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# WHAT IF THEY BANNED FOOTBALL?

## JOHN J. MILLER

John J. Miller, author of *The Big Scrum: How Teddy Roosevelt Saved Football*, will share the intriguing, never-before-fully-told story of how Theodore Roosevelt helped to save the game that would become America's most popular sport.



Based on extensive research, Miller's story is about college football in its infancy and the culture clash it inspired. It's about a vibrant cast of characters, and presidential foresight that set the game on a path to persist and thrive these 142 years.

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