned 15 punts for 187 yards an average of 12 yards per punt.

In returning kick offs Very led. He returned 12 kick-offs for a total of 240 yards, Wilson returned eight for 164 yards, while Berryman and Miller also had good averages in yards in returning kick-offs. The Blue and White made a grand average return of 20 yards per kick-off while her opponents averaged 13 yds per kick-off.

Penn State fumbled nine times during the season as against an equal number for her opponents, but the Blue and White fumbles never happened at critical times while those of our opponents in several instances meant scores for Penn State. Penn State blocked four kicks during the season but had none of her own kicks blocked. The Blue and White suffered 250 yards in penalties as against 150 for her opponents.

The Blue and White made 78 substitutions during the season's games while her opponents made 47. The great number of substitutions was not due to injuries, but goes to show the strength of the reserve material that represents the Blue and White. Five substitutions were necessary on the Blue and White team because of injuries, while our opponents made seventeen substitutions for the same cause.

CALENDAR.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18		
7:30 p. m.	Room 202 Engineering Building:	Lecture by Mr. Kelsey.
FRIDAY, DEC. 20		
11:10 a. m.	Christmas Recess	Begins.
THURSDAY DEC. 26		
	"Farmers' Week"	Lectures Begin.
THURSDAY, JAN. 2		
1:20 p. m.	Christmas	Recess Ends.
SATURDAY, JAN. 4		
8:00 p. m.	Auditorium.	Free Lecture by President Sparks. Egypt.

Fort Pitt Again.

The Pittsburgh Club will hold an informal feed in the Dutch Room of the Fort Pitt Hotel, Saturday, Dec. 28, at 8:30 p. m.

The Awakening of Public Sentiment.

When Cornell dropped Penn State from her football schedule last week, sporting editors all through the East commented on the action. The following clipping written by Mr. Chandler Richter, Sporting Editor, appeared in the Philadelphia Evening Times, Dec. 14.

"Cornell has taken advantage of Ohio State's joke claim that Penn State played rough football, and the Ithacans have announced that Hollenback's wonderful eleven will no longer be placed on the Carnelian and White schedule.

When Ohio State walked off the field, forfeiting its game to Penn State when the score stood 37 to 0 against it, the Ohioans were given the laugh throughout the country, and now Cornell has fallen in line. Cornell made no protest after its defeat at State's hands until the past week, when it evidently suddenly dawned on the Corneliens that this would be a nice way to escape defeat in the future at the hands of a college that is not considered quite up to snuff, scholastically, in Ithaca.

When football conditions reach such a stage at a university where a parlor game is wanted in preference to the good old-fashioned game, it is time to quit. Wonder what these Cornell players of the present day would do if they were forced to go through the siege that was necessary about ten or fifteen years ago.

Penn was beaten by State, but did not raise any cry of "unnecessary roughness," and that game was an excellent example of hard, aggressive football. State plays hard football, but it is clean and above board. The team that doesn't play hard football will never amount to much, and for mine, I think State deserves credit for its football ability."

F. and M. Defeated in Soccer.

Playing in mid-season form, the Varsity defeated Franklin and Marshall College in the first of their regularly scheduled matches by the score 4-1. The Penn State team were the aggressors throughout the game and the resulting score clearly indicates the superiority of our men. Valentour, Meixner, Buchanan and Bishop were the individual stars for State and were directly responsible for our tallies.

The strong Haverford College eleven were our opponents yesterday but we were unable to secure score and details of the game before this paper went to press. Today the Varsity will play Westtown, at Westtown, Pa. Scores and summaries of both matches will appear in the next issue of the Collegian.

The Special Trains.

Owing to the fact that only 800 men have signed up for special train service at Christmas time, it is likely that no special trains will be run on Friday. We lost an opportunity here in our attitude of indifference to the Pennsylvania Railroad to be benefitted by at least an assurance of a seat to our home city.

New Assistant Football Managers.

At the election held last Monday evening, December 16, C. A. Lord, W. W. Whetstone, and J. L. Beatty of the sophomore class were elected to assist Manager Fleming next fall,

Water Color Exhibition.

