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W. B. "RED" REESE Athletic Director



W. B. "Red" Reese, is entering his 30th year at Eastern. He is now athletic director, basketball coach and track coach and during the past 29 years he has coached all major sports at Eastern.

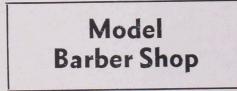
Prior to his reign at Eastern, "Red" was a successful high school coach at Cashmere and North Central of Spokane and in 1930 won the state high school basketball championship.

At Eastern he has collected 19 track championships, 13 basketball trophies and taken four quintets to the NAIA tournament in Kansas City where one reached the semi-finals.

During the war years, he coached the second bomb brigade football team and made it one of the finest service teams in the nation.

In 1943, the team was undefeated and went on to beat Hardin-Simmons university in the Sun Bowl on New Year's day. In 1944 the team was selected to play in the Bond Bowl game at the Polo grounds in New York.

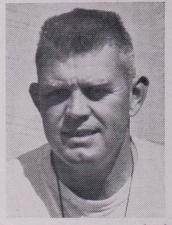
Reese is a 1925 graduate of Washington State university, a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity and past president of National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.



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ED CHISSUS-Head Coach



Beginning his seventh year as head coach at Eastern, Ed Chissus welcomes a squad with little depth and experience, but some outstanding ball players.

Big Ed, who began his football career as a tackle for Eastern in his undergraduate years, was a successful high school coach in the Yakima valley before assuming his duties at Eastern. His high school teams won 55 and lost 21 while winning or tying for the Valley championship seven times during the seven years he coached in that league.

In the past six years at Eastern his football squads have compiled a record of 25 wins, 22 losses and 2 ties. His teams have always been noted for their tough defensive play and last year led the conference in total defense, were third in total offense and finished fourth in the conference standings.

Traditionally, Chissus teams have used the split-T offense, but this year's squad will run from the slot back-T and provide a more wide open and varied attack.

FRANK SMITH-Assist. Coach

A former Olympic junior college and Canadian professional football player, Frank Smith joins the Eastern coaching staff after a successful two years' coaching in the Vancouver, B. C., Junior league.

Smith, who was a junior college all-star in Continued

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EASTERN WASHINGTON COLLEGE PLAYER ROSTER

Por	J Towners								
	d Jersey	Pos.	Ht.		Age		Letter	Hometown	
53	Alt, Alfons	С	5'7''	165	21	Jr.	2	Bonners Ferry, Idaho	
15	Anderson, Jim A.	E	6'1½"	210	18	Fr.	0	Oakville	
15	Bennett, Dennis	Q	5'10½"	170	17	Fr.	0	Scio, Oregon	
54	Baker, Loren	В	5'10"	191	19	So.	1	Wenatchee	
	Bentley, George	G-E	6'	198	19	Fr.	0	Libby, Montana	
74	Carroll, R. Marvin	Т	6'2''	210	20	Fr.	0	Colfax	
71	Conner, Gary	T-G	6'	215	20	Jr.	2	WaHi	
84	Ellenberger, Harold	В	5'11"	195	20	Fr.	0	WaHi	
12	England, Jack	Q	5'10"	175	20	Jr.	2	Brentwood, California	
21	Evans, Joe	В	5'7"	155	21	So.	1	Bonners Ferry, Idaho	
81	Fuller, Gary	E	5'11''	170	22	Sr.	2	Coeur d'Alene, Idaho	
	Gavin, Gary	Q-E	6'	180	18	Fr.	0	Tonasket	
	Gunderson, Ken	E	6'	175	18	Fr.	0	Issaquah	
44	Herron, Ray	В	6'	175	22	Jr.	0	LaGrande, Oregon	
51	Hilty, Richard	C	6'	200	20	Jr.	2	Colfax	
122	Kempf, Jerry	E	6'	165	18	Fr.	0	Spokane	
14	LaVigne, Bill	Q-B	5'10''	172	27	Sr.	1	Cheney	
73	Lehtola, Ron	G	5'8"	220	21	Jr.	2	Spokane	
61	Lerch, Paul	G	5'11"	175	21	So.	0	Spokane	
83	Liberty, Larry	E	5'11"	170	18	So.	0	Sunnyside	
85	Lightfoot, Dick	Q-E	5'10"	195	22	Jr.	0	Spokane	
62	Madsen, Pete	G	5'9"	173	19	Fr.	0	Kent	
32	Meier, Tom	В	5'10"	175	20	Sr.	1	Kelso	
63	Miner, Robert	G	5'7"	170	23	So.	1	Spokane	
75	Mueller, Joe	Т	6'	260	20	Jr.	0	Opportunity	
	Nance, Bob	B-E	5'11"	190	22	Jr.	0	Spokane	
	Nelson, Gailord	E-T	6'2''	200	19	Fr.	0	Coulee Dam	
82	Nelson, Jimmy	E	6'	165	17	Fr.	0	Sacramento, California	
76	Palmer, William G.	Т	5'11"	235	23	Jr.	1	Wayne, Nebraska	
23	Rhodes, Stan	В	5'10"	170	20	Jr.	1	Greenacres	
64	Richardson, Gerald	G-B	5'10½"	190	19	Fr.	0	Opportunity	
66	Schultz, Ted	G	5'11"	195	21	Sr.	2	Harrington	
43	Smith, Jess	В	5'11"	180	20	Jr.	2	Richland	
	Smith, Dave	В	6'2''	185	19	Fr.	0	Spokane	
41	Stierwalt, Jay	В	6'	190	18	Fr.	0	Ephrata	
	Thill, Ed	E-B	6'1"	170	19	Fr.	0	Colville	
	Thompson, Lawrence	G	5'11''	195	18	Fr.	0	Opportunity	
	Van Slyke, Bill	В	5'7''	165	18	Fr.	0	Deer Park	
31	Van Horne, Ron	В	5'8''	160	18	Fr.	0	Spokane	
	Vick, John	G-T	6'	216	19	So.	0	Libby, Montana	
86	Wakefield, Duane	Е	6'2''	180	18	Fr.	0	Kennewick	
11	Willman, Lanny	В	5'9"	160	18	Fr.	0	Naches	
72	Crowell, Dave	T-B	6'2''	200	24	Jr.	0	Kellogg, Idaho	
13	Macaulay, Mike	Q	5'11"	174	18	Fr.	0	Vancouver, B. C.	

