

CARROLL'S RECORD IS 50 WON, 2 LOST

Holy Cross's Greatest Pitcher Bowed Only to Princeton and Boston College in 4 Years.

When Ownie Carroll, formerly pitcher extraordinary at Holy Cross and now of the Detroit Tigers, embarked recently on a career in professional baseball he left behind him engraven on the athletic scrolls at Holy Cross one of the greatest records ever compiled by any college pitcher, East or West. In his four years on the Purple nine Carroll pitched in fifty-four games and lost only two, bowing only to Princeton and Boston College. Both of these defeats were chalked up against Carroll in 1923. In 1922, in the first game against Yale, the Purple was beaten, but Carroll went in the box in a relief rôle and Gill was the losing pitcher. Again in the game with Georgetown that year Carroll relieved Tunney after Holy Cross was trailing.

Carroll played no favorites in administering defeats to the Purple's opponents. The Big Three nines, Dartmouth, Colgate, Fordham, Penn State, Georgetown, Vermont, Springfield and Boston College, his Alma Mater's ancient rival came, saw, but were conquered by the Purple moundsman. His record is also plentifully studded with shutout victories. On fifteen different occasions he handed blanks to his foe. Three times he whitewashed Fordham teams and three times Harvard nines were limited by him to an unbroken string of goose-eggs. Carroll seemed to find Harvard easy prey, setting the Crimson teams back seven times.

Extra inning contests were uncommon during Carroll's career as a college twirler. Only twice was the Purple forced to work more than nine innings at a time. In 1922 Harvard battled Carroll and the Purple through fifteen innings before the Worcester team finally won, 2 to 1. The second occasion was the fourteen-inning battle last year with Princeton. Holy Cross emerged the victor in this contest played at Tigertown, but only after a gruelling duel between Carroll and Caldwell, who is now with the Yankees.

The year just closed was Carroll's best. He won a total of sixteen games, and the highlight of the season was his brilliant feat of striking out three Yale men with the bases full in the ninth, when he relieved Davidson and enabled the Purple to win, 7 to 6.

Following is Carroll's pitching record for the four years:

SEASON OF 1922.

Team.	H. C.	Opp.
University of Delaware.....	1	0
Princeton University	9	1
Yale University (relieved Gill).....	7	9
Penn State College.....	4	1
Fordham University	10	4
Springfield College	13	3
Georgetown Univ. (relieved Tunney)	3	8
Yale University	5	2
Harvard University (15 innings)...	2	1
University of Vermont	1	0

SEASON OF 1923.

William and Mary College.....	7	2
Georgetown University	5	1
Providence College	9	1
Dartmouth College	9	1
Princeton University	0	1
Harvard University	1	0
Fordham University	2	0
Yale University	4	0
Springfield College	24	1
Boston College	5	2
Georgetown University	9	0
Harvard University	1	0
Springfield College	3	1
Boston College	1	4
Boston College	2	0
Villanova College (relieved Burke).	5	3
Univ. of Penn (relieved Tunney).	6	4

SEASON OF 1924.

Dartmouth College	10	5
Villanova College	7	4
Fordham University	9	0
Tufts College	11	0
Princeton Univ. (14 innings).....	3	2
Harvard University	4	1
Georgetown University	10	7
Boston College	3	1
Harvard University	6	0
Boston College	12	0
Alumni	11	2

SEASON OF 1925.

William and Mary College.....	6	2
United States Marines.....	4	0
Princeton University	4	1
Dartmouth College	6	1
Fordham University	4	3
Colgate University	4	1
Villanova College	4	1
Yale University (relieved Davidson)	7	6
Harvard University	14	3
Boston College	5	1
Fordham University	6	0
Colgate University	10	1
Boston College	2	1
Providence College	10	0
Harvard University	6	2
New York University.....	6	1

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