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# Montana University

## Football Press Book

1949



RAY "MOON" BAUER, End  
Co-Captain

TED SHIPKEY  
Coach

FRANK "MONK" SEMANSKY, Guard  
Co-Captain

### GRIZZLY SCHEDULE

Sept. 17	South Dakota .....	Billings, Mont. (Neutral)	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 24	*Wash. State College.....	Pullman, Washington	2:00 p.m.
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Oct. 29	Mont. State College .....	Butte, Mont. (Neutral)	2:00 p.m.
Nov. 5	Eastern Washington .....	MISSOULA, MONTANA	2:00 p.m.
Nov. 12	Open .....		
Nov. 19	Brigham Young Univ. ....	MISSOULA, MONTANA	2:00 p.m. (Dad's Day)

\*Conference Game.

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MONTANA UNIVERSITY

"The University with a mountain on its campus."

Chartered February 17, 1893

Location: Missoula, Montana

PRESIDENT - Dr. James A. McCain

CAMPUS - 100 acres, plus 520 acres extending to the summit of 2,000-foot Mt. Sentinel overlooking Dornblaser Field. Also 20,000 acres of experimental forest and range land and a 160-acre biological station on Flathead Lake.

ENROLLMENT - More than 3,500.

STADIUM - Dornblaser Field, named after Paul Dornblaser, Grizzly hero of a great 1914 team, who was killed in action in World War I. Seating capacity - 8,500.

SCHOOL COLORS - Copper, Silver and Gold TEAM NAME - Grizzlies

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS - Clyde W. "Cac" Hubbard.

FACULTY ATHLETIC REPRESENTATIVE - J. E. "Burly" Miller.

FOOTBALL COACHING STAFF - TED SHIPKEY - Head Football Coach  
G.P. "Jiggs" DAHLBERG - Backfield Coach and  
Varsity Basketball Coach  
HARRY ADAMS - Head Scout, Varsity Track Coach  
EDDIE CHINSKE - Asst. Coach, Frosh Coach,  
Varsity Baseball Coach  
FRED ERDHAUS - Line Coach  
NASEBY RHINEHART - Trainer

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MONTANA UNIVERSITY GRIZZLIES

Missoula, Montana

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MSU ALL-TIME RECORD  
49 YEARS OF FOOTBALL

WON - 146                  LOST - 165                  TIED - 23                  PCT. - .436

MSU TOTAL POINTS - 4,283                  OPPONENTS TOTAL POINTS - 4,533

### GRIZZLY COACHING STAFF

CLYDE W. "CAC" HUBBARD- In first year as Director of Athletics at Montana University. A graduate of Oregon State College, "Cac" joins the Grizzly staff with a wide acquaintanceship in the Pacific Coast conference and the Skyline Six conference. He comes to Montana with impressive recommendations. He has had wide coaching experience in the past twenty-five years in football, basketball, baseball, golf, track, tennis, and swimming. Although in a non-coaching position now, Montana believes his experience will be a great value in building stronger athletic programs at the University--in major and minor sports. "Cac" was at the University of Denver prior to coming to Montana. He was graduate manager at his alma mater, OSC; head coach and director of physical education for the Olympic club of San Francisco; director of physical training program for the army air force at Lowry Field, Denver, and Camp Kearns, Utah; and director of summer playgrounds and recreation, Tacoma, Washington.

TED SHIPKEY- Head football coach, also joined the Montana staff this year. Ted was born in Montana (Great Falls, Sept. 28, 1904) but was raised and educated in California. Played three years under Glen "Pop" Warner at Stanford, where he was selected All-American end in his senior year. He still holds a birth on the all-time all-star Pacific Coast conference team. Started coaching career at Sacramento Junior College, 1927, moved to Arizona State at Tempe, 1930. Won one championship at the Border conference school in three years. Won two more championships while head coach at University of New Mexico, 1937-42. Once his team defeated Denver University in the Sun Bowl, then coached by "Cac" Hubbard, his new colleague at Montana. Ted was a captain in the army air corps, 1942-45. Returned to New Mexico for one year after discharge, then joined the Los Angeles Dons coaching staff in 1946. Came to Montana, February, 1949.

FRED ERDHAUS- Third man to join the coaching staff this year is Assistant Coach, Fred Erdhaus. A graduate of University of Arizona where he played end and lettered in basketball. For the past three years Fred has been head coach of the Los Angeles Bulldogs. Before that he played with San Diego navy eleven; was assistant coach at Loyola University in Los Angeles, 1944; coached Santa Monica, Calif. high school team, 1939-43; and played on the pro Bulldogs and San Diego Bombers. His Bulldogs won two out of three title games in the Pacific Coast-Hawaii pro-league, '46, '47, and '48.

HARRY ADAMS- Head football scout. Varsity track coach. Third year back with Montana since the war. Served as colonel in the army for five years. Harry started his coaching career at Montana in 1921 as assistant coach. He has also served as assistant coach in basketball. Harry is a Montana graduate, '21, and is one of the all-time great athletes of the school. His track team has never been beaten in the State intercollegiate meet. Has produced such stars as Jack Emigh and Ole Ueland in the sprints and middle distances; Al Eiselein and James Seyler in hurdles and jumps.

GEORGE P. DAHLBERG- Backfield coach. Known better in the Northwest to his friends as "Jiggs", Montana's head basketball coach was graduated from the University, '25, with scholastic honors as well as athletic honors. He spent twelve years coaching high schools in Montana and Washington, then returned to his alma mater in 1937 to take up the reins as basketball coach. "Jiggs" was basketball mentor and assisted with football until 1942 when he was called into service in the army. He coached the Fort Lawton baseball team to the Washington State semi-pro championship along with putting out some fine basketball teams. He returned to Montana in time for basketball winter of '45 and produced as fast squad that provided stiff competition with their fast breaking, aggressive style of play.

EDWARD S. CHINSKE- Assistant football coach. Varsity baseball coach, and "Frosh" basketball and football coach. Eddie came to Montana three years ago with a very impressive high school coaching career. In sixteen years he had the reputation of being one of the best coaches in Montana high school history. At Miles City and Missoula County High his teams won both basketball and football championships. Eddie was a Grizzly athlete himself and captain of the 1928 football squad. He still holds the best percentage of free throws made in entire Varsity competition at the University for basketball. He graduated from the University in 1930.

NASEBY RHINEHART- Trainer. "Nase" is one of the best known, and most respected trainers in the Northwest. He has been in the Montana training room since graduation from the University in 1935, except for time-out to attend a training and treatment of injuries school in the East. He was an outstanding Grizzly end in '32, '33, and '34. Still holds that spot on the All-Time Grizzly team.