The 1959 SAVAGES

Six starters from 1958 among 13 lettermen form the nucleus on one of the lightest squads to don the red and white in several years of Savage football history.

The largest and most experienced of the Redmen is Bill Palmer a 235-lb. all-conference tackle from Wayne, Nebraska. Palmer has played only one year of ball at Eastern, but is a veteran of service ball and earned one stripe at Wanye, Nebraska Teachers college.

Other outstanding linemen include Ted Schultz, guard, and Alfons Alt, center, both honorable mention picks for the all-conference offensive team last year.

Gary Conner, Rich Hilty, Ron Lehtola, Bob Miner and Gary Fuller are the remaining Savage letter winners in the line and will make up this year's first team.

New to the line are freshman Gerald Richardson, guard; Pete Madsen, guard; Jimmy Nelson, end; Marvin Carroll, tackle and Harold Ellenberger, tackle. Stepping up from last year's JV squad will be Larry Liberty, end, and Paul Lerch, guard.

The backfield is led by veteran quarterback Jack England from Brentwood, Calif. Jack has lettered the past two years as a reserve quarterback and is expected to have one of his finest years as a junior. He is an excellent passer, competent runner and good field general.

At reserve quarterback will be a freshman, Mike Macaulay of Vancouver, B. C. Macaulay is a good all-around quarterback and will see considerable action this year. He should be an outstanding footballer for the Redmen before he graduates.

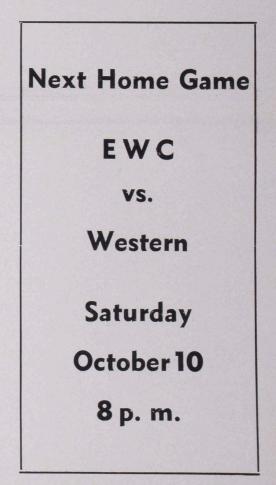
Other lettermen backs include Tom Meier, Jess Smith, Joe Evans and Stan Rhodes.

