

1948 AAFC DRAFT

Held: December 16, 1947

“The draft increased to 30 rounds, and the best teams from the preceding season again received fewer choices, but this year those lost selections were earlier in the draft than in 1947. Each team selected in the first round. The next nine rounds varied greatly. In the second round, only the Chicago Rockets and Baltimore received a choice. In the third, seventh, and ninth rounds, each team made a selection. In the fourth and sixth rounds, Cleveland and the New York Yankees did not receive selections. In the fifth round, only the Rockets, Baltimore, and Brooklyn received picks. And in the eighth and tenth rounds, only the Rockets, Baltimore, Brooklyn, and the Los Angeles Dons received picks. After the tenth round, each team made selections throughout the next 20 rounds.” – *Total Football, Edited by Bob Carroll, Michael Gershman, David Neft and John Thorn.*

ROUND 1

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
1	Clyde Scott	HB-DB	Arkansas, Navy	Buffalo Bills
2	Bobby Layne	QB	Texas	Baltimore Colts
3	Harry Gilmer	QB-HB	Alabama	Brooklyn Dodgers
4	Jeff Durkota	FB-LB	Penn State	Cleveland Browns
5	Skippy Minisi	HB	Navy, Pennsylvania	Chicago Rockets
6	Vaughn Mancha	C-LB	Alabama	Los Angeles Dons
7	Lowell Tew	FB	Alabama	New York Yankees
8	Joe Scott	HB-DB-E	San Francisco, Texas A&M	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 2

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
9	Dub Garrett	G-DT	Mississippi State	Baltimore Colts
10	Carl Samuelson	DT-T	Nebraska	Chicago Rockets

ROUND 3

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
11	Bill Gompers	HB	Notre Dame	Buffalo Bills
12	Dan Edwards	E	Georgia	Brooklyn Dodgers
13	Ollie Cline	FB	Ohio State	Cleveland Browns
14	John Nolan	T	Holy Cross, Penn State	Chicago Rockets
15	Len Ford	DE-E	Michigan, Morgan State	Los Angeles Dons
16	Otto Schnellbacher	DB-E	Kansas	New York Yankees

17 Jim Cason DB-HB LSU San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 4

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
18	Bill O'Connor	E-DE	Notre Dame	Buffalo Bills
19	Dan Sandifer	DB-HB	LSU	Baltimore Colts
20	Joe Spencer	T-DT	Oklahoma State	Brooklyn Dodgers
21	Paul Cleary	E-DE	USC	Chicago Rockets
22	Walter McCormick	C-LB	USC, Washington	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 5

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
23	Joe Smith	E-DB	Schreiner College, Texas Tech	Baltimore Colts
24	Les Bingaman	DG-G	Illinois	Brooklyn Dodgers

ROUND 6

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
25	Martin Wendell	G	Notre Dame	Buffalo Bills
26	Lin Sexton	HB-DB	Wichita State	Los Angeles Dons
27	Fred Land	T-G	LSU	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 7

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
28	Homer Paine	T	Oklahoma, Tulsa	Brooklyn Dodgers
29	Tommy W. Thompson	LB-C	William & Mary	Cleveland Browns
30	Jay Rhodemyre	C-LB	Kentucky	Chicago Rockets
31	Weldon Edwards	T	TCU, Texas- Arlington	Los Angeles Dons
32	Pete Stout	FB-LB	TCU, Texas- Arlington	New York Yankees

ROUND 8

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
33	Bruce Gehrke	E	Columbia	Brooklyn Dodgers
34	Jim Spavital	FB-LB	Oklahoma State	Los Angeles Dons

ROUND 9

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
35	Aubrey Fowler	HB	Arkansas, Arkansas Tech	Baltimore Colts
36	Bill Smith	T	North Carolina	Cleveland Browns
37	Knox Ramsey	G	William & Mary	Los Angeles Dons
38	Barney Poole	DE-E	Army, Mississippi, North Carolina	New York Yankees

ROUND 10

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
39	Herb St. John	G	Georgia	Brooklyn Dodgers
40	Phil Slosburg	B	Temple	Chicago Rockets

ROUND 11

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
41	Don Ettinger	LB-G	Kansas	Baltimore Colts
42	Lou Mihailovich	DE	Indiana	Los Angeles Dons

