

Softball Race in Three-Way Tie; Law Nips Puryear 3 to 2

Law, Bizzell and Mitchell all came through with victories last Friday to keep the intramural softball race all knotted up. The three teams remained in a tie for first place.

Traller Camp's team which had previously been in a tie with the three leading teams lost ground Friday by being idle.

Law's victory over Puryear was the closest of the day as is indicated by the 3-2 score. Don Fischer, Law's ace hurler, turned in a two hit performance for his third victory of the current semester.

Law began the scoring in the first half of the third inning by pushing across a lone run. By duplicating this act in each of the two succeeding innings, the Law team held a 3 to 0 lead going into the last half of the fifth.

Puryear came to life in the bottom half of the fifth to push across two runs to keep the outcome of the game in suspense. With the score still at 3-2 in the last half of the last inning, the second man up for Puryear got a double to right field with one out. Fisher then proceeded to strike out the next two men to end the ball game with the tying run on second.

George Spicer, Law Hall second baseman, led the batters with two hits in three official trips to the plate.

Box Score:
Law 0 0 1 1 0 0 R 3
Puryear 0 0 0 0 2 0 R 2

Softball Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Bizzell	3	1
Mitchell	3	1
Law	3	1
T.C.V.V.	2	1
Milner	2	1
Puryear	1	2
Leggett	1	3
Dorm 14	1	3
Walton	0	4



DON FISCHER of Law Hall did some fancy softball pitching last Friday. He allowed only two hits as his team downed Puryear Hall 3-2 in the top intramural game of the day.

Bizzell Stomps Leggett As Burch Hurls No-hitter

Bizzell downed Leggett 11 to 1 last Friday behind the no-hit pitching of Russell Burch. The victory enabled the Bizzell team to stay in a three-way tie with Law and Mitchell for first place.

Leggett started the scoring by pushing across a run in the first inning on two walks and an error. Bizzell came back strong in the second to take the lead by pushing across four runs. From then on there was no doubt about the outcome of the game as Burch gained control and set his opponents down without a hit.

Placens, Leggett's hurler, allowed nine hits as he was charged with his second loss of the semester. Costly errors by the Leggett fielders were responsible for the high score.

McGannon of Bizzell was the leading hitter as he banged out three hits in four trips to the plate.

Box Score:
Bizzell 0 4 2 1 1 3 R 11
Leggett 1 0 0 0 0 R 1

The only Southwest Conference player ever to win the coveted Heisman trophy was Dary O'Brien of Texas Christian in 1938.

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Americans After More Honors In Third Day of '48 Olympics

LONDON, Aug. 2. (AP)—America's Olympic athletes, who collected five gold medals and an amazing total of 94 points on Saturday, will be shooting for more of both Monday when the 1948 games are continued after a day's rest brought on by the British blue laws.

The 800-meter run, the pole vault and the discus throw are down for settlement in track and field, and a sweep of the three events virtually would assure Uncle Sam's muscle men a continuation of the championship of this phase of the games they have held since the world games were revised in 1896.

Only the women's 100-meter swim title will be decided in the tank Monday and the Red, White and Blue girls aren't expected to molest the Danish ladies in this. But the men's 400-meter trials continue and it isn't unlikely that the Alex Jany bubble will be busted even farther.

Jany, a 19-year-old Frenchman who loves to eat and worry, came to London with the reputation of being the nearest approach to a fish since Johnny Weissmuller forsook the water for a Hollywood tree.

But he already has been beaten twice by Americans, Wally Ris of Iowa, Alan Ford of Yale and Keith Carter helped shunt him to fifth place in the 100-meter free style that Ris won in Olympic record time. To make it stick, young Jimmy McHale of Akron, Ohio, thrashed through his preliminary in the 400-meter in 4 minutes 42.2 seconds to wipe out the Olympic mark in that event. Jany finished 11.1 seconds later.

Whitfield Has Hard Race
The 800-meter run equivalent to a half-mile, will find Mat Whitfield, a staff sergeant in the American Army, tangling with a number of brilliant middle-distance men from France, Sweden and elsewhere. It promises to be a terrific race, and Whitfield said Sunday he was ready for the effort of his life.

The American's most dangerous opponents, based upon their performance in the trial heats, are Marcel Hansenne of France, Ingvar Bengtsson of Sweden, and Arthur Wint, a Jamaican with a stride like an antelope.

Also to be decided is the 5,000 meters run. That one is strictly for the European distance demons. Curtis Ston of State College, Pa., the only American to qualify, will be fortunate if he isn't lapped.

Zatopek in 5,000
From all appearances, it will develop into a classic duel between Emil Zatopek, the singular Czech who won the 10,000 meters on opening day, and Erik Ahlden of Sweden. Ahlden nipped Zatopek in their heat Saturday after a furious sprint in the stretch.

Zatopek hopes to be first man to win both the 5,000 and 10,000 meters in the Olympics since Hannes Kolehmainen, a Finn, did it in 1912.

