

NORTHWESTERN ELEVEN TAKES MICHIGAN TO TRIMMING

Yost's Men Again Given a Sound and Decisive Licking

Evanston Lightweights Startle Big Ten Followers by Taking Husky Wolverines Into Camp 21 to 12; One of Michigan's Touchdowns Is Fluke; 17,000 See Game.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Michigan played its first game in the western conference in 12 years today, and the result was the biggest surprise of the season. The light, speedy Northwestern team, outweighed nearly 10 pounds to a man, downed the Wolverines, 21 to 12, in a game that thrilled 17,000 spectators.

Northwestern took the field with the expectations of being buried under a top-heavy score, as Michigan had lost only one game this season and beaten Nebraska and other powerful teams of the west. But after the first five minutes of play there was no doubt of Northwestern's superiority. The Evanston squad outplayed the Wolverines in every department. Each of Northwestern's three touchdowns were earned, while one of Michigan's was a fluke and the opportunity for the game was afforded by penalties: Summary:

| NORTHWESTERN | MICHIGAN |
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| Marquard..... | Goetz..... |
| McLaughlin..... | Wissman..... |
| Lynch..... | Boyd..... |
| Wilder..... | Goodell..... |
| Randolph..... | Morrison..... |
| Arrie..... | Weske..... |
| Humberlin..... | Cartwright..... |
| Ellingham..... | Froehle..... |
| Holmes..... | Rye..... |
| Kochler..... | Hanish..... |
| | Cohn..... |
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Leonard Loses Big Chance by Failure To Kayo J. Britton

When Benny Leonard failed to stop Jack Britton in their recent bout he lost a grand opportunity to convince the doubting ones as to whether he is as great a lightweight champion as some of the others that preceded him. If Britton had opened up and fought toe-to-toe Leonard might have brought him down, but when the bigger man covered up the smaller man could do nothing with him.

The critical ones do not accept this as an adequate excuse, however. They say that if Kid Lavigne or Terry McCovern had been there with Britton that night, his attempts to cover up would not have saved him. McCovern would have stood in close and whaled away until something dropped and Lavigne would have done the same thing, say the admirers of the heroes that are gone.

Death Sentence for U. S. Soldier as a Deserter

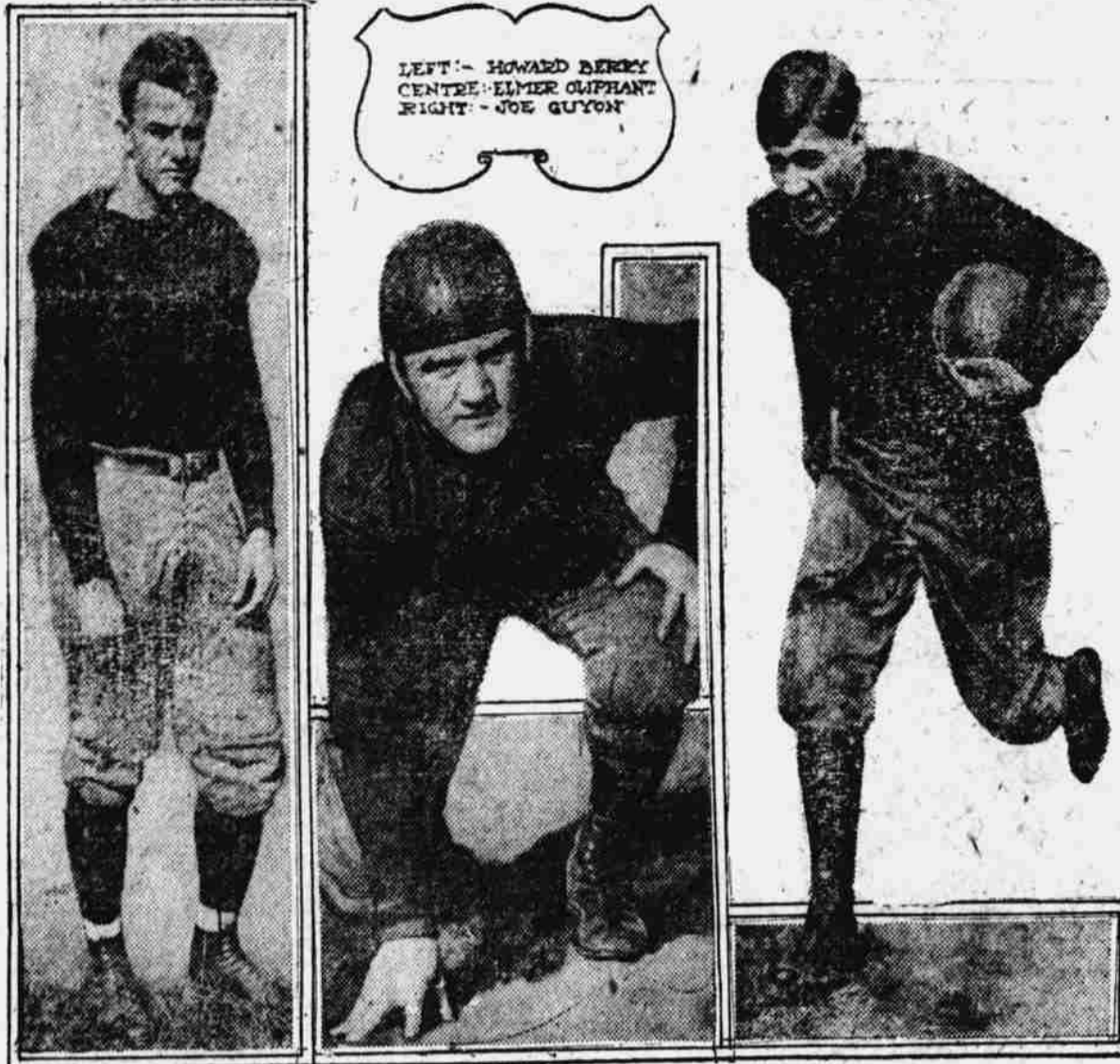
Washington, D. C., Nov. 24.—Sentence of death before a rifle squad has been imposed by a court martial upon an enlisted man of the American army in the United States, on his conviction of desertion with intent to join the enemy forces. It was learned today at the War department, however, that officials here are not satisfied at the evidence adduced before the court that intent to join the enemy was established and the trial court has been asked for additional information to clear up this point.