### 1948 TEAM STATISTICS

	<u>Rushing</u>				<u>Forward Passing</u>				
	Times Carried	Yards Gained	Yards Lost	Net Gain	No. Att.	No. Comp.	Had Inter.	Net Gain	Scoring Passes
Montana :	408	1,776	214	1,562	168	77	22	1,088	6
Opponents:	504	2,480	297	2,283	133	63	15	947	10

	<u>TOTAL OFFENSE</u>		<u>RECEIVING</u>			<u>INTERCEPTION RETURNS</u>	
	Total Plays	Net Gain	No. Caught	Yards Gained	Scoring Passes	No. Inter.	Yards Ret.
Montana :	585	2,642	77	1,088	6	15	182
Opponents:	607	3,235	63	947	10	21	401

	<u>PUNTING</u>			<u>PUNT RETURNS</u>		<u>KICKOFF RETURNS</u>	
	Times Kicked	Yards Kicked	Had Blocked	Number Returns	Yards Return	Number Returns	Yards Return
Montana :	53	2,010	1	22	223	40	853
Opponents:	42	1,550	1	28	254	30	553

	<u>SCORING</u>				
	Touch-downs	P.A.T. Att.	P.A.T. Made	Field Goals	Total Points
Montana :	21	21	17	0	143
Opponents:	34	34	17	0	221

	<u>AVERAGES AND PERCENTAGES</u>			
	Average Yard Per Rushing	Percentage of Passes Complete	Average Yard Per Passes Caught	Average Yard Per Play-- Total Offense
Montana :	3.8	.46	14.1	4.6
Opponents:	4.5	.47	15.1	5.3

	Yard Average Per Kick	Average Yard Per Punt Ret.	Average Yard Per Inter. Ret.	average Yard Per K.O. Ret.
	Montana :	37.9	10.1	12.1
Opponents:	36.9	9.0	19.1	18.4





MONTANA ALL-TIME FOOTBALL RECORD  
(50 years of football with Coaches and Captains )  
POINTS

YEAR	WGN	LOST	TIED	PCT	LSU	OPP	COACH	CAPTAIN
1897	1	2	3	.333	32	52	Fred Smith	George Kennett
1898	2	2	0	.500	27	24	Sgt. B. Searight	Sid Ward
1899	1	2	0	.333	12	48	Guy Cleveland	Larry Heckler
1900	0	1	0	.000	11	12	Frank Bean	Claude Marceyes
1901	2	2	0	.500	-	-	Frank Bean	Charles Allard
1902	0	2	0	.000	0	54	Dewett Peck	Frank Latimer
1903	2	5	0	.285	49	117	H. B. Conibear	W. O. Craig
1904	3	2	0	.600	99	23	H. B. Conibear	Leo Greenough
1905	2	3	0	.400	117	75	F. W. Shule	John Macleod
1906	2	4	0	.333	49	78	F. W. Shule	Bill Harriman
1907	4	1	1	.800	114	38	Albion Findlay	A. Morgan
1908	1	2	1	.333	12	15	R. A. White	A. F. Bishop
1909	6	0	1	1000	169	5	R. A. White	A. F. Bishop
1910	3	2	1	.600	29	22	Robt. Cary	H. D. MacLay
1911	2	1	0	.666	40	14	Robt. Cary	Ed Winstanley
1912	4	3	0	.561	104	66	Lieut. W. Philoon	Paul Dornblaser
1913	2	4	0	.333	50	94	A. G. Heilman	Burton Smead
1914	6	0	1	1000	183	9	A. G. Heilman	Merrit Owsley
1915	2	2	2	.500	95	56	Jerry Nissen	Leonard Daems
1916	4	1	1	.800	74	40	Jerry Nissen	"Click" Clark
1917	1	4	0	.250	21	84	Jerry Nissen	Chris Bentz
1918	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1919	2	3	2	.400	80	121	Bernie Bierman	George Scherck
1920	4	3	0	.561	227	78	Bernie Bierman	Harry Dahlberg
1921	3	3	1	.500	66	90	Bernie Bierman	Steve Sullivan
1922	3	4	0	.428	65	133	J. W. Stewart	"Jelly" Elliot
1923	4	4	0	.500	108	117	J. W. Stewart	Ted Plummer
1924	4	4	0	.500	264	173	"Click" Clark	Grant Silvernale
1925	3	4	1	.428	143	128	"Click" Clark	Ted Iilman
1926	3	5	0	.375	129	126	Frank Milburn	Bill Kelly
1927	3	4	1	.428	52	141	Frank Milburn	Lou Veerhus
1928	4	5	1	.444	71	147	Frank Milburn	Eddie Chinske
1929	3	5	1	.375	118	121	Frank Milburn	Ray Lewis
1930	5	3	0	.625	118	175	Frank Milburn	Clyde Carpenter
1931	1	6	0	.166	56	155	Bernard Cakes	No Season Captain
1932	2	7	0	.285	84	224	Bernard Cakes	" " "
1933	3	4	0	.423	91	85	Bernard Cakes	" " "
1934	2	5	1	.285	90	82	Bernard Cakes	" " "
1935	1	5	2	.166	47	110	Doug Fessenden	John Sullivan
1936	6	3	0	.666	138	89	Doug Fessenden	Carl Swanson
1937	7	1	0	.875	142	28	Doug Fessenden	Milt Popovich
1938	5	3	1	.625	85	51	Doug Fessenden	Co-Caps. John Dolan Bill Lazetich
1939	3	6	0	.333	41	83	Doug Fessenden	Co-Caps. E. Tabaracci R. Thornally
1940	4	4	1	.500	95	149	Doug Fessenden	Tom O'Donnell
1941	6	3	0	.666	119	80	Doug Fessenden	- - - - -
1942	0	8	0	.000	35	239	Clyde Carpenter	- - - - -
1945	1	4	0	.200	85	135	Jiggs Dahlberg	- - - - -
1946	4	4	0	.500	104	157	Doug Fessenden	Co-Caps. Joe Thiebes Ed Rossmiller
1947	7	4	0	.636	197	171	Doug Fessenden	Co-Caps. Ben Tyvand Sam Leeper
1948	3	7	0	.300	143	221	Doug Fessenden	Jack O'Loughlin
1949							Ted Shipkey	Co-Caps. Ray Bauer Frank Semansky

RESULTS FOR PAST NINE YEARS

1936

M- 0 WSC-----19  
M- 0 UCLA-----30  
M- 6 Gonzaga----- 0  
M-27 Montana State-- 0  
M- 7 Oregon State---14  
M-16 Idaho----- 0  
M-24 San Francisco-- 7  
M-13 North Dakota--- 6  
M-45 Ida. So. Branch-13

