

# Presnell Releases Teams

## Five Full Squads Listed by Coach

... Open March 15

Husker grid tutor, Glen Presnell, issued the first official notice Saturday that spring football is approaching by extending to the press a pre-season squad list.

"Can't tell much about this roster," commented Presnell, glancing down the list on his desk, "but we are definitely going to open March 15."

Presnell intends to conduct spring drills on a normal basis. Conditioning exercises will precede actual scrimmage and a regular intra-squad game will cap the spring season.

"This talk of a game with a neighboring Big Six school is simply rumor," said the Husker coach. "It might be a good idea and is being carried out in the south, but I can't see how transportation would be provided. Things are stacking up pretty fair as far as reserve calls go. Seems like Wayne Stranathan will be the only one to go before school lets out in May."

### First Team.

Outside of a change at one end position, Presnell's tentative first lineup is virtually the same club that opened a majority of games last fall. Al Grubaugh, normally a tackle, was shifted to right end to offset loss of Marv Thompson and Jerry Kathol, graduating wingmen.

Joe Byler, 215 pounds, and Bob McNutt, 225 pounds, should give Presnell one of the larger tackle combines in the conference. Stranathan, despite his pending ERC call, is listed at right guard, opposite Charlie Duda, an All-Big Six nominee last fall.

Pivot position again will be fortified by Joe Partington, consistently the top lineman on the 1942 aggregation, and Forrie Bachman, hard hitter and just a shade below "Bloody Joe."

### Hazen Listed.

Jack Hazen is listed at the first left end berth, a step ahead of Ed Nyden.

Presnell can field two veteran backfields. First choice includes Fred Metheny, quarterback; Marv Athey and Roy Long, halfbacks, and Ki Eisenhart, fullback. Second combine lists Bobby Cooper, quarterback; Dick Thompson and Henry Reichel, halfbacks, and Randall Salisbury, fullback.

Veteran performers on the third club include DeWayne Domeier, tackle; Chuck Wright, tackle; Howard Debus, halfback; Dean Gelwick, end and "Tut" McKee, Presnell. Squad roster:

"We have enough men to make a pretty good go of it," concluded Presnell Squad roster:

First team—A. Grubaugh and Hazen, ends; McNutt and Byler, tackles; Stranathan and Duda, guards; Partington, center; Metheny, quarterback; Long and Athey, halfbacks; K. Eisenhart, fullback.

Second team—Clark and Nyden, ends; M. Grubaugh and Sim, tackles; Wilkins and von Goetz, guards; Bachman, center; Cooper, quarterback; R. Thompson and Reichel, halfbacks; R. Salisbury, fullback.

Third team—Mays and Gelwick, ends; Domeier and C. Wright, tackles; Klein and Hazard, guards; Buckley, center; Brestel, quarterback; Debus and McKee, halfbacks; Hewitt (dropped school), fullback.

Fourth team—Gissler and Craig, ends; Lucht and Tegt, tackles; Moore and Croissant, guards; Bickford, center; Beckwith, quarterback; R. Eisenhart and Foy, halfbacks; G. Wright, fullback.

Fifth team—Smith and Gillaspie, ends; Fouts and Konkrigt, tackles; Ashburn and Ebers, guards; Koker, center; Draper, quarterback; Flagg and Kratz, halfbacks; Kessler, fullback.

## Seven Huskers Win Major N's

... Five minors

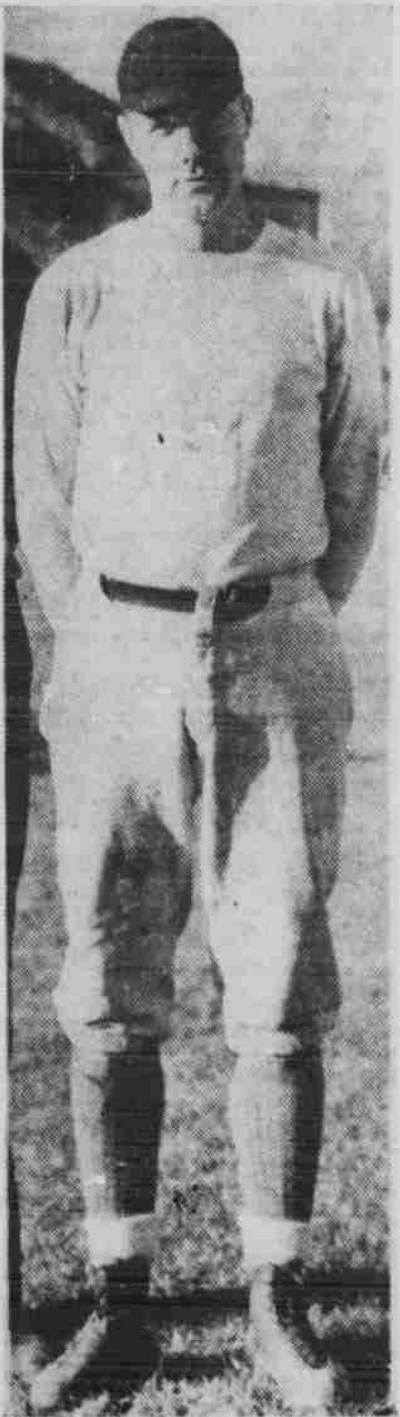
Adolph Lewandowski, Cornhusker basketball coach, announced Saturday that major cage awards would be given to seven performers for the performance during the 1942-43 campaign.