ROUND 12

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
43	Jim Camp	QB	North Carolina, Randolph-Macon	Brooklyn Dodgers
44	Dean Sensenbaugher	HB-DB	Army, Ohio State	Cleveland Browns
45	Harper Davis	DB	Mississippi State	Los Angeles Dons
46	Bob Hendren	T-DT-DE	Culver-Stockton, USC	New York Yankees
47	Gene Malinowski	B	Detroit Mercy, Georgia	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 13

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
48	George Grimes	DB-WB	North Carolina, Virginia	Buffalo Bills
49	Mike Graham	B	Cincinnati	Los Angeles Dons
50	Dick Ottele	BB-DB	Washington	New York Yankees

ROUND 14

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
51	Larry Joe	B	Penn State	Buffalo Bills
52	Bernie Winkler	T	Millsaps, Texas Tech	Los Angeles Dons
53	Dick McKissack	DB	SMU	New York Yankees

ROUND 15

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
54	Bill Erikson	G	Mississippi, North Carolina	Los Angeles Dons
55	Joe Magliolo	LB	Texas	New York Yankees
56	Larry Olsonoski	G	Minnesota	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 16

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
57	John Wozniak	G-LB	Alabama	Brooklyn Dodgers
58	Shorty McWilliams	DB-HB	Army, Mississippi State	Los Angeles Dons

ROUND 17

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
59	Ray Coates	HB-DB	LSU	Buffalo Bills
60	Bob Jensen	DE-E	Iowa State	Brooklyn Dodgers
61	Dick Flanagan	LB-G-C	Ohio State	Chicago Rockets
62	Bob Ravensberg	E	Indiana	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 18

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
63	Ed Ryan	E-DE	British Columbia, St. Mary's (CA)	Chicago Rockets
64	Marion Shirley	T	Oklahoma City, Oklahoma State	New York Yankees

ROUND 19

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
65	Norm Mosley	TB	Alabama	Baltimore Colts
66	Ab Wimberly	DE-E	LSU	Los Angeles Dons
67	Tom Landry	DB-HB-QB	Texas	New York Yankees

ROUND 20

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
68	Don Doll	DB	USC	Chicago Rockets
69	Frank Ziegler	HB-DB	Georgia Tech	Los Angeles Dons
70	Pete Barbolak	T	Purdue	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 21

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
71	Howard Duncan	C	Ohio State	Buffalo Bills
72	Fred Provo	HB	Washington	Chicago Rockets
73	Ed Smith	HB-DB	Texas-El Paso	Los Angeles Dons
74	Dick Loepfe	T	Wisconsin	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 22

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
75	Ralph Sazio	T	William & Mary	Buffalo Bills
76	Lu Gambino	FB	Indiana, Maryland	Cleveland Browns
77	Fred Enke	QB	Arizona	New York Yankees
78	Bob Heck	DE-E	Purdue	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 23

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
79	Pete Tillman	C-LB	Oklahoma, Southwest Oklahoma State	Baltimore Colts

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<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
80	Bob Pfohl	B	Kings Point, Purdue	Baltimore Colts
81	Ike Owens	DE	Illinois	Chicago Rockets

ROUND 25

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
82	Lou Levanti	C-LB	Illinois	Baltimore Colts
83	Ara Parseghian	HB	Akron, Miami (OH)	Cleveland Browns

ROUND 26

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
84	Ray Richeson	G	Alabama	Brooklyn Dodgers

85 Jim Still B Georgia Tech Los Angeles Dons

ROUND 27

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
86	Chick Jagade	FB	Indiana	Baltimore Colts
87	Jug Girard	E-HB-QB-DB	Wisconsin	New York Yankees
88	Perry Moss	QB	Illinois, Tulsa	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 28

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
89	Lou Creekmur	T-G-DG-DT	William & Mary	Los Angeles Dons

ROUND 29

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
90	Rex Grossman	LB-FB	Indiana	Baltimore Colts
91	George Roman	T	Case Western Reserve	Cleveland Browns
92	Dick Wedel	G	Wake Forest	Chicago Rockets
93	Leon McLaughlin	C	UCLA	Los Angeles Dons
94	Frank Nelson	B	Utah	New York Yankees
95	Herb Siegert	G-LB	Illinois	San Francisco 49ers

ROUND 30

<u>No.</u>	<u>Player</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Drafted By</u>
96	Clarence McGeary	DT	Minnesota, North Dakota State	Brooklyn Dodgers
97	Frank Williams	FB-LB	Utah State	San Francisco 49ers