

Briscoe Wins NAIA Berth

The University of Omaha's all-purpose quarterback Marlin Briscoe was selected to the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics All-America Football Team.

Guard Dan Klepper and End Bill Haas earned honorable mention honors.

Briscoe's brilliant four-year career at OU resulted in his breaking of 22 school records, completing 56 percent of his passes for 2,283 yards and 25 touchdown passes. He rushed for 354 yards this year.

Head football coach Al Caniglia praised his quarterback and said, "It's a honor well deserved."

Briscoe Watched

Marlin is definite pro material commented Caniglia and will be a high draft choice by either the AFL, NFL or Canadian League.

The 5-11, 178-pounder has been watched with an eagle eye by scouts since his sophomore year at OU.

The scouts have also on numerous occasions requested films of the Magician.

Other local players honored were Kearney State's Lee Jacobsen, a 6-2, 208-pound linebacker.

Davis A Repeater

Fred Davis, a 256-pounder from Doane is a repeat selection at the tackle position. John Peterson, Pittsburg State also earned his second berth of the first team at a guard position.

In the backfield with Briscoe will be Jim Nicholson, Willametta (Ore.); Charles Williams, Arkansas AM&N and Jackson LeBlanc, California Western.