

Hosterman to Pick Soccer Eleven; Gridders Are Set for Quakers

Fullback Slot Filled By Dierks

By ROY WILLIAMS

After scrimmaging and observing his soccer candidates during the past two weeks of pre-season workouts, Coach Ken Hosterman will make his final choice today for the Nittany's starting eleven for the season's opener at Bucknell on Saturday. Hosterman plans to select a traveling squad which will include sixteen men.

"The entire squad looked very impressive last Friday, during our practice season against the freshman team," Hosterman remarked, "but you must remember that the majority of the freshmen are inexperienced, so I naturally expected the varsity to perform in a satisfactory manner." Hosterman stressed, however, that no position at the present is definitely determined.

Dierks Switched

Red Harris has been playing very well at the goalie slot, while sophomore George Geczy has been pressing Harris at the same spot.

A new switch, however, was experimented with last night as Paul Dierks, formerly a senior fullback, was switched to the center halfback position. Ihor Stelnyk was changed to the right halfback during one of the major alterations in Hosterman's lineup this season.

Emil Borra, a senior, and junior Bob Little are possible prospects for the present vacancy made by switching Dierks to the halfback line. Hap Irvin, captain, may be a starter at the other fullback position, while Ralph Hoffman, a senior, will be at the left half slot.

Pinezich Injured

The forward line of State's soccer eleven may be seriously weakened for the coming match with the Bisons of Bucknell Saturday. Jack Pinezich, senior center forward, seriously twisted his ankle Friday afternoon while scrimmaging against the frosh squad. X-rays proved that the ankle was not fractured, however.

The forward line has been ironing out the wrinkles and polishing its accuracy in passing. Coach Hosterman remarked, "The line is shaping up, but we must improve upon its penetration effectiveness. The boys are moving in, but I think they could carry our offensive attack deeper." Senior Hubie Kline has been looking good at the outside left position, with another senior, Bill Norcik at the outside right slot.

Milt Springer may be at the inside right line position. With the possibility of Pinezich being out of the line a strong reality, a new headache may arise in the form of a replacement at the inside left slot. Dick Packer may be moved to replace Pinezich, with Dick Matacal, a sophomore, or two juniors—Joe Majares and Charley Snyder—working for the vacant inside left post.

"I've purposely been moving the boys around for their own good, and the good of the team," Coach Hosterman remarked. Actually it is hard for anyone to judge the caliber of play which the Lions can play during their scrimmage sessions, because their daily opponents on the second squad know the large majority of everyone's tricks and skills. The real test of State's offensive scoring power will be tabulated on Saturday.

Lucy Wins British Lightweight Title

LONDON, Sept. 29 (AP)—Joe Lucy, a London fishmonger, defeated Tommy McGovern on points over 15 rounds tonight to win the vacant British lightweight boxing title.

At the end, both of McGovern's eyes were almost closed from Lucy's pummeling and his face was covered in blood.

Curt Stone Recalled As X-Country Ace

By HERM WEISKOPF

One of the finest cross-country runners in the history of Penn State was a bespectacled lad from Brooklyn, Pa.—Curt Stone. Although he had his collegiate career interrupted by a three-year hitch in the Air Force during World War II, he came back stronger than ever.



Curt Stone Former Ace

In 1942, as a sophomore, he was on the Nittany harrier squad that copped the NCAA and NAAU titles. During the next year he won the IC4A two-mile outdoor championship.

He won the 8th Air Force mile title while serving with that outfit in England.

Wins Four of Five

Stone hit his peak in the IC4A cross-country title run on Nov. 16, 1946 when he came from behind to win the crown. Bob Slack of Rhode Island led by 25 yards going into the last mile on the Van Cortlandt Park, N.Y. course. Stone slowly closed the gap as they approached the stadium gate. Forging into the lead as the two zipped around the less than one-quarter-mile oval, the Lion great picked up a 10-yard advantage and won going away.

In five dual meets that year he finished first, or tied for first, on four occasions. The other time he tied for third with Horace Ashenfelter, last year's steeplechase winner at the Olympics.

Twice An Olympian

Stone added another feather to his cap when he won the 5000-meter crown in the NAAU championships on July 4, 1946 at Lincoln, Neb.

Since the end of his collegiate days Stone has kept himself in shape by running against amateur competition. In 1948 and 1952 he participated in the Olympic games.

Last year he set new American records in the 5000 and 10,000-meter runs.

He has been crowned champ in the steeplechase, the three-mile run and is the current NAAU six-mile title-holder.

One of the reasons he was such a fine runner is that he was a perfectionist—he eliminated unnecessary motion. This is why he has been able to compete successfully against runners much stronger than himself.

Stone was truly a gem and his place on the roster of all-time Nittany greats is assured.

Browns Move Baseball Team To Baltimore

BALTIMORE, Sept. 29 (AP)—Major league baseball is returning to a city with one of the longest and most colorful pasts in the diamond sport.

American League approval today of the St. Louis Browns' transfer here brings them to a town where professional baseball history dates back to 1871.

During that time it has been in four major leagues and as many minor circuits. It has been 51 years since it was in a major loop, but oldtime hot stove leaguers still talk about the "old Orioles."

Primarily, they reminisce about the 1894-96 teams. They won three straight National League pennants and are ranked among the all-time best.

They twice won the Temple Cup series which became today's World Series. Baseball students credit them with initiating the "inside" game—the strategy of base stealing, sacrificing, bunting and the hit-and-run.

Wee Willie Keeler was on one of the teams when he coined his famous saying. Asked "How can you hit like that?" he replied "I hit 'em where they ain't."

