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Increased Number of Schools Playing Football This Season Than in Previous Years

**START SLATE THIS WEEK**

Number of Teams Have Bumper Prospects With Majority of Vets in Lineup

Reports drifting in from Nebraska high schools point to an interesting football season this fall. This interest is manifest in the fact that a majority of the coaches have already lined up the 1921 schedule of games and have started grinding away in preparation for the first brush with opposing aggregations.

The opening game for some of the schools is a little less than one week away. A few of the camps will sally out for a first brush with the enemy September 23. A majority, however, will be content to spend the extra week conditioning the men for the hard grind and will lift the asbestos September 30. Unless an additional game is carded, the Lincoln high bid will be pried loose October 7.

**Interest Turns to Football**  
The remarkably successful season in Nebraska amateur baseball circles may account in part for the marked interest in football. The diamond pastimers out-in-the-state played to bumper crowds the past season and the caliber of the sport exhibited merited the attendance.

With the baseball season drawing to a close, sport fans are beginning to size up the chances for football and transferring their interest from the diamond to the gridiron.

**Westerners Come to Front**  
Western high schools are planning on cutting a nice figure in the race for the state bunting this fall. Scottsbluff and Alliance have good sized squads in suit and are making extensive plans for the season.

F. C. Prince's Alliance coach, has five veterans back in the fold. The "vets" have spent the summer working in the harvest fields and have come back to school in fine condition for the grid battles. Prospects at Alliance are as good as usual, according to the Alliance pilot.

**Alliance Looks Good**

Leo Strong, starting his third year in Alliance football togs, will captain the team. Dally, Fowler, Joder, Gross and Purdy are the other Alliance vets ready for action.

Coach Prince would like to stack his Alliance team against some strong eastern Nebraska aggregation on Thanksgiving day. The Alliance crew is out after the western pennant this fall and also has yearnings for the state title.

**Big Squad at Scottsbluff**

Coach Raymond Johnson's Scottsbluff aggregation also looks like one of the strong western teams. John A. Ballah, star Cambridge performer, was one of the leading halfbacks in the state last fall and looks even better in the practice sessions this fall, according to reports from the western section.

Captain Wisner, Chrisman, Cox, Boland, Pickett, Dormann, Kelly, Harrison, Neff and Scofield are included in the list of veterans. Charles Dormann, Wyatt and Pruitt are additions from the 1920 freshmen.

The Scottsbluff schedule calls for a game with Kimball high school the last of September.

Jumping from west to the eastern section there are few more teams in this division that will bear watching.

Albion spent an erratic season last fall, but with a year's experience should be a comer this fall.

Coach Harry Tyler reports six letter men back, with a host of new material in sight.

Russell Hosford, captain of the 1920 team, will head the 1921 season. Thomason and Nelson are other experienced players back in the Albion lineup. Ross, fullback; Bellows, guard, and Weitzel, center, are the other letter men that are on Coach Tyler's squad. The 1921 schedule is pronounced the heaviest in the history of Albion grid circles.

**Coach Kelly at Ashland**

Lloyd Kelly, who handled football for Kimball last season, will coach at Ashland this year. The Ashland camp lost but three men by graduation. Captain Ed Gay, Johnson, Lewis, Campbell, Molzen, Miller, Almy, Hoffman, Richards, Chapman is the way the veteran lineup reads.

Molzen is an 18-year-old lad who tips the beam close to the 200 mark and is fairly fast.

Almy and Chapman held down half-back positions last year and with experience and weight, will make a valuable pair. Some excellent material is listed among the second stringers of last season and the new men reporting this fall.

**The Ashland Schedule**

The Ashland schedule includes games with Fremont, Plattsmouth, Havelock, Wahoo, State Farm High, Havelock and probably Creighton high school of Omaha.

A squad of close to thirty candidates has reported to Coach Johnson of the Peru Normal eleven and veteran of two seasons, is directing the athletic destinies of Pawnee City high school this season. A string of veterans will be in the Pawnee City lineup this year.

been no unofficial or official practices held here at all. Kent will start with the squad immediately at 2:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon and Trainer Art Smith, who will arrive in the morning from Michigan, will open up on the hardening of muscles, and the proper training for the athletes.

The nine veterans on the line include: Captain Wallace, center; Alsin Inc, Lingenfelter, Church, Morrison, Riggs, Laughlin and Higgins. This does not take into account several of last year's reserves and the material from Coach "Hook" Mylin's preps which will return to stiffen competition.

In the backfield, which early in the summer looked much more gloomy to Coach Kent, some promise of a fast offense is now to be seen. "Bill" Davis, whose toe won the Nebraska game at Lincoln three years ago, and who has starred for two seasons in the Cyclone backfield, announced by a card yesterday that he would be back. This alone brings the backfield stock 50 per cent higher, says the coaches.

"Jack" Currie, captain-elect of the basketball team, will arrive this week, as will "Bill" Paige from Fort Dodge. Both men have letters in football, and along with Davis and Schooley, quarterback last year, make four veterans, all of whom possess experience and speed.

"Pinky" Green, all-state basketball star, has appeared as a candidate for quarterback, and with Wolters, Brorby and Schooley will give Kent some range of selection as a successor to the midget "Shorty" Boyd. Plain prep halfback, and Young, prep full-back, last year, will have to be considered again this fall for the first time in varsity competition. Sweet, a member of the reserves in 1917, has also arrived.

**SO WOULD WE**  
He—What would you do if I should kiss you on the forehead?  
She—I'd call you down.—Tar Baby.

AMES, Ia., Sept. 17.—For the first time in years there will be more letter men returning for football than there are places to fill, as was seen here this afternoon, in looking over the men who were reporting back to Iowa State for the first practice Thursday afternoon.

Nine veterans of the line alone will present a battle royal, while in the backfield there are four veterans who have won letters in football, two who are letter men in other sports here who will be trying out, and seven others who have had at least a year of coaching here. Coach Maury Kent in looking over the men who have returned so far, and the cards from others who expected to come in some time Thursday, was highly pleased over the prospects before him. With a schedule having five home games, four of these in the Missouri Valley Conference, Ames should be treated to a banner year in football.

Capt. Polly Wallace, Eckersall's choice for all-American center, returned from two weeks in Indiana last night, where he has been taking on some stiff workouts with several big ten aspirants. Zine, weighty guard of 1919; Alsin, Higgins, Lingenfelter, Riggs, Brorby, Green, Wolters, Young and Sweet are among those who have arrived today.

It may be said that Iowa State is living up to the valley ruling which prohibits all practice with coaches on the field to the letter, for there have

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