

Englishman's Sticky Wicket Brings No Yells In Cricket

Aggie fans used to yelling and whooping at athletic contests will find it strangely quiet when A&M hosts the University of Texas to a cricket match April 11.

The tone for the game was set in the printed invitations for the game.

"The cricket club requests the pleasure of your company at an exhibition match which will begin at 10:45 a.m. and should finish during the afternoon..." the invitations read.

THE GAME, scheduled for the drill field across from the Memorial Student Center, will be explained over a public address system by Griffiths.

Griffiths explained that cricket is a contest between the bowler and the batsman. The batsman attempts to keep the bowled ball from striking his wicket, stakes set into the ground 22 yards from the bowler.

ELEVEN MEN form a team and there is a batsman located both to the front and rear of the bowler. Runs are scored on the basis of how far the batsman knocks the small ball. There are no bases.

1) Cricket is played between two teams, each of 11 men.

2) At any time during play there are on the field

- (a) 2 men of the batting side
- (b) 11 men of the fielding side
- (c) 2 umpires (in white coats).

3) The batting side must defend the two wickets (each of 3 stumps) which are 22 yards apart. In other words the 2 batsmen must not allow these wickets to be hit by the ball.

4) A team is dismissed when 10 men are out since the 1 man left is unable to defend both wickets. When the 10 men are out this always completes the innings although the batting captain may declare the innings terminated at any time.

5) A run is made every time the batsmen change ends; that is, run from one wicket to the other. Note—if a ball is hit over the boundary without touching the ground it scores 6 runs; if it has touched the ground first it counts 4 runs. The ball does not have to be hit in order for runs to be made.

6) The aim is to score more runs in the innings than your op-

ponents. Note—in matches scheduled for one day only one inning is played per team.

7) A batsman can be out

- (a) caught (off a fly ball)
- (b) bowled (ball hits wicket)
- (c) run out [failed to make base (wicket)]
- (d) stumped (catcher puts down wicket while batsman off base)
- (e) leg before wicket ball (ball prevented from hitting the wicket by the batsman's body and NOT the bat)
- (f) hit wicket (batsman knocks down his own wicket)

8) A bowler (pitcher) must deliver the ball with his arm straight and he can only deliver 6 balls (fouls excluded) in succession—this constitutes an over.

After the over another bowler is used from the other end, this necessitates all the fielders changing positions.

Note—no bowler may bowl two consecutive overs.

9) The score is expressed as so many runs for so many wickets; that is, the number of runs scored and how many players have been dismissed.



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Umbricht, 33, had made a remarkable comeback with a 4-3 record with the Colts last season despite having undergone cancer surgery just a month before the season started.

He was one of the National League's leading relief pitchers the second half of the 1963 season, pitching 76 innings in 35 games and compiling a 2.61 earned run average.

Umbricht was in uniform on opening day last season although doctors were not certain the groin and leg surgery had done a complete job of removing the cancerous growth.

The disease began to appear in the chest area last December but Umbricht and Colt officials kept the development a closely guarded secret.

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The English Proficiency Examination for students majoring in Business Administration will be given Tuesday, April 14, 1964, at 4:00 p. m. in Room 202 of Francis Hall. Students who take this examination must register in the office of the School of Business Administration not later than 5:00 p. m. Monday, April 13, 1964. 2434

The English Proficiency Examination, required of all juniors in the Education and Psychology curriculum, will be offered from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. on April 23 (Thursday) and at the same time on April 24 (Friday). Students may take the test in Academic 404 either day and should bring pen, pencil, composition paper, and dictionary. 22315

TO ALL STUDENTS OF ARTS AND SCIENCES WHO ARE ON SCHOLASTIC PROBATION: You are reminded that you are required to arrange a conference with the Dean of your school after each grade report is issued. 2234

Application Forms for National Defense Student Loans for the Summer terms—1964 and the Academic year 1964-65, may be obtained from the Student Aid Office, Room 8, Y.M.C.A. Building, during the period March 16—April 10, 1964. Applications must be filed with this office by not later than 5:00 p. m., April 15, 1964. 19313

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