

Undefeated Powerhouses Upset-Minded Lions Seek Bowl Bid Today Face Owl Booters

By CRAIG YERKES

The Penn State soccermen will be gunning for their second straight upset when they face the unbeaten Owls of Temple University this morning at 10 on Beaver Field.

Kenny Hosterman's booters, fresh from a 4-2 win over Navy, will be after victory number three. They have previously downed Syracuse, 6-0, and Navy, 4-2. The Lions have lost to Bucknell, Colgate, West Chester and Maryland. This is another must game for the Nittanies if they hope to end up with a winning season.

This year's high-scoring Temple team is a much more experienced eleven than the one that the Lions defeated, 8-2, a year ago in Philadelphia. The Lions wrecked a potentially good season for Temple by defeating the Owls last season and Temple will be out to see it does not happen again.

In the '58 game, the Nittanies scored six times in the fourth quarter to down the Owls. Bill Fiedler, Pete Wadsworth and Gary Miller led the way in the Lion triumph. Fiedler scored three times. Miller scored twice and had four assists in the productive final quarter and Wadsworth chipped in with two goals.

Fiedler has dropped out of school, but Miller and Wadsworth will be in the lineup today and if they repeat their '58 performances, the Owls are in for a rough afternoon.

Kenny Hosterman had this to say concerning the Lions' chances. "If we play like we did in last year's fourth quarter, we will have no worries. Temple will be rough, as their record indicates, but we'll be out there to give them a run for their money. I was very well pleased with the boys' showing against Navy and if we can keep hustling in that same manner we'll do all right."

Hosterman plans to keep Wadsworth at his old position of right wing as a result of the Lion captain's performance against the Middies. Jim Hockenbrock will move from right wing to Wadsworth's former position of inside right.

The only major change in today's starting lineup will be the insertion of Carlos Astiz into the right halfback slot. Astiz will take over in place of Mike Ackley on the strength of his second half performance against Navy. Astiz was instrumental in breaking up several Middle drives.

The goal position is an uncertainty in Hosterman's mind. Both Dave Grubbs and Larry Fegley have turned in stellar jobs this year and the Lion coach most likely will split the chore between the two.

Staverman Goes On Royal's Inactive List
CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Royals of the National Basketball Assn. yesterday placed Larry Staverman on the inactive list. The action reduced the Royals' roster to 11 players as required by the NBA by Saturday night.



Pete Wadsworth

Wildcats Meet Wisconsin In Crucial Game

By JACK CLARY

Associated Press Sports Writer. Northwestern, which hasn't played in the Rose Bowl in 11 years, and Wisconsin, which has the Big Ten's only loss in the current Big Ten-Pacific Coast setup, fight it out today for the probable trip to Pasadena.

However this game must share the weekend's top-billing with the battle for the mythical Eastern championship, between unbeaten Syracuse and Penn State.

Top-ranked Louisiana State will have its hands full with Tennessee and third-ranked Texas tries to improve its position in the Southwest Conference title race and subsequent Cotton Bowl berth against Baylor.

Northwestern, ranked second with a 6-0 record, faces its biggest obstacle in its run for the roses and for its first undefeated season ever and the first in the conference in the last 23 years.

Wisconsin, ranked ninth, has its backs to the Big Ten wall since it lost in conference play to Purdue. But a much-improved pass defense, the overall play of quarterback Dale Hackbart and an iron-clad line are the Badgers' credentials.

Southern California (No. 6) plays Southern Conference member West Virginia (3-4) in an inter-sectional game in Los Angeles. The Trojans (6-0) and particularly guard Mike McKeever, will be watched closely after last week's alleged slugging incident at California.



—Collegian Photo by Marty Scherr

OLD BUDDIES—Penn State coach Rip Engle and Syracuse coach Ben Schwartzwalder exchange views on today's big game under the stands at Beaver Field. The coaches met between workouts yesterday afternoon.

which plays almost as much as the first.

Kochman came into his own last week against West Virginia when he gained 111 yards in eight carries.

He scored one of the Lion touchdowns on a 52 yard dash around end.

Galen Hall, another sophomore, who is having a real good year, directs the second unit attack.

Syracuse will call on its "Sizable Seven," the toughest line in the nation, to halt Lucas and company.

The "sizable seven," composed of Gerry Skonieczki, All-American guard Roger Davis, Bruce Tarbox, Toe Yates, Maury Youmans, Fred Mautino and Al Bemiller, has allowed the opposition less than a yard per carry.

Last week against Pitt, the boys were so stingy that the Panthers couldn't pick up any yardage and wound up minus six.

The Orange backfield is just as potent. With sophomore quarterback Dave Sarette directing the attack, the Orange have rolled through all opposition.

Ernie Davis, a sophomore jet-streak, is the big weapon. He's averaging 7 yards a carry this fall.

German born Ger Schwedes, the Orange captain, is the other halfback and N.C.A.A. wrestling champ Art Baker is the fullback.

Schwedes is one of the most versatile performers to hit Piety Hill in a long time. He can play quarterback and as a passer has 9 for 15. He's also one of the leading pass receivers on the squad.

(Continued from page one) marks are first unit guard Frank Korbin and second unit center Dick Wilson.

