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By MARK ASHENFELTER Collegian Sports Writer

"Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it." -George Santayana, poet and philo-

And the past could play a large role in the outcome of tomorrow evening's game when the football team faces Pittsburgh at 7:45 tomorrow night at Pitt Stadium. Foge Fazio's 5-4-1 Panthers will

turn the pages of time back to 1981 for their history lesson. That year an 8-2 Penn State squad visited the 10-0 and top-ranked Panthers. The Lions quickly fell behind 14-0 and it appeared that Pitt would take its No. 1 position into a Sugar Bowl showdown against Georgia.

The Lions, however, scored the next 48 points and left a packed stadium in stunned silence. Pitt eventually went on to defeat the Bulldogs 24-20 to end with an 11-1

record and a No. 4 ranking. The Lions went on to topple USC 26-10 in the Fiesta Bowl to close the season with a 10-2 mark, which was good enough to earn them the No. 3 spot in the Ass ciated Press poll. The Panthers hope to return the

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The 31-11 Panther victory finished a devastating two-game collapse that 7-1 and the Lions slipped to 6-5, their ing the final weeks of practice. campaign in 1966.

teristically lashed out at his team those lessons tomorrow night. saying "they played like a bunch of "In '81 we were an awfully good we want to think about."



can remember and that's the only one called the Pennsylvania Bowl. The have broadened their recruiting hori-up there with any running back we've

teams first met in 1893 and since then zions and have been signing people faced this year.

Home field advantage key for booters

By CAROL D. RATH Collegian Sports Writer

As Head Soccer Coach Walter Bahr has said throughout the season, the away team has to approach a game as if it is already one goal

When the No. 18 Lions battle the No. 11 Temple Owls at 1 p.m. tomorrow at Jeffrey Field in the second round of the sudden-death elimination, Mid-Atlantic Regional finals, Bahr will be hoping that the same holds true for the opposition. The previous confrontation between the two

teams, Nov. 1 in Philadelphia, resulted in a double overtime 1-1 deadlock. Penn State was the only team to mar the Owls perfect record of 14-0-1. Penn State (14-5-1) and Temple received first round byes since they were the only teams in the

region selected for playoff competition. The Lions' home advantage may play a crucial role for the team, if Bahr's thinking holds true. The Lions are 8-4 in NCAA playoff competition, with 7-3 of that at Jeffrey Field as opposed to 3-9 in playoff competition on the road. Judging from practice this week, the confronta-

tion will be different this time between the two rivals, since the Lions are hungry for the win against the Owls, forward Jay Ruby said. "I think that there are a lot of teams in the ournament who are of equal ability. A few years

back there were a few outstanding teams," Bahr said. "But I think this year that there are 20 teams who could win that. I don't think there's a clear-cut favorite.' Bahr feels that in this particular game, the

Lions' home-field advantage may be the key to a Penn State victory, as well as the key to further advancement

day's contest, they will be slotted to challenge the vinners of the Great Lakes region final between ndiana and Evansville

as anything to do with who's going to win, because they're all assigned by the NCAA based on the crowd," Bahr said. "That's why it's so important that we get a good crowd out there Saturday. If we get a good crowd and win, it's a possiblity that we can get the next game here and that's a big factor.

may be tough tomorrow, but Penn State will be twice as tough

little bit about them and they know a little bit goal they have been working for all season. about us, which is pretty even," Bulatovic said. Defender Bob Christina said that the one thing it a slight "twist. "But the deciding factor for us is that it will be real the team has done off and on all season that they nice to play on our home field. That's going to be cannot afford to do tomorrow is to let the opposithe difference in the game." Bulatovic added that the pressure of this do-or- In games against Long Island, Hartwick and

usually is a playoff contender. "A lot of these guys have been in this same situation two or three times previously and I think season and let the other team score first on us," they're ready for the fact of this do-or-die situation Christina said. "In order for us to win, the defense and will be ready to handle that," Bulatovic said. has to establish itself as a hard-hitting unit on the I think a lot of guys really want it this year outset, like we did against Connecticut (the Lions beacause we've been unfortunate in the past, in upset UConn 2-1)." the first round of the NCAA playoff."

into the game. Bahr said that the



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Last season Pitt won only three fought contest. games, but it saved its best performance for last, a 31-11 pounding of about records," Atiyeh said. "It's Penn State at Beaver Stadium. a great rivalry, and we're going to And this year the Panthers have get cranked up whether we've won

won only five games going into tomorrow night's matchup with feated. We'll see what happens on the top-ranked Lions at Pitt Stadi- Saturday. um, but for them, this is their bowl "You can talk about last year, or game, their chance to show a when they beat us when we were national ESPN viewing audience going for a national championship what they're made of. All of which may sound a little something we don't want to talk too much like last year's Pitt team about. We're just going to go out

for the Lions' taste. This intrastate rivalry, dating day.' result.

