

Only three letter men are reporting for practice. Charlie Moffett, All Big Six halfback, has been reclassified and will soon be in the armed service. Gordon Reynolds, All Big Six basketball forward and end on football team, was not reassigned to K.U. for medical training. His loss will be a severe blow. Doc Lambkin, tackle, was assigned to fleet duty and also will not be back. The three letter men around whom the coaches will have to build a team are Leroy Robinson, fullback from Lawrence High School, Tex Langford, center from Texas, and Dud Day, diminutive guard from California. Frank Pattee, a member of the freshman squad in 1942, has been discharged from the Navy and will undoubtedly be an important cog in the grid machine of 1945. That is the story as far as experience is concerned. The coaches will have to rely upon 17-year old freshmen and inexperienced Navy boys for the football wars. Every time Coach Shenk looks at his fall schedule coming up, he ages considerably.

The schedule is as follows:

Sept. 22	Texas Christian	Kansas City Ruppert Stadium (night)
Sept. 28	Denver	Denver (night)
Oct. 6	Iowa State	Lawrence
Oct. 12	Washburn	Lawrence, Haskell Stadium (night)
Oct. 20	Oklahoma	Norman
Oct. 27	Wichita	Wichita
Nov. 3	Nebraska	Lincoln
Nov. 10	Marquette	Milwaukee
Nov. 17	Kansas State	Lawrence (homecoming game)
Nov. 24	Missouri	Kansas City Ruppert Stadium

The coaching staff at present consists of Henry Shenk, Head Coach, Dean Nesmith, Assistant Coach and Trainer, and Ralph "Red" Huffman, a new addition to the staff from Fort Hayes, State Teachers' College, who will act as assistant line coach. George Dick, former star end of K.U. has been helping with the summer practice.

"Way Back When"

A quarter of a century ago! It was just 25 years ago this season that I was coaching the Kansas Varsity football team and faced as drab an outlook as Coach Shenk faces this season. I was running over our Kansas Varsity football record of 1920. Kansas, with an average weight of but 162 pounds per man, was the lightest team ever in Jayhawker history. Scanning those games, I thought it might be interesting to some of the old-timers to list the schedule with the results of the games and the coaches of the teams who were then coaching football. Bill Hargiss was at Emporia and he is now in Italy with the Army Specialized Training Program. Ernest Bearg, after his turn at coaching Washburn, went to Illinois to help Bob Zuppke and then became head coach at Nebraska for several years, later returning to Washburn as head coach with the promise of putting the Ickabods in the Rosebowl. But this never materialized. Bearg is now an insurance man on the West Coast. Dwight Ream, Bearg's co-coach, is now an insurance man in Topeka. Dr. "Red" Payne was coaching the Iowa State team for the Dream Touchdown game on which we outdreamed him. Dean Johnnie Bunn of Stanford University, California, has an interesting comment in this Jayhawk Rebound regarding Dr. Payne. Charlie Bachman is now coaching Michigan State College at East Lansing, Michigan. Bennie Owens is Director of Physical Education at Oklahoma. Big, genial Henry "Indian" Schulte has passed on to his reward after serving Nebraska football and track at Lincoln for a generation. Jimmy Phelan, who was at Missouri after the first World War, had outstanding success at Perdue and at the University of Washington at Seattle.