John McGraw and Wilbert Robinson played then, too. McGraw became one of baseball's greatest managers with the New York Giants and Robinson with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

The same Oriole teams produced two other big league managers. Hughey Jennings of the Detroit Tigers and Fred Clarke of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

The name of the immortal Babe Ruth first appeared in a baseball lineup with the Orioles in the Federal League.

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VeslingHurt; May Miss Penn Game

With the return of Jim Harding, reserve tackle who had been sidelined prior to the season's start by a leg injury, Penn State's football squad will make its travel to Philadelphia this weekend in full strength with Keith Vesling as the only question mark.

The team will travel by train Friday evening for the Saturday game at Franklin Field against the Quakers.

The only serious casualty resulted at the Wisconsin encounter was right halfback Vesling who reinjured his left elbow. Last year the injury removed him from competition at the mid-season mark. His fate for the Penn game will not be definitely known until Saturday.

The Penn-Penn State game, which has always turned out to be well-played, will be the second of three road trips for the Nittany Lion gridgers.

Coach Rip Engle, who has stressed more blocking for his backfield, will certainly need the block and tackle support he had last year when the Lions upset the Quakers, 14-7. It was a fast charging line and the booming punts of Ted Kemmerer which really spelled defeat for Coach Red Munger's crew.

Sever Toretti, who scouted the Penn-Vanderbilt game last Saturday called the Quaker squad "a formidable-looking outfit, with good size on the line, and lots of speed and power in the backfield."

Although he singled out Penn's fullback, Joe Varaitis, for special mention, all eyes will have to be focused at the tailback slot where stands a triple-threat man; namely, Walt Hynoski.

Penn State's famed Blue Band will make its first appearance of the 1953 football season at the Penn game, Oct. 3.

Frosh Gridders Show Promise In Scrimmage

It's early to speculate, but after looking at the forty-odd young men who comprise the freshman football squad go through their paces, one gets the feeling that the team will more than hold its own during the three game frosh season, which opens with Pitt Oct. 24.

Head Coach Earl Bruce, and his assistants Joe Yukica and Chuck Beatty, have been somewhat hampered by late ROTC and engineering classes which often keep a third of the squad from reporting for practice on time.

However, about ten more players have joined the team since last week, and with over three full squads to work with, the coaches feel they can now get down to some serious preparation for the schedule.

As far as Bruce and his aids are concerned, the eleven starting positions are wide open at the moment. The Lion plebes have held a few scrimmages among themselves. Yesterday the Frosh team ran the Penn single wing and T plays against the varsity, while another Frosh defensive eleven scrimmaged against the varsity's offensive team.

After the Pitt home opener will come an away game with Navy on Nov. 7, then Penn invades Beaver Field on Nov. 14.

Phils to Start New Youth Movement

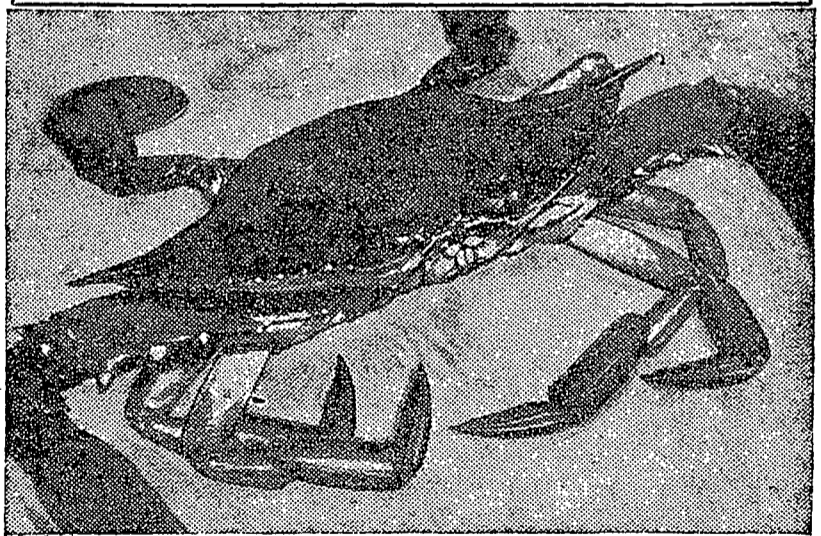
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29 (AP) The Philadelphia Phillies—"Fizz Kids of '53"—are headed for a shaking up, with indications pointing to a gradual youth movement designed to produce another "Whiz Kids" team like the one which won the National League pennant in 1950.

All sorts of speculation has been kicked around in baseball circles regarding the club's future after a disappointing finish in a third place tie.

IM Tennis to Begin

The fraternity tennis singles, tournament will get its send-off this week with over 85 entries participating for the crown. Entries have been placed in eight flights. Winners will be pitted against each other to determine the champion.

J. Paul Sheedy* Switched to Wildroot Cream-Oil Beclaws He Flunked The Finger-Nail Test



"Go jump in the lake," squalled Sheedy's mermaid with baited breath, "You look simply crabby with that messy hair. Better get your hooks into Wildroot Cream-Oil, America's favorite hair tonic. Keeps hair combed with no trace of greasiness. Removes loose, ugly dandruff. Relieves annoying dryness. Contains lanolin. Non-alcoholic. I shall never see you again until you start using it." Paul crabbled 29¢ and bought Wildroot Cream-Oil. Now he's the crab-apple of her eye. So water you waiting for? Hurry and get a bottle or handy tube at any toilet goods counter. And nets time you visit your barber, ask for Wildroot Cream-Oil on your hair. Then you'll be the best catch on campus.



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