

# THE BATTALION-MSC A&M QUARTERBACK CLUB

Back of the Week

## Joe Boring Rates Selection On Defense Against Ponies



Joe Boring, junior right halfback is the Quarterback club selection for back of the week.

Recently recovering from a leg injury which kept him out of several games and severely handicapped his play after he returned to action, Boring Saturday showed the form which gained him all-conference honors as a defensive back in his sophomore year.

Punting with a wet football against the SMU Mustangs, Boring kicked five times for a 42.6 yard average to lead all game punters by a wide margin.

Although Boring only carried the ball three times in the contest, on defense his outstanding play prevented the Mustangs from running up a larger score.

Late in the first quarter, Boring intercepted a Mustang pass on the Aggie three yard line to stop an SMU-goalsward thrust.

His defensive game was particularly sharp throughout the contest, and besides batting away several passes in his area, Boring moved in to make tackles on Mustang sweeper plays and thrusts up the middle.

An all-state tailback at Sunset high school in Dallas, Boring is 19, stands 6-1, and weighs 167.

After the football season, Boring is expected to add strength to the Aggie basketball squad, since he showed up well in spring cage practice this year.

## Quarterback Club to See SMU Film

The movie of the SMU-A&M game will be shown at the Quarterback club meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Memorial Student Center ballroom.

Last week's film was not shown because of a misunderstanding, but special care will be taken in the future, said Bob Boriskie, president.

Jones Ramsey, A&M sports publicity director, is scheduled to narrate the film.

The complete schedule of Quarterback club meetings follows:

- Wednesday, November 11, SMU-A&M, MSC ballroom.
- Thursday, Nov. 19, Rice-A&M, MSC assembly room.
- Thursday, Dec. 3, Texas-A&M, MSC assembly room.



## Rice Win Streak Stretches Over 8 Long Years

The Rice Owls will be out to keep the longest winning streak involving a series between two conference schools unbroken when they play host to A&M at Rice stadium Saturday afternoon.

The Owls have won eight straight from the Cadets, whose last victory came in 1944. A&M enjoys the edge in the over-all record of 20 victories to 14, with three tie games in the series.

A crowd of at least 55,000 is expected for the Owls' homecoming contest. That estimate may be raised later in the week, as attendance always is good for this South Texas classic in Houston.

There is considerable color attached to the Rice-Aggie game. It will be homecoming for Rice with many attendant activities—crowning of the Homecoming Queen at halftime, Rice — A&M freshman game on Friday night, and Corps trip and downtown parade for the Aggies on Saturday morning.

But the big attraction, of course, is the varsity grid game itself between these two long time rivals.

Jess Neely, veteran Rice coach who is dean of the head coaches of the Southwest Conference, sends an experienced club against the Aggies the features a strong ground attack paced by leading ground gainer, fullback "Kosse" Johnson of Baytown. The Owls have a rugged line that features tri-captain Dick Chapman at tackle, John Hudson at guard, and Leo Rucka at center.

A&M, with Ray George at the helm, relies on quarterback Don Ellis to spark a potent offense, with a Houstonian, fullback Bob Easley, one of a host of stellar Aggie running backs. The Aggies have a line that is much stronger than was expected. It features such top hands as Fred Broussard, Marvin Tate and Sid Theriot.

Lineman of Week

## Marvin Tate Gets Lineman Honors for SMU Game

Marvin Tate, A&M's starting right guard, is the Quarterback club lineman of the week for his stand-out play in the SMU game.

A 182-pound junior from Abilene, Tate has combined with Sid Theriot to give the Aggies some of the best guard play in the Southwest conference this season. Both have been widely mentioned for all-conference honors.

Tate was a sophomore regular last year, playing offense and defense. He got in 319 minutes of playing time, more than any other player except Don Ellis.

Often outweighed by the line-

men playing opposite him, Tate uses his speed and hard-hitting aggressiveness to make up for his lack of heft. One of the fastest linemen on the squad and probably one of the fastest in the conference, he often is the first Cadet to hit enemy ball-carriers on kickoffs and punt returns.

His speed also makes Tate very effective on wide plays, both by the Aggies and the opposition. He is fast enough to get downfield to clear the way for A&M's backs. Opposition and runs have often been slowed down when Tate came charging through.

