KANSAS GRID MACHINE BEGINS TO TAKE FORM

Preparing for Initial Tussle With Creighton Warriors on October 6.

Kansas athletic officials are rapidly rounding near a hundred gridiron Louis. prospects into shape to meet Creighton University at Omaha in the opening test of the Jayhawk card October 6. Advance rumors point towards a strong eleven at the blue and white coln. institution under the tutelege of Washington against Oklahoma at "Chet Wynne" former Notre Dame Norn ". performer and all-American fullback. The southern mentors announce that the Kansas athletes will Columbia. not be in mid-season form for the initial encounter next week end fol- Lawrence. lowing their stale finish in 1922.

Kansas followers are not over es- Louis. timating their prospects and consider an upper rating high due to nell. the scarcity of veterans in camp compared to the second year men in the other Valley schools. Although Manhattan. the outlook is for a mediocre machine, promising material may de- man. velop before the tough contests enough to turn back strong competitors' onslaughts.

Out of the eight booked confabs, Columbia. the Kansans seem to be favored with six home games and Nebraska has a Lawrence. slight advantage by meeting the bystaters on the Lincoln sod.

Among the neighboring coaching taff are several former Valley stars including Ted Reid, all-Valley wingster three years ago. Head Mentors Potsy Clarke and Karl Schlademan are working their proteges overtime and expect to narrow their roster to twenty-five athletes during the next few days. Edwin Shultz, former Washington and Jefferson tackle, and who is at present Y. M. C. A. secretary of the University is also assisting in overturning the pebbles in the path of victory.

K. U. will have one of the best toe artists in the conference in Joe Pleasant of Burlington who played one year of freshman football at NotreDame. Pleasant is showing up well at end and bids fair to hold down the left wing and will be the first stellar drop kicker Kansas has had for several seasons. Gerald Smith former state conference moleskinner is looming bright as the best punter on the squad and has been outdistancing Captain Black in the daily workouts. Al Hodges and Verne Calvert also rank high as likely booters and with Kearney, century trackster, the first Scarlet and Cream stadium opposers will be apt to find a shifty and hard plunging backfield.

Among the first year pigskinners among the varsity athletes are Hodges, Jensen, backs; Smith and Mullins tackles; Holpin and Teale guards; and Sanborn and Shannon

Several of these leather performers will be seen in action when the Cornhusker stadium is formally opened at Lincoln. October 20.

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VALLEY SCHEDULES

The Missouri Valley Conference football games by weeks are as fol-

October 13

Missouri against Ames at Colum- man. Grinnell against Washington at St. at Lincoln.

Nebraska against Oklahoma at Lincoln.

October 20 Kansas against Nebraska at Lin-

Ocother 27 Missouri against Nebraska at Kansas against Kansas Aggies at

Ames Against Washington at St.

Drake Against Grinnell at Grin-

November 3 Missouri against Kansas Aggies at

Kansas against Oklahoma at Nor-

Ames against Drake at Des Moines November 10 Missouri against Oklahoma at

Kansas against Washington at

Grinnell. November 17 Missouri against Washington at

St. Louis. Oklahoma against Kansas Aggies eighteen years.

at Manhattan.

November 24 Ames against Grinnell at Ames. November 29

Missouri against Kansas at Law Drake against Oklahoma at Nor-

Nebraska against Kansas Aggies

SQUAD AT SOONER SCHOOL IS LARGE

Seventeen Letter Men Return for Gridiron Season at Oklahoma.

The biggest squad in Sooner history is out for football at the Oklahoma camp. Eighty-four men, seventeen of whom are letter men, are showing up for practice. Only three of the men on the squad are third year veterans, the rest are comparatively green. The biggest job facing Coach Benny Owen is one of elimination. About thirty of the men besides the veterans are showing up well in practice.

The first home game for Nebraska, October 13, wil be the first real game of the season for the Sooners. Coach Owen will send a picked team Grinnell against Kansas Aggies at against the freshmen on October 6, in preparation for the tussel with the Cornhuskers.

Captain Pete Hammert, halfback, leads the team this year. Coach Kansas against Drake at Lawrence Owen has ben in charge of athletics Ames against Nebraska at Ames, at the Sooner camp for the last



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