1937

M-25 Whitman----- 0  
M-13 Texas Tech---- 6  
M-36 Oklahoma City-- 6  
M-13 San Francisco-- 7  
M-19 Montana State-- 0  
M-23 Gonzaga----- 0  
M- 0 Idaho----- 6  
M-14 North Dakota--- 3

1938

M-27 Cheney----- 0  
M- 0 San Francisco--- 0  
M- 7 DePaul----- 6  
M-13 Texas Tech-----19  
M- 0 North Dakota---- 7  
M- 6 Idaho-----19  
M- 9 Gonzaga----- 0  
M-13 Montana State--- 0  
M- 7 Arizona----- 0

1939

M- 9 Portland----- 0  
M- 7 San Francisco--12  
M- 6 Montana State-- 0  
M- 6 UCLA-----20  
M-13 Idaho----- 0  
M- 0 Washington----- 9  
M- 0 Gonzaga-----23  
M- 0 Texas-----13  
M- 0 Arizona----- 6

1940

M- 9 Eastern Wash.-- 0  
M- 0 Wash. State---13  
M-19 Texas Tech----32  
M- 6 Montana State-- 0  
M-13 Gonzaga-----10  
M- 0 Oregon-----38  
M-28 Idaho-----18  
M-20 San Diego-----38  
M- 0 Portland----- 0

1941

M-20 Brigham Young--- 7  
M-27 N. Dakota State-- 0  
M- 7 UCLA-----14  
M-13 Gonzaga----- 6  
M-23 Montana State---13  
M- 0 Washington-----21  
M-13 N. Dakota Univ.-- 6  
M-16 Idaho----- 0  
M- 0 Oregon State---27

1946

M-20 Colorado A&M--- 0  
M-31 Eastern Wash.-- 7  
M- 0 Oregon-----34  
M-20 Montana State-- 7  
M- 7 Utah State---27  
M-19 Idaho----- 0  
M- 7 UCLA-----61  
M- 0 Washington-----21

1947

M-21 Eastern Wash.-- 0  
M-21 Portland Univ.- 0  
M- 7 Arizona-----40  
M- 7 Utah State---13  
M-12 Montana State--13  
M-21 Idaho----- 0  
M-13 Wash. State---12  
M-14 California----60  
M-41 Colorado A & M- 7  
M-14 U. of Hawaii---12  
M-26 Hawaii (All-Star)-14

1948

M- 7 Eastern Wash.---12  
M- 7 Utah State College-18  
M-27 Pacific Univ.--- 0  
M- 0 Wash. State---48  
M-14 Montana College-- 0  
M- 0 University Idaho-39  
M-20 Brigham Young U.-26  
M-14 College of Pacific-32  
M- 7 Stanford Univ.---39  
M-47 N. Dakota Univ.-- 7

TOTAL GAMES - 82      WON - 45      LOST - 35      TIED - 2      PCT. - .549

TOTAL POINTS: MSU - 1,062      OPPONENTS - 1,034

PREVIOUS RESULTS AGAINST 1949 OPPONENTS

Montana State College

1897: 18- 6  
 1898: 6- 0  
 1899: 0-38  
 : 0- 5  
 1900: 11-12  
 1902: 0-38  
 1903: 6-13  
 1904: 79- 0  
 1908: 0- 0  
 : 0- 5  
 1909: 3- 0  
 : 15- 5  
 1910: 0- 0  
 : 10- 0  
 1912: 7- 0  
 : 39- 3  
 1913: 7- 0  
 : 20- 0  
 1914: 27- 9  
 1916: 6- 6  
 1917: 9- 7  
 1919: 6- 6  
 1920: 28- 0  
 1921: 14- 7  
 1922: 7- 6  
 1923: 24-13  
 1925: 28- 7  
 1926: 27- 0  
 1927: 6- 0  
 1928: 0- 0  
 1929: 12-14  
 1930: 13- 6  
 1931: 37- 6  
 1932: 7-19  
 1933: 32- 0  
 1934: 25- 0  
 1935: 20- 0  
 1936: 27- 0  
 1937: 19- 0  
 1938: 13- 0  
 1939: 6- 0  
 1940: 6- 0  
 1941: 23-13  
 1946: 20- 7  
 1947: 12-13  
 1948: 14- 0

688-264

Won 32  
 Lost 9  
 Tied 1

U. of Idaho

1903: 10-28  
 1914: 0- 0  
 1915: 15- 3  
 1916: 20-13  
 1917: 3-14  
 1919: 0- 7  
 1920: 7-20  
 1921: 7-35  
 1922: 0-39  
 1923: 0-40  
 1924: 13-41  
 1925: 20-14  
 1926: 12-27  
 1927: 6-42  
 1928: 6-21  
 1929: 0-19  
 1930: 12- 6  
 1931: 19-21  
 1932: 6-19  
 1933: 6-12  
 1934: 6-13  
 1935: 7-14  
 1936: 16- 0  
 1937: 0- 6  
 1938: 6-19  
 1939: 13- 0  
 1940: 28-18  
 1941: 16- 0  
 1942: 0-21  
 1945: 0-46  
 1946: 19- 0  
 1947: 21- 0  
 1948: 0-39

274-597

Won 10  
 Lost 22  
 Tied 1

Eastern Wash. College

1938: 27- 0  
 1940: 9- 0  
 1946: 31- 7  
 1947: 21- 0  
 1948: 7-12  
 95-19

Won 4  
 Lost 1  
 Tied 0

Utah State

1904: 5- 0  
 1905: 23- 0  
 1906: 6-16  
 1910: 3- 5  
 1911: 0- 8  
 1912: 0-17  
 1913: 7- 9  
 1914: 32- 0  
 1917: 6-21  
 1919: 0-47  
 1933: 26- 0  
 1945: 13-44  
 1946: 7-27  
 1947: 7-13  
 1948: 7-18

142-226

Won 4  
 Lost 10  
 Tied 0

Wash. State

1913: 9-34  
 1914: 10- 0  
 1915: 7-27  
 1916: 0-27  
 1917: 0-28  
 1919: 14-42  
 1920: 0-31  
 1925: 0- 9  
 1926: 6-14  
 1927: 0-35  
 1928: 6-26  
 1929: 0-13  
 1930: 0-51  
 1931: 0-13  
 1932: 0-31  
 1933: 7-13  
 1934: 0-27  
 1935: 6-13  
 1936: 0-19  
 1940: 0-13  
 1942: 16-68  
 1947: 13-12  
 1948: 0-48

94-594

Won 2  
 Lost 23  
 Tied 0

PREVIOUS RESULTS AGAINST 1949 OPPONENTS

Prigham Young U.