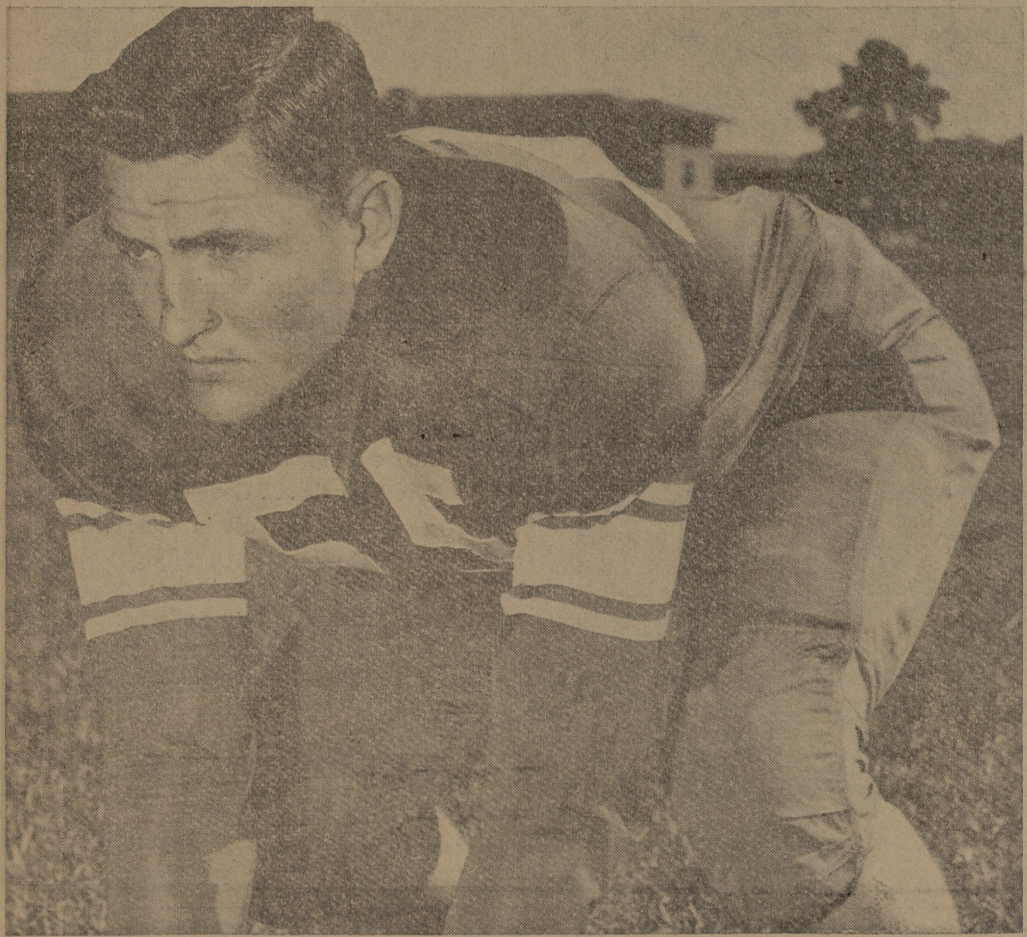
Against SMU Tate charged through on an end run to the opposite side and caught the ball carrier. On the last play of the third quarter, he fought off Mustang blockers to down Frank Eidon on the Aggie 7 and stave off a Pony touchdown.

In the second quarter Tate pulled out of the line and laid down a hard downfield block that helped clear the way for a 16 yard run by Connie Magouirk.

Tate was an all-state high school guard at Abilene. He is married and is the father of a boy.



Marvin Tate  
Top All-Conference Candidate



Leo Rucka  
Rice's Two Year Letterman Center

## ★ Quarterback of the Week ★



25 years of wonderful entertainment... The finest that can be found the whole year round. This record can only be matched by the Texas Aggie football team.

Mrs. Edna Schulman, owner, and her son, Bill, who is manager of the three theatres of Bryan, have been supporting the Texas Aggies ever since they have been in Bryan.

The Schulmans started in the movie business some 25 years ago at the location of the present Palace Theatre. The old building was torn down and replaced by the present modern structure. By showing the best in first run movies, the Schulmans have been able to expand and now include the Queen and the Dixie.

The Schulmans have only two aims for the future:

- 1. To continue to give only the best in top notch movie entertainment.
- 2. To continue to support the Texas Aggies.

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