

# Chi Phi, Blue Devils, 29ers, DU Score Wins

By VINCE CAROCCI

The Blue Devils and Twenty-Niners opened the third night of IM football action for the '55 season last night by registering respective victories over Stalag 24 and Section Eight. Chi Phi, playing off its contest that was washed out Tuesday night, stopped Sigma Alpha Mu while Delta Upsilon whipped Phi Sigma Delta.

Chi Phi opened the evening's activity with a 27-7 victory over SAM.

Both teams played to a standstill throughout the first minutes of the first half until—with eight minutes left in the opening period—Jack Fry gathered a Sigma Alpha Mu punt on his own 20. He lateraled to Jim Spinelli who threw a forward pass to Barry Thompson who carried the play to the three-yard line. Running beautifully, the Chi Phi scat back broke loose on a 50 yard.

Spinelli then hit Marlin Grove in the end zone for the score. Jack Fry's attempted conversion was no good and the score stood 6-0 at the end of the half.

Led by the scrappy Spinelli, Chi Phi broke loose for 21 points in the second half to sew up the contest. The little Chi Phi tailback intercepted a Al Robbins pass on the losers 12 and brought it down to the four.

He then passed to Ron Bloomfield for the TD and Fry's conversion made it 13-0.

It was Spinelli again setting up the third Chi Phi score as he intercepted his third pass of the game and ran it to the SAM six. He then skirted left end for the touchdown. Fry again converted making it 20-0.

The winners scored their final touchdown as Bill Hoak intercepted a Robbins pass and raced 40 yards to paydirt. Fry kicked the 27th point.

SAM's only score came on a 10 yard pass from Al Rose to Dave Cresco. Morty Kaplin kicked the point after touchdown to end the scoring.

In the first independent game of the evening the Blue Devils walloped Stalag 24, 18-8, as Joe Lambert scored two TD's for the winners.

The Blue Devils drew first blood as Lambert caught a Charley Pennoni pass in the end zone. The extra point attempt was no good.

Stalag 24 tied the score on a 40 yard pass play from Karl Goetz to Ray Coleman to George Fish. Fish missed the extra point.

The losers went ahead briefly in the first half as Coleman trapped Dick Fredricks behind the goal for a safety.

The winners came right back to go out ahead once again as Lambert intercepted a Goetz pass and ran 30 yards for the score.

Pennoni intercepted another Goetz pass and went 12 yards for the final Blue Devil TD as the clock ran out.

In the second Indie contest, the Twenty-niners, led by John Minnich, defeated Section Eight by a 13-0 score.

The first Twenty-niner score came on a Bob Berish pitchout to Russ Gohen who threw to Bob Toney in the end zone. The point after touchdown was no good. The victors scored their last touchdown when Bob Laughlin caught a 12-yard Minnich heave in the end zone. Minnich booted the extra point making it 13-0.

In the final game of the evening, Delta Upsilon eeked out a 6-0 win over a hard-fighting squad from Phi Sigma Delta.

The only scoring play came in the last five minutes when Frank Breidor took a Phi Sig punt on the losers' 47 and passed to Dave Adams who ran the last 15 yards for the six-pointer. Jim Mayes missed the extra point attempt.

## IM Directors



THE BRAINS BEHIND THE IM PROGRAMS: are from left to right Gene Bischoff and Clarence 'Dutch' Sykes. These two men are responsible for over 17 IM sports which are offered to both fraternity and independent men. Ranging from horseshoe pitching to bowling, the schedule is carried on from September to May. Over 4000 students and graduate students participate yearly in the program, which is called the busiest, biggest, and best in Penn State intramural history.

## IM Program Cited 'Big, Busy, Best'

By DAVE BRONSTEIN

The biggest, and we hope the best," is the way Gene Bischoff and Dutch Sykes, got together yesterday and described the present intramural program.

But Bischoff, director of intramural activities, and his assistant, who is known to all as "Dutch," aren't satisfied with the present expanded program of 17 sports.

"We're hoping of adding number 18 to our program this spring," Dutch said. "It's softball, and if we can get the fields in shape we're sure of having the sport added to the program."

"The newest sport of the intramural program is bowling," Dutch added. At this point he pointed to his typewriter. There, hanging over the back, was a stencil with the initial markings of the present bowling schedule.

