

# SWC Basketball Race Ends In Three Way Tie

## Arkansas, Baylor, Arizona And Rice Will Meet in Play-off

By LEON SOMER

The scrambled Southwest Conference race came to a close last Saturday night as Rice defeated the Aggies to throw the final conference standings in a three-way tie between Baylor, Arkansas, and the Owls. Each team ended the season with nine wins against three losses.

The team that will represent the Southwest in the National College Tournament in Kansas City on March 18 and 19 will be determined in Dallas Wednesday and Thursday nights when the three Southwest Conference winners and Arizona of the Border Conference get together for a play-off.

### All-Staters Selected From High Cagers

In the first round games tomorrow night Baylor will play Arizona at 7:30, and Rice will meet Arkansas at 9. The winners of these two games will then play on Thursday night to determine the Southwest representative.

Bill Tom, six foot seven inch Rice center, took scoring honors in conference play with 222 points and also led the season scorers with 394 points. Possibly the real leader in conference play was Julius Dolnic, TCU center, who played with a losing team.

During conference play the Frogs won only one of twelve games played, but Dolnic was still able to take second place in scoring with 196 points. He also topped the free throw shooters by making good in 62 of 72 attempts.

Slater Martin of Texas, who last week became the first Southwest Conference center to make the All-Conference team four years straight, broke the individual scoring record when he dropped in 49 points against TCU. The old record of 41 points was held by Bill Henry, former Rice center.

**FINAL STANDINGS**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Rice	9	3	.750
Arkansas	9	3	.750
Baylor	9	3	.750
Texas	7	5	.583
S.M.U.	5	7	.417
Texas A&M	2	10	.167
T.C.U.	1	11	.083

**SWC SCORERS**

Player	TP	Ave.
Tom, Rice	222	18.5
Dolnic, TCU	196	16.3
Martin, Texas	177	14.8
Prewitt, SMU	164	13.7
Hamilton, Texas	151	12.6
Heathington, Baylor	150	12.5
Ambler, Arkansas	149	12.4
DeWitt, A&M	143	11.9
Brown, SMU	135	11.3
McDermott, Rice	135	11.3
Kearns, Arkansas	111	10.1


Jack Graham, leading homer hitter in the Pacific Coast circuit last season with 48 and now a St. Louis Brownie, holds a private pilot license.

