

Fighting Cornhuskers of 1924



EDWIN WEIR.

Edwin Weir, captain and tackle, of the Nebraska football team should make a strong bid this year for all-American honors. Walter Ekersall, Chicago football expert has said that Weir is the greatest tackle in America.

Injuries have hampered his play part of the season but he has always been a source of the greatest trouble to opposing teams. Usually three men are assigned to play against him. Weir will return next year for his last year of Cornhusker football. He played high school football as half-back at Superior. He is a member of Acacia fraternity.



WALTER SCHOLZ.

Walter Scholz, tackle, has been given an opportunity to play in a number of games this season.

The competition for a place at tackle has been rather stiff for Scholz, but he has proved himself to be a valuable man. His home is in Osceola. He is a member of Alpha Tau Omega.



CECIL W. MOLZEN.

Cecil W. Molzen, Varsity tackle has been one of the steadiest and most consistent players on the squad. He is heavy and a strong man on defensive play.

Molzen has never been a spectacular player but his work is of the sort that coaches appreciate. Due to injuries, Molzen has not been able to give his best in all games this season. This will be his last year of Nebraska football.

Molzen's home is in Memphis. He is affiliated with Kappa Sigma.



AVARD MANDERY.

Avard Mandery, halfback, has been a very dependable man on the squad. Mandery is fast and works hard. With more experience he should make a brilliant back.

He is a good place-kicker and is also adept at passing. His work in running interference for the other backs has helped them to make many long runs.

Mandery played high school football at Tecumseh and is a member of Alpha Tau Omega.



BILL DAY.

Bill Day, former star Nebraska center, has been coaching the centers and guards on the Varsity squad this year. His work has been largely responsible for the success of the Nebraska line.



HENRY F. SCHULTE.

Henry F. Schulte, head line coach, has paid particular attention to the tackles on the team. Schulte, himself a great tackle, has been the powerful lines that have been his. Schulte is also head track coach.



MELVIN COLLINS.

Melvin Collins, who has played left end on the Varsity this year, has shown an unusual brilliance in his position. For two years Collins has been trying to "make" the Varsity. His work has been steady, but the number of good ends on the squad has made it tough for the candidates in this position.

This year, due to the injuries to backfield men, John Rhodes, an end, was shifted to the backfield. This gave "Collie" his chance. He took full advantage of it and is now recognized as one of the best ends in the middle west.

Collins' ability to grab long passes has made him a valuable man on offense. He has scored a touchdown in early every game this year. Collins' home is in Wakefield. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.



HAROLD HUTCHINSON.

Harold Hutchinson is a versatile player who has taken his turn as guard and center. "Hutch" was injured in the Illinois game but was back in time to play against Notre Dame.

He has been shifted from center to guard where his aggressive playing has been of great value to the Huskers. Hutchinson played high school football at Lincoln High. He is a member of Phi Gamma Delta.



FRANK MIELENZ.

Frank Mielenz, halfback, has been kept out of the games most of the season because of injuries. At the start of the season he was considered one of the most promising backs on the squad and would probably be holding down a regular berth if it were not for his misfortune.

Mielenz is fast and a hard line plunger. His home is in Wahoo. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta.



WILL GROSS.

Will Gross, guard, is one of the hardest fighters and most dependable workers on the squad. He had played in most of the games this season and has always managed to hold his own.

Gross's home is in Wisner. He is a member of Phi Alpha Delta.

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FRANK POSPISIL.
Frank Pospisil, guard, has been showing up better all season, and seems likely to get a regular berth next year. His ability has been so marked that he was given an opportunity to start the game against Notre Dame. Pospisil is heavy enough and is known as one of the hardest fighting men on the squad. His home is in Lincoln. He is a member of Phi Tau Epsilon.



LLOYD GROW.

Lloyd Grow, center, has been given little opportunity this year to demonstrate his ability because of the steadiness of Wostoupal, whom he understudies.

This is Grow's first year and he is believed to have great possibilities. Grow's home is in Loup City. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.



PAUL KAMM.

Paul Kamm, quarterback, has played in a number of games this season, and his work has been very satisfactory. Kamm, like many of the Nebraska backs, can kick and pass and he is a good man at carrying the ball.

Kamm played high school football at Yuma, Colorado. He is a member of Acacia fraternity.



NORMAN B. GRAY.

Norman B. Gray, tackle, has not been given an opportunity this year in many games, but he is heavy and fast and should develop into an excellent lineman.

Gray has relieved one of the regular tackles in several games and with more experience he should be a very valuable man.

Gray's home is in Bloomfield. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.



HAROLD F. GILLAN.

Harold F. Gillan, end, gained his high school football experience at York. He is another end who should show up well with the Varsity next year.

Gillan played in several important games this season. He is a member of Sigma Nu.



ELBERT L. BLOODGOOD.

Elbert L. Bloodgood, quarterback, has been developing fast this season and is now one of the most brilliant backs on the Varsity. Bloodgood is a good punter and drop-kicker. He can also pass or receive passes.

His returns of punts and his runs from scrimmage have added materially to the yardage made. With another year to play he should develop into one of the most brilliant quarterbacks in the country. Bloodgood's generalship has been almost faultless.

His home is in Beatrice where he played high school football. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta.



ROLAND LOCKE.

Roland Locke, the speed player, has been one of the most brilliant backs on the Nebraska squad, has been into the game when it was needed that a man with a great speed be valuable.

Locke's 70-yard run in the Aggie game was a demonstration of his ability in the open field. In the early part of the season he was hampered by a knee injury but since he has come back strong.

Locke is a good punter and a passer. He played high school football at North Platte where he was state halfback. He is a member of Phi Gamma Delta.