1941: 20- 7  
1942: 6-12  
1948: 20-26  
46-45

Won 1  
Lost 2  
Tied 0

Oregon State

1925: 7-27  
1926: 0-47  
1928: 0-44  
1931: 0-19  
1932: 6-35  
1933: 0-20  
1934: 7- 7  
1935: 0- 0  
1936: 7-14  
1941: 0-27  
1942: 0-23

27-263

Won 0  
Lost 9  
Tied 2

Colorado A & M

1946: 28- 0  
1947: 41- 7  
69- 7

Won 2  
Lost 0  
Tied 0

South Dakota U.

1915: 7-10

Won 0  
Lost 1  
Tied 0

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## TENTATIVE TEAM ROSTER

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POS.</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>HT.</u>	<u>WT.</u>	<u>EXPERIENCE</u>	<u>HOME TOWN</u>
*Anderson, Robert	T	21	6-2	193	3V	Missoula
Bates, Bob	F	23	6-1	215	JC	Santa Monica, Calif.
*Pauer, Ray	E	22	6	187	2V	Great Falls
Bradley, Charles	F	20	6-1	206	Fr	Fort Benton
Brennan, Joe	H	22	5-11	180	JC	Helena
*Briney, Frank	E	22	6	194	3V	Butte
Brown, Bill	T	22	6	215	JC	Ontario, Calif.
Byrne, Robert	H	19	5-9	165	Fr	Billings
*Campbell, Don	Q	21	6	175	2V	Great Falls
Campbell, Ken	C	22	5-10	185	JC	Great Falls
Cerino, Dick	G	20	6-2	180	Fr	Anaconda
*Chaffin, Everett	G	22	6	190	2V	Missoula
Chapman, Fred	C	26	5-11	185	Tr	Dillon
*Cook, Bob	C	22	5-10	180	2V	Cut Bank
*Cork, Lee	T	24	6-2½	215	3V	Missoula
Covey, Harry	T	23	6-4	210	0	Missoula
*Delaney, Don	E	21	6-1	184	3V	Missoula
*DeVore, Kent	G	21	5-10	176	3V	Helena
Doyle, Dick	E	23	6-2	195	1V	Missoula
Duncan, Jim	T	29	6-2	200	0	San Pedro, Calif.
Echols, Ken	E	21	6-1	177	Fr	Plainview, Texas
*Ford, Henry	T	23	6-1	215	2V	Durango, Colorado
Hanson, Bob	T	24	5-11	230	JC	Santa Monica, Calif.
*Hammerness, Rolland	F	21	5-11	180	3V	Glasgow
*Helding, John	Q	24	5-11½	172	3V	Missoula
Ingram, Mel	G	19	5-10	170	Fr	Billings
Jordan, Bill	H	21	6	190	JC	Los Angeles, Calif.
*Kafentzis, Andy	E	19	6	180	1V	Missoula
Kedrick, Flint	T	24	6	220	JC	San Mateo, Calif.
*Keim, Ronald	T	21	6-2	197	3V	Helena
*King, Jack	H	20	5-9	160	2V	Kalispell
*Kingsford, Tom	Q	20	5-9	170	1V	Missoula
*Korn, Dan	E	24	6-3½	180	3V	Kalispell
*Kuburich, Steve	C	20	6	190	3V	Anaconda
*Kumpuris, Mike	G	22	5-11	194	3V	Little Rock, Ark.
LeClaire, Jack	Q	20	5-10	175	Fr	Anaconda
LeClaire, Laurie	F	19	5-11	190	0	Anaconda
Lull, Lynn	T	21	6-3	215	1V	Helena
McCoy, Al	H	22	6	180	2V	Aurora, Ill.
McCue, R. H.	G	19	6	179	0	Aberdeen, S. D.
McGlothlin, Bill	E	22	6-2	186	0	Carnas, Wash.
*Malcolm, Roy	H	21	5-11	175	3V	Missoula
*Malone, Jack	H	22	5-10	170	2V	Billings
Matye, Carol	Q	24	5-10	170	1V	Sand Coulee
Monahan, Tom	T	24	6-3	250	2V	Bronx, N. Y.
Murphy, Charles	H	23	5-10	165	0	Burlington, Iowa
Myers, Walt	H	20	5-11	170	0	Conrad
Oberwiser, Jack	E	22	6	200	Tr	Missoula
*O'Loughlin, Jack	H	23	6	180	3V	Missoula
Onsum, John	T	27	6-2	220	Tr	Great Falls
Pappas, John	C	23	5-10	190	Tr	Los Angeles, Calif.
Patch, Gene	Q	19	5-2	150	Fr	Anaconda
Reed, Dick	T	23	6-1	218	1V	Miles City
*Reynolds, Bill	E	26	5-10	175	3V	Highland, Ind.
Rothweiler, Bob	T	18	5-10	210	Fr	Great Falls
Scally, Frank	G	21	5-6	190	Fr	Harlowton
*Selstad, Tom	E	22	6-1	170	2V	Great Falls
*Semansky, Frank	G	27	5-8	184	3V	Butte
Smart, Jim	T	19	5-11	215	Fr	Libby
Smith, Bob	H	20	5-10	180	JC	Cut Bank
*Stewart, Gordon	G	19	6	203	1V	Forsyth
Tyler, Dell	E	19	5-10	165	Fr	Missoula
Volk, Fred	G	18	6	185	Fr	Great Falls
Welch, Charles	C	20	5-10	140	JC	Havre
Wold, Paul	H	19	5-7	162	Fr	Laurel

\*Lettermen. Key to Experience Column: 1V, 2V, 3V—Varsity Competition;  
Tr—Transfer; Fr—Freshmen; JC—Junior College

THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF 1949 GRIZZLIES

\*Denotes letters.

ENDS:

\*\* RAY BAUER, Junior, Great Falls, 6', 187 pounds, age 22.

Definitely one of Montana's all-time wing wizards, "Moon" caught 19 passes for a total of 318 yards and two TDs last year. Fast, ferocious, and a fine defensive player besides an excellent pass clutcher. Bauer is an integral part of the MSU line and probably one of the brightest spots on the 1949 Grizzly football edition. "Moon" was selected Co-captain for the season by his teammates.

\*\*\* FRANK BRINEY, Senior, Butte, 6', 194 pounds, age 22.

A boy who shines particularly well on defensive play, "Brine" is big, rouch, has a lot of football savvy and good 'staying power'. He takes over punting duties occasionally. Was chosen All-State tackle at Butte High School 1945, but has played on the wing all three years at the university. Was hurt some last year.

\*\* DON DELANEY, Senior, Missoula, 6' 1", 184 pounds, age 21.

Don started as a tackle with the Grizzlies in his freshman year, was groomed for the end post as a sophomore, and lettered in that position the last two years. He played with the Missoula High state champions in '44 and '45. Also threw 13 lb. shot 48½ feet in high school. Did not play spring ball because he was with the track team. Will be fighting hard for a wing berth position.

