

Prexy takes own team as Collegian prognosticator



Pres. John Oswald

What does University President John Oswald do in his spare time? The former DePauw grinner still follows the game.

Oswald revealed he knew something about college football when he agreed to be the guest prognosticator for this week's "Collegian Big Ten."

Oswald, a logical choice for the Homecoming paper, gazed at the list, sat down and circled his picks before you could sing the first line of the alma mater.

Even though the games were tougher than previous weeks, Oswald didn't hesitate when the close games came up.

He sided with Penn State against fumbling Iowa and

added, "Penn State has demonstrated depth that Iowa has not."

The other featured games, Oklahoma at Southern Cal and Auburn at Tennessee, drew perceptive responses. "Oklahoma will show USC is not the team it was last year," he predicted. Moving on to the Southern Conference battle Oswald said, "Auburn has had Tennessee's number for the last two years and will make it number three in a row."

Oswald has some tough competition if he wants the honor as the top guest predictor. Gov. Milton Shapp inaugurated the "Collegian Big Ten" with an 8-1-1 mark. Last week Philadelphia Mayor Frank Rizzo copped a 9-1 record. —MS

'Collegian Big Ten'

	Iowa at Penn State	Pitt at Northwestern	Temple Holy Cross	Syracuse at Washington	Notre Dame at Purdue	Missouri at North Carolina	West Virginia at Illinois	Oklahoma at Southern Cal	UCLA at Michigan State	Auburn at Tennessee
Ray McAllister (last week: 7-3; overall: 14-5-1, 725)	Penn State	Northwestern	Temple	Washington	Notre Dame	Missouri	Illinois	Oklahoma	UCLA	Tennessee
Mark Simenson (last week: 9-1; overall: 17-2-1, 875)	Penn State	Pitt	Holy Cross	Syracuse	Notre Dame	Missouri	West Virginia	Southern Cal	UCLA	Tennessee
Rick Starr (last week: 8-4; overall: 15-4-1, 775)	Penn State	Northwestern	Holy Cross	Washington	Notre Dame	Missouri	West Virginia	Southern Cal	UCLA	Auburn
Dunkel's Football Index (last week: 8-2; overall: 16-3-1, 825)	Penn State	Pitt	Holy Cross	Washington	Notre Dame	Missouri	West Virginia	Oklahoma	UCLA	Auburn
Associated Press (last week: 8-2; overall: 16-3-1, 825)	Penn State	Northwestern	Holy Cross	Syracuse	Notre Dame	Missouri	Illinois	Southern Cal	UCLA	Tennessee
President Oswald (last week: Mayor Frank Rizzo, 9-1; overall guests: 17-2-1, 875)	Penn State	Northwestern	Holy Cross	Washington	Notre Dame	Missouri	Illinois	Oklahoma	UCLA	Auburn

