

Bill Leonard May Miss West Virginia Contest

The Nittany Lion gridders will probably be without the services of their defensive halfback and extra point specialist, Bill Leonard in the West Virginia game Saturday. The pride of State College suffered a strained knee ligament early in the week and although it is still not certain, he will probably miss Saturday's fray.

Paul Anders, Lion fullback, who missed the Michigan State game because of a fractured rib cartilage suffered in the Nebraska game will also be missing from the lineup Saturday. The husky line backer should be ready to play in the Purdue game next week.

Two Injured

Outside Anders and Leonard, the Lions should be in pretty good shape for the Mountaineer contest on Beaver Field. Center Jim Dooley came out of the Michigan State tilt with a knee injury and end Dave Simon suffered a strained back but both will be able to play against West Virginia.



Sophomore Joe Pascarella and freshman Gene Danser were injured in a scrimmage yesterday. Both men are tackles. The extent of their injuries are not yet known although Danser is believed to have a separation of the shoulder. Pascarella injured an ankle but it is not believed serious.

Coach Rip Engle sent the Lion gridders through a scrimmage yesterday in preparation for the Mountaineers who piled up 89 points in their last outing against Geneva College.

Although the Mountaineers, loaded with freshmen and sophomores, were not expected to cause much trouble this season, Coach Art Lewis seems to have found a winning combination and the men from Morgantown have copped four of five contests, losing only to Washington & Lee, Southern Conference champion last season.

The Mountaineers lost 17 lettermen through graduation, including quarterback Bill Allen, tackle John Bove, end Ross Heron, and extra point specialist Gene Simmons.

Passing Team

Allen was probably West Virginia's biggest loss but Lewis seems to have found an able replacement in Gerald McInerney who has taken the No. 1 job away from returnee Kent Bartges. Lion Assistant Coach Frank Patrick who scouted the Mountaineers described McInerney as a good passer and the Mountaineers as a team that likes to pass.

Engle will probably give the Lion pass defenders a lot of practice before Saturday in order to put the aerial defense in tip-top shape for the game.

The spirit of the team, as a whole, is good and the Lions have given indication that they'd like to get back on the win trail after dropping their second game of the season last Saturday to Michigan State, the nation's second ranking team.

Mexican Horse Wins Jump

HARRISBURG, Oct. 24—(P)—India, a second-string Mexican mount ridden by the veteran Capt. Ruben Uriza, today won the scurry jump event in international competition at the Pennsylvania National Horse Show.

Uriza was representing the Mexican Army School of Equitation which consists of the Mexican second string horses. India is a six-year-old bay gelding school ed only since last June.

India completed the eight obstacle course, which included a pen, without a fault. His time of 34.4 seconds was one second faster than Reno Kirk, ridden by the United States' Mrs. Carol Durand, Kansas City housewife.

It was the first victory in international jumping competition at the week-long show for the Mexicans, who in past years have dominated most events in this country.

Statistics Show Lions' Defense Weak

The Nittany Lions' defense continues to be a weak spot in Penn State's football machine, statistically speaking.

Statistics show that the Lions' defense has allowed 5.2 yards per play in the first four games of the season. Opponents have been able to pick up four yards per play rushing, averaging 202 yards along the ground per game.

11 Penalties

Lion pass defenders have allowed 130.7 yards per game. The total defense figure is 332.7 yards allowed per contest.

In four games, Penn State has been penalized only 11 times for a total of 61 yards while the four opponents have combined for 29 rule infractions for 322 yards.

On the offensive side of the picture, the Lions have a total offense figure of 309.7 yards per game with an average of 4.5 yards per play. Along the ground, Penn State has averaged 190.2 yards per game and 3.7 yards per carry.

Shattuck Leads

The Lions have tried 73 passes and completed 28 for 478 yards, averaging 119.5 yards per game and 17.1 yards per completion.

Ted Shattuck continues to lead the individual total offense, having gained a net yardage of 325. Tony Rados has the best per play average with 6.2 yards.

Paul Anders leads in rushing yards per carry with an average of 5.8 yards. He also has the longest run from scrimmage, a 42 yard jaunt against Boston University.

Betts Leading Receiver

Rados and Bob Szajna are tied for passing honors, both having completed 14 to 26 attempts. Rados has gained the most yardage via passing, however, with 292 yards. Szajna has gained 186.

Co-captain Art Betts has caught the most passes—eight—while Matt Yanosich has gained the most yardage among the pass catchers, 123 on four catches.

Betts has punted 24 times for a total of 853 yards and an average of 35.5 yards per kick. He has had one blocked.

State Soccermen Best Maryland, 1-0

Hap Irvin's goal gave Penn State's soccer club a 1-0 victory over Maryland University yesterday at College Park.

Irvin's shot came in the second period and was the only offensive spark for either club as both teams played defensive ball most of the game.

Complete details of the game were unavailable as the Collegian went to press. See tomorrow's Collegian for complete coverage.

Penn Will Play 4 Ivy League Teams in 1952

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24—(AP)—Those rumors of an Ivy League boycott against the Penn football team went back in mothballs today with the disclosure that four of the Quakers' 1952 gridiron foes come from the Ivy group.

