

# Lions, Huskers Clash Today

## Lion Jayvee Grid Squad To Meet Navy

### Nittanymen To Play Four-Game Slate

While the Lion varsity football machine entertains Nebraska on its home ground, Beaver Field, the Nittany jayvee gridgers meet Navy at Annapolis.

A 32-man contingent of jayvee gridmen entrained yesterday for the Naval Academy for their opening encounter in their abbreviated four-game schedule.

The charges of Coach Bill Gutteron meet Lock Haven on October 22, and on the 28th they square off against Syracuse, both tussles being slated for the home field.

In another home encounter, on November 11, the Lion juniors conclude campaigning against Bucknell's jayvees.

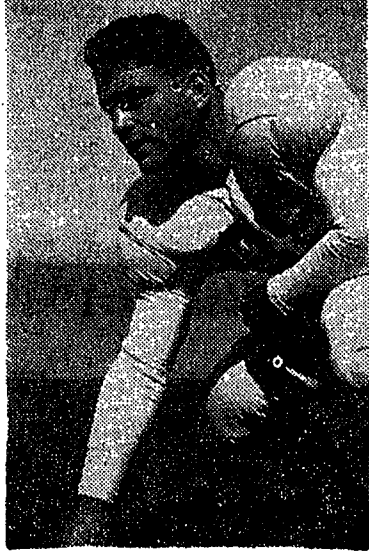
Gutteron has not yet decided on his starting eleven and plans not to announce it until kickoff time.

Three former Lion football specialists, Joe Colone, captain last season, John Potsklan, co-captain of the Cotton Bowl team, and Ray Uliniski, Nittany backfield stand-out, are Gutteron's assistants.

## Record Crowd Expected Today For Homecoming Battle

A Homecoming crowd expected to over-shadow any previous Beaver Field football audience will watch the Nittany Lions of Penn State tangle with their first intersectional rival, the Nebraska Cornhuskers, in a battle of ground maneuvers this afternoon. Kickoff time is 2 o'clock.

### Slated to Start



FRED FELBAUM

Pre-game sales indicate a crowd in excess of the 24,500 who overflowed the field a year ago to see State tie with Michigan State (14-14). With moderate temperatures and partly cloudy weather forecast, returning alumni and their friends may fill Penn State's enlarged-to-30,000 stadium for the first time.

The Lions are favored to chalk up their second straight victory in this fourth game of the season. They lost their first two games to Villanova and Army. Nebraska sports a 2-won, 1-lost record, boasting wins over South Dakota and Kansas State with a loss to powerful Minnesota injected between.

### AIR TRIP

Nebraska set up camp in Bellefonte yesterday after their first air trip to a football game landed them in Pittsburgh from Lincoln, Thursday. The Huskies completed the trip by bus.

Both elevens are near top strength. Lion Head Coach Joe Bedenk, for the second straight weekend, will revamp the starting right-side of the line with Fred Felbaum and sophomore Ed Hoover opening at guard and tackle respectively. Jack Storer, who dragged down two touch-down passes against Boston College last week, will start at left end in place of John Smidansky, and Charley Murray will replace the still-ailing Chuck Drazenovich at the starting quarter-back slot.

Bill Glassford, Nebraska coach, has chosen Nick "Bull" Adduci to open at fullback. Francis Nagle, who does the passing and ball-handling from the Cornhusker "T," is slated for a starting berth despite a rumored injury incurred in the Kansas State game. Guard Art Bauer, one of the pillars in a light but hard-charging Husker line, is not listed as starting but the front wall will be bolstered by outstanding center, Tom Novak, and offensive end Ralph Damkroger.

### SCATBACKS

Featuring an attack that relies on the speed of scatbacks Bill (Rocky) Mueller, Gerry Ferguson and Don Bloom, plus the passing of quarterback Nagle, the underestimated Cornhuskers have surprised the Big-Seven Conference with their ability to move and score. In three games they outscored their opponents, 52 to 40, with 28 of the opposition points chalked up by Minnesota.

Glassford, in his first year at the helm of the Scarlet and Cream, is short on reserve strength although he has 22 returning lettermen and he is forced to call on much freshman and sophomore talent. But the sophomores have been coming through in fine style for him, many of them winning starting roles. Reserve strength has also been Bedenk's big weakness; however, the Lion sophomores are rounding into shape and should be ready for heavier duty in this contest.

The Big White worked up some new plays and stressed ground attack and defense in the week's

### Runs from Tailback



BILL LUTHER

workouts. Vince O'Bara, Bill Luther and Fran Rogel showed better than average passing ability in the BC fray and will be attempting to duplicate their achievements, but the Lion single-wing offense still rests on the plunging shoulders of Rogel, with reverses by wingback Owen Dougherty calculated to roll up additional yardage.

