# VERY LEADER HAS A KICK AND COLONEL REES HAS PUT THE BOO(S)T IN FOOTBALL

# COL. REES WANTS ALL MEN PHYSICALLY FIT IN FOOTBALL DRILLS

Chairman of Committee on Special Training, in Exclusive Interview, Decides Upon Five Rules and Regulations Governing Gridiron Game

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WANT you to encourage football."

That was the message sent out by Colonel R. L. Rees, chairman of the nittee on special training, last night. It was after a day of hard work, in which the entire situation was gone over and the athletic program for K. A. T. C. colleges completed. Colonel Recs, aided by capable assistants, went into the matter carefully, studied it from every angle and decided upon a set of rules and regulations which will be adhered to by all commanders under his jurisdiction. It is the final word on the football question, and the Eventso Punne Labour is able to present it exclusively for

- -Intercollegiate football is strongly encouraged for soldiers of Students Army Training Camps.
- 2 -Players must maintain satisfactory standards in military and academic work or they will not be eligible for the varsity team. 3. day. This includes the time taken for dressing, undressing, bath--One and one-half hours will be allotted for football practice each
- 4. No games will be played in October which necessitate absence of the players before noon and after taps on Saturday. In November two trips will be allowed, the players leaving after retreat on Friday and reporting at taps on Sunday. These absences will be covered by furloughs. It is the desire of Colonel Rees that October games be ar ranged with nearby teams.
- 5.—All men physically fit should play football, and it is suggested that the coaches refrain from selecting their varsity elevens until November 1, after a series of games have been played by company teams. The real schedules should start in November.

THESE are the rules and regulations governing collegiate footmore confusion on the part of the college authorities.

### Committee Heartily in Favor of Football

FOR a long time football conches have been groping in the dark, and although many teams have been practicing, no one knew when or where the games would be played. Orders from Washington were varue and hard to understand and every one connected with the griditon sport was anxious to learn its official standing.

It was my desire in visiting Washington to attempt to clear up this situation and tell for the first time the attitude of the officials of the S. A. T. C. in regard to football this fail. I visited Colonel Rees and his chief assistant, Major J. S. Joy, in the Army and Navy Building, and those gentlemen gladly assisted me in every way possible.

No attempt has been made or will be made to discontinue football in the 550 colleges under Government control in the United States. Instead, the sport is stimulated, masmuch as every student physically fit is urged to spend one and a baif hours each day on the gridiron. Colonel Rees is guch a staunch and loyal supporter that he favors the selection of a dozen or more elevens in each college, and let the men fight it out for places on the varsity in a series of games. He wants thousands to play the game

In the brief summary of the new rules it will be noticed that no time has been fixed to end the season. The men can play all winter if they desire, and the more they play the better satisfied the committee will be, The spirit of competition should cause the staring of many imprompts games, which will give the men more of an opportunity to learn the finer points of the sport.

T MUST be remembered, however, that no trips will be allowed If MUST be remember, and in that mouth the limit is two.

### Colleges Should Rearrange Their Schedules

To GET down to the real meaning of the recent order, college teams will nind it difficult to meet suitable opponents this month. From noon to tups means the men cannot leave the college campos until 12 o'clock and must return by 10 p. m. For example we can take the University of Pennsylvania. Tomorrow Franklin and Marshall was to have been played, and if the Lancasterians had not called off the game it would have been difficult to get the team here on time. This also cancels the Bucknell game scheduled for October 12, but Swarthmore can be played on the 19th, Only colleges within a few miles of Philadelphia can be played this month,

n adhere strictly to the rules and make up a good schedule for October. Lehigh is not such a great distance away and the team could get here in time to play about 2:20 p. m. Why not arrange a game for the 12th with that eleven? Also, the Lafayette game could be moved up to October 26 instead of November 2, thus leaving the month of November for the traveling teams. This is merely a suggestion, but it seems the best way out of it.

Next month the game will be in full sway, the players in good condition, team work will run smoothly and the public all primed to witness some real contests. That being the case, it seems logical that Penn should schedule four big college clevens and play three of the games on Franklin Field. The trip to Pittsburgh could be made on November 2, and either Penn State, Washington and Jefferson, Syrucuse, West Virginia, Ratgers or Cornell taken on in the remaining three contests.

IT 18 safe to assume that Cornell will have a football foun despite the report that all athletics acted of this fall. That suggestion of Colonel Rees that all students in the 8. A. T. C. colleges denote one and one-half hours a day to football means that a big fock of candidates will report for practice in a few days.