Major awards went to John Bortorff, Kenneth Elson, John Fitzgibbon, Francis Hassler, Robert Heinzelman, John Thompson and Max Young. Thompson, Fitzgibbon and Young are seniors.

Five flippers merited minor awards—Allen Artman, Burt Brown, Fred Cassidy, Owen Knutzen and Warren Marquiss.

Lewandowski is busy now, planning for the oncoming state tournament. He is directing the affair which opens on the Coliseum maples Thursday.

## Cage Year Over



Courtesy, Journal.

Cage season over, Adolph "Lew" Lewandowski turns attention to coaching wingmen and linemen on the grid club March 15. "Lew" awarded seven major letters and five minor "N's" to his court squad.

It is estimated that the average college freshman spends at least 10% of his time day dreaming.

## "Bub" Leaves



—Courtesy Lincoln Journal

End Marvin "Bub" Thompson, one of Nebraska's all-time tops at the art of interference-smashing, will leave with Harold Hunt, 1941-42 Husker national collegiate vaulting champion, for Northwestern university early next week. Both athletes are enrolled in the V-7 division of the navy and graduated after first semester. Hunt has been selling insurance in Lincoln since his first semester graduation while Thompson has been working on the family ranch near Mitchell.

## Tucker, Evans Win ISC Praise

... Unanimous

AMES, Ia., March 6.—Gerald Tucker of Oklahoma and Ray Evans of Kansas were the only unanimous choices on the all Big Six opponents club picked by Iowa State College cagers.

Tucker was placed at center and Evans at guard.

Allie Paine of Oklahoma drew 80 percent of the votes for the guard spot opposite Evans while John Buescher of Kansas and Thornton Jenkins of Missouri gained the forward berths. Buescher and Jenkins had 60 percent of the votes for their positions.

Otto Schnellbacher, Kansas forward, and Bob McCurdy, Oklahoma guard were the only other Big Six players to draw more than one vote.

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## Horse Sense

By Norris Anderson  
(Sports Editor)



We could at this stage brush of the gremlins and sing "we told you so" to the world in general, but instead we quote from this Kansas university release: "Fort Leavenworth induction officials today gave Kansas players permission to compete against K-State. Coach Allen arranged to use the players and then hustle them to the induction center."

We panned Mentor Allen in this space Friday for withdrawing his aces—Ray Evans, Otto Schnellbacher and Harold McSpadden—from action against the Creighton Bluejays Thursday night. These three, plus subs Bill Brill, Bob Fitzpatrick, George Dick and Hoyt Baker, supposedly "faced immediate induction and had withdrawn from school."

Creighton romped as anticipated and Phog sobbed as anticipated. So now the KU mentor, obviously not taking any chances in miffing that unblemished Big Six record, again had his "recruits" in the harness last night.

Mr. Allen saved his face, Omaha's slated "battle of champions" was strictly a farce—so we gather the KU tutor accomplished his purpose. Strangest part of the entire proceedings has been the reluctance of Omaha sport scribes to pan the Jayhawk tutor. Could they have digested this "wizard of coaching" label that fellows Phog, the great master?

Not since the Delta Gamma jiu jitsu team whipped the Phi Psi stranglers for the university title have we viewed hair-raising action equal to the intra-mural finale Thursday eve.

Coach Newt Cople's Fiji crew overcame a 13-point handicap to win from Lyle King's Phi Delt crew, 29-27, for the title and the din was terrific. Most versatile performer on the court was Phi Delt Joe Partington, a "scrimmage" gobbler of long standing. Performing with the durability of a Joe Byler and the agility of a Bert Gissler, Joe warmed up for the big "A" finale by playing half of the "B" game.

Like all great eagers (Ludisetti, Phillips, etc.), Joe has a motto: Rock 'em, sock 'em. So tricky that he fools even his teammates, Partington uses his "squat and shoot" shot whenever the goal looms in sight. His cohort, Freddy Metheny, also weathered the I-M finale in good shape, despite coughing up several cartons of "schmeegies" during the closing minutes.

## Status of Presnell's Grid Squad

Spring grid candidates can be determined by glancing over this classified chart of the 1942 squad. Only Marv Thompson and Jerry Kathol, ends; Al Zikmund and Dale Bradley, halfbacks; Bill Bryant, guard; Vic Schleich, tackle; and Randall Salisbury, fullback, graduated.