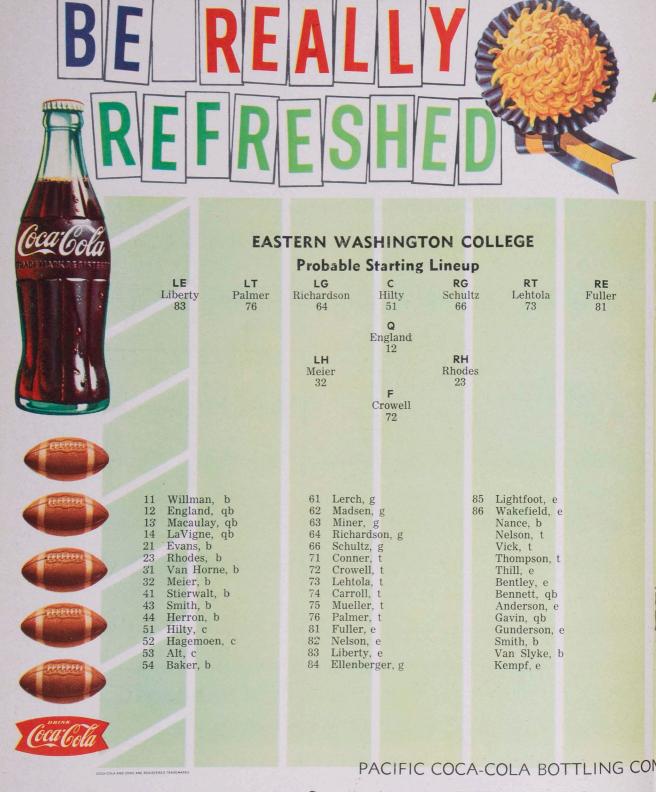
Meier, a speedy halfback from Kelso, Washington is a senior and played two years of ball at Lower Columbia Junior college prior to lettering at Eastern last year. He is one of the best defensive ball players on the squad and with the experience gained last year should be one of our top ball carriers this year.

Smith and Evans were both reserves last year and should see a good deal more action this year. Smith is a good offensive blocker and one of the top defensive backs on the squad. Evans is the smallest man on the team, but has the desire and hustle to handle the big boys. He is a shifty runner and a top pass receiver. Rhodes is an all-city back from Central Valley of Spokane Valley and played one year of ball at Columbia Basin Junior college before entering Eastern. Last year as a sophomore he was hampered by injuries but earned a stripe as a defensive back. This year he will be a starter at the slot back and will see considerable action on defense.

In addition to the lettermen, the Savage backfield will be bolstered by transfers Ray Herron and Dave Crowell and freshmen Ron Van Horne, Lanny Willman and Jay Stierwalt, a 1959 Washington state high school wrestling champion.

Although the Savages will be smaller than in the past they will provide an interesting season with the new slot back-T offense and should have a better-than-average won-lost record.

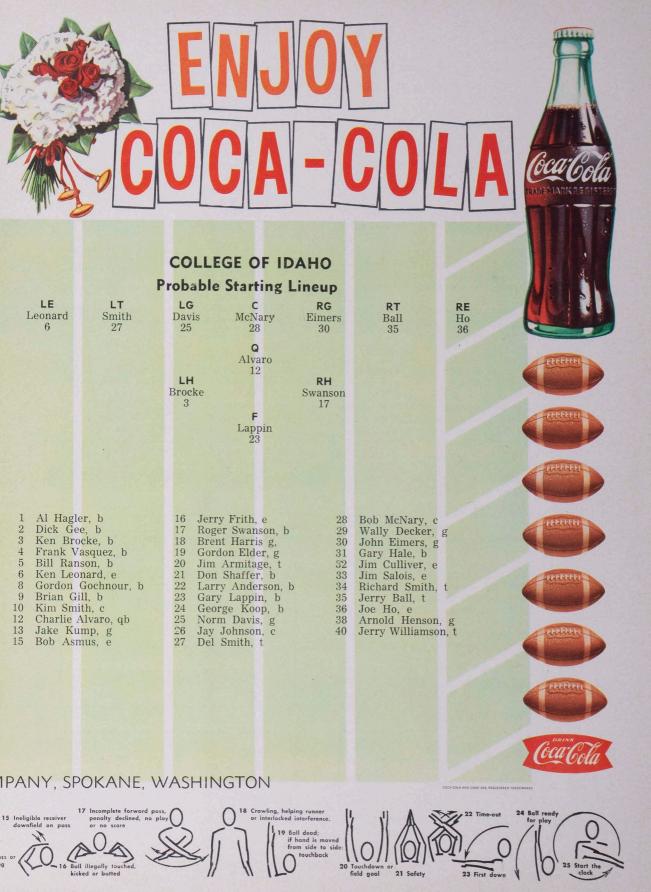




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ABOUT THE GAME

The 1959 edition of the Eastern football squad opens the season against the tough, experienced College of Idaho Coyotes.

Leading the Coyotes will be quarterback Charlie Alvaro, the leading passer in the Northwest Conference last year.

With Alvaro are veteran starters at all positions plus a 210-pound end in Jo Ho, a transfer from Boise junior college.

Coach "Babe" Brown's T-formation features the passing of Alvaro and the speed and power of halfback Ken Broke and fullback Gary Lappin.