**Bowling Schedule Made**  
Although the final bowling entries had only come in on Wednesday, Dutch—less than 24 hours later—had started on the final steps of the schedule-making.

"We're going to have 42 fraternity and 23 independent entries in the bowling tournament," Dutch said. "With five men on a team, that will mean 325 students, at least, participating in the sport."

**100 Teams in Football**  
"And we already had 100 teams entered in the football program. Fifty-one entries are fraternities, 49 are independents."

"This is just one less than the all time record total of 101 teams set last year."

"Last fall, too," added Bischoff, "that independent team set the longest winning streak."

"The Fireballs won 23 straight games over a span of four years," continued Dutch.

**Sinkers Won 3 Years**  
"The Sinkers, in basketball," Bischoff pointed out, "had a three-year winning string of 35 games."

A little scanning through the record books gave a good view of that team. Members of the squad

## 3 Varsity Sport Schedule Changes Are Announced

Three schedule changes affecting varsity sports were announced today. Also, one game has been added to the freshman soccer team schedule.

The opening meet of the gymnastic season between the Lions and West Virginia had originally been scheduled for Recreation Hall. The site has been transferred to Morgantown.

The Pitt-Penn State cross-country meet has been moved up from Oct. 29 to Oct. 28.

Also moving up one day is the soccer contest between Navy and the Lions. The new date is Nov. 8 at Annapolis, Md.

Athletic officials disclosed that the freshman soccer team will meet Frostburg Teachers. The contest will be played on the local grounds on Oct. 7.

Dave Bischoff, son of Gene Bischoff, director of intramural sports, is coach of the frosh soccermen.

included football players Billy Kane, Ray Alberigi, Joe Yukica, and Jim Garrity.

"There are also 49 independent and 90 fraternity men entered in the tennis tourney this fall," Dutch said.

Over 1500 boys will be participating in the first three IM sports for the '55-'56 year.

# Leading Grid Teams In Crucial Contests

The Associated Press

Half of the nation's top 10 college football teams, headed by Maryland's hard-hitting No. 1 aggregation, test their strength in intersectional games this weekend.

Victors over ULCA last week, the Terps from Maryland journey to Waco, Tex., Saturday to face aerial-minded Baylor in one of the leading contests of the high calibre national program. George Sauer's Bears, conquerors of Villanova, realize they'll have to go into the air against the power-studded Maryland line and there should be plenty of action.

**Trojans Are 9th**  
Southern California's high-scoring Trojans, now ranked ninth, are the first of the Titans to see action. The Pacific Coast Conference hotshots host the once-beaten Texas Longhorns on Friday night and are favored to make it three straight for the season.

In other Friday night tilts, Detroit entertains Wichita, and Florida State treks south to tangle with the Hurricanes of Miami. Miami is looking past this intrastate battle to its "big one" with Notre Dame a week later.

**Army's injury-riddled Cadets ranked sixth, may be knocked off their perch by the strong Nittany Lions of Penn State in the East's game of the week at West Point.**

Pitt, one of the Eastern powers, travels to Oklahoma, Ohio State visits Stanford, and Southern Methodist goes to Georgia Tech in other intersectional contests involving first ten teams.

Oklahoma, ranked fifth, is a two touchdown choice to down Pitt and runs its winning streak to 21. Ohio State, No. 8, figures to have too much of everything

for Stanford in the television game of the week but SMU, smarting from its loss to Notre Dame, may give third-ranked Georgia Tech a tussle at Atlanta.

**Irish Favored**  
Notre Dame, elated over its 17-0 win over SMU, is a two-touchdown choice over Indiana which was edged by Michigan State 29-13. The young Notre Damers are ranked fourth.

Michigan's second-ranking Wolverines are two-touchdown favorites to whip invading Michigan State in a Big Ten fray.

**UCLA Gets Nod**  
UCLA, dropped from first to seventh as the result of its 7-9 loss to Maryland, should run it up against weak, twice-beaten Washington State in a north-south Pacific Coast Conference contest.

Texas Christian, the No. 10 outfit and the solid choice in the topsy-turvy Southwest Conference race following its 3-0 romp over touted Texas Tech, gets a real test from Arkansas' defending league champions. They meet on Arkansas' home grounds and the Porkers always are dangerous at Fayetteville.

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