Pirates pitch away chance to catch Mets

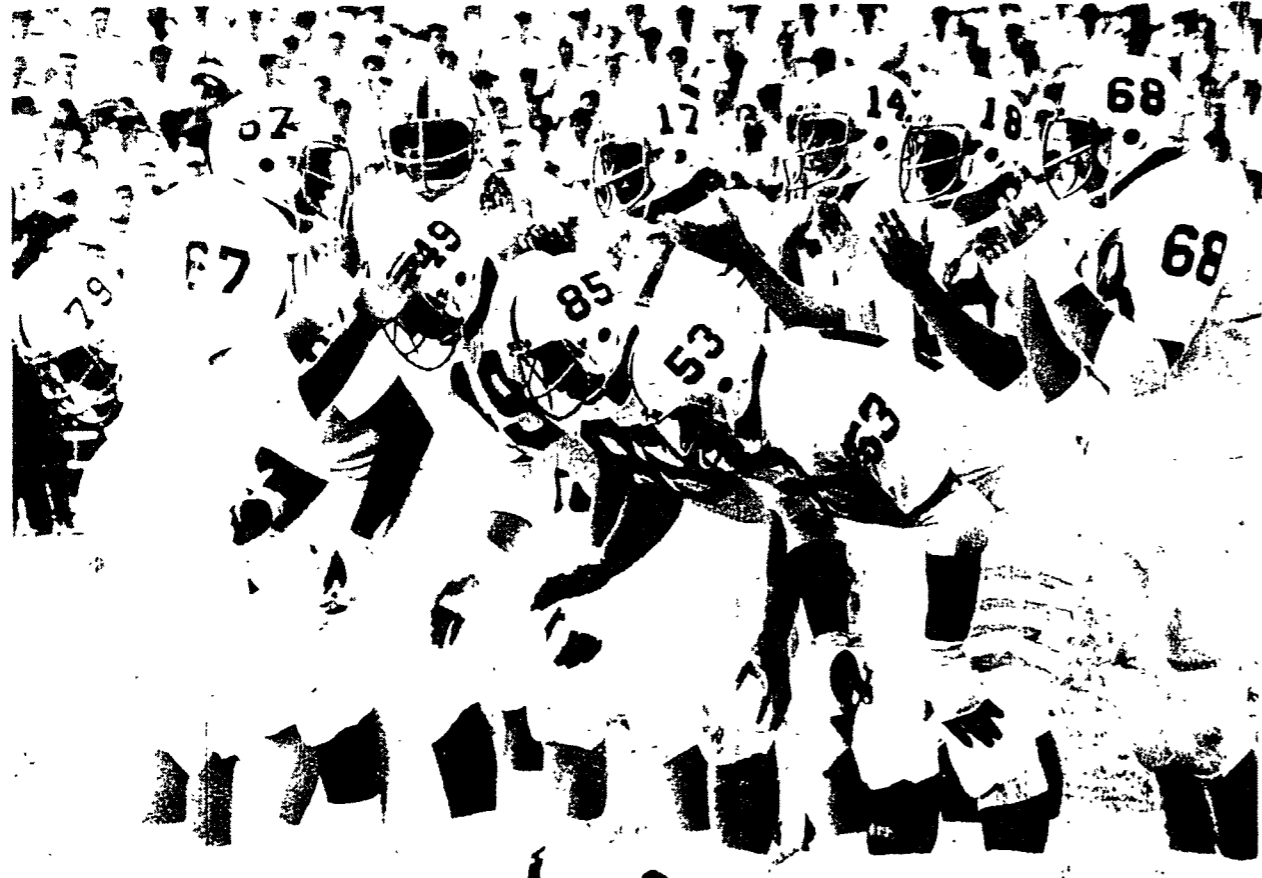


Photo by Joe Rudick

Penn State's defense will be hawking for Iowa mistakes

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Pittsburgh reliever Chris Zachary threw a wild pitch with two out in the 13th inning that allowed Greg Luzinski to race home with the winning run and give the Philadelphia Phillies a 3-2 victory over the Pirates last night.

Luzinski opened the decisive 13th with a single to left, moved up on Bill Robinson's sacrifice and took third on Bob Boone's single, his fourth hit of the game, before scrambling home when Zachary uncorked a wild pitch with the count one ball and two strikes to Larry Bowa.

The loss dropped the Pirates a full game behind the first-place New York Mets, who were idle. Both teams have four games left as baseball's National League East heads into the final weekend of the regular season.

The Pirates are at home against the Montreal Expos for three games and, if necessary, play the San Diego Padres in a makeup game on Monday. The Mets play the Cubs four times in Chicago.

The Phillies jumped out to a 2-0 lead off Pirate starter Bruce Kison in the first inning when leadoff batter Bill Grabarkewitz walked and Del Unser followed with a homer, his 11th of the season over the rightfield wall.

Pittsburgh retaliated in its half of the first when Dave Cash opened with a double and Al Oliver cracked his 20th homer, a line shot that just cleared the wall in right.

Phillie starter Barry Lersch then retired the next 19 Pirates in a row before Richie Hebner stroked a two-out

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NL East pennant race

	W	L	Pct	GB	To Play
New York	80	78	.506	—	4
Pittsburgh	79	79	.500	1	4
St. Louis	78	81	.491	2½	3
Montreal	77	82	.484	3½	3
Chicago	76	82	.481	4	4

Single to right in the seventh.

