

# ON KYLE FIELD

By DON ENGLIKING

## Kyle Rote to Enter S. M. U. in September; Coaches Surprised at Sudden Decision

Ward comes from Dallas that Kyle Rote, the wonder boy of high school athletes last year, has decided to go to S.M.U. Rote who was one of the few Texas athletes ever to receive all-state honors in both football and basketball had originally decided to go to Vanderbilt University.



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Rote's decision to enter S. M. U. came as a surprise to both Matty Bell, S.M.U. head coach, and Rusty Russell, assistant coach. The all-star, who hails from San Antonio, weighed 185 pounds last year while playing with Thomas Jefferson High.

With the addition of Rote to their rolls S.M.U. now has three of the five members of the all-state basketball team of last year. The other two members are Charles Letz and Marcus Frobergner. Letz was also a member of the Thomas Jefferson High basketball team last year.

In football the Mustangs have nailed another all-stater from Thomas Jefferson in Sonny Payne, great end who was on the receiving end of many of Rote's passes last year.

Baseball's famous clown, Al Schacht, claims that his grandpa was a major league man, too. According to Al, Grandpa's most famous game was the time an opposing pitcher dusted him off at the plate. The baseball caught Grandpa neatly on the side of the head with an explosive crash—and then baseball's most spectacular dunt. No kidding, it flew over the fence and won the game, quoting Al of course.

Naturally some of the over-curious will become alarmed at this point and inquire, "How could that possibly happen? No man could knock a ball over the fence with his head." Al, ready for this one, exclaimed, "You don't know Grandpa; he had bats in his belly."

Probably no one remembers Mike Grady, third baseman for the Giants in 1895. He made his outstanding series of plays in one single game, he attempted to field a grounder, but fumbling it he enabled the runner to reach first. Grady then made a wild throw to first, allowing the runner to make second. The first baseman recovered the ball and threw it to Grady to head off the runner who was trying for third. The ball got there first but Grady fumbled it. The ball rolled off, Grady scrambled for it, and the runner streaked for home. Grady finally captured the ball, threw it, and it soared over the catchers head.

The grounder totaled up as follows: no hits, one run, and four errors by Grady. After this sparkling bit of play, Grady retired and without further ceremony slit his throat.

front by 3 runs. The Eager Beavers came back in the fifth to score 1 run to get back in the ball game. Then in a thrilling sixth inning each team scored 3 runs.

Neumann was the winning pitcher allowing only 5 hits.

Chief Justice Harian Fiske Stone, playing golf with a clergyman, smacked his ball 200 yards straight down the fairway. The clergyman stepped up to the tee, swung furiously and missed. He stared at the ball for a full minute, then stepped up to the tee again. Quoth the Chief Justice: "That was the most profane silence I ever heard."

## College View Intramural Softball

The two collar dwellers of the College View League battled out a ball game on July 8 with the Athletics noosing out the Eager Beavers 12 to 11. The game was tied in the second inning 4 to 4 and again in the third with 7 runs each.

In the fourth inning shortstop McWilliams got a hit for the Athletics and then scored on catcher Stone's hit to right field. With two away third baseman Myers got on on an error to score Stone and to put the Athletics out in



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## Dorm 10 Still Leads Softball; Four Games Left

Results of games played on July 3.

Trailer camp had a 3 run lead taken away from them as Dorm 9 noosed them out 5 to 4. The game changed hands 3 times with Dorm 9 tying the game in the third and then going out in front in the fifth inning when catcher Jones scored on a hit by second baseman Hammon. The game was tied again in the sixth when second baseman Conger for the trailer camp hit a home run. In the last of the seventh first baseman Fos for Dorm 9 came to bat got on base and later scored the winning run.

Dorm 5 came through with their third straight victory as they shutout Dorm 1, 10 to 0. Pitcher Alaniz allowed only 2 hits to spark his team in its win. Dorm 5 had its big inning in the second as they scored 5 runs.

Dorm 4 dropped another game as they were defeated 10 to 2 by Dorm 6. Dorm 4 took a 2 run lead only to have Dorm 6 get in the ball game and in two innings score 10 runs for their win. Birkhead was the winning pitcher.

Dorm 10 took an early lead to beat Dorm 2, 7 to 1. Center fielder Wiley got the only hit and scored the only run for Dorm 2 when he came to the plate in the sixth to knock out a homerun.

Dorm 11 took to the air to beat the Project House 11 to 4. Martin was the winning pitcher while Beck got credit for the loss.

Friday's Results:  
Dorm 5 shutout Dorm 6 in a fast 7 to 0 victory. Alaniz was the winning pitcher allowing only 4 hits while his team mate, right fielder, Waknot got 3 for 3 and first baseman Barnes got 2 for 2.

Dorm 3 took a 9 to 4 lead in the third inning only to drop a hard fought game 10 to 9 to Dorm 7. In a wild fourth inning when Dorm 7 batted around for 8 hits and 5 runs to win the game.

The league leading Dorm 10 team took an easy 11 to 2 victory over Trailer Camp.

Tuesday's Results:  
Dorm 5 continued their winning streak by defeating the second place team Dorm 3, 7 to 1. Catcher Bill Hart was the leading hitter for the winners getting 3 hits for 3 times at bat.

