

Sports Showup

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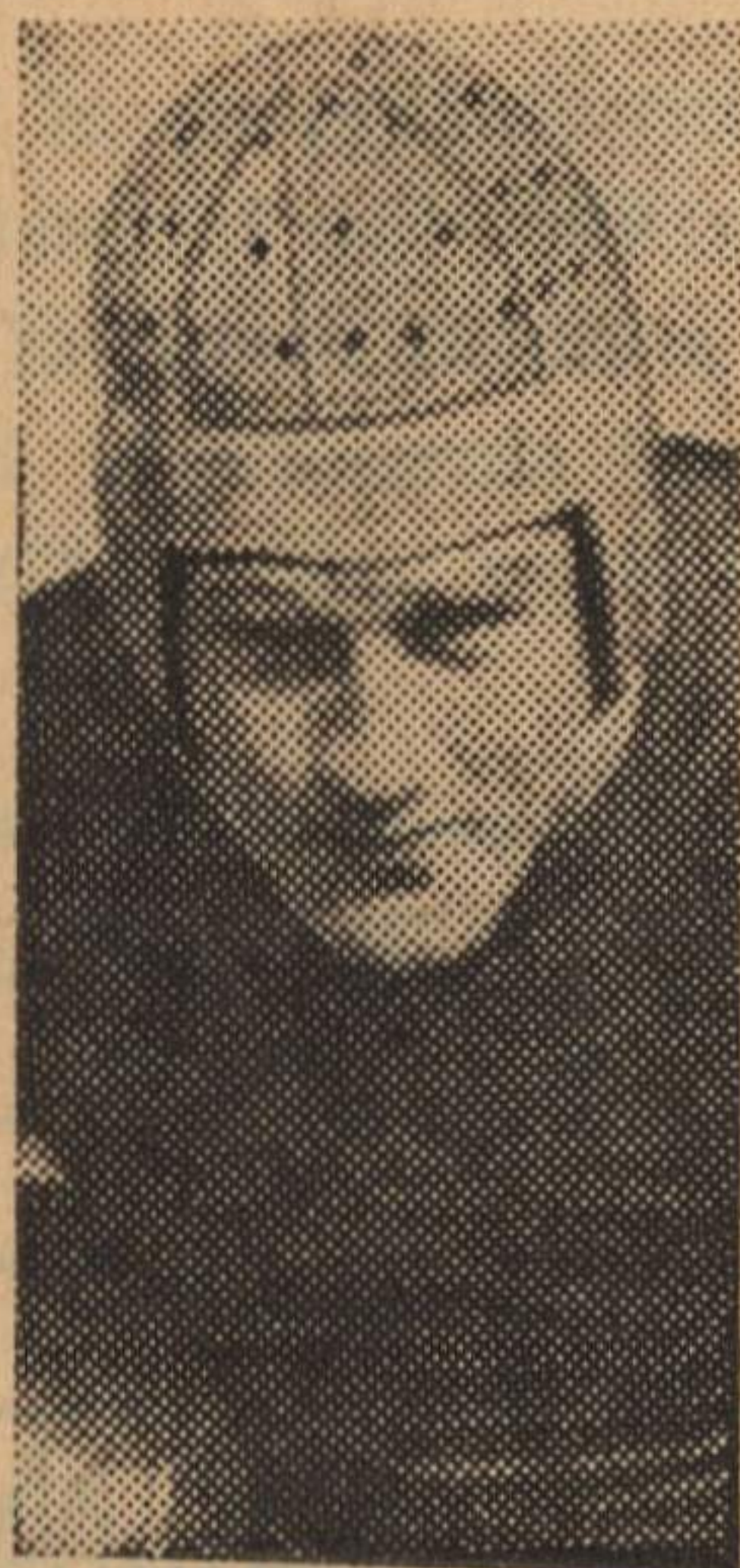
*Grid Broadcaster
'Shines' in Workout.*

By Edgar Munzel



Rip Collins.

One of the so-called leading football broadcasters of a national chain went to West Point several years ago a couple of days in advance of an Army game . . . While chinning with Coach Ralph Sasse the broadcaster modestly asserted he had been quite some shakes as a football star in high school . . . Said Sasse: "Well, why don't you take a workout with the boys today?" . . . Unabashed,



Bronko Nagurski.

the broadcaster did . . . After having quite a struggle getting dressed, he dashed onto the field and noisily yelled at a cadet, "Throw me a few" . . . The cadet tossed him a couple dozen right in his dukes, but he didn't come close to catching one.

Said Sasse, sidling over to the puffing "ex-high school star": "Gee, I thought you'd at least hang onto a few of those!" . . . Moaned the broadcaster: "I don't know what's the matter. But there seems to be something wrong with my eyes." . . . Sasse looked a bit closer and discovered—the guy had the headgear on backward!

Maury Kent Was Dodger Hurler.

Maury Kent, assistant Purple coach, once was a Dodger . . . He pitched for Brooklyn twenty-five years ago in the days of Nap Rucker, Jake Daubert and Zach Wheat . . . But Maury appears quite normal now.

DONORS . . . Community Fund offices these days are a mecca for athletes . . . Those who already have called upon Mitchell McKeown, assistant to the chairman, are Rip Collins, Augie Galan, Bronko Nagurski, Babe Pinelli, Ziggy Sears, Gaynell Tinsley and Jim Mulvey, vice president of the Brooklyn Dodgers . . . Not all athletes, it seems, are tight-fisted.

CAREFUL . . . George Trafton is so enthusiastic about his middleweight boxer, Oscar Rankins, that he has dispensed with a trainer and can now be seen any afternoon galloping around his own gym, with a towel over his shoulder, ministering to the wants of the Negro battler.

Manders Pitched Well in Pinch.

Jack Manders threw only three forward passes last season for the Bears . . . and two were completed for touchdowns . . . That's pitching in the pinch.

DIS 'N' DAT . . . Capt. David Flynn reports that his cousin, the late Jack McAuliffe, did not retire in 1891, as most of his obits read . . . He fought twice in 1892, meeting Billy Meyer and Harry Gilmore . . . Coach Zuppke has another nephew, brother of Bob Zuppke, sophomore reserve end, who'll enter Illinois next Fall . . . The farther Bronko Nagurski goes this season the more he's convinced he'll hang u phis shoes for good at the end of the year . . . That'll be good news to a lot of linemen.