DICK DOYLE, Senior, Missoula, 6' 2", 195 pounds, age 23.

Known as "Discus Dick" on the coast for the obvious reason that he is one of the outstanding discus throwers in the country. Broke the Dornblaser stadium record this year and placed in meets on the coast. Dick was a squad member in 1946 as a freshman but hasn't played football since.

KEN ECHOLS, Sophomore, Plainview, Texas, 6' 1", 177 pounds, age 21.

Outstanding end, up from Chinske's frosh squad where he did everything well. Is expected to make the lettermen hustle to keep the top berth at the wing position. Good on defense, good on offense, and he can not only catch sizzling passes—but is hard to bring down in open field. "Tex" lettered in football, basketball, and track at Plainview High School. A veteran of navy service, majoring in physical education.

\* ANDY KAFENTZIS, Junior, Missoula, 6', 180 pounds, age 19.

A glue-fingered pass receiver and tough on defense is the best way to classify this lad who is tabbed to hit his stride this year and next. A fine competitor, Andy came to Montana with an enviable prep record, being hurdle champ, and a member of the second all-state football team in 1947. He has continued to fill out and retain his speed. Was held down with leg injuries last year, but should be a real threat to 1949 opponents.

\* DAN KORN, Senior, Kalispell, 6' 3½", 181 pounds, age 24.

A one-letter veteran with three years of varsity experience, Dan has developed in all departments, and was showing more promise in spring practice. Graduated Flathead County High School. Is a steady, determined competitor.

BILL MCGLOTHLIN, Junior, Camas, Washington, 6' 2", 189 pounds, age 23.

No previous college experience. Turned up for spring ball and looked fairly

ENDS (CONTINUED):

good even though he was competing against seven lettermen ends. Lettered in basketball, football, and baseball at Camas High School. College major is physical education.

\*\*\*BILL REYNOLDS, Senior, Highland, Ind., 5' 10", 175 pounds, age 26.

Won varsity letters at quarterback, as a freshman, and at end the past two years. A good punter and a fine offensive and defensive end. Placed on all-conference team for 2 years while playing with Griffith High in Highland, Ind., and was captain of his team. "Wild Bill" is an ex-Marine with the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart. He played football with the 4th Marines while in service. Is married and has one child.

\*\*TOM SELSTAD, Senior, Great Falls, 6' 1", 173 pounds, age 22.

An aggressive hustler in both football and basketball, "T-Bone" has been a big surprise to the Grizzly coaching staff and fans with his unorthodox, but highly effective, style in snagging passes. Tom was injured the latter part of the 1947 season but bounced back and was considered the most improved player on the squad last year until he was injured again. He showed up well in spring practice and is ready to go this year. Also is a four-monogram winner from Dahlberg's hoop squad.

DELL TYLER, Junior, Missoula, 5' 9", 160 pounds, age 19.

Played end four years for Missoula County High School—each year his team won the state championship. Was given all-state rating three years in a row and was captain of the team his senior year. Was first string end for the frosh 1947, but was ineligible last season. Turned up for spring ball with grades up and a hankerin' to play football. Dell doesn't run much to size, but, as his opponents will find out, he's hard to get around.

TACKLES:

\*\*\*ROBERT ANDERSON, Senior, Missoula, 6' 2", 193 pounds, age 21.

For two years "Andy" alternated at the starting tackle slot; last season held down a top berth. Uses every ounce of his weight in filling holes in the line capably. A law student with a heavy study load, Bob didn't play spring ball but hopes are high in the Montana camp that he will be on hand—Montana is in dire need of tackles this season.

\*\*\*LEE CORK, Senior, Missoula, 6' 2½", 215 pounds, age 24.

Heavyweight boxing champion of the University, Lee is big and tough. He alternated in the starting lineup with Anderson last year and will see his share of action again this season. With the loss of Prueninger due to graduation, Cork will be called on a great deal for kickoffs and placement attempts. He played with the Missoula state champion football team in '42 and saw two years service in the Marine Corps.

HARRY COVEY, Junior, Missoula, 6' 4", 210 pounds, age 23.

A big, impressive looking lad who saw college football for the first time in spring practice. Lettered two years in football and once in track while in high school. Could develop into a much needed tackle, but needs experience. An ex-navy man majoring in forestry.

JIM DUNCAN, Junior, San Pedro, Calif., 6' 2", 200 pounds, age 29.

The oldest man on the squad, Jim is another big tackle that made his appearance in spring football for the Grizzlies. He saw a great deal of football



## TACKLES (CONTINUED):

while in the service. Is a conscientious prospect and a hard worker. Another of the Grizzlies married men.

\*\*HENRY FORD, Senior, Durango, Colo., 6' 1", 215 pounds, age 23.

A very apt name to be in a model "T" lineup, Hank is called the "Durango Kid" or "Durango Bulldozer"—he fits his title perfectly when he's in the lineup. A likeable blond who played a lot of tackle last year. Is counted on heavily again this season. Fast for his weight, and one of the best in the Grizzly forward wall. Hank is what you would classify as an "immovable object"—at least to the opponents. Was married just prior to fall practice opening.

\*\*RONNIE KEIM, Senior, Helena, 6' 2", 197 pounds, age 21.

All-state fullback in '45 and played guard on Helena's state champion basketball team the same year. Was plagued with an injured knee as a freshman and sophomore. Last season played at fullback and at tackle. Was shifted to tackle in spring football. Ronnie is a terrific linebacker on defense and knows how to hold his own in the line.

LYNN LULL, Junior, Helena, 6' 3", 215 pounds, age 21.

A non-letter veteran, was held out of action last year due to injuries. Showed much promise as tackle on the freshman team. Played hard, sharp ball in spring practice. Will provide a forward wall with added depth and keep letter winners on their toes to hold starting slot.

TOM MONAHAN, Senior, 6' 4", 255 pounds, Bronx, N. Y., age 24.

Another tackle lost due to injuries last season, Tom is a two-year veteran without a letter. He is the biggest man on the squad and has grown hard and rugged with two years of experience. Showed improvement in spring practice and is expected to bolster the line defense considerably. Graduated from La Salle Academy '43.

DICK REED, Junior, Miles City, 6' 1", 218 pounds, age 26.

Transferred to Montana last year, but was ineligible. Worked hard to keep in shape and went hard and heavy in spring practice. Lost U heavyweight boxing match to Cork on decision. Is a hard, vicious tackler and needed badly for depth of line material.

BOB ROTHWEILER, Sophomore, Great Falls, 5' 10", 210 pounds, age 18.

Up from the frosh squad where he displayed varsity possibilities. "Rocky" played three years of football for Great Falls High, was given all-state honorable mention his last two years. College major is history.

JIM SMART, Sophomore, Libby, 5' 11", 215 pounds, age 19.

