



# Antique Football

## VINTAGE HELMET GRADING SERVICES



Certificate Number	FHS2-DAM-10037
Style Classification	2nd Gen. Harvard-Style Flattop Head Harness
Date of Manufacture	1922 - 1923
Manufacturer	Draper & Maynard
Model No.	No. 8-H
Evaluation Date	10/14/2017
Evaluated By	PCH
Manufacturer's Logo	Yes
Location	Right Rear

### Material

Exterior	Black Leather with Sole Leather Crown Reinforcement Straps
Interior	White Felt

### Size

Adult/Youth	Adult Medium
Hat Size	7 - 7-1/4

### Description

FHS2-DAM-10037 is a Draper & Maynard No. 8-H Harvard-Style Flattop Head Harness manufactured between 1922 and 1923.

### Provenance

None provided
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AntiqueFootball makes no representation of condition or AFR Grade beyond the inspection date noted.

Registry  
QR Code:



AFR  
Grade:

EX  
87.73

<http://www.helmetregistry.com/helmets/10037.htm>



Inspection Summary				Grading Scale	
Criteria	AFR Score	Grade %	Comp. Grade	Score Range	Grade
Deformation	100.00	40.00%	40.00	95-100	MINT
Exterior Condition	83.50	35.00%	29.23	90 - 95	NEAR MINT
Interior	74.00	25.00%	18.50	85 - 90	EX
Overall Score				80 - 85	EX - VG
				75 - 80	VERY GOOD
				70 - 75	GOOD
Overall Grade				65 - 70	GOOD - FAIR
				60 - 65	FAIR
				< 60	POOR

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I hereby certify that I have completed this vintage football helmet grading evaluation in accordance with the Vintage Helmet Grading Protocol and the Helmet Grading Code of Ethics established by AntiqueFootball.

Name	
P. Chris Hornung	
Signature	
Date	10/14/2017
Certificate is invalid without AF wax seal	



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Deformation		Body/Crown						Ear Pads		Deduction	Notes
		Symmetrical			Asymmetrical			Right	Left		
		Longitudinal	Lateral	Vertical	Longitudinal	Lateral	Vertical				
Deformation	Cupping			X			X			0.0	No cupping
	Compression							X	X	0.0	No compression
	Shear	X	X	X						0.0	No shear
Total Deformation Deductions										0.0	

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Exterior Condition		Location								Deduction	Notes
		Top	Front	Right Body	Left Body	Right Ear	Left Ear	Rear	Chinstrap		
Wear	Material Loss								F	20.0	1 Missing chinstrap
	Material Repairs									0.0	No material repairs evident
	Insect/Rodent Damage									0.0	No insect/rodent damage
	Tearing/Fraying									0.0	No tearing/fraying
	Surface Abrasions/Scuffs/Scars	A	B							3.0	2 Slight to minor surface abrasions at front forehead and crown
	Total Wear Deductions									23.0	
Desiccation	Stitch Disintegration/Damage								X	0.0	No stitch damage
	Fat Spews								X	0.0	No fat spews
	Embrittlement									0.0	No embrittlement
	Shrinkage Depressions/Creasing			B	B	B	B	B		10.0	3 Minor shrinkage creasing on right and left body, ears, and rear of harness
	Crazing/Cracking								X	0.0	No crazing/cracking
	Flaking/Spalling								X	0.0	No flaking/spalling
	Acidic Hydrolysis/Red Rot								X	0.0	No visible rot
	Total Desiccation Deductions									10.0	
Discoloration	Oxidation								X	0.0	No oxidation
	Chemical Staining									0.0	No chemical staining
	Soiling/Staining									0.0	No soiling/staining
	Applied Treatments/Residue									0.0	No applied treatments/residue
	Foreign Markings									0.0	No foreign markings
	Metal Corrosion/Salt Accretions									0.0	No metal corrosion
	Microbic Deterioration									0.0	No sign of mold or bacteriological deterioration
	Total Discoloration Deductions									0.0	
Total Exterior Condition Deductions									33.0		