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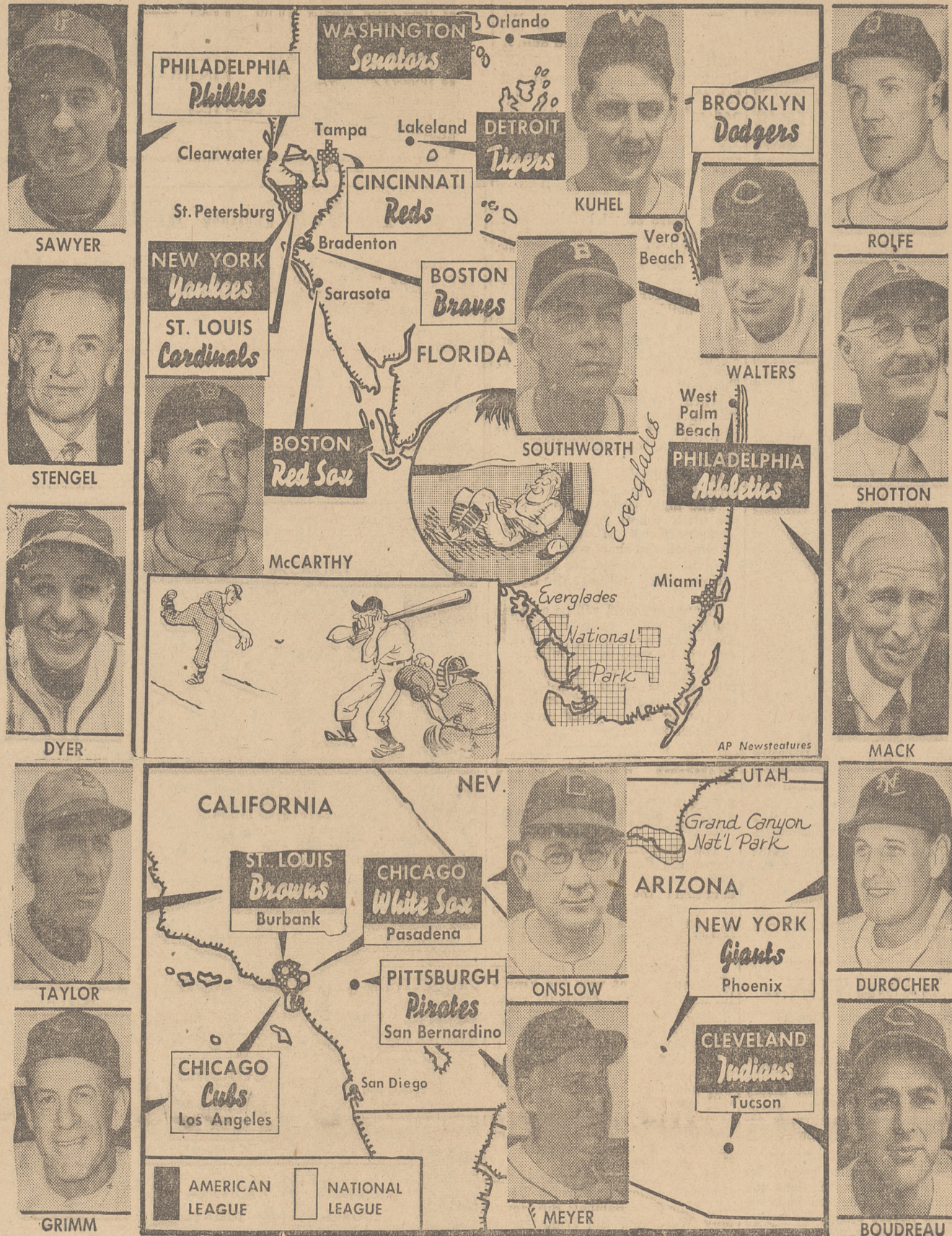


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JAY CAVALL led the Aggie bowlers last week with a 256 game and averaged 201 over a six-game session. His 256 game is the highest posted on the "Y" alleys.

### TU, Rice Accept Challenge From Aggie Bowling Squad

Texas University and Rice Institute have been added to the Aggie Bowling team's schedule, according to Art Howard manager.

TU will be represented by the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, intramural champions. Rice has agreed to post at least two teams for home-and-home games in the near future.

### Mural Boxing Scheduled For Wednesday

Spring activities blossom forth in intramurals this week in keeping with the weather.

One sport concludes action but two more start competition. Team Handball has its finals Tuesday afternoon. Action in this sport has been going on for the past two weeks.

Boxing, originally scheduled to begin this afternoon, has been set back to Wednesday afternoon. All bouts will be held in the DeWare Fieldhouse. The events had been postponed for one week due to the Junior College Basketball Tourney. Because of so much activity, boxers have not been able to get into shape. They have been given two days' grace by the intramural office.

About 160 entrants have been received for this year's matches. Boxing bouts, in contrast to wrestling matches, consist of three rounds. Each round is of one minute duration with one minute rest between rounds. In case of no knockout or TKO, winners are decided by three judges placed about the ring.

Preliminary bouts will be run off this week and the finalists will tangle the following week. The date of Fight Night, when champions in each class will be determined, has not been decided yet.


Softball, considered the most popular spring sport, opens its season today and tomorrow. Corps Softball starts today and Vet softball opens up tomorrow.

Phil's twin birthdays. PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— Two Philadelphia Phillie infielders and two catchers celebrate birthdays on the same day. Infielders Bobby Blattner and Bert Haas were born Feb. 8, 1920 and 1914, respectively. Catchers Stan Lopata and Andy Seminick have September 12 birthdays. Lopata was born in 1925, five years after Seminick.

