

Orange Boast Big Backfield

The Nittany Lion football team will leave this morning by airplane from Williamsport and will land in Syracuse 45 minutes later, where it meets the powerful and top-rated Orange tomorrow in Archbold Stadium.

This is the biggest game left on the Syracuse schedule and all indications are that they have been pointing to this one for the past two weeks.

Orange Coach Ben Schwartzwalder has one of the best set of running backs in the country and will favor this attack over a passing attack. Spearheading the Orange backfield are All-America candidate Jimmy Brown, rated by many observers as the greatest athlete ever to play at Syracuse, and unsung Jim Ridlon, who was an outstanding end last year, but has played strictly halfback this year.

Ridlon Under-rated

Because of Brown the Orange are sometimes referred to as a "one-man team" but not according to Lion scout Frank Patrick, who calls Ridlon "the most under-rated back I've seen this year."

Brown has been averaging 117 yards a game, gaining 583 yards on 93 carries. He is also tied for the most pass receptions with Ridlon. Both have four each. The 6-2, 220-pound senior has tabbed seven touchdowns and nine extra points in the five Orange games for 51 points, one of the highest in the East.

Escape Injuries

One thing in his favor is the fact that in three years he has not missed one minute of varsity action because of injuries. He is considered almost invulnerable by his coaches and teammates.

Ridlon has gained only 145 yards, but he is a dangerous break-away runner and an excellent pass receiver. He is also the team's punter and top defensive man, intercepting three passes this year.

Quarterbacks Weak

At quarterback for the Orange will be Fred Kuczala, who replaces Chuck Zimmerman in the last two games. Kuczala is a good field general and runner, but has completed only two of seven passes this year. Zimmerman, on the other hand, lacks experience but is a good passer, completing 13 of 28 passes, including one touchdown.

The fullback spot is up in the air with varsity performer Ed Coffin a doubtful starter because of an injury. His replacement will be Alan Cann, who is averaging 6.2 yards per try. Cann has carried the ball 23 times for 143 yards.

The Syracuse backfield is one of the heaviest the Lions will face all year. The four starters will average around 220 pounds. Game time is 1:30 p.m. (EST).

Theta Chi Leads Team Standings In 'B' Bowling

Five shutout victories and Phi Epsilon Pi's 3-1 win over Phi Kappa featured action in Wednesday night's fraternity "B" bowling league.

Theta Chi leads the bowlers after four weeks of action, tallying 14 points although Sigma Chi and Alpha Sigma Phi have scored 12 points in three matches, with one set being postponed due to mechanical failure of the alley. Alpha Chi Sigma and Delta Chi have each recorded 12 points.

In other action, all 4-0 verdicts were won by Theta Chi over Alpha Epsilon Pi; Alpha Chi Sigma defeated Kappa Sigma; Alpha Sigma Phi downed Delta Theta Sigma; Delta Chi tripped Phi Mu Delta; and Sigma Chi won over Triangle.

The top individual scorer for one game was Dick Kovacs, Alpha Chi Sig, with 226 points. Don Costanzo, Theta Chi, and Delta Theta Sig's Bob Miller tied for three game honors, both scoring 533 markers.

The remainder of the standings show Delta Theta Sigma scoring eight points; Phi Kappa with seven markers; Phi Ep with five points; Triangle and Kappa Sig have won four games each; AEPi with two wins; and Phi Mu Delta no wins.



Jim Ridlon Switched to Halfback

O'Brien Again Tops Shotput Record at LA

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 1 (AP)—America's Olympic Games track and field team, topped by a sensational throw of 63 feet 2 inches by Parry O'Brien in the shotput, shattered one American and two world records today as it concluded tuneups before heading for Australia next week.

Runners Charlie Jenkins, Lon Spurrier, Tom Courtney and Lou Jones broke the world mile relay record with a clocking of 3:07.3. This foursome defeated Arnie Sowell, Josh Culbreath, Glenn Davis and Eddie Souther, who also bettered the world mark with a clocking of 3:08.1.

The world time of 3:08.8 was set in London in 1952 by a U.S. team of Gene Cole, J. W. Mashburn, Reggie Pearman and Mal Whitfield.

7 Indie Quintets Score Wins

The I.I.'s 11-10 win over the Lazy Five quintet and Nittany 41's thrilling 20-18 victory over the Ramblers sparked action in Wednesday night's independent intramural basketball league competition.

The Pollock 6 Dinks defeated Nittany 43, 44-3; the Hotshots downed the Tims, 35-10; the Gunners swept by the Co-Ops, 23-15; the Clowns outshot the Bullets, 25-19; and the Cyclops tripped the Termites, 33-20 in other games. Forfeit wins were recorded by Nittany 31 over Pollock 10 and the Drunks over Nittany 44.

Don Scott was high scorer for the night, tallying 15 points in leading the Hotshots to victory. Baumgardner of the Tims racked up 12 points and Jack Smith of Pollock 6 scored 11 points.

Baringer's six markers led the I.I.'s to the 11-10 decision over the Lazy Five. The halftime score

was 6-6 and Myers and Wyncoop each tallied three points for the Lazy Five.

After a dull first half with the scored tied, 5-5, Nittany 41 eked out a 20-18 verdict over the Ramblers.

The Pollock 6 Dinks overwhelmed Nittany 43, 44-3 as Smith's 11 points and Bob Williams' nine led the victors. The Hotshots jumped off to an early lead and swept to a 35-10 win over the Tims, with Don Scott and Baumgardner pacing the cagers.

Doug Houck with eight tallies and Phil Moran with six, led the Gunners to a 23-15 win over the Co-Ops. Fitzgerald scored four

points for the losers. The Clowns, sparked by the play of Logan and Cooper, confined the Bullets, 25-19 after gaining a 18-15 halftime advantage.

The Termites scored 12 points in the second half, but it was not enough to offset an early Cyclops lead, and they fell, 33-20.



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