### Pitt Is Not. in Bad Shape This Year

IN THE western part of the State, Pittsburgh, Washington and Jefferson and the University of West Virginia can play among themselves this month and make the longer trips in November. Penn State will find it difficult to arrange games because of its isolated position in the center of the State, so the only chance seems to be to arrange games with army cantonments and the marines.

The only thing to do now, to my mind, is to rearrange the schedules at once and play the teams best suited from a geographical standpoint. This can be done without difficulty, for the S. A. T. C. commanders are in favor of the game and will lend their assistance. And foor big game, in November will be enough for any one.

Football, however, is not the most important factor of the new military program, despite the large amount of publicity it has received. The object of establishing these schools is to train mea for the United States army, and the task is a big one. We need officers in the various branches of the service, and the men now in training will be selected,

It is the object of the committee on special training to use the students now in college before the end of the college year. Boys twenty-one years of age probably will be called about December 1, the twenty yearolds on March I and those of nineteen some time in June.



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### STATE BOOKS TWO GAMES

### Adds Bucknell and Carnegie Tech to Schedule

State College, Pa., Oct. 4 .- Pennsyland State athletic management yesterday booked Carnegie Tech and Bucknell University for football games here, Tech has accepted November 2, the date formerly given to Cornell on State's chedule. Bucknell takes Dartmouth's duce on October 19. This arrangenent brings to the local field two first-

class home attractions.

For the first time in a decade Penn State will open the season on a foreign held needing W, and J, at Washington, October 12. Major Ballers, the military commandant here, has approved the

crip.
Coach Rezdek today shook up the backfield to make places for Charlie Way, the only veteran in the squad, at quarterback, and for Bill tehring, the freshman fullback last season. Unger was shifted to right tackle and Detwiter played right guard.

TROTTING CLASSIC

Binland Beats Great Field in the Transylvania at Lexington

Lexington. Ky., Oct. t.—The biggest attendance of the Lexington grand circuit meeting vesterday saw Binland, the bay son of Binjoila, win the Transylvania, the 2:e6 trutting classic. There were thirteen marters and only heat winners started in the fourth heat.

It was a great race among a great field, and it saw Prince Loree, Bersy's Lassic, Imm Jay. Alma Forbes and Heir Reaper, among others, shut out of the money. In the third, heat Royal Macwon by early inches from Prince Loree, Binland won the first heat, was beaten by Esperance in the second and was forced back into sixth place in the third. He wen the fourth and the stake.

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Marganitowa, Va., Oct. t.—West Virginia will piny Marietta here Saturday
this was made definite when Lieutenant
Webber, commandant at Marietta College, definitely assured West Virginia
authorities here by phone Ioday that
the game would go through as scheduled.
C. Leonard Lewis, a varsity quartertack lost year, was elected captain of
the mountaineer eleven here yesterday
to aucesed Errett Rogers, who is now in
the service.

### Boynton, Williams Star. May Enter Naval Aviation

Williamstown, Mass., Oct. 1.

When the Williams football players returned to college the other day they found that E. C. Brown, their new captain, had not come back and that he had gone into the army. The players promptly elected Ben Bosnion to take Brown's piace. Yesterday it was learned that Boynton, too, had gone into service and that he would not play this season.

Boynton some time ago enlisted in the naval aviation service, and yesterday the officials sent him notification that he had passed the examinations. He will be called soon and probably will be sent to the naval aviation ground school at Massachusetts Tech.

Boynton played quarterback last year and was one of the season of the season. He is a Texas youth and a natural footbail player.

Miss Bjurstedt Still Wins

New York, Oct. 4 - Two prominent local omen's doubles thams were left in the ampetition for the New Jersey women's ten WON BY OUTSIDER his doubles champlenship at the Grange Lawn Tennis Club after yesterday's matches Miss Molia Burstedt and Mrs. Spetcer Ful lerton Weaver will meet Mrs. Homer Stuar Green and Mrs. I. C. Mareis in the line round temorrow.



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Boy had fittle difficulty in work with the 2:09 class at the county yesterday, Joe Boy worked like a of machinery and won applause for efforts.

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Harry Walker, Another Recruit. Has Made Good Impression

MARINES TO TURN OUT

fantry. Keogh will receive no compensation for his work, but is willing to give his time and energy for the good of his alma mater.

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