Jim was the outstanding tackle on the frosh squad until an injury put him on the sidelines mid-way in the season. He did not perform in spring drills, but should be in shape when the season opens. He was a weight-man on the frosh track team. Played exceptionally good ball in high school.

## GUARDS:

\*EVERETT CHAFFIN, Junior, Missoula, 6', 185 pounds, age 22.

Solid, hard-charging, and a top prospect, "Ev" has shown that he has the stuff it takes to make a good guard. He was holding down a top berth in spring ball. Will probably play behind Co-captain Semansky during the regular season but will see a good share of action.

GUARDS (CONTINUED):

DICK CERINO, Sophomore, Anaconda, 6' 2", 180 pounds, age 20.

Played end for the frosh football team, center on the basketball team, and boxed in the University gloves tournament. Saw two years of army duty, played football, basketball, and boxed. Was shifted to guard to help take the pressure off in that department. Will be a future star at the University.

\*\*KENT DEVORE, Senior, Helena, 5' 10", 176 pounds, age 21.

All-stater for Helena High, Kent has been unable to show his talents to the full extent for the past three years. An old high school injury has kept this rugged lad from many games. He is a "submarine" artist who makes up for what he lacks in size by outguessing opponents, and executing difficult maneuvers to get through and break up plays. Barring further injury, will be 'hot to go.'

MEL INGRAM, Sophomore, Billings, 5' 10", 107 pounds, age 19.

Another freshman, up from the Cub squad. Played a lot of good ball last year in the guard slot. Mel is small but is still a hard man to hold out or get around. Through his uncanny ability of getting through opponents' lines he made a lot of tackles last year.

\*\*\*MIKE KUMPURIS, Senior, Little Rock, Ark., 5' 10", 205 pounds, age 22.

Outstanding high school star from Arkansas in the guard position. Won starting assignment on the varsity squad as a freshman tackle, was shifted to guard and has played first-string the past two years. Probably the most consistent outstanding defensive player, was moved to the tackle position occasionally last season when the Grizzlies were up against a particularly tough man in that position. Was given honorable mention by press association in the tackle slot. Played usual good ball in spring practice and will undoubtedly draw first team assignments again this fall as a guard. Mike is also an ex-navy heavyweight boxer.

R. H. McCUE, Sophomore, Aberdeen, S. D., 6', 179 pounds, age 19.

Made bid for varsity squad in spring practice. Did not play as a freshman. Showed up favorably in a veteran-studded position. Should develop with experience. Will add depth to the line material.

FRANK SCALLY, Sophomore, Harlowton, 5' 5", 190 pounds, age 21.

Five-foot-five and almost as wide, Frank is as solid as a fire hydrant and about as easy to move. He loves to bull his way through that line, and was stacking up many a running play in spring drills. Lettered four years at Harlo High. Physical education is his college major.

\*\*\*FRANK SEMANSKY, Senior, Butte, 5' 8", 184 pounds, age 27.

Elected Co-captain for the season with Bauer. Alternate and first string guard the past three seasons. Is the team morale builder. "Monk" is another aggressive guard with speed and toughness. Suffered injury last year that required an operation during spring so did not see action in spring drills. Played fullback with Butte High state champions in '40. A Seabee during the War, was decorated with eight citations. Frank is married and the father of a boy and a girl.

\*GORDON STEWART, Junior, Forsyth, 6', 202 pounds, age 20.

A raw-boned redhead from eastern Montana, "Stew" caught the eyes of the coaching staff two years ago when he played for the Cub squad. He was switched to tackle last year and drawing first team assignments at the end of the season. Coach Ted Shipkey plans to use the dynamo back at the guard spot this year, and if spring practice is any indication the mentor made a smart choice. Montana will hear a lot of "Don" in the next two years.

## GUARDS (CONTINUED):

FRED VOLK, Sophomore, Great Falls, 6', 185 pounds, age 18.

A rugged lad from Great Falls High where he played outstanding football and was selected all-state second team. Turned in some fine performances as a freshman last year, and was probably the outstanding freshman lineman in spring drills. May be used as a center or guard. Predicted one of the future standouts for the Silvertipped Grizzlies. Is quick to learn and already shows a lot of football savvy.

## CENTERS:

\*\*STEVE KUBURICH, Senior, 6', 190 pounds, age 20.

Returning veteran center, "King Kubo" will have some tough assignments this year. Steve was an understudy to the three-year veteran and Co-captain of the Grizzly team in '47, Sam Leeper, and learned the center position very well. He was the Grizzlies' most outstanding line backer last season. Besides Leeper, Montana lost two-year letterman Kirk Badgley due to graduation. Steve is a Serbian boy, not spectacular, but mighty steady.

FRED CHAPMAN, Junior, Dillon, 6', 185 pounds, age 26.

A transferee from Montana State Normal College where he lettered one year in football, Fred is nicknamed "Sam Spade". Made his debut with the Grizzlies in spring practice and displayed aggressiveness and ability in the pivot-spot.

\*BOB COOK, Senior, Cut Bank, 5' 10", 180 pounds, age 22.

Veteran of the '45 and '46 teams, Bob turned up for spring training after a two year lay-off. Has experience and ability and is needed in the pivot spot. Spring performance was cut short due to injuries, but Bob is reported as being in much better condition after a summer's rest, and ready to go this fall.

JOHN PAPPAS, Junior, Los Angeles, Calif., 5' 10", 190 pounds, age 23.

Transferred from L. A. Junior College where he played center. Looked good on both defense and offense in spring practice. May push Kuburich all the way for offensive assignments. Played football and wrestled for Polytechnic High in L. A. "Greek" is an ex-navy man majoring in physical education.

## QUARTERBACKS:

\*\*\*JOHNNY HELDING, Senior, Missoula, 5' 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 172 pounds, age 24.

One of Montana's most versatile and most popular athletes is this blond T-general, who, for the fourth straight season will be at the important signal calling spot. Johnny has won ten varsity sports awards so far, 4 in basketball, 3 in baseball, and 3 in football. This spring he was elected president of the student association, and on top of everything he is a top student scholastically. As a quarterback, Holding is methodical, cool-headed, and has a knack for getting his backfield mates to do something with that "T". Last year he ranked third on the Pacific coast in passing, with 53 completions out of 115 attempts for a total of 709 yards. He threw five touchdown passes and accounted for three more on quarterback sneaks. In the last two games of the season he completed 18 out of 28 passes—12 out of 19 against Stanford, and 6 out of 9 against North Dakota. Received press association honorable mention.

## QUARTERBACKS (CONTINUED):

\*TOMMY KINGSFORD, Junior, Missoula, 5' 9", 175 pounds, age 20.