### STRONG LINE

State's big asset, its line, which will slightly outweigh Nebraska's frontwall, is seasoned material, all the way. The line is all senior, with the exception of Ed Hoover, tackle, but Don Murray, a senior, will probably play most of the game at that position. Negley Norton, Ray Hedderick, Felbaum, Bobby Hicks and Joe Drazenovich are veteran performers. Drazenovich last week was nominated for "lineman-of-the-week" honors although Clayton Tonnemaker of Minnesota won the distinction.

Today's game is the first of four meetings, home-and-home, arrangement, between the two schols.

## Soccer Unit Eyes 3rd Win, Meets Orange

### Coach Jeffrey Plans To Start Same Team

Hoping to run their current season win streak to three, and their unbeaten skein to ten over the past two campaigns, the Lion soccermen square off against the Orange at Syracuse this afternoon.

Coach Bill Jeffrey will, once again, depend on his trio of high-scoring forwards—Harry Little, Joe Lane and Ron Coleman—to turn the tide of the battle.

Coleman operates on the right side of the line next to lanky Ted Lieb while Lane holds down the operating spot in the center of the line.

Clarence Buss and Dittle provide the scoring punch from the right side with Harry Lawroski and Spence Boyer ready to spell the starters.

Behind the speedy forwards, Dick Hannah, Ralph Hosterman and Will Kraybill line up. Hannah and Hosterman were named to the 1948 all-American soccer team.

### DEFENSE

In the defensive department, Jeffrey will send big Chuck Margolf and Bill Yerkes into the fracas against the Hillmen.

Ready for relief duty in the fullback department will be Nelson Spurling while Red Emig will see action as a halfback reliever.

At goalie, Jeffrey plans to start George Lawther with Ron Coder ready for substitute duty.

## Thinclads Open Season Today, NYU Visits Nittany Stronghold

Captain Bob Parsons leads Penn State's cross-country team into its initial meet of the season with New York University at 2:15 p.m. today.

The meet will start at the Beaver Field flag pole, continue over the College golf course, and end in front of the west stands. Both the Lions and NYU plan to enter eight men in today's contest. Last year's run ended in a 19-36 victory for Coach Chick Werner's thinclads.

The host Nittanians will field a young but seasoned team against the Violets. All the Lion squad members running today are juniors.

Parson (number 1), Bill Ashenfelter (2), Don Ashenfelter (3), Bob Freebairn (4), John St.

Clair (5), Al Porto (6), John McCall (7) and Bill Gordon (8) are slated for the five-mile trial for the Wernermen.

NYU's lineup includes Bill Cunningham (number 21), Gordon McKenzie (22), Howard Jacobson (23), Lawrence Ellis (24), Joseph Meland (25), Louis Rementernia (26), Bob Gruninger (27) and Frank Brooks (28).

## FOOTBALL LINEUP

Penn State vs. Nebraska

Game Time: 2 o'clock

Penn State		Nebraska
83—Storer	LE	Damkroger—21
71—Norton	LT	Reese—47
66—J. Drazenovich	LG	Salestrom—18
52—Hedderick	C	Novak—60
67—Felbaum	RG	Hawkins—43
77—Hoover	RT	Toogood—41
86—Hicks	RE	R. Schneider—36
22—C. Murray	QB	Nagle—20
46—Luther	LH	Ferguson—33
14—Dougherty	RH	Mueller—23
33—Rogel	FB	Adduci—28

Officials: Referee—Albert J. Booth, Jr., Yale; Umpire—John Waldorf, Missouri; Linesman—Philip E. Gentner, N.Y.U.; Field Judge—Ted O'Sullivan, Missouri; Electric Clock—William C. Evans, Lebanon Valley.

## COLLEGIAN PREDICTS

Once more taking the ole' crystal ball out from under its protective shroud, the Collegians' intrepid quartet of low-life Yogis face their fourth round of selecting various collegiate football victors. Sixteen squads come under this week's scrutiny.

GAME	Krane (.517)	Kotzbauer (.621)	Koehler (.655)	Vadasz (.690)
Ala.-Tenn.	Tenn.	Ala.	Ala.	Tenn.
Boston Col. Miss	Miss.	Miss.	Miss.	Miss.
B'knell-Temple	Temple	Temple	Temple	Temple
Cornell-Yale	Cornell	Cornell	Cornell	Yale
Duq'sne-H.Cross	Duquesne	H.Cross	Duquesne	H.Cross
Ill.-Missouri	Missouri	Illinois	Illinois	Missouri
Indiana-Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa
Kans.-Okla.	Okla.	Okla.	Okla.	Okla.
Mich.-N'western	Mich.	Mich.	Mich.	Mich.
Pane-N.D.	Tulane	N.Dame	N.Dame	N.Dame

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