The veteran line will be led by Jerry Ball, a 210-lb. tackle from Caldwell, Idaho, who has lettered three years for the Coyotes.

Coach Brown has depth and experience at all positions and says the Coyotes will be better today than they were at the end of last season, when they finished fifth in the NWC.

The Savages will be slightly bigger than the Coyotes with a team average of 195 lbs. compared to C of I's 185. However, the weight advantage comes in the back field, with both lines averaging 197 lbs.

The Savages have only six returning starters among 13 lettermen. The line will be strong offensively and should be fairly strong defensively depending on the production of some untested freshmen and sophomores.

In the backfield, the Redmen have speed and power in the running of Tom Meier, senior halfback from Kelso, and Walt Burnett, junior transfer from Seattle by way of Olympic junior college.

Bill Palmer is the largest and most experienced of the Savage linemen at 235 lbs. Palmer wears only one Eastern numeral, but is a veteran of service ball and was an all-conference choice last year at defensive tackle.

Other returning lettermen include Alfons Alt and Ted Schultz, both honorable mention picks from last year's Savages.

This afternoon will be the unveiling of Coach Ed Chissus's new offense, which will be more wide open and explosive than the traditional split-T teams of the past few years.

Following today's non-conference game the Savages will travel to Tacoma to meet the College of Puget Sound in another non-conference tilt next Saturday and then open conference play on October 3 against the Pacific Lutheran College Gladiators in Tacoma.



College of Idaho Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.
1	Al Hagler	В	5-8	165
2	Dick Gee	В	5-8	165
3	Ken Brocke	В	5-8	165
4	Frank Vasquez	В	6-0	160
5	Bill Ranson	В	5-8	165
6	Ken Leonard	Е	6-0	185
8	Gordon Gochnour	В	5-9	170
9	Brian Gill	В	5-10	170
10	Kim Smith	С	6-0	180
12	Charlie Alvaro	QB	5-8	165
13	Jake Kump	Ĝ	5-11	195
15	Bob Asmus	E	6-0	185
16	Jerry Frith	E	6-0	180
17	Roger Swanson	В	5-10	175
18	Brent Harris	G	5-9	175
19	Gordon Elder	G	5-11	214
20	Jim Armitage	Т	6-0	205
21	Don Shaffer	В	6-1	190
22	Larry Anderson	В	5-10	160
23	Gary Lappin	В	5-10	160
24	George Koop	В	6-1	185
25	Norm Davis	G	5-9	209
26	Jay Johnson	С	5-10	150
27	Del Smith	Т	6-1	200
28	Bob McNary	С	6-1	205
29	Wally Decker	G	5-10	185
30	John Eimers	G	5-9	170
31	Gary Hale	В	5-9	175
32	Jim Culliver	E	6-0	195
33	Jim Salois	E	5-11	170
34	Richard Smith	Т	6-0	216
35	Jerry Ball	Т	6-0	216
36	Joe Ho	E	6-0	210
38	Arnold Henson	G	5-9	190
40	Jerry Williamson	Т	6-4	240

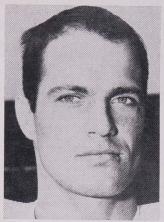
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1952, played four years of high school football at Vancouver College prep prior to attending Olympic junior college in 1951.

He entered the Canadian pro Western league in 1953 as an offensive guard and linebacker for the Calgary Stampeders and played for the Edmonton Eskimoes when they won the Canadian professional championship in 1954.

Smith retired from the professional ranks and entered coaching after an early season injury in 1957.

Here at Eastern Smith will handle the line coaching duties and assist head coach Chissus in the defensive department.

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- OFFSIDE by either team; Violation of scrimmage or free kick formation; Encroachment on neutral zone —Loss of Five Yards.
- 2. ILLEGAL PROCEDURE, POSITION OR SUBSTITUTION—Putting ball in play before Referee signals "Readyfor-play"; Failure to complete substitution before play starts; Player out of bounds when scrimmage begins; Failure to maintain proper alignment of offensive team when ball is snapped; False start or simulating start of a play; Taking more than two steps after Fair Catch is made; Player on line receiving snap --Loss of Five Yards.
- ILLEGAL MOTION—Offensive player illegally in motion when ball is snapped—Loss of Five Yards.
- ILLEGAL SHIFT—Failure to stop one full second following shift—Loss of Fifteen Yards.
- ILLEGAL RETURN of substitute not previously disqualified—Loss of Fifteen Yards.
- 6. ILLEGAL DELAY OF GAME: Taking more than five times out during either half (except for replacement of injured player)—Loss of Five Yards. Team not ready to play at start of either half—Loss of Fifteen Yards.