Another fine quarterback who will be coupled with Holding to do most of the aerial duties is Tommy, a lad who only had one real opportunity to display his abilities last year. In the second game of the season, as a sophomore, Tommy took over quarterback duties with Holding out of action with a head injury, and completed 8 out of 12 passes. For the season totals he completed 16 out of 35 for 203 yards. Sports writers and coaches in the Northwest claimed Tommy to be one of the top passers in this section of the country, while he was still field general for the Frosh team. He had a phenomenal average for completions during spring football. THE PREDICTION: "Watch this lad go as a junior and senior!"

\*DON CAMPBELL, Senior, Great Falls, 6', 188 pounds, age 22.

Great Falls High School graduate where he played fullback in '44 and '45. Played junior varsity at the university '46, was a non-letter veteran in '47, and won his first letter last year as a half and fullback, and was probably the best downfield blocker on the team. Coach Shipkey shifted him to quarterback in spring practice and he was especially outstanding in that position. Piloted his "silver" squad to a 21-20 victory over the "maroon" team in the spring intersquad game and turned in the outstanding performance of the day. If spring performances are any indication, Montana will be three-deep in fine quarterbacks.

JACK LeCLAIRE, Sophomore, Anaconda, 5' 10", 175 pounds, age 20.

Saw a little action with the Cub squad last year. Jack was groomed for the quarterback post this spring until injuries sidelined him. Is a brother to sophomore fullback, Laurie.

GENE PATCH, Sophomore, Anaconda, 5' 2", 150 pounds, age 19.

More than likely the smallest man in the Pacific coast conference (five-foot-two). "Sook" isn't only hard to find, he's hard to stop. Although handicapped by wee size, Gene played first-string quarterback on the Cub team last season and piloted the frosh to a highly successful season. He may find the competition tough, but will be in there scrapping, 'cause he has intestinal fortitude to burn. Lettered two years in football and basketball in high school. Played with the frosh hoopsters this winter.

## FULLBACKS:

CHARLES BRADLEY, Sophomore, Fort Benton, 6' 1", 206 pounds, age 20.

Second-team fullback up from the freshman team. Was running well toward the end of spring practice session. Has the attributes of a fullback, but lacks football experience. Lettered in high school in football and basketball and saw two years of navy service.

\*\*ROLLAND HAMMERNES, Senior, Glasgow, 5' 11", 180 pounds, age 21.

The only returning letterman that is slated for the fullback spot is "Ole" Hammerness, a bruising lad whose potential has not yet been realized. Ole was groomed as a powerhouse in the fullback spot for two years, only to be injured last year when he appeared to be ripe. He was on the injured list for three games and saw only limited action in other games. Was running well in spring practice when he cracked a shoulder. Barring further injury "Ham" should be ready to roll this fall.

## FULLBACKS (CONTINUED):

LAURIE LeCLAIRE, Sophomore, Anaconda, 5' 11", 190 pounds, age 19.

A terrific back in high school, "Bucky" was selected all-state two years at Anaconda. Was ineligible last year for the freshman team. Made his debut with the Grizzlies in spring drills. His hard-driving, speedy runs were impressive. With a little experience he may be part of the answer to Coach Shipkey's fullback worries. Made three letters in football, three in basketball in high school.

## HALFBACKS:

ROBERT BYRNE, Sophomore, Billings, 5' 9", 175 pounds, age 19.

Shifty, fast, hard-running right halfback up from the frosh squad where he gave a very good account of himself. Drew down first team assignments in spring ball, although three veteran halves were engaged in track and baseball. May develop into a sophomore flash. Needs experience. Lettered in football, basketball, and track at Billings High, and was given all-conference and all-state ratings in his senior year.

\*JACK KING, Senior, Kalispell, 5' 9", 160 pounds, age 20.

Junior varsity man '46, non-letter squadman '47, letterman '48. Started college career as a halfback, was shifted to quarter, then back to half. Jackie is a sprint man on the track team, and an excellent defensive back. He was used offensively for the first time the latter part of the '48 season and looked good in the halfback spot. Plays safety on defense and may be called on for more offensive work this season.

AL McCOY, Senior, Aurora, Ill., 6', 180 pounds, age 22.

Played in spring drills in '48 and showed promise as a defensive half. Saw a little action last year, but became ineligible. Caught for the university baseball team this spring.

\*\*\*ROY MALCOLM, Senior, Missoula, 5' 11", 175 pounds, age 21.

A triple threat, "Ramblin' Roy" was probably the hardest working back on the Pacific coast last season. He is an elusive running left half on offensive and a sure tackling safety-man on defense. Roy was fifth in the PCC for punting, with an average of 38.2 yards on 45 kicks. He was second on the coast for pass interceptions, and first for pass interception runbacks—stole 6 passes and returned them 108 yards. In kickoff returns Malcolm ranked second with 17 returns for 411 yards; in punt returns was fifth with 12 runbacks for 151 yards. He has been a regular for three years and is predicted one of the all-time greats in the annuals of Grizzly football. Was given honorable mention on press association all-Pacific coast team. Got married during the summer.

\*\*JACK MALONE, Junior, Billings, 5' 10", 170 pounds, age 22.

A cool-headed athlete who has shown uncanny abilities on defense in two years for the Grizzlies. Jack is a terrific tackler, a good blocker, and a demon on pass defense. He was a star quarterback in high school, but was switched to half at the university and the switch paid off. Malone was used for the first time last year as an offensive half. He averaged 5.6 yards in 15 rushing plays. Will probably spell Malcolm a little more in the lefthalf spot.

CAROL MATYE, Junior, Sand Coulee, 5' 8", 175 pounds, age 26.

Played junior varsity in '46, missed a year in '47, and was a non-letter

### HALFBACKS (CONTINUED):

squadman in '48. He is hard, and tough, and at his best as a defensive back. Was used in spring drills as a quarterback, but may be used as quarter or half.

CHARLES MURPHY, Junior, Burlington, Iowa, 6', 180 pounds, age 22.

Transferred to Montana last year but was ineligible for varsity competition. Was all-state in both football and basketball in high school. Kicked, ran, and passed Burlington Junior College to an undefeated season and lettered in basketball in '47. Was given honorable mention on the Little All-American team that same year. "Chick" is another prospect in the left half position. He was beginning to hit his stride toward the end of spring drills, and his style of running won for him the nickname, "Crazylegs".

\*\*\*JACK O'LOUGHLIN, Senior, Missoula, 6', 180 pounds, age 23.

Last year's team captain, "Old Reliable" is truly one of the most valuable members of the Montana Grizzly aggregation. He runs viciously, cleverly, and uses his interference better than any back on the team. Jack was shifted from fullback to right half last year, but if other prospects don't materialize he may have to be used to fill in the gap at the fullback position. He averaged 4.2 yards on 115 rushing plays last year and averaged 24.3 yards on 7 kickoff returns. This blond tornado should have his best year ahead of him.

