

Bruce Bannon is gone but Dave Graf continues the chase

## Putting the blanket over Boryla

By RICK STARR **Assistant Sports Editor** 

During his reign of terror at Beaver Stadium, Bruce Bannon developed a style for playing the defensive end position

The idea was simple enough, be quick off the ball, go quickly through the offensive linemen and put the opposing quarterback quickly on his back. As the record will bear out, the system had its merits and got its results.

The concept is to get to the passer before he has time to read "War and Peace" and pass the pigskin along to one of his men. Some call it pressure defense and Bannon

This coming Saturday afternoon will tell if Penn State will use that system again this year. If the Lions are going to throw the blanket over Stanford quarterback Mike Boryla, Bannon-like intimidation amounts to the easiest way.

The job of putting on this pressure from the outside belongs to juniors Dave Graf and Greg Murphy. Graf has the experience, Murphy has the potential.

The fact that Stanford's

offensive line had trouble keeping the waterboy out of the backfield last year could help the situation somewhat, but Stanford head coach Jack Christiansen brought on some junior college reinforcements so the strength of the line, or lack of it, is a mystery.

"We saw the films of last year's team," Graf said last night, "but it's pretty hard to say. They have a lot of new people, junior college transfers."

"We don't know that much about them," defensive line coach J. T. White admitted. 'A lot depends on their junior college transfers."

The fact that Graf is at defensive end at all is due to tackle Randy Crowder's recovery from a serious knee operation. White got the news a little while back that Graf wouldn't be needed at defensive tackle, so he has at least one of last year's starters back.

"I was greatly relieved to get Dave back," White said, "since he is the only player with experience to any great extent at the position. I thought I lost him for awhile."

White pointed to Graf's

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also indicated Stanford's reluctance to keep the ball on the ground.

"Dave defenses the run real well and he has the size for the position, and the ability to make the big play," he said.
"Murphy has worked hard and he had a great spring and (Buddy) Tesner has great desire.

Both Graf and his coach said the heat did little or nothing to melt the progress of the defensive line

Graf said the heat was uncomfortable but indicated this year's practice was pretty much the same as last year's

White, meanwhile, was impressed with his players performance under the hot circumstances.

"I was amazed at the heat and impressed with the way the kids stood up against it," White commented. "They should be in great shape for the type of weather this early

Graf, who missed a few days practice last week with a badly sprained left ankle, said he is more comfortable back in his old position and White presumably feels more comfortable to see him there. According to both, the ankle is completely healed and ready for the opener.

Unfortunately, White will have to watch the fruits of his labor on television like the rest of us. He hits the road this weekend for Iowa City to scout the Iowa-Michigan fray.

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### Booters' game still defense, blank Rider

Despite the graduation of a adjusting to the sloppy few key players, the Lion conditions of the football field booters retained one thing at Woodrow Wilson High in from last year's 9-1-2 team. Namely defense.

Penn State never allowed Rider a good shot on goal and coasted to a 6-0 win last night" in the Third Annual Bristol County College Soccer Night. In the other game, Temple Mercer County Community College.

The match was the first scrimmage of the season for Penn State, which opens its season Oct. 3 against West

Levittown

Sophomore winger John Marsden, who collected six goals and two assists in his rookie year, then knocked in State's first score.

Before the half ended, the Lions lit up the scoreboard four more times. Halfback Randy Garber and insides Chris Bahr and Bruce Duttenhofer contributed

Bahr had two scores from his new inside position, where Penn State took the first 15 he teamed with senior Tom minutes of the match Kehan. Bahr led the squad in

halfback last season

This year coach Herb

Schmidt moved the offenseminded Bahr to inside where he will get more scoring opportunities. Bahr

goals (10) and assists (7) and doubling as a kicker on the was named All-America at football team and is slightly minutes. ahead of John Reihner for the kicking chores against Stanford Saturday.