John Congemi, who has thrown six makes the annual battle that much touchdown passes aginst the Lions more meaningful for his squad. over the last two years, said the "There's not many teams that squad this time around.

giving us a chance. So if that tells and when it's your rival and it's "They deserve to be where they it more interesting." are. They're No. 1 ranked, and For Fazio, the Panthers' seasor we're a 5-4-1 team."

But they're a 5-4-1 team with a enough. potentially explosive offense. On Not only has his squad been the season, Congemi has com- hampered by injuries, but two of pleted 113 of 223 passes for 1302 his tailbacks left the team in midvards and six touchdowns, while season. And probably the most tailback Charles Gladman has frustrating thing about the Panthpicked up 1004 yards on 177 car- ers' play has been their kicking ries, an average of 5.7 yards every game, or lack of it, as Pat Viantime he touches the ball.

legitimate deep threat. And although the Lion defense And while both teams have al-

cord.

game," Congemi said. "And if not, pants for a long time to come. it's going to be a struggle." they are giving up just 91.3 yards remember how well you did, and best in the nation.

But middle guard Dennis Atiyeh this could mean a lot to them."

won a game before taking on the Lions. it would still be a hard "This game, it doesn't matter

and that's all just talk. That's

and see what happens on Saturback to 1893, has always held a As was the case last year, the special significance to the players Panthers have the chance to take involved, and records going in out some of their season-long frushave had little bearing on the final tration on Penn State, and Pitt Head Coach Foge Fazio said the Even still, Pitt quarterback Lions' 10-0 record coming in just Panthers are going to have their have the opportunity to play the hands full with the 1985 Penn State No. 1 team in the country," Fazio said. "Penn State's the best team "Not even our own people are in the country, they're undefeated, you anything ...," Congemi said. the last game of the year, it makes

has already been interesting

court and Mark Brasco have com-In addition, leading receiver bined to make just five of 16 field Chuck Scales has hauled in 32 goal attempts. That's the same passes for 424 yards and four number of three-pointers Penn touchdowns, giving the Panthers a State's Massimo Manca converted against Notre Dame alone.

has anchored the team all year, ready finished a 10-game season, Congemi said if the offense hangs they are now preparing for the one on to the ball, Pitt will be a threat game that is somehow different to Penn State's unblemished re- from all others, one that Fazio, who played in two Penn State-Pitt "If our offense plays error-free games in 1958 and '59, said will football, we're going to stay in the leave an impression on all partici-

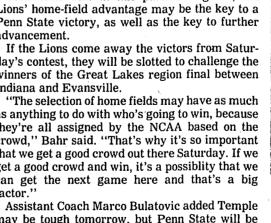
"A game like this you're going Defensively, the Panthers also to remember for the rest of your come in with good statistics, as life," Fazio said. "You're going to per game against the run, fourth you're going to remember the outcome. So a game of this magni-Despite the statistics, however, tude the players better be fired up Pitt has had problems winning. for, and they better realize that

Forward Thomas Greve, right, kicks the ball past a University of Connecticut player earlier this year in the Assistant Coach Marco Bulatovic added Temple Lions' 2-1 upset of UConn. The No. 18 Lions face No. 11 Temple at 1 p.m. tomorrow at Jeffrey Field in the second round of the Mid-Atlantic Regional finals.

"It's been good for us in that fact that we know a affect his players since making the playoffs is the tion score first.

die game isn't new to the team, since Penn State Duke, the Lions let the other team score first. which led to their defeat. "We cannot afford to do what we've done all

positive and the team has a great attitude going that if the defenders don't control the ball in their Hausner (5 goals, 5 assists). zone, there isn't a chance for the forwards to get possession.





Christina said that the Lions aren't changing their playing style but they are planning on giving Penn State usually sticks to a four forwards three midfielders, and three defenders type of

setup. But for the playoff game, it may switch to a two-four-four alignment The Lions will be looking for production from their leading scorers, forwards Thomas Greve (10

goals, 7 assists) and Niall Harrison (7 goals, 6 assists), and midfielders Kevin Jennings (8 goals, 2 assists) and Dave Dabora (7 goals, 4 assists). In goal for Penn State will be Bert Eckelmeyer, who has allowed only 18 goals in 16 games. The Owls will be relying on midfielder Peter Christina said the key to team defense lies with Dicce (10 goals, 4 assists), forward Franklin Bulatovic added that he thinks the year has been the defenders establishing the backbone. He added Gbinije (8 goals, 7 assists) and midfielder Steffan Dale Caya, with a goals-against average of 0.63, will defend the cage for the Owls.