



men were out when Mozdy issued MacIntosh a pass. The sight of a Cincinnati man on a base must have spurred the Bearcats to action for Gieringer singled to put Mack on third who then scored on Volz's single. With two men on base Reuss flied out to Lewis ending all hopes of winning the game.

The Bobcats started the seventh with a double by Burke and a triple by Brown. Thompson was then removed in favor of "Whitey" Lunsford who stopped the hitting but could not stop the scoring which went on as a result of errors. Fleig allowed Wolfe to reach first by not touching the sack and then a steal to second produced an error by MacIntosh and allowed Brown to score.

All in all Joe Volz was the entire offense for the Bearcats; he got two of the five hits and drove in the only Cincinnati tally.

The following week, Ohio Wesleyan University blew a five run lead in the seventh inning by making numerous miscues that resulted in five runs for the hitless Ricemen, who managed to win the game in the tenth frame.

The Bearcats got whitewashed 10 to 0 by Ohio University at Athens, Ohio. Verne Wolfe sophomore hurler for Ohio, making his first appearance in a Buckeye Conference game, let down the visitors with a total of four hits. These were obtained by Fleig and Gieringer, both of whom got their two out of four. The rest of the team, however, did nothing, so that was why the Bearcats trailed home with a big goose egg.

The game at Denison was cancelled on account of rain, but in the game at Carson Field the Bearcats beat Denison 9 to 5. Yes, fans, the potential batting power came to life; our boys collected five doubles with pitcher Lunsford getting two of them.

Miami came to town with their pennant contending team and left no doubt as to their superiority over Cincinnati. They won the game in the second and third innings with a vicious attack that netted five runs. The Bearcats lost 7 to 3.

Ineffective pitching lost Cincinnati the return game with Ohio Wesleyan. The Bishops obtained eighteen

hits, five of them home runs, to pile up thirteen runs. The only bright spot from the Cincinnati point of view was Westerman's homerun and Fleig's double and triple.

On Decoration Day the Bearcats traveled to Oxford to defeat the Champion Redskins 6 to 5, but this defeat was not enough to shove Miami out of first place in the Buckeye Conference. It was a most important victory, however, for the Bearcats as it was this game that decided the winner of the Burkhardt All Sports Trophy.

The annual postseason exhibition game played at the Miami Homecoming Exercises was featured by a no hit, no run game pitched by Miami's great twirler, DuBois. Not a single Bearcat reached first base. Four Cincinnati errors aided Miami in their 9 to 0 victory.

The season was a great shock to Cincinnati followers who were so accustomed to championship teams, but a team without any hitting power can't win ball games. The batting averages revealed the fact that our boys hit for a team average of .212. Fleig was the only regular who hit above .300. Two regulars had the phenomenal batting averages of .050 and .045. That's why, fans, the Bearcats had such a mediocre season and why the Big League Scouts who usually kept an eager eye on members of the Red and Black only watched our opponents.