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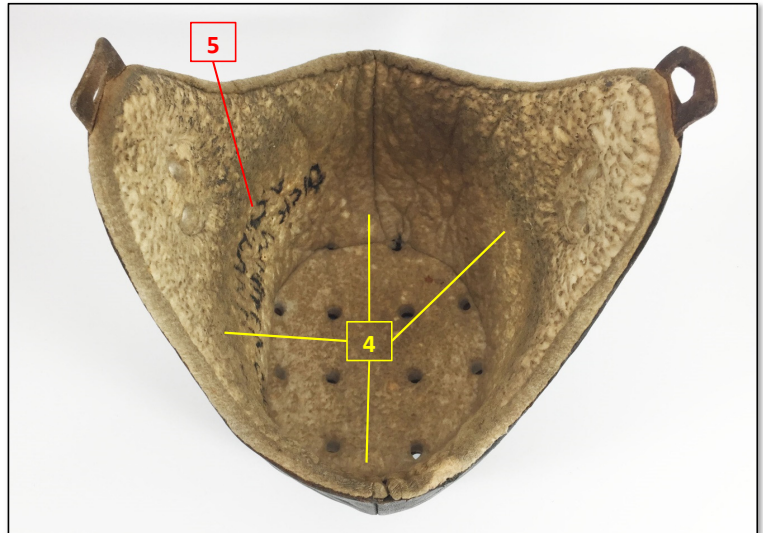
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Interior Condition		Location							Deduction	Notes
		Crown	Front	Right Side	Left Side	Right Ear	Left Ear	Rear		
Shell	Material Loss								0.0	No material loss
	Material Repairs								0.0	No material repairs
	Stitch Disintegration/Damage								0.0	No interior stitch damage
	Staining/Discoloration								0.0	No staining/discoloration
	Insect/Rodent Damage								0.0	No insect/rodent damage
	Tearing/Fraying								0.0	No tearing or fraying
	Foreign Markings								0.0	No foreign markings
	Embrittlement								0.0	No embrittlement
	Crazing/Cracking								0.0	No crazing/cracking
	Flaking/Spalling								0.0	No flaking/spalling
	Acidic Hydrolysis/Red Rot								0.0	No evidence of hydrolysis or rot
	Total Shell Deductions								0.0	
Padding	Material Loss								0.0	Mo material loss
	Insect/Rodent Damage								0.0	No insect/rodent damage
	Staining/Discoloration	D	D	D	D	C	C	D	48.0	4 Moderate staining of interior felt padding
	Foreign Markings			C					4.0	5 "Dick Whitemire Ashland" written in ink on interior padding on right side
	Odor								0.0	No detectable odor
	Total Padding Deductions								52.0	
Total Interior Condition Deductions								52.0		

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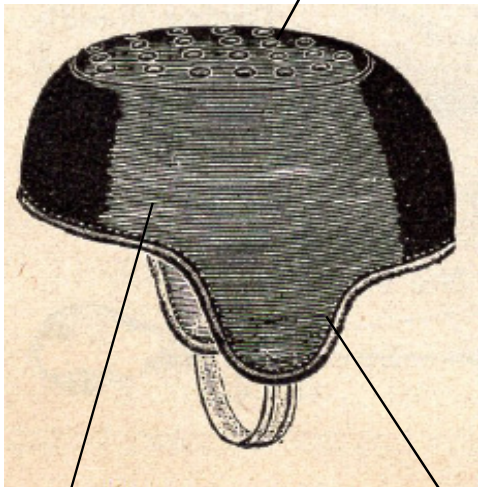


### About the Harvard Flattop Head Harness

In 1915, A.G. Spalding, Wright & Ditson, and Reach each began manufacturing leather flattop football helmets commonly referred to as the "Harvard-style," being the style preferred by the Harvard Crimson. While this term did not appear in catalogs until the mid-1920's, each of the manufacturers named their model the No. H or the No. 1-H, with the H presumably referring to Harvard. The Harvard was a lightweight all-leather helmet constructed out of three pieces of leather, one for either side of the helmet and a third to form a flat top. By the mid-1920's, manufacturers introduced the second generation Harvard Flattop, which added two pieces of reinforcing leather longitudinally and laterally across the top of the crown.

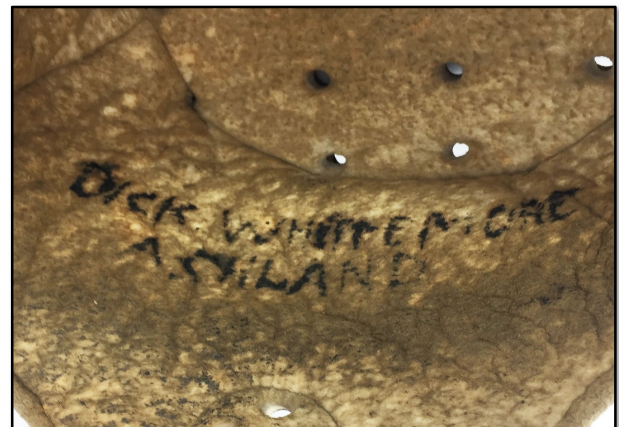
### Distinguishing Characteristics

Soft, Flat Leather Crown



Smooth-Sided, Lightly Padded Leather Body

Ear Flaps Incorporated into Body



**No. 8H.** A black leather Helmet with a sole leather cross reinforcement on crown, lined with white felt. Light but excellent protection. Price **3.50**



No. 8H

Draper & Maynard Fall & Winter Catalog, 1922