



# Capital, Otterbein Grid Homecoming Is Slated

By PAUL WALKER

The annual hassle to end all hassles is on the docket Saturday at Capital U's stadium when neighboring Otterbein moves in for Capital's homecoming.

The two Franklin County

schools have been rivals for years, and this spirited competition is renewed three times annually—once in football, twice in basketball.

Saturday's 2 p. m. game will be a dandy, with each team sporting the same two wins and

four losses record. But Capital's two victories were over teams which tripped Otterbein and Otterbein's two wins were over teams which tumbled Cap. All very confusing.

Meanwhile there will be some other hot ones in Central Ohio—Muskingum's game at Ohio Wesleyan should be as good a ball game as you'll see any place.

And Oberlin's visit to Denison promises to provide some action, too. The Denisons have found the way to win games in the closing minutes, and if they do it again this week Denison fans may have trouble getting out of their seats.

Oberlin is having an up-and-down season, but should Dr. Lyle Butler's boys start moving, Denison could be in for trouble.

Ohio Wesleyan hardly expects to repeat that 69-6 win it scored over Muskingum last fall, much to the amazement of the football world. That was a case of one team doing everything right and the other having trouble doing anything right for very long.

Muskingum will be paced by Bob Stokes, the rip-snortin' kid from Frazeyburg who does everything and does it well. In addition Bob Church, Muskingum's passer, can keep the Ohio Wesleyan defense, if any, loosened up.

Wesleyan, which usually features an aerial game, has been sticking close to the ground this year—but Coach Glenn Fraser has made some changes to achieve speed up front. If it works, the game can become an interesting one.

Otterbein had a layoff last week and is in good physical shape for Saturday's invasion of the field in Bexley. Coach Harry Ewing will probably show a speedier Jim Barckhoff, of Gahanna. Jim has been bothered with a leg injury, but the rest has helped. If he gets to rambling, Cap is in for a tough afternoon.

Capital, on the other hand, is slowed by some pesky little injuries in addition to one which is keeping Bruce McGinnis out of action. The Caps feel the homecoming game is needed to make a success of an otherwise drab season.

Findlay and Ohio Northern collide at Ada with Northern hoping to spoil a perfect season for the Oilers, who share the top spot among 36 Ohio colleges with Miami.

Northern's speed will be counted on to break up this ball game, which can also move Northern into a tie for the Mid-Ohio championship.

Other games of note include Kenyon's last in its trip to Hiram; Ohio U goes against Cincinnati in a roughie in the Mid-American Conference; Heidelberg takes on Case; Marietta travels to Bethany, Pa.; winless Ashland visits terrific Wooster, Marshall visits Dayton, Wittenberg travels to Decatur, Ill., to play Milliken and Kentucky State visits Central State.

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## LEFT LEG HOLDS KEY

# Miami Hopes In Foot Race Slim

OXFORD, OHIO—The Mid-American Conference cross-country meet here Saturday at 2 p. m. may be hanging on one leg—the lean left shank of Miami's Jack Heinemann, the individual favorite.

With Heinemann in top shape, Miami would be doped to win the meet for the fifth time out of six years the event has been held. (Disqualification of a man for running uphill on the wrong side of a course marker cost the Redskins a title by one point in 1948.)

However, the former Cincinnati Hughes star strained a muscle in last Saturday's triangular meet; his inability to finish cost the Redskins 29 points and second place. His absence this week could throw the conference meet wide open.

If Heinemann is ready, the conference meet should produce a tight four-way individual race including Marvin McColeman of Western Reserve, with a reported 20:37 for four miles; Marvin Crosten of Bowling Green, best time 21:38.5, who lost to McColeman by 10 seconds over 4½ miles at Western Reserve; and Tom Coyne of Western Michigan, with no



JACK HEINEMANN Holds Key to Race Title

tion so far this season, Miami has