

Booter's Win Streak on Line Against Army Today

By FRAN FANUCCI

Soccer Coach Ken Hosterman will start relatively the same lineup for today's opener with Army as he fielded in Saturday's scrimmage game with Sampson Air Force Base.

Hosterman said the only change will be made at the outside left position, where junior Ward Hill will start in place of veteran Tommy Nute.

The game, which will get under way at 3:30 p.m., is the first on a schedule of eight for the Nittany booters.

The remainder of the lineup, according to Hosterman, will remain the same with an outside chance that Nute might be at the inside right spot instead of Ian Springer, one of the three returnees on the Lion line.

Hosterman will probably place Dick Matacia at the inside left position. Matacia is one of the few returning lettermen.

At center forward will be high-scoring Dick Packer, who scored all nine goals in the booter's win over Sampson and who led the '54 team in scoring with 18 goals.

Sophomore Jim Hedberg, who impressed Hosterman in last week's scrimmage, will get the nod for outside right.

Army veteran Don Shirk will be the left halfback with "old reliable" Ihor Stelnyk at center half. Steve Flamporis, who Hosterman said played a terrific game against Sampson, is a sure starter at right half.

Three candidates are battling it out for the starting posi-



Flamporis, Stelnyk Starting Soccer Backs

tions at fullback, with Dave Davis and Ralph Brauer probably getting the starting berths. But senior Bob Little will be alternating with both of them throughout most of the contest.

The goal definitely will be guarded by George Geacy, one of the mainstays on the Nittany defense. Second string goalie John Lawrence, who was injured earlier this year, will probably be ready for limited action.

Before leaving for West Point, Hosterman said that "the team is as ready as can be" and added that last week's scrimmage seemed to have relieved much of the pressure.

The Cadets, under a new coach John Kress, are toughest on their home field. In fact, they have not lost a game there since 1949. But, this year Kress will be with out the services of all-American lineman Scotty Adams who graduated in June. This, together with the fact that one of the thinnest squads in years has reported out for the team, turns most of Kress' hopes into problems.

The Lions will return home tonight and will resume practice Monday in preparation for their home opener with West Chester next Saturday.

Probable Penn State Lineup

OL	Hill	CH	Stelnyk
IL	Matacia	RH	Flamporis
CF	Packer	FB	Brauer or Little
IR	Springer or Nute	FB	Davis
OR	Hedberg	G	Geacy
LH	Shirk		

Injuries Hit Cadet Backs

Cadet Problems Lift Lion Hopes

By ROY WILLIAMS

Coach Rip Engle's statement Wednesday when he declared that his team "is a little better off" than in the last meeting between Penn State and Army in 1950, may be the understatement of the season for the usually cautious Lion football coach.

What with the troubles that Army Coach Red Blaik is encountering from injuries to two of his key backs who started against Furman, and the general "gloom" that is enveloping the Point, the Penn State-Army could develop into a nip-and-tuck battle with anyone coming out on top.

In the same breath, however, it must be remembered that Army was the same team that dealt a lethal 41-7 dubbing to the Lions during Engle's first year on the Nittany campus.

For the first time in Lion football history, two home games have been sold out in a single season. Edward Czekaj, assistant business manager of athletics, announced last night that the Pitt game, scheduled for Nov. 19, has been sold out. The Navy encounter, to be played at Beaver field Oct. 15, was sold out before the season opened.

Mike Zeigler, a disciplinary case, was to have replaced all-American Tommy Bell at right half before being sidelined.

With Bobby Kyasky, a speedy left half who does the 100 in 9.7, out with a sprained ankle, and his replacement Joe Cygler, who opened at that spot against Furman, now out with a fractured ankle, Blaik has troubles.

And if Dick Murtland's charley horse is serious enough to keep him sidelined for even part of the 60-minute contest, Blaik's headaches will reach monstrous proportions.

With three backs definitely out and the other a question mark, Blaik will rely on Don Holleder, quarterback, and rugged fullback Pat Uebel to carry the necessitated replacements at the half-back slots.

Against Furman Army had a senior, 170-pound Pete Lash, and sophomore Pete Millsbaugh, 195, backing up Murtland.