On Monday's program are the first two heats of the 200 meters, which has been an American monopoly for many years. Although Harrison Dillard, the Baldwin-Wallace flash who won the 100 Saturday, is not entered, there seems nothing much to worry about. Between them, Mel Patton, Barney Ewell and Cliff Bourland appear capable of protecting American interests. Bourland is not so well known as Patton and Ewell, yet some knowing observers are picking him to capture the event.

Principal outside threats in the

Huff, the losing pitcher for Dorm 14, walked six of the first twelve batters he faced to allow Mitchell to push across seven runs in the first inning.

Wiley, the manager of the Mitchell team was the leading batter as he collected two hits in three trips to the plate.

Box Score:
Mitchell 7 5 3 0 R 15
Dorm 14 0 0 0 0 R 0

Mitchell remained in a tied for first place in the intramural softball league by swamping Dorm 14, 15 to 0 on the lighted softball diamond last Friday night.

Von Rosenberg allowed only one hit in the four inning game as he pitched Mitchell to their third win of the current semester.

The game was cut short because of the rule which states that if a team is leading by ten or more runs after four innings of play they win the game.

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Aggie Coaches In Abilene at Annual Coaching School

Practically the entire A&M coaching staff left for Abilene Saturday to attend the Texas Coaching School which started there this morning. This is the one time of the year when rival high school, junior college, and college coaches get together to talk over strategy.

Most of the school will be devoted to football lectures by several of the coaches. Later in the week they will witness the annual high school all-star football and basketball games.

Members of the A&M staff making the trip are Harry Stiteler, Bill Carmichael, Marty Karow, Barlow (Bones) Irvin, Bill DuBose, Doc Dawson, and Clarence Weikel, athletic publicity director.

The Texas Sports Writers Association will also hold its annual meeting in Abilene Friday. At a banquet in honor of the coaches they will present awards to the outstanding coaches of the year. Coaches from the SWC, high schools, Lone Star Conference, Texas Conference, and Texas Junior College Conference will be honored.

Weikel is on the committee to select the SWC coach of the year.

Three future A&M students who will play in the all-star football game are Donald Stuart of El Paso, Carl Hill of Denison, and R. E. Davidson of Port Arthur.

Milner Trounces Walton As Bowers Hurls One-hitter

Scoring seven runs in the first two innings, Milner trounced Walton 11 to 1 last Friday. Gene Bowers, Milner's fancy hurler, pitched one hit ball as he scored his second victory of the current semester.

The Walton team was suffering from a bad case of the jitters as they made many costly fielding errors allowing Milner to pile up a comfortable lead.

Sullivan, manager and third baseman for Milner, clouted a home run with the bases loaded in the first inning to take the batting honors.

Murray, Walton's pitcher, was charged with the loss. The victory gives Milner a record of two wins and one loss to lead them only a half game out of first place.

Box Score:
Milner 4 3 1 0 3 R 11
Walton 1 0 0 0 0 R 1

Mitchell Ahead In 'Mural Volleyball

The defending champion Mitchell Hall volleyball team scored two easy victories, 15-1, 15-2, last Thursday afternoon to remain undefeated in intramural play.

Wally Dixon, Cartwright, and Holland kept Leggett's offense bottled up in both games as the Mitchell team scored long strings of points.

Mitchell Hall has been undefeated in volleyball this summer and is expected to repeat as champs this semester. Traller Camp is one of the few remaining active teams in the league, most of the other teams having despaired of matching points with Mitchell.

Puryear forfeited a game to Traller Camp Thursday, and Law and Walton both failed to show up for their match.

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MISS JEANINE BROWN, pretty TSCW junior from Bryan, is shown starting the football-ticket drawing at Kyle Field Friday as many members of the Aggie coaching staff look on. Applications for the Texas game were drawn first.

W. D. Dansby of Bryan, First Name On List Contained in Lucky Folder at Ticket Drawing

W. D. Dansby of Bryan is a cinch to be sitting on the fifty-yard line next Turkey Day seeing A&M and Texas play because his application was at the top of the list in folder S-6 that was drawn first at Kyle Field Friday afternoon.

This drawing, which has become an annual affair because of the heavy demand for football tickets, attracted much interest this year; a large group of spectators was on hand to witness it.

The selection of ducat-buyers was operated the same as before, with applications being placed in numbered folders and a number for each folder placed in a bowl. Drawings for each game were held separately because every buyer did not request tickets to all games. Miss Jeanine Brown of Bryan drew the first number for the Texas game while other spectators drew for the other games.

Each folder had fifty applications in it and was classified as to season ticket holders, Aggie T-men and the general public. After the drawing, the applications were filled in the following order.

The Aggie-Texas game had the largest number of applications with the SMU game running it a close second. The only one for which there was not a drawing was the Villanova game.

C. D. Owsby, Business Manager of the Athletic Department, stated that there were still some tickets left for the Texas game because of the recent increase in the seating capacity of Memorial Stadium in Austin. These are not expected to last long, however, because they are to be sold on a "first come, first served" basis to the general public.

To be included in this drawing, applications had to reach the

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