

Frosh Football Returns to Penn State; Coach Bruce Expects Large Turnout

By DICK McDOWELL

Just barely dethroned in the NCAA's lastman squads once again return to the Penn State athletic program, and starting Monday, Coach Earl Bruce will begin to get his freshman football squad in shape.

Between 75 and 100 candidates are expected to report to Beaver Field for the first session.

Due to a new ruling made this year by the the Eastern Collegiate Association, freshmen are not eligible to enter varsity competition.

Freshmen became eligible in 1951 when the association feared a manpower shortage due to the Korean war, but reverted to the original ruling this year.

The rule change in 1951 was definitely to the advantage of Penn State. Freshmen Jesse Arnel and Roosevelt Grier were a big help to Rip Engle's grid entry last year, while Arnel was also the big gun on the Nittany basketball squad last season.

Playing regular on the court squad also, were freshmen Ron Weidenhammer and Jack Sherry.

But this year it's a different story. Although some of the Southern conferences are still permitting freshmen to participate this year, Engle will have to rely on only sophomore, junior, and senior material for his varsity squad. While Bruce will form the nucleus of the future varsity gridders as frosh coach.

At the present time a tentative schedule is being arranged by graduate manager of athletics, Harold "Ike" Gilbert and will be announced soon.



Earl Bruce

4 Lettermen Return To Bolster Ends

(This is the first of a series on Penn State's football team which will attempt to examine the squad position by position to see who will represent State on the gridiron this fall. Today—the ends.)

Although Penn State's football team will still rely heavily on the two platoon system, the majority of Nittany ends will see plenty of duty both on offense and defense.

In fact, State's wingmen will not only play both offense and defense, but shortness of reserve will have Coach Rip Engle occasionally alternating his ends from right to left side.

Even though the Lions have lost Art Betts, Chuck Wilson, Andy Silock and Pat McPoland through graduation, four returning lettermen should give the Lions strength and experience at the terminal positions—Joe Yukica, Don Malinak, Dave Simon and Jesse Arnel.

Senior Joe Yukica, 6-2 and 191 pounds, is looking good and should be one of the Nittany quarterbacks' pet targets. Yukica last year latched on to the third most largest number of passes, ten, while gaining 147 yards to rank second to co-captain Betts in the end yardage department. Engle says Joe is "in better condition, improved and a high class kid."

Another of Engle's front line receivers Don Malinak, is back and ought to take up where he left off last year as recipient of the most passes, 14, which netted 138 yards. The 6-1, 190 pound Steelton junior should also see some defensive action.

Almost strictly a defensive end, senior Dave Simon will undoubtedly be holding down a starting position on Engle's defensive platoon when the season starts one week from Saturday. Smallest

end on the squad at 5-11, Simon is a rugged 182 pound defender.

In sharp height contrast to Simon, Jesse Arnel is the tallest end among an unusually short group. The 6-5, 218 pound Jesse was kept well wrapped up during the 1951 season as a frosh but when turned loose in the Pitt game he flashed some of the brilliance most fans expect of him. Arnel has looked well in practice to date but only the season can tell if the "experts" haven't gone too far overboard in their predictions.

Another soph showing well, Jim Garrity, is in line for both offensive and defensive duty on at least State's second team. The 6-0, 180 pounder had an especially good spring practice season.

Junior Ken Newman, in addition to offensive end duties, is being groomed by the coaching staff for the starting defensive halfback assignment. Newman is a 6-1, 183 pounder from New York City.

Philadelphian Jack Sherry is reported by Engle to be coming along rapidly at end. Rip says that Sherry is much improved

Lions Have 6 Out of 10 Edge on Foes

Penn State claims an edge in all-time competition on six of ten opponents it will meet on the football field this fall. The bulge is sizeable in only two instances.

In the Temple series the record is eight wins for State as against three losses and one tie. Against West Virginia, the Lions have won 13, lost four, and tied one.

The other four opponents are William & Mary, one win, no loss or tie; Nebraska, three wins, one loss, no tie; Syracuse, 13 wins, 11 losses, 5 ties; and Rutgers, two wins, one loss and no ties.

Against Pennsylvania the Lions have won only 12 while losing 24 and tying four. The Pittsburgh Panthers also have a top-heavy advantage with 30 wins 19 losses and two ties.

Sports Briefs

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (AP) — As the season swings into its final stages outfielders Hank Sauer of the Cubs and Cleveland's Larry Doby, owning identical averages of .555, are heading for their first major league slugging crowns.

Statistics disclose that Sauer has accumulated 284 total bases in 512 at bats. His collection of 144 hits includes 29 doubles, three triples and 35 home runs.

Doby has produced 258 total bases in 465 trips to the plate and 60 of his 130 hits have gone for extra bases—22 doubles, eight triples and 30 homers.

Pitt Guard Hurt

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 9 (AP) — The University of Pittsburgh's football team today faced the probable loss indefinitely of Bill Piatko, 210-pound offensive guard. He suffered a recurrence of

an old back injury during scrimmage session.

Durocher Fined \$100

NEW YORK, Sept. 9 (AP)—Manager Leo Durocher of the New York Giants today was fined \$100 and suspended for two days, effective tomorrow, by National League President Warren Giles as the result of yesterday's "bean ball" epidemic at the Polo Grounds. Pitcher Montia Kennedy was fined \$50 and pitcher Larry Jansen \$25 but Jansen's fine was "remitted" because of his good record.

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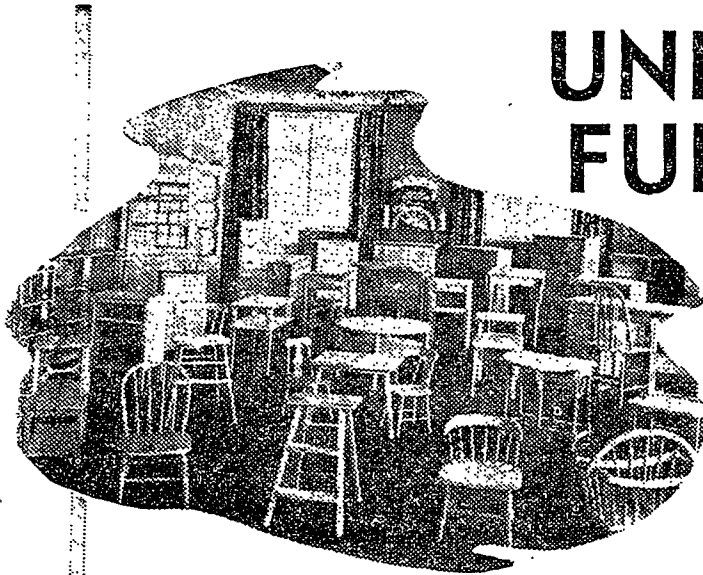
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