PAUL WOLD, Sophomore, Laurel, 5' 7", 162 pounds, age 19.

Shared honors with Byrne in the freshman Cub backfield last year. Was a "dark horse" on the frosh team, moved into the fullback spot and convinced the coaching staff with his abilities by reeling off fifty, sixty, and seventy yard touchdown runs. His running style reminds Grizzly fans of "Bunny" Radakovich (5' 4" fullback who graduated June '49). Was groomed in the right halfback post during spring training. "Sonny" is a tricky, shifty ball-toter. He also played for the freshman basketball team.

## 1949 SEASON PROSPECTS

With twenty-five veterans on deck this year—some of them with three years of experience—strengthened by some likely looking new material, Montana has a fair chance of winning 50% of her games this season.

Ted Shipkey, new head coach, believes the change in system of play and new signals will retard progress some and the Grizzlies will not reach their peak as soon as they ordinarily would if their style of play were the same.

The Holding-to-Bauer combination is expected to carry the Grizzlies to a few first downs and will bear watching. Johnny Holding, chief T-server and passer deluxe for the past three seasons, is back for his final year. Wing wizard Ray Bauer, season Co-captain, is the boy that can rake in Holding's sizzling passes, and is one of Montana's bids for conference honors on the line.

Tommy Kingsford, who completed 8 of 12 passes in one game last year, and Don Campbell, a new find in the quarterback spot, will add quality and depth to the field general position. The position with the best outlook is the wing posts, with Bauer, Briney, Delaney, Kafentzis, Reynolds, Korn, and Selstad (all veterans) returning. Added to these are Echols and Tyler, who show definite promise as wingmen.

Lost to the squad this year are Sam Leeper, work-horse center and three year man; Kirk Badgley, another veteran center; Bucko Preuninger, the big tackle with the educated toe; Doyle Harris and Clark Leaphart, two year men in the guard position; and Dan Radakovich, diminutive little fullback.

The fullback spot appears to be the weakest position on the team with only veteran Ole Hamnerness returning. Ole was plagued by injuries last year. Depth of line material was a weak spot in '48, and the prospects aren't particularly good in the tackle position, but veterans Lee Cork, Bob Anderson, and Hank Ford return. The third bug-a-boo is a lack of adequate linebackers.

Mike Kumpuris and Frank Semansky, three year letter winners at guard, will fill in the center of the line. They will be backed up by veterans Everett Chaffin, Gordon Stewart, and Kent DeVore.

Four veteran halves return—Jack O'Loughlin, Roy Malcolm, Jack Malone, and Jack King. O'Loughlin and Malcolm were consistent ground gainers and ranked among the leaders in the department on the Pacific coast. King and Malone shine on defense.

Sophomore lads that will bear watching are "Lefty" Byrne, halfback; Laurie LeClaire, fullback; Ken Echols, end; and Fred Volk, guard.

The general outlook for the team is fair. They won three out of ten games last year, but should do a little better this season. Using the "Shipkey Shift" with its open and spread variations of the T-formation the Grizzlies should provide some wide-open football for the fans, some tough, sharp competition for opponents, and a more offensive, passing and running game for the team,

## 1948 FOOTBALL RESULTS

<u>Grizzly Score</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Opponent Score</u>
7	Eastern Washington	12
7	Utah State College	18
27	Pacific University	0
0	Washington State	48
14	Montana College	0
0	University of Idaho	39
20	Brigham Young Univ.	26
14	College of Pacific	32
7	Stanford University	39
<u>47</u>	North Dakota Univ.	<u>7</u>
143	TOTALS	221
Wcn - 3                  Lost - 7                  Tied - 0		

### 1948 History in Brief

In Coach Doug Fessenden's final year at Montana he had essentially a junior aggregation--some of the boys with two years of varsity experience. The team didn't run much to beef and in spite of the experience they lacked quality in depth of material.

The Grizzlies started slow and were defeated 7-12 by little Cheney Washington, running near mid-season form. Then Utah State downed the Grizzlies 7-18 in a hard-fought engagement. Montana outdistanced the Utags, 322 yards to 152 yards in total yardage.

Montana hit the first of three wins for the season by defeating Pacific university 27-0, but the win was hardly worth the loss--two fullbacks were injured in the game. The following week, at Homecoming, Washington State threw the works at the Montana team and walked off with a convincing 0-48 win.

The Grizzlies won their traditional battle of the Copper-bowl from their country-cousins of Montana State College, 14-0, and returned the trophy to the University campus. Win-one-lose-one, the next week at Moscow, Idaho University slaughtered the Montanans 0-39 and recaptured the "Little Brown Stein." It was the poorest showing of the season for the Grizzlies and showed the lack of basic blocking and tackling fundamentals--something that wasn't too sharp all season.

At Provo, Utah against Brigham Young University, the Grizzlies lost a hard-fought game, 20-26. A Cougar back was the deciding factor--he ran wild, scoring 3-TDs the first four times he had his hands on the ball.

Dad Day was another bad day for the Grizzlies and they lost 14-32, to College of the Pacific. Then, with too much speed and power, Stanford dropped the Silvertips 7-39 at Palo Alto. The Montana team played hard ball, but couldn't match the strength of the Indians. And, in the final game of the season the Grizzlies caught fire and scored a 47-7 victory in a game sprinkled with flying fists, hard, sharp football, etc., over North Dakota University.

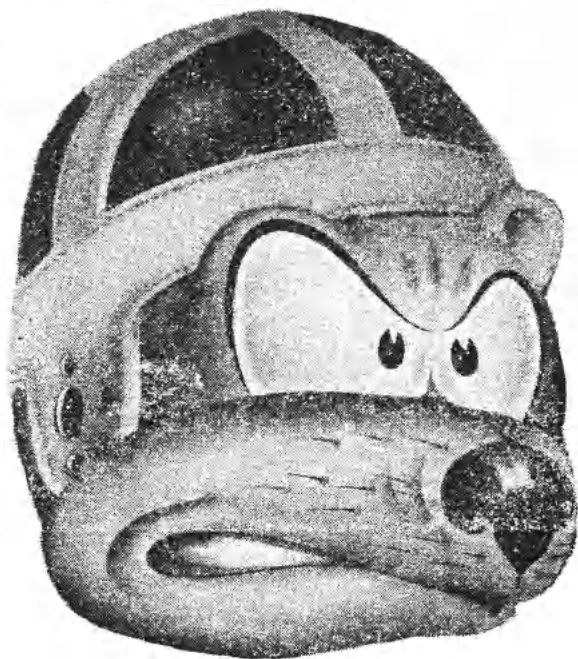
The team weight average was 193 pounds. (All players)  
Starting backfield 178. Line 195.



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