

Navy Torpedoes Lion Booters, 3-2

By SANDY PADWE

Penn State's officer of the deck must have been sleeping Saturday when the Nittany Lion soccer battlegwagon sailed by the banks of the Severn because Navy unleashed a surprise attack which sunk the Lions, 3-2.

The Middies opened up what had been a slow moving game when they scored two "quick" goals in the third period to break a 1-1 halftime deadlock. The Middies took the second half kickoff and put the pressure on the Lion defense right away.

They pounded the Lion goal until center forward Dick "Casey" Stengel scored at the 7-minute mark. Two minutes later he stunned the Lions with another goal and Navy was out in front for good.

The first half was more of a defensive battle with both goals coming on penalty kicks. The Lions took the lead with 20 minutes gone in the first period when left halfback Gary Miller scored on a 24-yard indirect kick. At 5:00 of the second stanza Navy tied the score when center halfback Johnny Meehan caught the Lion net with a 12-yard penalty kick.

The other Lion tally came late in the third period when Billy Fiedler scored on another penalty kick. It was Fiedler's seventh goal of the campaign.

The last quarter saw the Nittanians make a valiant try to overcome the Navy lead.

The Lions outshot the Middies in the final stanza, 6-2, but Navy stood off the Lion attack like the Enterprise stood off Kamikazes at Okinawa.

Except for the third period the Lions controlled the game. They took 17 shots while Navy only managed 14.

Navy's score might have been higher if it weren't for the fine job turned in by substitute goalie Larry Fegley. Fegley took over for Jerry Bruce midway in the third period and stopped the Navy rally cold. He had four saves during a 7-minute span that Navy coach Glen Warner labeled "spectacular."

Warner wasn't the only one who had praise for Fegley. Lion coach Kenny Hosterman was also pleased with Fegley's work: "Larry did a real good job. He sure has come a long way."

This was the first time since Kenny Hosterman took over as the Nittany coach that one of his teams has lost three games.

The Lions now have a 3-3 slate. They have beaten Colgate, Syracuse and Bucknell. The losses have come at the hands of Navy, Maryland and West Chester.

By winning Saturday, Navy still remains unbeaten and is a definite threat for the NCAA soccer title. Navy coach Warner breathed a sigh of relief after the game. "This was the one we were most afraid of. Now I think we can go unbeaten."

Magnificent Matt 'Shaves' 13 Right

Magnificent Matt Mathews reversed his statistics and came off with a 13-2 record in grid picks last weekend.

Mathews, who last week picked four of 15 games correctly said that he actually couldn't take all of the credit for the correct picks. "My barber helped me out," he said. "There were some close close shaves, but I managed to clip off some winners," he added.

Second in the prophecies this week was Genial George French, whose dart board techniques is fading. French picked 11 of the 15 games. He claims that writing in bluebooks has gotten his dart-throwing arm out of condition.

Lucky Lou Prato improved slightly last week with his predictions. He picked eight of the 15 games.

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FANCY FOOTWORK—Navy's outside left Johnny Noonan demonstrates the Navy way of doing the Charleston (top) while the Lions' Bill Fiedler shows the Penn State way (bottom). Actually they are following through on passes. Number 8 in the top photo is acting Lion Captain Herby Hertner.

Gridders' Ground Game Hammers Out 267 Yards

(Continued from page nine) Paolone only scored one TD, on a six yard pitchout in the fourth period, but he emerged as the Lions' rushing leader with 55 yards on 14 trips. He was also on the receiving end of a 23-yard Dick Hoak aerial, but the play was called back because of "an ineligible receiver downfield."

The Lion defensive "fighter support group" must also come in for its share of the victory raves. Furman gained only 113 yards overland and 67 via the airlines. Three interceptions—by Sam Stelatella, Andy Moconyi, and Kas-

perian—helped keep the vaunted Furman passing attack in retreat. Incidentally, Stelatella's interception was his fourth of the season, giving him the team leadership in that department.

Medlar in Dual Role

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GOOD—BUT NO GOOD . . . Bucky Paolone grabs a 23-yard pass from Dick Hoak in the second half of the Furman game, but the pass was ruled invalid because of a downfield ineligible receiver.

Lion Frosh Gridders Beat Panthers, 19-6

The Lion freshman football team continued its dominance over the Panther frosh by winning at Pitt Saturday, 19-6.

Under the coaching of Earl Bruce, the frosh have lost only one game to the Panther cubs in the past eight years. Their last defeat was in 1953, 18-9.

"We were lucky," commented Coach Bruce, "Our first score was on a 1-yard buck after they fumbled on their own 1-yard line."

But Bruce admitted that it wasn't really all luck as his charges had moved down the field to the Pitt 1-yard line before being stopped. On the next play the Panthers fumbled and end Cliff Davis recovered as the first period ended.

Fullback Al Kochman Gursky carried the ball over for the first TD and end Bob Mitinger kicked the extra point for a 7-0 lead.

In the same quarter halfback Mike Daniels took a 15-yard pass from quarterback Allen Brewster to put the Lions into a 13-0 lead.

Midway in the third period Mitinger dropped back to kick, but the pass from center sailed over his head. He recovered the ball and hurriedly kicked a weak spiral into the arms of onrushing guard Regis Coustillac. The Bellmar lineman then raced 40 yards for the Panthers' only tally.

A 25-yard pass from Bill Peters to Mitinger climaxed the

scoring in the final period. Daniels missed the point-after and the Lions settled for a 19-6 verdict.

"Our line played a terrific game," commented Bruce. "The ends—Mitinger and Davis—were really tough. So were the other linemen—Rakowsky, Al Maillelo and Jay Huffman."

Bruce also singled out the play of backs Roger Kochman and Daniels. Kochman missed scoring when the last possible defender tackled him on the Pitt 40 after a 50-yard runback of a kickoff and Daniels turned in "a couple of real good runs besides making a leaping catch of the TD pass."

Guard Ron Castellanos received a slight concussion during the game and was detained in Presbyterian Hospital. Dean Ernie McCoy and Bruce, who visited Castellanos yesterday, said he was expected to be discharged today.



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