Kison allowed four hits before giving way to Ramon Hernandez with two out in the seventh after Larry Bowa had walked and crossed to third on a single by Lersch.

Unser then hit a ground ball that got by Oliver at first base, but second baseman Cash lunged to his left to make the grab and threw to Hernandez covering first.

The out call was made just as Bowa crossed the plate with what would have been the tie-breaking run.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — St. Louis' Reggie Cleveland faced only 27 batters — the minimum number possible in a regulation nine innings — and shutout the Chicago Cubs 2-0 on a one-hitter last night.

Ken Rudolph's sixth inning single was the only hit Cleveland yielded.

The Cardinal right-hander retired the first 16 Cubs before Rudolph's clean single to left.

Cubs' pitcher Burt Hooton then attempted a sacrifice bunt but wound up grounding out into a double play. After that Cleveland took care of the next nine Cubs in order.

Cleveland, who struck out three and walked none, was given all the necessary runs on Lou Brock's two-run homer in the sixth inning.

The victory kept the third-place Cardinals' hopes alive in the National League East, moving them 2½ games behind the first-place New York Mets, who were idle.

In the American League, the New York Yankees blanked Milwaukee 2-0, Detroit defeated Baltimore 5-2 and the Chicago White Sox edged Kansas City in 10 innings 3-2.

Minnesota was at California on the West Coast where California pitcher Nolan Ryan was pursuing the major league record for strikeouts in one season held by Sandy Koufax.

The Yankees clinched a fourth place tie in the AL East when Pat Dobson scattered nine hits to pick up his ninth victory against eight losses. Graig Nettles doubled in a run in the second inning and a wild pitch brought home the other Yankee run in the third.

Joe Coleman, 23-15, pitched a six-hitter to snap the Orioles' winning streak at six games. Dick Sharon laced a double that scored three runs in the sixth.

Lions, Hawkeyes set; turnovers key

By RICK STARR
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The undefeated Nittany Lions will put on their blue jerseys for the first time this year when they open the home season tomorrow against the Iowa Hawkeyes.

A Homecoming throng of 60,000 is expected to be on hand for the 1:30 p.m. kickoff to get a first look at coach Joe Paterno's new team. However, the '73 edition of the Lions looks surprisingly

like the '72 edition, and the '71 and the '70...

The Hawkeyes, a young team coached by Frank Lauterbur have fallen on hard times so far this season with big losses to UCLA and Michigan. The Hawkeyes have committed 12 turnovers in the two games, seven fumbles and five interceptions, all of which is not very conducive to winning football.

At UCLA last week Iowa led the Bruins 10-2 in the second period but then fell

down after three straight fumbles.

At Michigan, Lauterbur's men served up four fumbles in the first period and eventually lost 31-7. Against Penn State, similar play most likely will yield similar results.

Iowa quarterback Kyle Skogman has thrown for one TD, 262 yards and 20 completions in his 43 attempts, four of which have been picked off. Skogman runs Iowa's pro type offense which is capable of moving the ball — whenever the Hawkeyes can manage to hold onto it long enough.

Last year in Beaver Stadium, Lion quarterback John Hufnagel had to move Penn State 80 yards in the final three minutes to avoid defeat by Iowa.

Split end Brian Rollins is Skogman's favorite receiver. In last year's game Rollins and Skogman teamed up for a 36-yard touchdown pass that put the Hawkeyes ahead. Hufnagel then hit tight end Dan Natale to account for Penn State's winning score.

Rollins has 11 catches for 145 yards and a touchdown this year. Freshman flanker Bill Schultz has four receptions for 73 yards.

Running backs Phil Hayman and Jim Jensen share the fullback duties while the tailback chores will be divided between Craig Johnson and Mark Fetter.

Defensively, Big Ten tackle leader Andre Jackson, only a sophomore, already has 32 tackles this year.

Defensive end Dan Dickel and defensive halfback Earl Douthitt also

have turned in good performances for the Hawkeyes in the first two games.

"Iowa is a young team that has been hurting itself with turnovers," Paterno said. "Iowa has the potential to be a good team and could cause some trouble if they stop hurting themselves with turnovers."

