

MEDFORD PLACES 10 PLAYERS ON ALL-STAR SQUAD

ARMY, MIDDIES HOLD WORKOUTS FOR BIG CLASH

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 27—(U.P.)—Coach Earl Blaik, who took his army football team behind closed doors for yesterday's drill, said the Cadets would scrimmage today in preparation for the Navy game at Philadelphia Saturday.

Blaik was more concerned with his team's morale than with its physical shape. All the Army players were reported in top physical trim. The recurrent rumors of post-season games apparently had little effect on the Army players. The academy officials never have officially admitted Bowl invitations, and said they knew nothing of a reported plan to

play the Fleet City Bluejackets, regarded as the best of service teams, in California in late December. Blaik said his team was disappointed at collapse of the Rose Bowl dream, but that the disappointment did not affect their play.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 27—(U.P.)—Coach Oscar Hagberg scheduled another heavy scrimmage for his Navy football team today.

Navy, with Charley Kiser in for Newbold Smith at left tackle and Bob Kelly moved from halfback to substitute fullback, scrimmaged for two hours yesterday. Hagberg said the Middies were in top condition for the coming game with Army. Only Fullback Bob Jenkins was handicapped by a leg injury, and Joe Barton will start, Hagberg said.

Lighter contact drill will be in order tomorrow, Hagberg said, as the Middies taper off their two weeks of practice for their biggest game of the season.

Closing time for Sunday Too Late to Classify 4:30 Saturday afternoon. Please remember.

Dempsey Considers Invitation To Head Huge Sports Arena

New York, Nov. 27—(U.P.)—Jack Dempsey was considering today an invitation to become "head man" at a new indoor sports arena, seating 11,000, which is planned for mid-town Manhattan—to "buck" Madison Square Garden.

Representatives of the real estate firm which controls the property—near Radio City—discussed the proposition with ex-Commander Dempsey of the coast guard at a lengthy conference yesterday, his first day in civvies.

Dempsey will have a final conference at Los Angeles late next month with representatives of the firm, which incidentally has extensive interests in the motion picture industry.

It was reported by another source that a representative of the Madison Square Garden corporation has been attempting to secure a lease on the arena site.

Watson, Riggs Only Unanimous Choice On Team

Pos.	First Team	Second Team
E	Riggs, Medford	Merriman, Ashland
E	Kircher, Medford	Mitchell, Ashland
T	Whillock, Medford	Sari, Klamath Falls
T	Bessonette, Medford	Peterson, Ashland (Capt.)
G	Tingley, Medford	Wirth, Klamath Falls
G	Greene, Medford	Newton, Ashland
C	Cave, Medford	Barry, Grants Pass
B	Bostwick, Medford	Ross, Medford
B	Watson, Medford (Capt.)	Edwards, Klamath Falls
B	Clark, Medford	Stelle, Medford
B	Redkey, Klamath Falls	Moser, Grants Pass
B	Williams, Ashland (tie)	Lutz, Grants Pass (tie)

Honorable mention: Backs, Jandreau, Ashland; Singler, Medford. Ends, Waldron, Medford; Thurman, Klamath Falls. Tackle, Foust, Klamath Falls. Center, Vanderhoff, Klamath Falls. Guards, Fuller, Grants Pass; Eastman, Klamath Falls.

Medford high school's Black Tornado football team, winners of the Southern Oregon conference, district two title and semifinalists in the state championship playoff, placed ten men on the Medford Mail Tribune's annual Southern Oregon all-conference team, selected by sports writers and coaches in the four cities comprising the league—Klamath Falls, Ashland, Grants Pass and Medford. The other position on the first string was a tie vote between Bob Redkey, Klamath Falls, and Len Williams, Ashland.

Bob Watson, Medford's great fullback, and Darrell Riggs, classed as one of the best ends in the state, were the only unanimous choices, each polling 16 votes. Watson was named captain of the first team.

Each first team vote counted two points and each second team ballot brought one point, according to rules of the balloting. It is necessary for a player to get at least two votes to be considered for honorable mention.

Bostwick Polls 15
Glenn Bostwick, Medford's speedy halfback, was right behind Watson and Riggs, getting 15 votes to land a first team berth. He was crowded by Cave, Tornado center, and Tingley, standout Medford guard, with 14 points. Other first string votes went as follows: Kircher, end, 10; Whillock, tackle, 13; Bessonette, tackle, 12; Greene, guard, 13; Clark, backfield, 11, and Redkey and Williams tied with 10 each.

Gordon Peterson, Ashland's big tackle, was named to captain the second team. Medford landed two positions on the second string, Jerry Ross and Earl Stelle being chosen. Four positions went to Ashland, Klamath Falls got three and Grants Pass landed three. Jim Merriman and Jerry Mitchell, Ashland ends, were named to the second string, polling seven and four votes respectively. Sari, Klamath Falls, polled six for the other tackle spot along with Peterson who received eight votes.

Ashlander Places
Wirth, Klamath Falls, netted eight votes at guard with the other guard berth going to Tommy Newton, Ashland, with five votes. Barry, Grants Pass, drew four votes to grab the center spot and Ross drew a like number for the backfield. Edwards, Klamath Falls, polled seven, Stelle six and Moser and Lutz, Grants Pass, tied with five votes to comprise the backfield.