For the right half work Blaik listed sophomores Bob Munger, 175-pound Texan, and an 180-pound John Andrusko for duty behind Cygler. With Cygler, Zeigler, and Kyasky sidelined, Blaik will have to come up with a new right half.

Blaik's line is another story with everyone expected to show for the Lion game except line-backer Darrold Erickson who suffered a recurrence of a knee injury in the Furman contest.

With a seven-man line that averages close to 190 pounds, Blaik is sure to have another strong, fast-moving forward wall that will keep the Lions stepping.

Kyasky, Cygler To Miss Game

WEST POINT, N.Y., Sept. 29

Another Army back limped into the Cadets' jammed infirmary today and the gloom hung thick over the gray battlements along the Hudson.

Latest victim of the jinx is Dick Murtland, 19, a chunky junior from Greensburg, Pa., the 5-10, 182-pound halfback reported for today's workout with a charley horse and could not participate in the final contact drill for Saturday's Eastern game of the week against formidable Penn State at the Academy.

Murtland was the fourth halfback to go to the sidelines since Coach Red Blaik started re-vamping his backfield around converted end Don Holleder, now the quarterback.

Mike Zeigler, a talented running back from Fairborn, Ohio, was dropped from the squad as a result of a disciplinary action. He's walking patrols while Blaik gnashes his teeth.

Bob Kyasky, 20, the track sprinter and fastest man on the squad, was the next to go. The speed demon from Ansonia, Conn., sprained a knee.

Kyasky's replacement, Joe Cygler, another stocky speedster, from Rahway, N.J., was injured in the 81-0 rout of Furman Saturday. Blaik found out how serious it was Thursday when X-rays showed a fractured ankle, inactivating Cygler for the season.

Even the line, Blaik's main hope for a successful campaign, is beginning to show signs of wear and tear. The coach lost one of his best linebackers on Thursday when Darrold Erickson of Sioux Falls, S.D., suffered a recurrence of a knee injury in the Furman game.

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Lacrosse Managers

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To be eligible a student must at least have an all-University average of 1.

Experienced Middies Will Host Nittany Harriers in 1st Outing

By RON GATEHOUSE

If the United States Naval Academy's cross-country team is lacking in any departments when they host the Lion harriers tomorrow, one thing seems certain—it won't be in either experience or practice.

Chick Werner's Nittanies will leave this afternoon for Annapolis, Md., hopeful of getting the 1955 season off to a winning start.

But Werner's seven-strong contingent will be bucking a Middie squad which is bound to be displaying similar hopes of good fortune.

The Sailors, coached by former Penn State track standout, Jim Gehrdes, appear to be strong from the experience standpoint. Tomorrow they'll field seven seniors, all back from last year's Penn State-Navy duel.

Finished Second Last Year

And, as if this isn't enough, Walt Muecow, second-place finisher for the Middies in the 1954 contest when he was only a sophomore, will be back to haunt the Lions again tomorrow.

Dick Harper is the only Middie performer not returning from last Fall's meet, and he failed to score last year.

From the practice angle, Navy has been working out since the 1st of August, while the Nittanies began practice sessions only two



Paul Roberts Don Woodrow Ron Lewis

weeks ago. Thus, tomorrow's host team holds another decisive advantage.

The six returning Navy seniors include Fred Lippert, captain, Bill Smith, Vince Roper, Scott Chester, Howard Burdick, and Mark O'Hara.

Navy Loaded With Sophomores

The Middies also have a host of sophomores who'll be seeing their first varsity action tomorrow. In last year's Lion-Navy frosh meet, Penn State placed only three runners in the top 16 positions. However, two of those places were second and third.

The Lion traveling squad will consist of Captain Doug Moorhead, Paul Roberts, Don Woodrow, Bruce Austin, Ron Lewis, Norm Shoup, and Al Jones.

Tomorrow's meet will probably cover a distance of four miles or more, with 12 the maximum number of entries Navy will be permitted to enter.

A cross-country meet is scored on a basis somewhat similar to golf, in that the team with the lowest point total is the victor.

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