

Holmes Out With Old Foot Injury

Thoroughly satisfied with the manner in which the young men chased Phoenixville up and down Roosevelt Field last week, Roy Kent, nevertheless, has warned his Norristown High footballers that things are going to be a lot tougher tonight in Pottstown.

The two old foes clash at 8 o'clock under the lights of the upcounty borough's Franklin Field.

"That Pottstown club is sure to be on the rebound," Kent reasoned as pre-game drills ended late yesterday afternoon. "They were caught last Saturday by a Springfield team that scrapped and fought hard as any team I've ever seen.

"I'm sure after that one Pottstown learned a lesson and will be scrapping the same way when they stack up against us.

"Our boys are in good frame of mind. We're not thinking about that one next week with Lower Merion. All we want right now is to win our third straight. And we'll have to fight for it."

Kent said he would go along with the same lineup that opened

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against Phoenixville—with one notable exception. Veteran full-back Charlie Holmes, who did a great ball carrying job against Phoenix, will be sidelined.

Holmes, who couldn't play the first game against Ridley Township because of a foot injury, is hobbled again. It's tendon trouble in the left foot.

Kent figures he'll still be able to use Charlie on kickoffs, but the rest of his chores will have to fall on the sophomore shoulders of Dick Detwiler. The youngster from East Norriton did a good job of it filling in for Holmes in the opener.

The three other backfield starters will be Stu Percy at quarterback, Willie Suber and Bob Lee at the halfbacks.

The forward wall will find Joe Bono and Roger Adelman at ends, Captain Bob Eastwood and Roddy Duckworth at tackles, Mike Branca and Bob Spence at guards, flanking center Phil Knerr.

Defensive, Frank Bishop will move in as safety man, Bob Melnick a halfback, Robert Shells on the terminal and Ted Avery at guard.