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Breaking away through tackle in a Princeton game

*A sensible and
practical manual for
coaches, players, and
students of the game*

This book presents technique that is sound and practical—technique that will produce results if properly taught and correctly executed. It contains little theorization—it offers plain, sensible, definite plans, instruction, suggestions, and advice, based on long experience.

Practical Football

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INTENDED as a guide in teaching and developing better technique and better coaching methods, this book assumes a working knowledge of football on the part of the reader and omits all superfluous explanation and theoretical exposition.

Ideas are presented concisely and briefly and only practical, ready-to-use methods are considered. Special emphasis is given to blocking, tackling, position play, the kicking game, the passing game, the running game, offensive plays, generalship and defensive planning.

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- Preparing for the game
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- Proper use of the forward pass
- What formation to use
- What to teach quarterbacks
- Specific defensive assignments
- Causes of injuries
- Coaching problems
- How to punt
- Forward-pass defense
- Handling the ball