Dreyfuss Demands Saier On General Principles

Ames Runners Win In the Annual Meet

Ringold, Neb., Boy Dies in Base Hospital at Camp Cody

How's This for an All-Star Backfield?



LEFT—HOWARD BERRY
CENTRE—ELMER OLIPIANT
RIGHT—JOE GUYON

Central High Wins Over Norfolk Crew In Flashy Style

The most cynical coach in the world could hardly ask for three better backfield men than Howard Berry, Elmer Oliphant and Joe Guyon. Berry is the Pennsylvania star who stopped Coach Yost's famous Wolverines; Oliphant is the great Army wizard, and Guyon is one of Georgia's best.

Carry the ball for 15 paces. A successful pass and irresistible line smashes carried the ball to the one-yard line but the punch was lacking to push over. A fumble gave Norfolk a chance to kick. A Norfolk player neared with Central's pass and made a punt possible. Maxwell turned it with a brilliant 40-yard and Noble went over near the end of the quarter. Maxwell kicked making the score 28 to 0.

| OMAHA | NORFOLK |
|-----------------|---------|
| Scott..... | |
| Shaffer..... | |
| Rookwell..... | |
| A. Logan..... | |
| Carson..... | |
| Crowell..... | |
| Paynter..... | |
| Maxwell..... | |
| T. Logan..... | |
| Smith (C.)..... | |
| Noble..... | |

Juneau Nine Wins Diamond Championship of Alaska

The 1917 base ball championship of Alaska has been won by the Juneau team representing the Perseverance club. The Perseverance tossed and defeated teams from various towns in southeastern Alaska. The one defeat of the season was administered by the nine from Thana.

Eddie Rick Now Is Air Pilot in Army Fighting in France

started all the air experts in France. He went through the course in just three weeks, handling a 200-horse power biplane, and he got his certificate without breaking a spar or a wire. The usual time in the training schools is three months. Eddie went flying in five weeks and received the brevet certifying him to be an air pilot. Some speed.

Western Insists It Still Is in Ring—Maybe

ary reports are heard as to the western plans for next year. League has filed reservation to players and has protested the thought of giving up Seaside to the Coast league, but as a matter of fact there are no real indications of any intention to open the league next year. The chance seems to be based on a rumor that get Portland into a re-zoned circuit.

Three Big Games In Store for Grid Fans of Nebraska

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be seen in action on Nebraska soil. The last such game was a decade ago when the Carlisle Indians played the Huskers.

Syracuse is one of the leading teams of the east. When the season's records are balanced it is probable Syracuse will be found to occupy position No. 2. Pittsburgh alone ranks above the New Yorkers, and Pitt, it must be remembered, has probably the best team in the country.

Pitt Alone Superior. Syracuse has licked such sterling opponents as Brown and Colgate and swept all before except Pitt. Nebraska fans have long contended the Huskers are the equal of any eastern team and turkey day will tell whether their assertions are just.

Omaha fans believe the Huskers have an excellent chance to defeat their eastern foe. The Michigan defeat, it has developed, was about like Minnesota's defeat at the hands of Wisconsin. The Huskers, too, have recovered from this temporary setback as their victories over Missouri and Kansas show and will go into the turkey day game with true Cornhusker determination.

A large delegation from Omaha will go to Lincoln for the game. A special train will be run over the Burlington, leaving Omaha at 12:15 and returning at 3:15. Seats for the game in the Omaha section are on sale at the Beaton Drug company. For Omaha fans who cannot go to

Lincoln, Creighton and the Colorado School of Mines will provide the football on the local lot.

Mills' Men Play Miners.

Creighton originally was scheduled to play Wyoming here on turkey day, but Wyoming ran into reverses, among others a beautiful 58-to-0 lacing at the hands of the Colorado Miners. The policy of Tommy Mills and the Creighton athletic authorities is to give Omaha fans real football, even though Creighton happens to get a trimming, so when Wyoming's weakness was discovered, the game was promptly canceled and the Colorado Miners, who proved themselves 58 to 0 better than Wyoming, substituted.

This means Omaha fans who stay at home will see something of a game themselves. Creighton's eleven has developed into a real university over the Haskell redskins proved. The Colorado Miners also look like the groceries, so a real combat can be expected as the windup of the blue and white's 1917 gridiron season.

Central on Foreign Soil.

Omaha Central High school plays its final game of the year on foreign soil. Mulligan's warriors journey to St. Joseph to battle the interscholastic champs of that point.

All in all this final week of the 1917 gridiron season promises to be a record-breaker for gate city football fans.

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