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Both Seek First Vitcory Lions vs. Miami in Orange Bowl Tonight



SOPHOMORE WINGBACK Charlie Pittman, who carried the ball three times for 20 yards in his varsity debut last week at Navy, will move into the Lions' starting lineup tonight at Miami. He stands 5-1, weighs 180 pounds and replaces Roger Grimes in the backfield. By all pre-season predictions, to-night's Penn Statc-Miami game should be a clash of unbeatens, but after opening game upsets, both teams are backing for their first withouter looking for their first victories.

The powerful Hurricanes floundered haplessly on offense last week and were upended, 12-7, by Northwestern. In the Lions' opener, a surprising Navy team twice came from behind to stun Penn State, 23-22.

Over 50,000 Expected

crowd of 55,000-60,000 is ex-Α. pected to be on hand tonight as Miami returns home in an attempt to even its record. The Lions, hurt by injuries on the defensive unit, will field a makeshift defense after losing four regulars last week.

On the Penn State offense, one new face will be in the backfield. Sophomore Charlie Pittman will start at the wingback spot, replacing Roger Grimes

Offense Sputtered

The Miami offense, a question mark before the season began, stymied last week with fumbles, inter-ceptions and a penalty for an illegal pass. After a week of drilling to clear up the sloppy play, the Hurricanes threaten to come alive with a strong scoring punch.

Reserve quarterback Dave Olivo moves into the starting position to-night. At the helm against Northwestern for less than a quarter, Olivo moved Miami 72 yards on one drive, 49 on another. In the running back positions, sophomore Vince Opalsky

and junior John Acuff give the Hurricanes breakaway speed as well as power.

Opalsky ran for 91 yards and Acuff 84 against Northwestern. The other member of the Miami backfield is fullback Doug McGee. Olivo, Opalsky and Acuff are from Pennsylvania.

Most of Penn State's hopes rest with its offense, which couldn't get untracked until the second half last week but still gained 378 yards. The Miami defense however, led by All-American end Ted Hendricks, won't yield as easily as the Midshipmen.

"If we get any scoring opportuni-ties against Miami, we certainly better be ready 'to take advantage of them because Miami has one of the nation's, best defensive teams," Lion coach Joe. Paterno said earlier this week.

-Good Week

According to Paterno, the Lions have had a good week of practice coming off the loss to Navy.

"I'm proud of the boys," Paterno said. "They're trying desperately to get back on the win trail. The morale is good, and I'm hopeful, that with a couple of breaks, we can bring home a win " a win.

In an effort to shore up the crip-pled defense, Paterno has shuffled some sophomores into the gaps left by Injuries, Steve Smear moves into the defensive tackle position for the in-jured John Ebersole, Wally Cirafesi will start at defensive halfback in Bob Capretto's spot and Dave Rakiecki will take over a middle guard for fellow

sophomore Ed Stofko.

Sophomore Pete Johnson is another new starter on defense, replacing Bill Rettig at rover. Jim McCormick will start at Mike Reid's linebacking spot.

Penn State has been working hard pass, defense this week, after the Lion defenders fared so poorly against Navy.

Wasn't That Bad

"The pass defense last week really wasn't as bad as it looked," Paterno said, "Some of the blame belongs to the men up front. Our pass rush was ineffective. They didn't get to Cart-wright."

Whether or not Paterno will have his linebackers blitzing and stunting as much as last week remains to be seen, but if the rush is as weak as it was against Navy, it could be a long night for the Lions, Quarterback Olivo has a favorite target in All-American prospect, split end Jimmy Cox.

Precision Missing

At Miami, they've been saying all week long that they know the defense is good, and the offense has an explo-sive potential. It's just a matter of precision timing that's missing.

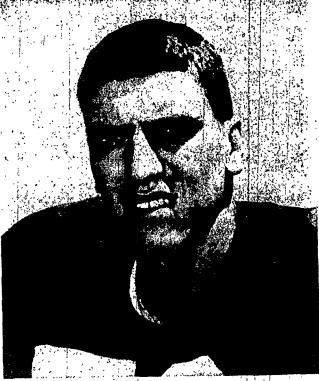
At Penn State, the offense is no problem. They, can score and score often. The question is defense, not in terms of precision, but talent. New men in new positions give coach Pa-terno a lot of worries as he prepares to see if Miami has achieved its precision.

It should be an interesting game

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DEFENSIVE RIGHT tackle Steve Smear, only a sophomore, gets the starting nod tonight against the Hurricanes of Miami, Smear, a former Big 33 player from Johnstown, is 6-1, 218, and saw considerable action against Navy last Saturday.

Harriers Head For Villanova

By CHARLIE HULL

Collegian Sports Writer The Penn State cross country team will travel to Villanova Saturday in the first meet of the season for both teams. For the Lions, the meet will be the beginning of

what is expected to be a fine season. Penn State will be led by a quartet of outstanding runners. Captain Al Sheaffer, Ray Smith, Phil Peterson and Steve Gentry make up the best foursome of cross country runners in head coach John A. Lucas' six year tenure at State.