Korbin twisted his knee in the Lions' 20-9 win over Illinois in Cleveland two weeks ago and didn't make the trip to West Virginia. But he took part in workouts this week and his knee held up.

The Lion medical brigade says Korbin should see action this afternoon, but he will probably run with the alternate unit.

Wilson, out of action with a broken thumb since the V.M.I. game, five weeks ago, has a light cast over the injury and must receive permission from the referees before playing.

All-American quarterback candidate Richte Lucas heads Penn State's first unit, which for one exception, will be the same that manhandled West Virginia last week.

The exception is captain Pat Botula, the Lion fullback. Botula didn't play against the Mounties because of a bruised shoulder. However, the injury has responded to treatment and the pile-driving runner will see full duty today.

Botula will be joined in the backfield by Lucas, and halfbacks Jim Kerr and Dick Hoak.

Lucas, picked as the New York Times' midseason All-American quarterback, does everything for Engle's Lions.

He's seventh in the country in total offense and is a passing threat as well as a running threat. In the passing department, Lucas has completed 45 of 87 for 673 yards.

On the ground the shy senior from Glassport, Pa., has 246 yards in 65 carries, an average of 3.8 yards per carry.

He also handles the punting, and is almost impassable on defense.

Lucas' two favorite targets—Norm Neff and Henry Opperman—are the first unit ends. The tackles are Andy Stynchula and Tom Mulreney, and the guards are Bud Kohlhaas and Bill Popp. Jay Huffman is the center.

Halfback Roger Kochman, a sophomore speedster from Wilkensburg, heads the second unit

Cagers, Wrestlers Will Open Winter Sports Season Early

Penn State's basketball and wrestling teams open the winter sports season early in December while the Gym team must wait until Jan. 9 for its first test.

John Egl's Nittany cagers open with successive games against four of the top 20 teams in the nation. The cagers play at North Carolina State, Dec. 1, travel to Purdue Dec. 5, and play at West Virginia Dec. 12. They kickoff the home season against Syracuse, Dec. 15.

Other top games include 18th ranked Navy at Annapolis, Feb. 10, and Temple at Philadelphia, March 4.

The Lions have battled the highly rated West Virginia Mountaineers right down to the wire at Rec Hall for the last two years. This year they meet the Mounties Jan. 9 on the University hardwood.

Two years ago, Egl's crew lost to the Mounties, 74-71. And last year behind the 30-point effort of Mark DuMars, the Nittanies took West Virginia into overtime where they ran out of gas and lost, 89-81.

The cagers, who won the Richmond Invitational Tournament last year, will not defend their crown, but will play in the first annual keystone classic in Harrisburg, Dec. 28-29.

Teams in the tournament are Penn State, Temple, Pennsylvania and Duquesne.

Charlie Speidel's wrestlers open against Army at West Point, Dec.

5, and travel to Colgate, Dec. 12, before opening against Michigan at home Dec. 17.

Other meets at home include Cornell, Jan. 23, Navy, Feb. 13, Syracuse, Feb. 20, and Pitt, Feb. 27.

The Lions also will participate in the Eastern tournament at Princeton, N.J., March 11-12 and are scheduled to appear in the Nationals at College Park, Md., March 25-26.

Gene Weitstone's gym team, National Champs last year, start with Temple at Philadelphia, Jan. 9 and begin the home season with Navy, Feb. 13, Syracuse, Feb. 20, and Pitt, Feb. 27 round out the home schedule.

The NCAA gymnastics tournament will be held at Rec Hall March 18-19.

The indoor track team which participates in all the big meets in the country has one duel meet scheduled. The endermen meet Army at West Point, Feb. 20.

Winter Schedules
Basketball
Dec. 1, at North Carolina State; 5, at

Purdue; 12, at West Virginia; 15, Syracuse; 19, Colgate; 28-29, Keystone Classic
Jan. 5 at Carnegie Tech; 9, West Virginia; 12, at Bucknell; 23, Pitt; 30, Carnegie Tech.

Feb. 2, Gettysburg; 10, at Navy; 13, Rutgers; at Colgate; 20, at Syracuse; 25, Lehigh; 27, at Pitt; March 4, at Temple; 6, at Rutgers.

Wrestling
Dec. 5, at Army; 12, at Colgate; 17, Michigan; Jan. 9, at Lehigh; 23, Cornell; Feb. 6 at Maryland; 13, Navy; 20, Syracuse; 27, Pitt; March 5, at Rutgers; 11-12, E.I.W.A. at Princeton, N.J.; 25-26, N.C.A.A. at College Park, Md.

Gym
Gymnastics: Jan. 9, at Temple; Feb. 6, Navy; 12, at Army; 20, Syracuse; 27, Pitt; March 5, E.I.G.L.; 18-19, N.C.A.A. Indoor Track: Feb. 20, at Army.

Game Cancelled
GRAND FORKS, N.D. (AP) —

The North Dakota-Idaho State football game, scheduled here Nov. 11, has been canceled by mutual agreement. L. R. Marti, acting director of athletics at North Dakota, said weather conditions make the game a poor risk. Temperatures fell to one above zero yesterday and about two inches of snow was on the ground.

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