No.	Name	Home	Pos.	Wt.	Ht.	Age	Exp.	Military
41	ATHE, MARVIN	Wauneta	HB	187	6-1	21	1M	ROTC
11	BACHMAN, FORREST	Lincoln	C	188	6-0	21	VS	AR
42	BRADLEY, DALE	Lincoln	HB	174	5-9 1/2	21	1m-1M	ROTC
29	BRYANT, WILLIAM	Ashland	G	190	8-11	22	1M	2-A
15	BUCKLEY, NEWMAN	Lincoln	C	172	6-1	19	0	None
45	BYLER, JOE	Alma	T	208	6-5	20	1M	ROTC
43	CHALLOUPKA, MELVILLE	OMAHA	T	190	5-11	20	0	EAS
47	CLARK, VIC	Chappell	E	185	6-4	22	0	MR
44	COOPER, ROBERT	Omaha	QB	185	6-0	20	1m	ROTC
31	DEBUS, HOWARD	Lincoln	HB	195	6-1	21	1M	V-7
27	DOMIER, DWAYNE	Geneva	T	194	6-1	20	SC	MR
22	DUDA, CHARLES	South Sioux City	G	190	6-6 1/2	23	1M	ROTC
17	EISENHART, KIRWIN	Culbertson	FB	195	6-1	21	0	ROTC
19	GELWICK, DEAN	Lincoln	E	176	6-2	20	0	None
10	GISSLER, BERT	Oscola	E	202	6-7 1/2	22	SC	4-F
48	GRUBAUGH, ALVIN	Rising City	G	192	6-1	20	SC	MR
49	GRUBAUGH, MARVIN	Rising City	T	199	6-1	20	SC	MR
21	HATFIELD, WILFORD	Talmage	C	191	6-1	21	0	None
34	HAZARD, FRANK	Sioux City, Ia	G	185	5-11 1/2	20	0	None
32	HAZEN, JACK	Omaha	E	181	6-2	21	1M	ROTC
38	HENNINGS, GLEN	Silver Creek	HT	203	6-2	21	SC	None
35	HEWITT, WILLIAM	David City	E	185	6-2	19	0	None
18	HOPP, WALLACE	Hastings	FB	201	5-10	19	0	None
12	KATHOL, GERALD	Hartington	E	184	6-1	21	1m-1M	ACR
26	KINDER, DORSEY	Tekamah	T	190	6-3	19	0	None
33	LONG, ROY	Blair	HB	185	6-0	20	1m	ROTC
53	McKEE, NEAL	Atkinson	HB	174	5-9	19	0	ROTC
50	McNUTT, ROBERT	Colby, Kans.	T	213	6-1	21	SC	ROTC
36	METHENY, FRED	Lincoln	QB	182	5-11	20	1M	ROTC
16	NYDEN, ED	Lincoln	E	191	6-3	21	1M	MR
20	PARTINGTON, JOE	Lincoln	C	183	5-10	21	0	MR
46	PETERS, JOHN	Omaha	E	179	6-1 1/2	19	0	ROTC
51	REICHEL, HENRY	Lincoln	HB	177	5-8 1/2	21	0	MR
63	SALISBURY, HAROLD	Beatrice	QB	167	5-11	20	SC	ROTC
14	SALISBURY, RANDALL	Elwood	FB	186	6-0	21	VS	None
57	SCHLEICH, VIC	Lincoln	T	222	6-2 1/2	22	2M	V-7
52	SIM, EUGENE	Nebraska City	T	204	6-3	18	0	None
30	STRANATHAN, WAYNE	Lincoln	G-C	181	5-11	20	0	ER
44	THOMPSON, MARVIN	Mitchell	E	185	6-1	22	1M	V-7
13	THOMPSON, RICHARD	Lincoln	HB	169	5-10	18	0	V-1
54	THORNE, CHARLES	Lincoln	E	180	6-1	19	0	None
58	VONGOETZ, HERBERT	North Platte	G	198	6-0	20	1M	V-7
37	WILKINS, GENE	Omaha	G	187	6-1	20	SC	ROTC
55	WILSON, ART	Grand Island	G	185	5-11 1/2	19	0	None
56	WRIGHT, CHARLES	North Platte	T	190	6-1	19	0	None
65	WRIGHT, GEORGE	Scottsbluff	HB	185	5-11	21	0	MR
59	ZIKMUND, ALLEN	Ord	HB	185	6-1	20	2M	V-7

Abbreviations: (Experience) M—Major letter; VS Varsity Squad; SC—Scout Club; (Military) ROTC—Reserve Officers Training Corps; AR—Army Reserve; MR—Marine Reserve; ACR—Air Corps Reserve; EAS—Enlist Army Reserve; AAF—Army Air Force; V-1 and V-7—Navv Reserve