The boycott reports began floating about last fall, after Penn's President Harold E. Stassen, announced a new "victory with honor" code which made it clear that Penn is after a "big-time" football rating.

Rivals Return

Ivy schools, in general frown on building up their football teams and have no great sympathy for strong intersectional schedules. So the word got around that all the Ivy teams with the exception of Cornell and possibly Princeton would bar Penn from their schedules.

But a Penn informant made it known today that Dartmouth, Columbia, Cornell, and Princeton are back on the Quakers' 1952 schedule. The Quakers meet those four elevens this season.

This news, however, doesn't necessarily disprove the reports, because a Penn Spokesman pointed out that the university's football contracts usually are arranged on a two-year basis. Who shows up on Penn's '53 schedule is anybody's guess.

Play Lions

Beside the four Ivy schools, Penn's '52 foes, all major opponents, will be Notre Dame, Army, Navy, Georgia, and Penn State. This means that Penn is dropping California, Wisconsin, and William and Mary to make way for Penn State, Georgia, and Notre Dame. The Irish will open Penn's '52 program.

PKPs, Deltas, Post Second

Intramural Swim Wins

By JOHN SHEPPARD

By capturing four first places, swimmers from Pi Kappa Phi, last year's fraternity runner ups, submerged the Chi Phi splashes yesterday afternoon at Glenland pool. Delta Tau Delta and Sigma Phi Epsilon also posted victories.

Bob Veit started the Pi Phis on the way to their second win, winning the 60 yard free style in 36.1 seconds. Teammate Bob Wylie finished a close second.

Pi Kappa Phi's backstroker, Dick Blythe edged Chi Phi's Jim Dunlap, who swims with a paralyzed right arm, by one-half yard. The PKPs continued to romp, as Wylie swam the 60 yard breastroke distance in 44.2 seconds. Although Dave McCormack, Chi Phi diver, won his event, the PKPs came back to take the 120 yard relay event.

Deltas Win Second

The Deltas outswam Phi Sigma Kappa, 33-7, for their second victory. The Deltas opposed Pi Phis in their next meet.

In registering their decisive win, the Deltas encountered little opposition. They took first place in every event, except the relay. Bob Dahle, Delt sprinter, spurred in the final few yards to edge out his nearest rival. Dahle's time was 35.9 seconds.

Delt backstroker Bob Johnson

The Nittany Realm

By BOB VOSBURG
Assistant Sports Editor

It looks as if the bewildering cause of over emphasis in athletics has been summed up neatly by former All-American basketballers Alex Groza and Ralph Beard in one word—"recruiting."

The two Kentucky greats who have recently become involved in the latest basketball scandal have been cooperating fully with investigators probing the shocking affair, and as Beard put it, "The money was nothing."

The giant Groza, speaking with his face in his hands, summed up his story with "Some day when I'm gray—when this thing is done and I've lived it down—I'd like to tell the whole story about what it's all been like."

"Recruiting," he said. "That's the start of it. How they went out and got us to play. It got so big. We got big. Too big."

That it seems is the whole problem of over-emphasis of sports. Everything is too big.

No Penn State men appeared on this week's list of the state's leading football scorers. Bucknell's touchdown twins, Brad Myers and Burt Talmage, with 54 points apiece are breathing hot on the neck of Scranton's Ed Romanowski who still leads the pack, with 55 points.

Speaking of scoring demons, Johnny Bright, Drake University halfback, the national leader, was taken from last Saturday's game with Oklahoma

Marciano Predicts Win But No KO

GREENWOOD LAKE, N.Y., Oct. 24—(AP)—A determined Rocky Marciano, confident of victory, today refused to predict a knockout win over Joe Louis in their 10-round match at Madison Square Garden Friday night.

"I never predict I'll knock anybody out," he said. "I'm confident, very confident, I'll win."

The swarthy lad from Brockton, Mass., nearing the big moment in his career, leaned back in a chair in his dressing room to talk to reporters. There was none of the agonizing nervous tension that used to grip Louis opponents as the battle drew near.

It was, as if the 27-year-old unbeaten heavyweight was discussing a fight between two other guys.

Did he have any particular plan of battle?

"No," he said. "We've given Louis no particular thought. I'll just go out to fight him. I don't know what he'll do. I'll meet whatever he does."

A&M after being hit by an illegal block thrown unmercifully by a keyed-up tackle.

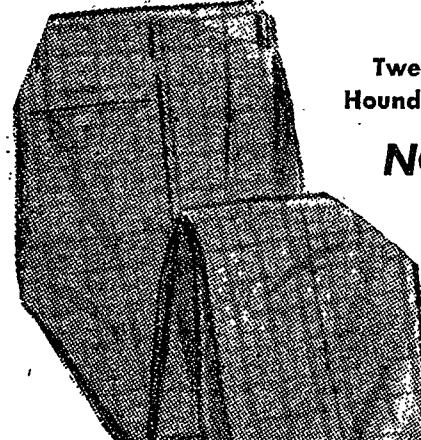
Missouri Valley Conference officials are looking upon it as "just another football incident," and no formal protest is being made.

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