

FRESHMEN OPEN SEASON AGAINST KISKI

Lions, Bisons Meet In 28th Grid Renewal

Celebrate 50th Year Of Series Before Alumni Crowd

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every bit as good as Tomasetti, and that Bucknell's new coach, Al Humphreys, has four or five others who are sure to give State plenty of trouble tomorrow afternoon. The entire Lion coaching staff scouted the Lewisburg team Friday night, and the Bisons repaid the visit by sending the whole football squad here last Saturday to see the Gettysburg drubbing.

The Higginsmen have continued to be harassed by injuries during this week's drills. Here is the latest list: Danny DeMarino will again be out of uniform along with Economos; Lloyd Ickes, Dick Skemp, Carl Waugaman, and Dud Ender are nursing old and new knee injuries; Tony Giannantonio has been bothered by a hurt shoulder; Washy Washabaugh is recovering from a spike wound in his foot; Steve Rollins hurt his hand in the Gettysburg tilt.

Spike Alter, who will probably start at right end for the Lions, is being treated for a sore back. And even the stocky Donato turned up with an injured rib. All except DeMarino and Economos will be in shape to see action against the Herd, due to the untiring efforts of the team's new trainer, Jack Hulme, who said that "it took plenty of midnight oil to do it."

The State starting lineup will find Alex Barantovich and Alter, ends; Dean Hanley and Bill Ellwood, tackles; Tor Toretti and Joe Peel, guards; Bernie Briggs, center; and Harry Harrison, Donato, Joe Metro, and Johnny Patrick, backs.

Humphreys expects to start much the same lineup that saw action in the first two games. This includes Harry Wenner and Hoover Rhodes, ends; Co-capt. Enio Conti and Jack Lynn, tackles; Ed Barron and Kurt Manrodt, guards; Hal Pegg, center; Bill Lane or Sid Canarick, quarterback; Tomasetti, left halfback; Co-capt. Herb Bowman or Punair, right halfback; and Marty Quick or George Kieck, fullback.

Varsity Golfer Upset In All-College Tourney

Buddie Miller moved into the semifinals of the all-college golf tourney by upsetting Jack Mahaffey, a member of last year's golf team, 4 and 2. Bernie Burkett and Ed Hedba, both members of last year's team, will meet in the quarter-finals. Another member of last year's team, Joe Stevenson, will play the winner of the Cook-Green match, which is also in the quarter-finals.

Will The Lions Claw These Fast Running Bisons?



WILLIAM 'BILL' LANE



MARTY QUICK



LOUIS TOMASETTI

BETWEEN THE LIONS

Tomorrow's football game between Penn State and Bucknell will see the renewal of one of the oldest intercollegiate sports relationships.

In 1881, before either college officially adopted football, the two teams met, with Penn State emerging the victor. Then, in 1887, the series really began.

It is interesting to note that the Lions and Bisons clashed in 1888, but the game was ruled out of the records. It seems that a referee's decision was disputed and both teams left the field before the contest was over.

Until last year, when the Nittany Lions chalked up an impressive 14-0 victory, Bucknell dominated the modern version of the old rivalry. Penn State's last triumph before 1936 was recorded in 1926.

And it was one of the most spectacular plays in football that led to State's victory on New Beaver field last year. Johnny Patrick, then a sophomore, took the opening kickoff and romped 94 yards for a touchdown.

In the two meetings preceding last year's, Bucknell scored two victories in games featured by Penn State's disorganized playing. In 1935, playing in Bucknell's concrete stadium on a bitter cold day, the Bisons eked out a disheartening 2-0 decision.

The game tomorrow means much for both teams. For Bucknell, it will mark the first major engagement of the season after none too impressive victories over Ursinus and Lebanon Valley, two small teams. Those who witnessed these frays were dismayed by the Bisons' showing.

For Penn State, tomorrow's game provides the first fairly stiff test since the Cornell battle in which the Lions dropped a 26-19 game to the team-touted as the best in the country. If the Lions can defeat Bucknell, it means that the first half of the season will have been completed in winning style. The next encounter with Lehigh looms as a Nittany triumph.

The grid coaches claim that Bucknell has a tough team. On the Bisons' performances, however, the opposite is indicated. It's true that the Bucknell-State battle is always traditionally hard-fought, but we still think the Higgins-coached team has too much on 'em 'for the eleven under a new coach.

Without the bat of an eye, we pick the Nittany Lions, by three touchdowns.

Penn State's freshman football team will open its season with the always strong Kiski Prep team tomorrow morning. The performance of the yearlings will be interesting to watch.

Admittedly, the new crop of Lion gridders is the biggest and toughest to wear the freshman green in many years. The 60-man squad boasts many well-known names.

Coach Marty McAndrews has selected two teams of practically equal strength. He expects to use them alternately in addition to eight or nine other players. There is a singular purpose in this strategy.

Fundamentally, the idea of freshman football is to develop players for the varsity. This will be McAndrews' aim. To win games will be a side issue. We hope it works.

Fans Would Enjoy Seeing Patrick Repeat Dash

Bucknell's Bisons had hardly finished lacing up their uniforms before Johnny Patrick took their opening kick-off and tore 94 yards up their middle for a touchdown last year.

Fans will be looking for a repetition tomorrow, and although it's asking quite a bit, Johnny will do his best to oblige. The boys in the press box will probably experience difficulty next year in trying to distinguish between the two Johnny Patricks. Johnny (the junior) is not related to the freshman griddier of the same name.