Freshman Gary White provided the only score of the second half, which saw from goalie Mike Arnold.
Schmidt substitute his second

— Mark Sime

The Lion defense, which returned intact after shutting out seven opponents last year,

#### Roundup: Phils over Mets

PHILADELPHIA (AP) -The Philadelphia Phillies slammed four home runs, two by Greg Luzinski, and rallied to beat the New York Mets 6-4 last night.

New York took a 4-0 lead in

the first three innings as Rusty Staub socked a pair of two-run homers. They were game. his 13th and 14th of the baseball season, coming in the first and third. - The Phillies picked up their

first run in the third on Luzinski's first homer of the season. They made it 4-2 in the fifth on an RBI single by

In the sixth, Bob Boone walked with one out and rode

homer of the year to tie the slugger's homers. He now has score at 4-4. Then, in the seventh, Billy Grabarkewitz put the Phillies in front with a leadoff homer. Two outs later. Luzinski slammed his 27th, the fourth time this year he has hit two homers in a

NEW YORK (AP) - The National Broadcasting Company said yesterday it will interrupt its normal telecasts to show Hank Aaron's 712th through 715th home runs.

The network said a videotape showing and brief commentary will be provided

home on Mike Schmidt's 16th shortly after the Atlanta 710, the lâst hit Monday night, in pursuit of Babe Ruth's alltime mark of 714.

> HILTON HEAD, S.C. (AP) — Tennis star Billie Jean King, suffering from what doctors described as a slight imbalance in her blood sugar, is still expected to meet Bobby Riggs in their celebrated match in the Houston Astrodome Sept. 20. Mrs. King defaulted in the third round of the recent U.S. Open at Forest Hills, N.Y., suffering from exhaustion and what was

#### major league standings

American League East								
V	V.	L.	Pct.	G.B.				
Baltimore	83	59	.585					
Boston	79	66	.545	51/2				
Detroit	77	69	.527	8				
New York	72	73	.497	$12\frac{1}{2}$				
Milwaukee	70	74	.486	14				
Cleveland	64	84	.432	22				
West								
Oakland	83	60	.580					
Kan City	78	65	.545	5				
Chicago	72	72	.500	111/2				
Minnesota	70	73	.489	13				
Calif	65	75	.464	161/2				
Texas	50	- 93	.349	33				
Results								
Baltimore 8, Boston 3								

Cleveland 7, New York 3 Detroit 4, Milwaukee 2, 10

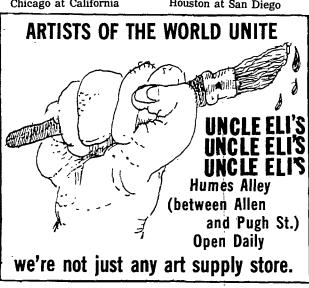
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#### National League

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St. Louis	72	72	.500	
PIRATES	70	71	.496	1/2
Montreal	70	73	.490	1½
Chicago	69	74	.483	21/2
New York	69	75	.479	3
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Cincinnati	88	57	.607	

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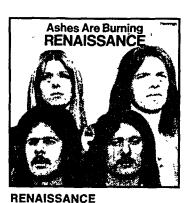




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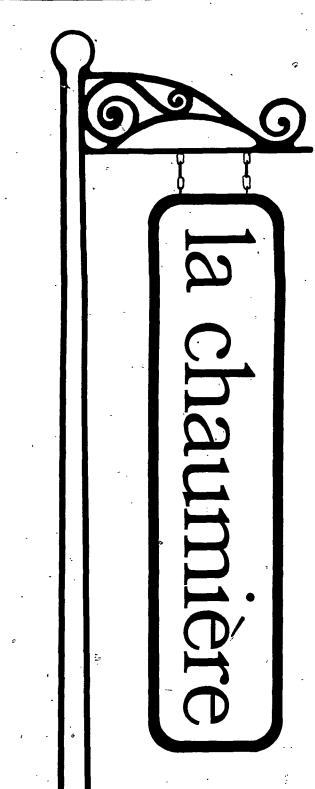


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