Penn State, meanwhile, has given up four fumbles and a pass interception but the defense has covered the mistakes so far.

According to the National Collegiate Sports Services, the Lions are fourth in scoring defense and sixth in both total defense and rushing defense nationally. Richmond, Notre Dame, and Iowa State lead Penn State in points allowed while the Lions are tied with Southern Cal after giving up six points in the first two games.

Penn State wide receiver Gary Hayman is the only Lion among the statistical leaders. Hayman's 13.3-yard average return on punts ties him for tenth.

Paterno is satisfied with Penn State's performance so far this season, but still looks for improvement.

"I don't think we have had a team play this well this early in the season, but we have to continue to improve," Paterno said. "That's what counts, getting better each week."

"The defense has played well and we have been getting good kicking. That has kept the pressure on the other team. They look up and see they have to go 80 yards to score.

Roundup

West won't play for the 'last place' Lakers

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Wilt Chamberlain is gone and Jerry West says he's almost certain to quit — which would leave the Los Angeles Lakers with only two-fifths of the starting team that made a shambles of the National Basketball Association two years ago.

Chamberlain jumped Wednesday to the San Diego Conquistadors of the American Basketball Association.

Forward Jim McMillian was traded to Buffalo for 7-foot center Elmore Smith.

West, 35-year-old perennial all-pro guard, says he wants his contract renegotiated for security, not money. He said he doesn't want to play for what he calls a bad team and adds that it's "99 per cent I won't play."

In addition to West, only Happy Hairston, a forward, and guard Gail Goodrich remain as veteran starters of the 1971-72 championship team that won 33 straight games and 69 for the regular season, both league records.

West, after observing an intrasquad game, said, "Right now the Lakers are a last-place team."

NEW YORK (AP) — There will be eight sellouts, meaning no television blackouts, in the National Football League this weekend, the league announced yesterday.

An NFL spokesman said that according to information the league has received, the following Sunday games have been sold out:

New England at Miami, the New York Jets at Buffalo, Oakland at Kansas City, Chicago at Denver, Green Bay at Minnesota, Los Angeles at San Francisco and Washington at Philadelphia.

In addition, he said, Atlanta at Detroit Monday night is also a sellout.

Recent legislation passed by Congress states there can be no local television blackout of any game sold out 72 hours in advance.

Games not sold out and subject to blackouts are Cincinnati at San Diego,

Pittsburgh at Houston, New Orleans at Baltimore, the New York Giants at Cleveland and St. Louis at Dallas Sunday, the NFL spokesman said.

He added that the eight sellouts will bring the total to 24 in 39 games for the first three weeks of the season.

ATLANTA (AP) — Hank Aaron's march toward Babe Ruth's record 714 career home runs was delayed last night when the scheduled baseball game between the Los Angeles Dodgers and Atlanta Braves was rained out.

Aaron, who has blasted 39 homers this season to raise his lifetime production to 712 — two short of matching Ruth's total — hit his last homer Saturday night in Houston.

The 39-year-old Aaron was in Manager Eddie Matthew's lineup for last night's game which won't be rescheduled.

Although the Braves have an open date today, the Dodgers travel to San Diego to meet the Padres tonight. The regular baseball season ends Sunday.

Atlanta closes out its season against the Houston Astros with single games tomorrow and Sunday.

CINCINNATI (AP) — Outfielder Bobby Tolan was suspended by the Cincinnati Reds for the rest of the regular baseball season, the National League baseball team announced yesterday.

Bob Howsam, president of the NL West division winners said in a statement that Tolan "has been suspended for a continued refusal to take and participate in regular batting and fielding practice and for a lack of interest. I feel his attitude has been divisive."

Tolan, the 1972 Comeback Player of the Year, defied a locker room ban last month after a shouting match with a team official: He left the team for a few days but returned in late August under an ultimatum.

The action reduces the Reds roster to the necessary 25 players.

DUNKEL'S FOOTBALL INDEX

Oklahoma choice here over Southern Cal

By DICK DUNKEL
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Big Eight Conference prestige gets a stiff test tomorrow when Oklahoma visits Southern Cal, the reigning Pacific-8 champion.

