

Lions Spring Impressive Showing Against Cornell

Gridders Sharp Defensive Work Slows Vaunted Big Red Attack

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ITHACA, Sept. 19—An unheralded Penn State grid team met mighty Cornell in an important pre-season scrimmage on Schoellkopf Field this afternoon in a game which saw the Nittany Lions making a surprisingly strong showing.

Although no score was available after six full periods of play, the Nittany Lions more than held their own against a grid powerhouse which is seeking its third straight Ivy League title.

The highlight of the afternoon's work—as regarded by the Penn State camp—was the strong State defensive showing which grittily checked the Big Red's ripping ground offensive usually paced by such high-calibre runners as Jeff Fleischmann, Hal Seidenberg, Frank Miller, and Bill Whelan.

A Good Day's Work

Following the secret scrimmage, Coach Rip Engle pointed the finger of praise at the spirited efforts of his lads and expressed a keen satisfaction with the day's performance.

Engle's only source of disappointment stemmed from State's failure to take full advantage of all of its offensive opportunities.

Defensive stickouts in Penn State's grove of defensive trees were tackles Dick Cripps, Stew Scheetz, Pat McPoland, and Chuck Wilson; guards Don "Porky" Millhouse, and line-backers John Podrasky, Joe Schumock, and Len Shephard.

Offensively, quarterbacks Vince O'Bara and Dick Koerber, who returned to the lineup after a two week layoff due to an injured knee, flashed impressively with their steady ball-handling and accurate passing. Lanky Art Betts continues to be the favorite target of the backfield.

Sophomore fullback Ted Shattuck turned in his best offensive performance of Fall practice sessions as together with tiny Earle Mundell and Bob Pollard the trio churned up a goodly amount of Cornelian sod.

Stickmen Begin Fall Practice

Although game No. 1 is over a half-year away, Fall lacrosse practice will get under way this afternoon with a meeting of varsity, JV members, and candidates at 4 o'clock in Rec Hall.

Coach Nick Thiel has expressed hopes of seeing a large turnout for Fall practice. He emphasized that experience is not a requisite for a trial.

For the first time since World War II, a freshman lacrosse team will also represent Penn State. Thiel pointed out that he hoped to see a large number of freshmen try out in order that they may be schooled in the fundamentals, thus giving them three eligible varsity years.

MAJOR LEAGUE RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE					
Yesterday's Results					
Brooklyn	14	3	Pittsburgh	3	2
Cincinnati	at New York	rain	Chicago	at Philadelphia	night
St. Louis	at Boston	night			
	W	L	Pct.	W	L
Phila.	87	54	.617	St. Lo's	71 69 .507
Boston	78	60	.565	Cinn.	59 81 .421
B'klyn	78	61	.562	Chicago	60 83 .420
N. York	77	63	.550	Pitts.	62 91 .361
Today's Games					
St. Louis	at Boston	night			
Pittsburgh	at Brooklyn				
Cincinnati	at New York				
Chicago	at Philadelphia				

AMERICAN LEAGUE					
Yesterday's Result					
Detroit	12	Phila.	4		
Boston	at Cleveland	rain	New York	at Chicago	night
Washington	at St. Louis	night			
	W	L	Pct.	W	L
N. York	90	52	.634	Wash.	61 80 .433
Detroit	89	53	.627	Chicago	56 88 .389
Boston	89	53	.627	St. Lo's	54 88 .380
Cleve.	83	61	.576	Phila.	49 96 .337
Today's Games					
New York	at Chicago				
Boston	at Cleveland				
Philadelphia	at Detroit				
Washington	at St. Louis	night			

His Play Praised



John Podrasky

Bob Hicks Named Albright End Coach

Bobby Hicks, of Lancaster, Pa., a former touchdown partner of All-American Sam Tamburo at end, has been named as assistant coach of Albright College's varsity football team at Reading, Pa. Co-captain of Penn State's eleven during his senior year, the 23-year-old Hicks will take charge of the ends for head coach Eddie Gulian this year.

Detroit Tops A's, Ties For Second

The Detroit Tigers scored early and often to down the Philadelphia Athletics yesterday and move into a tie with the Boston Red Sox for second place in the American League.

The Bengals scored an easy 12 to 4 victory to give young Art Houtteman his 19th win of the year. The win put the Tigers one game behind New York. The three contenders each have 12 games left to play.

In the National League the Brooklyn Dodgers won a double header from Pittsburgh by scores of 14 to 3 and 3 to 2.

Freshman Footballers Prepare For Opening Date With Orange

With the confusion of Orientation Week—which played havoc with practice sessions—a thing of the past, the Nittany Lion freshman football squad settled down to a week of hard work preparing for the opener with the Syracuse frosh, Oct. 13.

Coach Earl Bruce, working his charges on the fundamentals of the winged-T, has expressed pleasure at the way they have been adapting themselves to the new system.

The all-important position of quarterback, which can make or break a winged-T team, does not appear to be giving Bruce too much grief with three sterling candidates trying for the position. Tom Keane, Frank Minana, and Bob Szajna (pronounced shiner) have had winged-T experience in high school.

But it is on the line that Bruce is expecting to encounter more than his share of worries.

"While it appears that we're

scarce on centers and a little short on tackles, we're still feeling out the men as to their positions," he said.

The backs, aside from the x-backs, or wing-backs, while "big enough, are small but fast," he added.

Bruce is sending the frosh through only one series of plays, but is pleased at the way they are starting to pick up the offense. He expects to run them through an intersquad scrimmage later this week.

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