Johnny is a great family man. Takes walks out to Bob Higgins' home about once a week to entertain Bob's three girls... wants a family of girls just like Bob's youngsters... next to losing football games, he hates cheese... has played the last six years with Economos... at Schenley, Kiski, and here... turned down a chance to go to Notre-Dame in order to come to State... was president of the freshman class and Druids... is a member of that athletic plant, Phi Delta Theta... he is an able boxer, too... saved a school teacher from drowning this summer...

Schott Will Address Varsity 'S' Smoker

The Varsity "S" club annual smoker will be held at the Centre Hill country club tonight at 8 o'clock.

Speakers of the evening will be Dr. Carl S. Schott, dean of the School of Physical Education and Athletics and Football Coach Bob Higgins.

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By SAL SALA

Marty McAndrews' 1937 edition of freshman footballers will open its season against Kiski tomorrow at 10 o'clock on New Beaver field before the critical eyes of homecoming alumni.

McAndrews was well pleased with the showing his yearlings made against the experienced and drilled varsity in scrimmages held in the past weeks. However, the injury jinx that has haunted Higgins, and his varsity squad since their season opened, has caught up with the freshmen and reduced the team to a skeleton of its former self.

Planning to use two or more men at every position during a single game, Marty now has difficulty in placing a starting team on the field.

For tomorrow's tilt, McAndrews plans to use Tom Vargo at left end with Parsons on the other side. At left tackle Marty selected Walt Kniaz and Frank Platt at right tackle. Smith and Smith will be at left and right guard, respectively, while Abe Karlin will hold down the center position.

In the backfield, Chuck Peters and Craig White will play at half positions with Harvey Beahm at fullback and John Patrick calling signals.

That, so far, is McAndrews' strongest eleven. For replacements, Marty is at a loss as to who should go on. Lefty Covey, a promising passer and ball carrier, will be out for a week with a sprained ankle, while Bob Crowell, end, will watch the game from the bench with a leg injury.

Harry Dennis, a six-foot-four, 210-pound tackle, was developing into a hard-driving linesman when studies called a halt to his activities. John Barr sustained a severe knee injury, similar to that of John Economos, and will not see action this year. Barr was one of Marty's best pass receivers.

The average weight of the team is 180 pounds while their height is 5 feet, 11 inches. The yearling-line from end to end averages the scale at 185 pounds while rising to a 5-foot, 11-inch height. The backfield combination stands just 6 feet and weighs 176 pounds.

While this seems to stand out as a fairly powerful combination, Kiski comes here with a line averaging approximately 192 pounds and with a 0-0 game under their belts.

St. Vincent's freshmen held the reputedly strongest prep school eleven in the east to a scoreless tie last Saturday. Kiski appeared on its way to a score once or twice but was stopped by a stubborn defense. The Prep school used all power plays in the first three quarters but resorted to the air in the last period in a vain effort to score.

Booters Face Bucknell With Lineup Intact

Jeffrey Forsees Second Victory Of Year Tomorrow

By ROY NICHOLS

Practically the same lineup that overwhelmed Gettysburg last week will take the field tomorrow when the Lion soccer team meet Bucknell on New Beaver field at 1 o'clock.

Coach Bill Jeffrey feels sure that the team has what it takes for a victory. He is not so sure, however, that the easy win of last week may not have had an over-inflating effect upon the team.

Mandel to Start

Dick Haag, goalie whose dislocated shoulder kept him out of the Gettysburg fray, may play, although in scrimmages this week he still favored his injury. Eddie Mandel, right halfback, will be among the starters. Eddie played the last quarter of the game with the Bullets, and has now completely recovered from his cold.

Except for the goal position, which is still undecided, the lineup will be: Jack Mallory, outside left; Capt. Sol Miehoff, inside left; Frank Megraill, center forward; Av Taylor, inside right; Carl Wacker, outside right; Fred Spiker, left halfback; Walt Painter, center halfback; Eddie Mandel, right halfback; Bill Borda, left fullback; and Bob Schuler, right fullback.

Bucknell opened its season last week by defeating Rider College, 3-1. The Bison coach, Joe Reno, had eight vacancies to fill at the beginning of the season... Harriet Kalar will again start the ball rolling... The Lions downed Bucknell 6-0 last year.

Swimmers Start Outdoor Training

Both varsity and freshman swimming squads started outdoor practice with the Kiphuth training exercises on Wednesday afternoon. Over 50 prospective swimmers are in the group.

Regulars from last year's varsity are: Capt. Robert Dewalt, Chuck Welsh, Ken Bunk, Bob Brown, Bechtel, Holdren, Cobb, Hoy, Hart, Parks, and Oliver. Moving up from last year's frosh team are: Vinzant, McLaughlin, Zachs, Webb, Wood, Hancock, Schaffner, Stew Gross, and Yoder. New varsity aspirants are Priolo, Coleman, Heppell, Johnson, Vlosak, Singer, Crocker, Firehook, and Burghardt.

Freshman Tryouts Held

Twenty-five frosh survived the eliminations held Monday and Tuesday. The fastest time in the trials was turned in by Kirkpatrick, winner of last spring's P. I. A. A. 50-yard championship. Other qualifiers were McCarthy, Bittner, Boileau, Brinker, Bond, Brogan, Engle, Cronan, Hildebrand, Kershner, Haigh, Mills, Montgomery, Quinn, Reilly, Robinson, Stambaugh, Stashak, Stoyer, Yerkes, Welsh, and Walter.



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