Last year Big Eight teams averaged a full touchdown stronger on the Index than Pac-8 teams.

A big Southern Cal victory tomorrow would help restore balance. But the last time Oklahoma lost a game outside the Big Eight was to Texas of the Southwest Conference back in October, 1970.

This week the Index gives Oklahoma a 4-point advantage.

Here's what other national leaders must do to keep their ratings exactly where they are:

Nebraska 35 over Wisconsin
Alabama 47 over Vanderbilt
Michigan 30 over Navy
Penn State 28 over Iowa

Ohio State 12 over TCU
Oklahoma 18 over S. Illinois
Auburn 4 over Tennessee

N.C. State 12 over Georgia
Higher rating teams have won in 78.6 percent of the 434 games covered here so far.

The schedule with Index differences follows:

Higher Rating Team	Rating	Opposing Team	Rating
Missouri	99.7	15) N. Carolina	81.3
Notre Dame	99.1	16) Fresno St.	81.4
N.C. State	92.2	17) Wisconsin	81.4
S. Illinois	70.7	18) Georgia	80.5
Notre Dame	100.8	19) Purdue	79.6
Ohio State	101.2	20) TCU	78.4
Oklahoma	118.0	21) S. Cal	115.5
Oklahoma	104.2	22) S. Illinois	82.1
Oregon St.	79.6	23) Lafayette	63.4
Illinois	69.5	24) Iowa	71.1
Penn State	105.4	25) N. Carolina	70.2
Pittsburgh	82.6	26) N. Carolina	69.2
Illinois	74.6	27) Kent St.	68.8
Richmond	79.1	28) Penn State	68.5
Notre Dame	105.5	29) S. Cal	68.2
S. Cal	93.2	30) N. Carolina	67.9
Stanford	73.4	31) Penn State	67.9
Texas	101.0	32) Penn State	67.9
Texas A.M.	90.2	33) Penn State	67.9
Tulane	70.3	34) Penn State	67.9
Tulane	92.1	35) Penn State	67.9
Tulane	71.7	36) Penn State	67.9
U.C.L.A.	99.8	37) Penn State	67.9
Utah	87.4	38) Penn State	67.9

MAJOR GAMES

DATE	Game
SEPTEMBER 29	Alabama vs. Missouri
SEPTEMBER 30	Arizona vs. Oregon
SEPTEMBER 30	California vs. Stanford
SEPTEMBER 30	Florida vs. Tennessee
SEPTEMBER 30	Georgia vs. South Carolina
SEPTEMBER 30	Iowa vs. Michigan
SEPTEMBER 30	Kansas vs. Oklahoma
SEPTEMBER 30	Missouri vs. Texas
SEPTEMBER 30	Notre Dame vs. Wisconsin
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SEPTEMBER 30	Pittsburgh vs. Cincinnati
SEPTEMBER 30	Stanford vs. Oregon
SEPTEMBER 30	Texas vs. Texas A.M.
SEPTEMBER 30	Tulane vs. Louisiana State
SEPTEMBER 30	U.C.L.A. vs. Washington
SEPTEMBER 30	Utah vs. Colorado
SEPTEMBER 30	Vanderbilt vs. Mississippi
SEPTEMBER 30	Washington vs. Oregon
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SEPTEMBER 30	Wisconsin vs. Penn State

OTHER EASTERN

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NATIONAL LEADERS TO DATE

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Alabama	99.1	Notre Dame	99.1
Arizona	92.2	Oklahoma	118.0
California	101.0	Penn State	105.4
Florida	80.5	Pittsburgh	82.6
Georgia	80.5	Stanford	73.4
Illinois	69.5	Texas	101.0
Iowa	71.1	Texas A.M.	90.2
Kansas	83.9	Tulane	92.1
Kentucky	85.7	U.C.L.A.	99.8
Long Beach	83.1	Utah	87.4
LSU	101.4	Vanderbilt	81.5
Marshall	48.8	Washington	99.8
Mississippi	91.1	West Virginia	91.1
Missouri	99.7	Wisconsin	92.1
Miami	101.1	Yale	62.2
Miami O.	89.8		
Michigan	103.7		
Mississippi	86.2		