Project House came around with a win as they defeated Dorm 7, 5 to 3. Murphee was the winning pitcher.

Dorm 6 took a 2 run lead in the first inning only to be held scoreless the rest of the game and to be defeated 12 to 2 by Dorm 2. Pitcher Wilson held Trailer Camp to 4 hits as Dorm 8 won a 13 to 2 ball game.

A meeting of the A.M. Athletic Council will be held Sunday morning at 9 o'clock in the Board of Directors conference room according to D. W. Williams, council head.

## Water Carnival Of Varied Events Attended by Many

The first of a series of water carnivals was held at the College Swimming pool Thursday night July 3 and was witnessed by a large and enthusiastic crowd.

The program consisted of fourteen swimming events ranging all the way from beginners swimming lessons to a water polo game.

The first event on the program was an exhibition of the elementary steps in teaching children how to swim. This was followed by various relay races and individual races for children of all ages.

Gail Klipple won both the free style and backstroke events for boys 14 years of age and under. Tommy Barlow also won both of these events for boys 11 years and under while Nancy Hale turned the same trick in the two races for girls 11 years and under.

Other events on the program were a diving exhibition, a demonstration of life saving and swimming and a night shirt relay race. Officials for the carnival were: Art Adamson, starter; Ralph Rothman, Chief Ackerman and Jerry Bounen, judges; Wade Smith, announcer; Mr. Clark, Scorer.

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## Like Father, Like Son



George "Sluggo" Kuroski, Jr., four-year-old son of the Cardinals' third-sacker, "Whit" Kuroski, looks like a small edition of his well-known dad as they put in a pre-game workout at Sportman's Park in St. Louis.

## Swimmers Journey To Houston For Annual Y Meet

Coach Art Adamson has announced that he will take his College Station Swimming Team to the Y.M.C.A. Annual Swim Meet in Houston which is to be held July 10, 11, and 12. The Swimming Meet is broken down into the Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Divisions. The Junior Division will consist of those entrants 14 years of age and under, the Intermediate Division consisting of entrants 17 years of age and under, and the Senior Division consisting of entrants of all ages.

The preliminaries and the finals in the Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Divisions will be run off on July 10, 11, and 12 respectively. Preliminaries in each division will be held at 2:00 P.M. and the finals at 8:00 P.M.

Men and their respective divisions and events who will make the trip are:

**Junior Division**  
50 yd. Free Style—Gail Klipple, Homer Lamotte, Lloyd Gay.  
50 yd. Breast Stroke—Philip Buchanan.  
50 yd. Back Stroke—Tommy Barlow.  
100 yd. Free Style—Gail Klipple, Jason McGee.  
Diving—Bobby Karow.  
75 yd. Medley-Relay—Philip Buchanan, Tom Barlow, Byron Andrews.

**Intermediate Division**  
50 yd. Free Style—Van Adamson, Wally Anderson, Billy Bob Hale, John Farnell.  
100 yd. Breast Stroke—Gene Potts.  
200 yd. Free Style—Gail Klipple.  
100 yd. Back Stroke—Billy Karow.  
100 yd. Free Style—Van Adamson, Carol Jones.  
150 yd. Med. Relay—Gene Potts, Billy Bob Hale, John Farnell.  
200 yd. Free Style Relay—B. Karow, W. Anderson, C. Jones, G. Klipple, B. Hale, J. Farnell.

**Senior Division**  
200 yd. Med. Relay—Wade Smith, Howard Spencer, Jimmy Flowers, Jimmy Boyle, Bob Cowling, Gene Summers, Jack Riley.  
200 yd. Free Style—Van Adamson, Benard Syfan.  
50 yd. Free Style—Jack Riley, John Westervelt, Jimmy Flowers.  
Diving—Johnny Heeman.  
100 yd. Free Style—Bernard Syfan, Gene Summers, John Westervelt.  
150 yd. Back Stroke—W. Smith, Ed Kruse, H. Spencer.  
200 yd. Breast Stroke—J. Flowers, J. Boyle, B. Cowling, G. Summers.  
400 yd. Free Style—Van Adamson.  
400 yd. Free Style Relay—B. Syfan, G. Summers, J. Riley, J. Heeman, J. Westervelt, V. Adamson.

## Intramural Softball Standings

Thru Tuesday July 8th

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dorm 10	10	0	1.000
Dorm 8	7	2	.778
Dorm 2	7 1/2	2 1/2	.750
Dorm 3	7	3	.700
Dorm 9	6	4	.600
Dorm 11	6	4	.600
Dorm 6	5 1/2	4 1/2	.550
Dorm 5	5	5	.500
Dorm 7	5	5	.500
Project House	4	4	.500
Dorm 4	3	6	.333
Trailer Camp	3	7	.300
Dorm 1 Camp	2	9	.200

The American Legion now has 16,364 posts, a new record.

## Leonard Dickey Signed By Yankees

Leonard Dickey, main stay tackle on the '46 and '46 Aggie football teams has recently signed a pre grid contract with the New York Yankees.

West Army team coached by Wallace Wade while in the service. He was discharged as a master sergeant after being decorated for heroism.

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