



Refusal of Penalties Often

Dissecting Football Rules

Plays Big Part in Game

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You have often heard of a team refusing to take distance penalty for a foul committed by an opponent.

According to the rules, once a foul has been committed, the penalty for said foul must be either inflicted or declined. Penalties for all fouls must be declined by the offending side, in which case play will proceed as if no foul had been committed. If a penalty includes a disqualification, the distance penalty may be declined, but the disqualified player must leave the game. In a word, if an official orders a man off the field, the opposing captain has not the power to ask the official to revoke his decision, although the captain may refuse the distance penalty.

This came up several years ago in a Harvard-Yale game where one player of each side was disqualified for slipping, and both captains wanted to call the matter off and allow the players to remain in the game, but, according to the rule, the official had no choice in the matter but to go through with his original disqualification.

But in many instances not involving disqualification, it is a pity that some football captains do not exercise their option for

I have seen numerous cases where a team could gain an advantage had the captain known the rules well enough to know his rights and their decline of penalty.

A brilliant example of quick thinking in a big game was brought forcibly to me in the Harvard-Dartmouth game in 1923.

Dartmouth had third down, six yards to go. On the next play Dartmouth lost four yards and, at the same time, I called a foul for starting before the ball. I started to measure off five yards when Charlie Russell, captain of Harvard, came running up and wanted to know where the foul was and the penalty. On informing him, he immediately stated that he declined the penalty. This gave Dartmouth fourth down with ten yards to go. If Harvard had accepted the penalty it would have still been third down with eleven yards to go. Duell, reasoning that an added down was worth more than a yard distance. He showed excellent judgment in his refusal of the penalty.

I saw a very important game between two big colleges last simply because the captain did not understand his position as regards refusal of penalties. By declining the penalty he could have recovered the ball and saved the winning score, but he allowed the penalty to be inflicted, and, in the next play, his opponents won the game.

FOOTBALL FUNDAMENTALS



Forward Pass.

The forward pass is no longer a mere threat with a majority of the leading coaches but a real scoring weapon. Accurately and properly executed it is one of the best ground games in modern football.

There are various types of the forward pass, such as the short lob, the long pass, the running pass and so on. The method of throwing the ball varies with each type.

The above illustration shows the stance for the long forward pass. An expert forward passer, using correct form, can pass from 30 to 60 yards consistently and accurately to meet the needs of the situation.

In this illustration, notice how the body is drawn back for the long forward pass. The ball is gripped with both hands until it reaches the top of the arc in the throw. Then the guiding left hand is released, flaring the

passer is right handed, and the left arm is swung sharply around to add power to the pass.

The passer, in executing the long heave puts every bit of his body into the pass, on the same principle as the shot-putter, only he throws the ball instead of putting it. He doesn't throw it with the arm only; he must have the follow-through, giving the power of the body, making for greater distance.

The ball should always be passed overhead with a snap, just as you would throw a baseball. As the ball leaves the hand the long axis must be aimed like a rifle barrel, directly at the target, otherwise the ball will not spiral.

Because it was thought that the use of the mouth for playing an instrument was sacrilegious, a Hindu sect invented the throat trumpet. To play it, it is necessary only to hum the tune.

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They had come, he said, from Washington five weeks ago on the understanding that he would support her in return for her services in keeping house for him. Mrs. Brandon deserting her husband and taking her eight year old son, Billy, with her.

But Gilmore told that the woman had not lived up to her bargain, that she had lazily neglected to make his meals, or wake him in time for work, and—last of a long list of indignities—had refused to iron his shirt.

In answer to his remonstrations, Mrs. Brandon usually flourished a knife at him, knowing, said Gilmore, that he had a fear of knives.

Mrs. Brandon was known as Mrs. Samuel Young in Washington. Her husband left Washington to take care of the body.

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Players Using Shift Plays

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Must Stop 1 Full Second

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This year more teeth were put into the section of Rule R pertaining to shift plays. To rule the shift entirely out of football would certainly take from the game one of the spectacular and pleasant types of plays, and would put to disadvantage a great many teams using this deceptive type of offense.

It was decided by the rules committee that in order to give the officials something to work on, that there should be incorporated in the rule a paragraph which would give them some standard and measured space of time whereby they could judge whether the men in motion came to a full stop or not.

The rule allowing one man in motion, who is going directly or obliquely toward his own goal line, was not touched. However, every other member of the offensive team, if he changes his position, must now come to a full stop, lasting one second, before the ball is put in play.

It was decided that the best method of determining the space of time during which players must stop could be measured by the rapid count of the numbers

1-2-3-4, which is approximately one second.

Heretofore many coaches have tried their shift so that the men practically never came to a stop, but now, in order that shifting men come within the law, it is necessary that they come to an absolute stop for one full second, and must remain stationary, without movement of the feet, or swaying of the body.

This same rule holds good when teams come out of the so-called "huddle." Players who have been in a huddle and have returned to their normal positions must also come to a full stop for the period of a second. This includes linemen, as well as men in the back field.

Heretofore the huddle has been used by some of the teams in order that it might give their linemen an almost running start. This, of course, gave them a tremendous advantage over their opponents, who were absolutely standing still.

In order to make the shift more hazardous, and to have the teams respect the time limit, the penalty was raised from five to fifteen yards. This, in itself, is a very serious loss of ground and should have a marked tendency towards eliminating an evil, which has been overdone.

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