All four men are juniors and are expected to provide the Lions with many points during the coming season. Lucas' four talented juniors will be backed up by seniors Terry Engelder and Barry Rounds and sophomores Jeff Deardorff and Jim Dixon. Same Team Returns

Villanova, defending IC4A and NCAA champion, has the same team back this year that ran away with the national championships last November. The Wildcats defeated the Lions last year 18-43, but Lucas expects the score to be closer this year. The Lions have a realistic approach toward the season

in that they are taking each meet as it comes. Although the team is young and rather inexperienced, it has been looking very good in practice. In the annual 10,000 meter run that precedes the first meet, Smith broke the existing record, with his three junior cohorts less than a minute behind.

Lucas will field a squad of twelve men as the Lions seek to upset the Wildcats' plans for a second undefeated season.

Stadium Seating By Class Standing Student seating at Beaver Stadium for next week's

UCLA football game, as well as all home games will again be determined by class standing.

Seniors and graduate students are assigned to sections EF, EG and EH. Juniors will sit in sections EG, EJ and NL; sophomores in NK, NJ, NH, NG, and NF; and freshmen will sit in NA, NB, NC, ND NE and NF. (See diagram)

Some answers to seating questions:

May students move down in section?

Yes, a senior dating a junior may sit in the junior section, a junior dating a sophomore may sit in the sophomore section, etc.

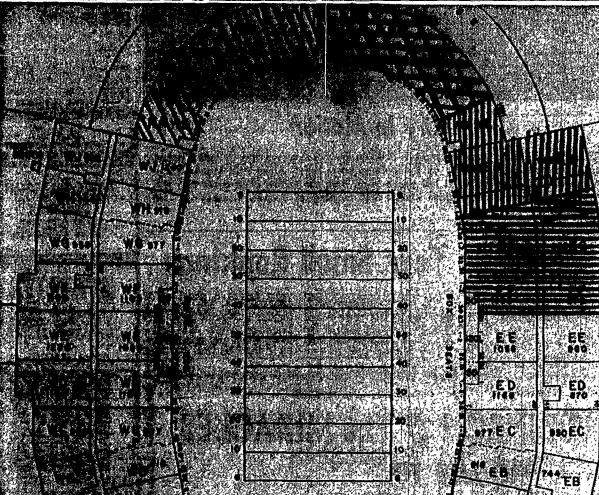
How do you buy tickets to the game if you do not have a season ticket?

Any student who has not purchased a season ticket may purchase a maximum of two single game tickets, one for himself, and one for his date, who must be a Penn State student. Each student must present his matric card and certificate of registration at the time of purchase and for admission to the game. The tickets may be pur-chased at \$2.00 each on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the week of the particular game. Tickets are sold at the ticket office, 236 Recreation Building.

How does a student purchase a ticket for his date who is not a Penn State student?

The student may purchase a \$5.00 ticket which will then allow the student's date to join him in the student sections.

What about part-time students? All students must be full-time-eight credits or more



—to be eligible for the student rate;

Students who may have applied for season tickets within the last two to three weeks may now pick up their passes in the ticket office, Recreation Building.

High School Boy First In Line For Tickets

ST. LOUIS (AP) - David Kratky, 17-year-old e c o n d baseman for the East St. Louis, Ill., High School Baseball team, camped outside Busch Stadium yesterday so he will be first in line when World Series bleacher tickets go on sale Saturday.

The St. Louis Cardinals, Na-' tional League entry in the series will begin selling 4,082 bleacher seats — first-come, first served-at 9 a.m. Satur-. day.

Kratky, a senior, said he will miss two days of school to head up the ticket line.

Wrestlers Meet Today

Penn State wrestling coach Bill Koll has announced that anyone, freshman or upperclassman, who is interested in joining the wrestling team this year should meet this afternoon, between 3:30 and 4, in the wrestling room at Recreation Hall.

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Finley States Plan To Move Athletics

KANSAS CITY (\mathcal{P}) — Charles O. Finley made official Thursday his long-reported plans to move the Kansas City Athletics to another location.

In a letter to city officials, he said he "decided to take the steps necessary to transfer the Athletics to another city.

His letter was sent to City Manager Carlcton Sharpe, who is out of the city. It was then delivered to Mayor Ilus Davis who released its contents. Meeting in Chicago

Mayor Davis also had received a letter from Alexander H. Hadden of Cleveland, attorney for the American League, inviting him and other city officials to a league meeting on Oct. 18 in Chicago.

Hadden said the meeting was called "to discuss an application which is expected to be filed shortly, to transfer the Kansas City Athletics to another location effective

for the 1968 championship season." Rumors have been circulating that Finley has been looking toward Seattle and Oakland as possible sites for the A's.

His lease on Kansas City's Municipal Stadium runs out with the end of the 1967 season.