- 7. PERSONAL FOUL Tackling or blocking defensive player who has made fair catch; Piling on; Hurdling; Grasping face mask of opponent; Tackling player out of bounds, or running into player obviously out of play; Striking an opponent with fist, forearm, elbow or locked hands; Kicking or kneeing—Loss of Fifteen Yards (Flagrant offenders will be disqualified.)
- 8. CLIPPING-Loss of Fifteen Yards.
- ROUGHING THE KICKER or holder—Loss of Fifteen Yards.
- UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT— Violation of rules during intermission; Illegal return of suspended player; Coaching from sidelines; Invalid signal for Fair Catch; Persons illegally on field—Loss of Fifteen Yards. (Flagrant offenders will be disqualified.)
- ILLEGAL USE OF HANDS AND ARMS by offensive or defensive player; Defensive holding—Loss of Fifteen Yards.
- 12. INTENTIONAL GROUNDING of forward pass—Loss of Five Yards Plus Loss of Down.
- 13. ILLEGALLY PASSING OR HAND-ING BALL FORWARD-Loss of Five Yards Plus Loss of Down.

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- 14. FORWARD PASS OR KICK CATCH-ING INTERFERENCE — Interference with opportunity of player of receiving team to catch a kick—Loss of Fifteen Yards. Interference by member of offensive team with defensive player making pass interception—Loss of Fifteen Yards Plus Loss of Down. Interference by defensive team on forward pass— Passing Team's Ball at Spot of Foul and First Down.
- 15. INELIGIBLE RECEIVER DOWN-FIELD ON PASS—Loss of Fifteen Yards.
- 16. BALL ILLEGALLY TOUCHED, KICKED OR BATTED—Forward pass being touched by ineligible receiver beyond the line of scrimmage—Loss of Fifteen Yards from Spot of Preceding Down and Loss of a Down. Eligible pass receiver who goes out of bounds and later touches a forward pass—Loss of Down. Illegal touching of kicked ball within opponent's ten yard line—Touchback.
- 17. PENALTY DECLINED; Incomplete forward pass; No play or no score.
- CRAWLING by runner—Loss of Five Yards. Interlocked Interference —Loss of Fifteen Yards.

EWC LETTERMEN



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ALFONS ALT, Linebacker, 5'9", 165, Bonners Ferry, Idaho

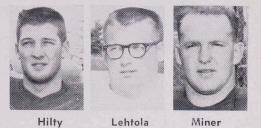
Junior center, honorable mention All-Conference 1958. One of last year's outstanding defensive ball players, Al plays a rugged, steady game. In addition to defense duties, Al will probably place-kick and kick-off for the team.

GARY CONNER, Tackle, 6', 215, Walla Walla

A junior, two-year letterman, Conner is expected to be one of the stalwarts of this year's line. He is big, aggressive and has the experience to become a tough defensive tackle.

GARY FULLER, End, 5'11", 170, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

A senior end with speed and agility which make him hard to cover, Fuller can be considered one of league's top receivers. Fuller is also one of the Northwest's top hurdlers and placed in the National NAIA meet last spring.



RICH HILTY, Center, 6', 200, Colfax, Wash.

A junior with two years' experience, Rich will probably be starting center with the offensive unit. He is quick, blocks well and is at his best when the chips are down.

RON LEHTOLA, Guard, 5'8", 220, Spokane

A strong stocky guard from Rogers high school, Lehtola has played two years of varsity ball for the Savages. He was a starter most of last season and is expected to see fulltime duty again this year.

ROBERT MINER, Guard, 5'7", 170, Spokane

A sophomore with one year's college experience, Miner played high school football at Rogers and four years' service ball with the Air Force. A competent reserve last year, he is making a serious bid for a starting berth this year. He is a good offensive blocker and tough on defense.



Palmer

BILL PALMER, Tackle, 5'11", 235, Wayne, Neb.

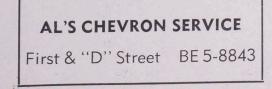
A junior letterman, all-conference choice last year, Palmer is one of the top linemen in the league. He is tough on defense and has speed and agility which make him a real good offensive blocker.

TED SCHULTZ, Guard, 5'11", 195, Harrington

A senior two-year letterman, Schultz was an honorable mention all-conference pick last year. He is a strong defensive player and works to perfection on his offensive assignments. Should be one of the top guards in the conference this year.



Schultz



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