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Gustafson, MacDonald, Doney Report To North Grid Squad

Negaunee-Three bright "stars" reported here today with the North team for the all-star football game to be held Saturday night, Aug. 12, beginning at 8:30.

The three players, who first thought they would be unable to play, were warmly welcomed by Coach Eddie Olds as they upped the North's chances of victory, which this section hasn't seen for the past two years. The game will be a "rubber" contest as each team owns two victories.

The three to report were Roy Gustafson and Bob MacDonald, of Newberry, and Donald Doney of Ishpeming, all backfield men.

Gustafson has been given a college scholarship and was advised not to play because of the possibilities of injuries. However, he consulted the college officials and they gave him the "go-ahead" sign.

MacDonald and Doney thought employment problems would not permit their participation but they were able to get away.

Outstanding Gridder

Gustafson's name was spread throughout the state during last year's football season because of his outstanding play. He was rated as an all-U.P. back and was a key performer for the Indians, who had a 7-0-1 record.

MacDonald added to Gustafson's success as a ball carrier because of his speed. A sprinter who won the U.P. 100 and 220 dash this year, MacDonald was a constant threat in Newberry's single wing formation.

Doney was a steady player in the Ishpeming backfield and was a tough man to stop from his fullback position. His build and drive will probably find room in Coach Olds' schemes and plotting against the South.

Other players from this area scheduled to report today are:

Donald Knudsen and Eugene Bilkey, Ishpeming; Kenneth Jennings and Clarence Rivers, Negaunee; Tom Peters, Steve Petros and Bob Parent, Marquette; Richard Nebel and Jim LeVeque, Munising; and William Mayo, L'Anse.