THREE FOR WOOLFORD. MIAMI —(AP)— Woolford Farm became the first stable to win three Hialeah inaugurations when Delegate flashed home in the track's opening feature this season. It was Delegate's second straight inaugural victory. Adulator won for Woolford in 1944.

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### Aggie Fish Stand Out In Southwestern AAU Meet

A&M has a bright future in water sports as few people will deny after seeing the Southwestern AAU Meet at Dallas this past weekend.

Two members of the Aggie Freshman squad, swimming as individuals without team representation, did very well for themselves and made the old school very proud of its fledglings.

The two were Van Adamson and Billy Karow, both of College and proteges for some time of Coach Art Adamson, Van's father.

In adding to the laurels which he has already obtained, Van captured the Southwestern AAU 300 yard individual medley crown outdistancing veteran Bob Cone of Texas University. As if it weren't enough to win the crown as a college freshman, he went still further and clipped some two seconds off the old record with a new record of 3:41.8. This also set a new record for the Dallas Athletic Club Pool.

Cone led young Adamson in the backstroke portion of the event, but Van shortened the lead when it came to the breaststroke, and in the free-style pulled up and away like Cone was standing still.

Adamson also added to the stars when he came in third in the 440 yard free style behind Texas' speed merchants Ed Gilbert and Jim McCann. This speaks very well for the ability of the young Aggie and his future usefulness to the Aggie swimming team.

Billy Karow, son of Coach Marty Karow, and the other Aggie freshman to make his mark in the trials, came home with two third places to his credit, one in the 220 yard breaststroke and the other in the 150 backstroke.

Karow, like Adamson, has studied for several years under Coach Adamson. Both boys were outstanding high school swimmers, and last summer aided the College Station Swimming Team in winning several victories.

The two lads were required to swim as individuals with no team affiliation because of a Southwest Conference rule, which states that no member of the Conference can enter the AAU Meet with any team affiliation.

**HORSES TO DOGS**  
MIAMI —(AP)— R. B. (Bud) Carroll races horses and greyhounds with equal success. There are 8 horses in the Carroll stable, currently stationed here at Hialeah, and he has 30 greyhounds running at Miami dog tracks.

Yale hockey coach Murray Murdoch played 600 consecutive National Hockey League games for the New York Rangers and is known as the "Ice Iron Man."

Mel Ott led the National League four times in home runs.

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### Two New Events In Intramurals Start This Week

Standings of the College Station Recreational Council Volleyball League are shown as they were on March 1:

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Team	W	L
Military A	4	0
Military B	3	1
Goodwin Hall	3	1
Swayframes (CE)	2	2
Electrical Engineers	2	2
Graduate Students	2	2
Animal Hus. & Genetics	0	4
B&A and Ag. Eco.	0	4

In the meantime, final plans are complete for the 157 boxers who signed for Boxing to start their bouts Wednesday. Originally slated to begin Monday, this event was put off three days to give entrants more time for conditioning.

Of the entries, more fighters have signed up for the 150 pound class than any other. The 139 pound division is next popular. Only three fighters signed up in the lowest weight class, 119 pound and eight heavyweights are scheduled for bouts.

Fight Night has been set tentatively for March 23 in DeWare Field House.

Handball reaches its final stages this week with two leagues tangled up. "C" Infantry leads B League and "A" Infantry is tops in C League but all games are not yet complete. Stated for top playoffs and winners of their respective leagues are ASA, CWS, and "A" Air Force. They won out in A, D, and E Leagues.

Next Monday afternoon, Horse-shoes and Corps Softball swing into action for this year.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
The Indianapolis Capitals of the American Hockey League recently scored 23 goals in two consecutive games, they established a new league scoring record for a pair of contests. The old record was 22 goals, set by Providence last season.

John Woudenberg, tackle of the San Francisco 49ers of the All-America Conference, has started every game his team has played—42—in the three years.

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