A loan collection of water color paintings, made by some of the foremost water color artists of America, will be exhibited in Room 203, of the Engineering Building, from January 3rd to 7th, 1913. This collection has been loaned to the Architectural Engineering Department, of the School of Engineering, through the efforts of Mr. A. L. Kocher, Instructor in Architecture, by the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts of Philadelphia, thus giving the students of our college and the residents of our town a chance to see a few of the extraordinary paintings just shown by the Academy at its tenth and most successful exhibition. The selections have been made by Mr. J. E. D. Trask, late Director of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts and now Director of the Panama-Pacific Exposition which will be held in San Francisco in 1915. The exhibition at State College will be under the direction of Mr. Kocher, who will be assisted by Miss Anna E. Redifer, of the Department of Industrial Art.

Opportunities like this do not often come to the small town located as is State College, and no one can afford to miss this display. The paintings will be on exhibition to the public on Saturday, Monday Tuesday, from 9 to 12 a. m., and 8 to 10 p. m. To facilitate the viewing of the collection it is suggested that students take advantage of the Saturday afternoon and evening periods. Monday afternoon will most likely be devoted to the pupils of the public schools, and it will probably be more pleasant for the residents of State College to see the collection during the Tuesday periods. No children will be admitted unless accompanied by an older person.

Everyone is invited to come. You will be welcomed at any time the collection is on view, if the times suggested above are not convenient.

Professor Gregg's Successor.

Professor Arthur Westcott Cowell comes after the Christmas recess to head the courses in Landscape Gardening which place has previously been filled by Professor John W. Gregg. Mr. Cowell's training for the profession began at the Buffalo Botanical Gardens in 1898 and has continued through all phases of the work of a landscape designer. For a number of years he was the associate of a prominent landscape architect in Pittsburgh and later took up landscape contracting in Philadelphia. He has acquired considerable reputation as a designer, and as a field engineer and plantsman among landscape gardeners. A very large number of private estates and parks and railroad improvements throughout the East bear the earmarks of his craftsmanship. His interest in civic betterment has brought him from time to time before public and civic improvement meetings in a number of towns. He was one of the pioneers on the landscape gardening course at Cornell University, taking his degree there in 1903, and immediately went into active work which he has since pursued in the large and ever increasing field of landscape art.

The Registration Days for the second semester will be Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, January 13, 14 and 15.

MILLER NEXT CAPTAIN

Our Excellent Quarterback Honored With the Football Captaincy for Next Year—Fleming Elected Manager.

Ex-captains Very and Mauthe, Engle, Wilson, Hansen, Whitney, Bebout, Clark, Miller, Berryman, Lamb, Tobin and Welty, the "S" men of the 1912 football team, unanimously chose Eugene Miller '14, the midget quarterback, as the Penn State 1913 football captain.

E. E. Miller, better known as "Shorty" Miller, has a wide reputation which is by no means limited to the State of Pennsylvania. Many expert critics throughout the country elected him to the position of quarterback on their All-American teams. He started his football career at the Harrisburg High School where he captained the team of that school in his senior year. He



Captain Miller

immediately donned a football uniform upon his entrance to Penn State in 1910—made good and has played in every game since then excepting the Gettysburg game this fall which he missed through taking a necessary trip to Philadelphia with Coach Hollenback.

The wee fellow, who weighs but 140 pounds, has been a wonder in guiding the Penn State team always giving the right signal at the right time. He is a phenomenal broken field runner invariably making long sensational runs, is a sure catcher of punts and in fact possesses all the qualifications of an All-American quarterback. "Shorty's" popularity has been gained only partly through his football ability, as the good character and personality which he possesses are beyond reproach. With such a leader as Miller for next year's varsity eleven, a successful season is predicted.

Manager Kerr of this year's team performed his duties faultlessly and his hard work was partly responsible for the team's success. Niel Fleming '14, the newly elected manager showed sufficient ability while acting in the capacity of assistant football manager, to insure future success in his new and higher position.