Honorable mention and number of votes polled went to Jandreau, Ashland, 3; Singler, Medford, 2; Thurman, Klamath Falls, 3; ends, Foust, Klamath Falls, 2; tackle, Vanderhoff, Klamath Falls, 3; center, and Fuller, Grants Pass, 4, and Eastman, Klamath Falls, 4, guards.

Coaches voting were Paul Angstead, Klamath Falls, John Roberts, Ashland, Mel Johnson, Grants Pass and Al Simpson, Medford. Sports writers casting ballots were Hale Scarborough, Klamath Falls, Herald and News; Glenn Prescott, Ashland Daily Tidings; Jerry Acklen, Grants Pass Courier, and Harry Chipman, Medford Mail Tribune.

Beare Complimented
Simpson commented that Ed Beare, Ashland halfback, caused Medford more trouble than any backfield man the Tornado faced in the conference but Beare did not poll enough votes to place. He is a sophomore and classed as a definite "comer" by Simpson. Acklen also noted on his ballot that Beare was hard to overlook but did not cast a vote for him.

As has been customary in the past, players will receive award cards designating their selection.

Leading Canucks To Invade South

San Francisco, Nov. 27—(U.P.)—The Vancouver Canucks, leaders in the Pacific coast ice hockey league, invade the southern division for the first time today and the results of their six-day foray is expected to establish the comparative power of the two divisions of the loop.

The Canucks, who have won 11 and lost five games, hope to improve their record with the five matches scheduled for the trip. They are to play San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles, Hollywood and San Diego.

UNKNOWN WINS
Philadelphia, Nov. 27—(U.P.)—Whitney Wesley Mounoz, a new lightweight challenger, blazed meteor-like on the istic horizon today after his unexpected 10-round non-title draw with N. B. A. Champion Ike Williams before 9,799 surprised fans at the arena.

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CADETS SOUGHT FOR BOND GAME

San Francisco, Nov. 27—(U.P.)—Competition continued today between the San Francisco and Los Angeles areas over selection of a stadium for a war bond game in which Army's undefeated team has been asked to meet the local undefeated Fleet City Bluejackets.

The Football Writers' association of Northern California petitioned Commodore O. M. Forster, commander of Camp Shoemaker, the Bluejackets' base, to bring the game to a stadium near the bay. The date probably would be Dec. 26, as the Cadets can travel only during the Christmas holidays.

Cmdr. Billy Reinhart, coach of the Bluejackets, disclosed plans for the game when he announced yesterday he had received a request from the Los Angeles War Bond committee to match his team against the Cadets in the 100,000-seat Los Angeles Coliseum.

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Hoop Drills Start On Tornado Court

Basketball practice started full blast at Medford high school last night. Coach Al Simpson said today. Drills had been going on for several days for players not on the football team but last night's rehearsal was the first full-capacity workout.

Medford will open their season with Eugene high school here Dec. 14 and 15. A full schedule is now being worked out and will be released in a few days, Simpson said.

Use Mail Tribune Want Ads.

Rickey Will Sign More Negro Stars

Freeport, L. I., Nov. 27—(U.P.)—Branch Rickey, president of the Brooklyn Dodgers, plans to sign additional negro baseball players—"some of them reputed to be better than Jackie Robinson."

Rickey, addressing a meeting sponsored last night by the Freeport Inter-Faith Clergy council, said that if a negro can enter the army and work his way up to lieutenant, "there is no reason why he should not wear the uniform of the Montreal baseball club."

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The ability to retire at half pay at any time after 20 years of service, and on up to three-quarters pay after 30 years, is only one of many important privileges offered in the new Armed Forces Recruitment Act of 1945. Read all the highlights of this new Act. Find out why thousands of men are enlisting in Uncle Sam's new peacetime Regular Army. Better still, stop at your nearest Army Recruiting Station and get the whole story.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE NEW ENLISTMENT ACT

- Enlistments for 1 1/2, 2 or 3 years. (One-year enlistments permitted for men now in the Army with at least 6 months' service.)
- Enlistment age from 17 to 34 years inclusive, except for men now in the Army, who may reenlist at any age, and for former service men, depending on length of service.
- Men reenlisting retain their present grades, if they reenlist within 20 days after discharge and before Feb. 1, 1946.
- The best pay scale, medical care, food, quarters and clothing in the history of our Army.
- An increase in the reenlistment bonus to \$50 for each year of active service since such bonus was last paid, or since last entry into service.
- Up to 90 days' paid furlough, depending on length of service, with furlough travel paid to home and return, for men now in the Army who reenlist.
- A 30-day furlough every year at full pay.
- Mustering-out pay (based upon length of service) to all men who are discharged to reenlist.
- Option to retire at half pay for life after 20 years' service—or three-quarters pay after 30 years' service. All previous active federal military service counts toward retirement.
- Benefits under the GI Bill of Rights.
- Family allowances for the term of enlistment for dependents of men who enlist or reenlist before July 1, 1946.
- Choice of branch of service and overseas theater in the Air, Ground or Service Forces on 3-year enlistments.
- Privilege of benefits of National Service Life Insurance.
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	Starting Base Pay Per Month	20 Years' Service	30 Years' Service
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Technical Sergeant	114.00	74.10	128.25
Staff Sergeant	96.00	62.40	108.00
Sergeant	78.00	50.70	87.75
Corporal	66.00	42.90	74.25
Private First Class	54.00	35.10	60.75
Private	50.00	32.50	56.25

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