

# Football Magazine Picks Rice To Win

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
Rice will win the Southwest Conference football championship because it's that fourth year.

Three Baylor players will make the all-conference team.

Jim Saxton of Texas is the most unpredictable but dangerous runner of them all.

Lance Alworth of Arkansas doesn't think he has done much although acclaimed as a great contender for All-America.

Corpus Christi Ray will be the top team of Texas schoolboy football.

These are the observations of Texas Football, a magazine that has hit the newsstands for the second year in a row and filled a big need among the fans.

The magazine is the product of Dave Campbell, sports editor of the Waco News-Tribune, with Al Ward, Mickey Herskowitz, Hollis Biddle and Jim Montgomery helping him prepare the 100-page tome.

Campbell, in picking Rice to grab the title, says that the Owls have been winning it every fourth year since 1949 and that 1961 is the fourth year since they took it last in 1957. The best material Jess Neely ever has had while coaching at Rice for 21 years also has something to do with Campbell's selection.

The all-conference team in December will be as follows, according to the magazine: ends Johnny Burrell, Rice and Bob Lane, Baylor; tackles, Bobby Plummer, Texas Christian, and John Cornett, Rice; guards, Dean Garrett, Arkansas, and Ray Schoenke, Southern Methodist; center, Jerry Hopkins, Texas A&M; backs, Bobby Ply and Ronnie Bull of Baylor, Alworth and Saxton.

"Only the films know where Saxton went" is the title of an article on Texas' wild-running half-back. Saxton started the legend back when he was a freshman. He

gained 65 yards on three straight plays around Don Allen of the varsity and Mike Dowdle says "I don't believe Don knows now where the guy went."

Coach Darrell Royal said you had to study the films of the games to see just how good Saxton was. "You look at the Oklahoma film and it's like 'This Is Your Life, James Saxton,'" Royal said.

Arkansas coach Frank Broyles says a few years ago a great back "was a fellow who ran 40 or 50 yards for you. But the defenses don't let you get those long runs any more. Today, a great back is the one that makes eight yards when you need it, where there's only blocking for three. He makes key runs on key downs and keeps your drive going."

Broyles obviously was speaking of Lance Alworth, says "Texas Football." Alworth though, doesn't think he has done much. "I'd just like to play the way I feel I'm capable of playing," he says.

In recruiting, which has long been finished, Texas A&M, Texas, Texas Tech and Rice were con-

sidered to be the leaders. The Aggies got the most boys—59. Texas Tech landed more first team all-starters—six. Texas got the boy voted outstanding player in the state—Ernie Kou, Jr., and Rice got quality throughout.

Texas A&I and Arlington State are picked as the top small college teams in Texas.

Corpus Christi Ray and Wichita Falls are selected to reach the finals of Class AAAA schoolboy football—the same thing they did in 1959 when Ray won the title. And if Wichita Falls does make it, the Coyotes will tie the record set by Waco in the twenties—going to the finals four straight years.

Brownwood is picked to repeat with the Class AAA championship, with Brownwood, Port Lavaca clashing in the finals the second year in a row.

Terrell is selected to return to the throne room in Class AA, meeting Brady for the title the same as in 1957.

Albany should again win the Class A championship, says the magazine.

## Skowron Hopes Back Will Hold

By BILL SKOWRON  
Yankee First Baseman  
Written for AP Newsfeatures  
I'm just hoping my back holds up. If it does maybe I can have a good last two months because it might help the Yankees retain the American League pennant.

A number of people have said that Mickey Mantle and Roger Maris, who are so hot with their home run bats, will be getting many bases on balls from here on in.

If the pitchers persist in walk-

ing them I'd like to start hitting again so I can drive them home.

What bothered me about my good year in 1960 was my 95 strikeouts. I never had so many and right now I should be choking up on the bat to meet the ball when the pitchers have two strikes on me.

If I had learned to swim earlier my muscles today might have been a lot looser than they are. Maybe I wouldn't have hurt my back so many times.

## Could It Be A Fowl Ball Or A Foul Ball?

DALLAS, Tex.—Howard Grubbs read a second time the letter he had just dictated to his new secretary.

"It clearly said, 'Fowl balls,'" Mrs. Decherd," said Grubbs patiently, "P-o-w-l is a chicken. Baseballs are f-o-u-l. Remember that."

She did. In the 10 years she has been secretary to the Southwest Conference's executive secretary that is the only time Mrs. Elizabeth Decherd has fumbled the terminology of athletics.

Mrs. Decherd, one of the hundreds of persons behind the conference sports scene, came to the SWC offices equipped poorly. She majored in music at Southern Methodist University and wasn't a sports fan.

"It was pretty bewildering at first," says the 49-year-old widow and mother of two. "Now it's pretty routine."

The most embarrassing aspect of her job comes when the conference or some member is involved in a controversy.

Conference officials are tight-mouthed about details of such debates. But sometimes Mrs. Decherd's friends don't understand that she, too, is duty-bound to keep quiet.

"I try not to talk about those things," she says. "If I have to talk about them, I just say I don't know a thing. Usually I don't."

Third baseman Ken Boyer of the Cardinals began with Lebanon, Pa., in the North Atlantic League in 1949 and hit .455 in 16 games. He had a 5-1 pitching record that year.

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## Cupits Went From Shack To A New Golf Course

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
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GREGGTON, Tex.—Those Cupit boys—Jacky and Buster—you see so often among the money-winners along the tournament trail these days are members of Texas' biggest golfing family.

How they got to be such fine players is a good story.

Jacky won the Canadian Open July 15, pretty good for a guy who was a collegian only last year. At one stretch Jacky won money in four straight tournaments, including \$4,300 first money in the Canadian Open. He racked up more than \$7,000 in three weeks.

Buster Cupit, at the same time, was also winning money—over \$5,000—although second was his highest finish. He was runner-up to another Texan, Don January, in the St. Paul Open.

It's not surprising to Texans to find the Cupits doing well on tour although both are just making their start. These fellows have been playing golf since they were knee high to Ben Hogan.

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Some 30 years ago the Cupit family came here from Shawnee,

Okla., settling in a small shack on top of a hill. It was a fairly large family then and was to grow larger. The financial burden increased.

The golf rise of Jacky and Buster isn't unique but the way they did it certainly is.

Some years after the family moved into the "shack," as Mrs. J. W. Cupit, the mother, calls it, construction began on a golf course at the bottom of the hill. Naturally, the boys were attracted to it.

A man named Pop Boone, who built the course, took a liking to the Cupit boys. They helped him build the layout and he reciprocated by teaching them the game and making the course available to them.

"They made their own spending money by caddying," Mrs. Cupit

recalls. "It took all their effort to keep the family up on the men at the course, to keep them old clubs and the boys roaming the fields or wading to find golf balls. That didn't cost them anything to do."

She said she couldn't keep off the course "long enough to change clothes. And they'd buy many a meal." And she has strong suspicion that they'd go to school to play golf.

"Years later, when Jacky's first amateur tournament, sixth grade teacher called him told him: 'I knew you were to make a great golfer, because you skipped school to do it,'" Cupit declares.

"But I wouldn't take a dollar for all this. It's just believable what the game has done for them."

## VA Hospital Group To Attend BU Game

More than 30 patients and domiciliary members of the Veterans Administration Center, Temple, Texas will be guests of Texas A&M and the Athletic Department at the football game October 28th between Baylor University and Texas A&M. The patients accompanied by nurses and Mrs. Margaret Wade, trip supervisor, will arrive shortly before noon and have lunch in Duncan Dining Hall. They will be met by P. L. "Pinkie"

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