

# PENN TRIUMPHS OVER LEHIGH, 24-0

## Solow Goes 84 Yards With Punt in Second Quarter

### STATISTICS OF THE GAME

	Penn	Lehigh
First downs .....	10	15
Rushing yardage .....	142	98
Passing yardage .....	62	134
Return yardage .....	159	87
Passes .....	8-25	16-37
Interceptions by .....	2	1
Punts .....	7-42	10-37
Fumbles lost .....	2	1
Yard penalized .....	25	107

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PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26—A dazzling 84-yard broken-field run with a punt return by Steven Solow led Penn to a 24-0 victory over Lehigh today in opening its 94th season before 10,406 fans at Franklin Field.

Solow, a 19-year-old, 5-foot-9-inch 175-pound sophomore from East Meadow, L. I., N. Y., snared a 40-yard punt by Don Diorio on the Penn 16 near the right sideline. Solow wheeled left, snaked virtually through the entire Lehigh team as he darted and weaved onward, shaking off tacklers with shifty, clever moves and help from his mates.

The touchdown was made at 1:40 of the second quarter and was the longest scoring punt return in Penn football history, surpassing the 74-yard return by Francis (Reds) Bagnell against Navy in 1949.

Two more second-quarter touchdowns followed, one on a 5-yard pass from Phil Procacci to Roy Dawson, and the other on a 1-yard plunge by Pancho Micir, who started at quarterback.

In 88-degree weather, Penn

led 21-0 at the half and gained 3 more points via a 38-yard field goal by Eliot Berry, a soccer-style placekicker, at 14:20 of the fourth period. Berry scored all three placements after the touchdown.

Penn threatened after winning the toss and electing to receive. Bill Wilson ran the kickoff from the 13 to the Quakers' 28. Micir handed off to Paul Visockey, who ran 42 yards down the right sideline to the Lehigh 30. In six plays, and an assist from an offside penalty, Penn advanced to the 1.

Chris Shead, however, was unable to hold Micir's pass at the goal line. Micir's line charge on fourth down was stopped and he fumbled. Lehigh recovered on its 3.

Lehigh's first attack developed near the quarter's end when Ron Wilsker moved the team, mainly on passes to Jack Rizzo and Don Didrio, from the 23 to Penn's 42. Here Jim Fuddy intercepted Wilsker's pass, which was partially deflected by Ed Flanagan. A few minutes later, Fuddy was helped from the field, his right ankle injured.

Following Solow's touchdown gallop, Procacci replaced Micir, his first game since his jaw was broken against Lehigh in 1969.

Under Procacci's direction the Quakers penetrated the Lehigh goal line at 10:16. The quarterback completed a 10-play, 57-yard advance by firing a 5-yard pass to Roy Dawson, a sophomore, who caught the ball at the goal line and went over.

Penn .....	0	21	0	3-24
Lehigh .....	0	0	0	0-0

Solow, 84, punt return (Berry, kick).  
Dawson, 5, pass from Procacci (Berry, kick).

Micir, 1, run (Berry, kick).

FG, Berry, 38.

Attendance—10,406.

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