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Amateur rules take blast from Kelly

LOS ANGELES (AP)—"Our rules for being an amateur athlete are like our sex laws," says Jack Kelly.

"If every illegal sex act was policed properly, 75 per cent of the population would be in jail. The same goes for amateurs. There are very, very few real amateurs left in any sport."

Kelly is formulating a plan to prevent a major defection of athletes from the AAU. One way, he says, "is by realizing that our amateur rules are archaic."

He admits he's heard that many track and field stars may leave the AAU after this year's Olympic Games. He knows they are frustrated by what Kelly calls "the old guard" of the AAU and he understands their feelings because he was an amateur row-

ing champion years ago. "I'm working on a manifesto for athletes," he says, "and I hope to get a lot of signatures on it from the athletes."

"Is a college athlete, who gets a scholarship worth thousands of dollars, a pro? Is a track coach a pro? And what if that track coach is classified by his school as a 'teacher'? Now we're just talking semantics."

Kelly, himself, violated the rules of amateurism in 1947 after winning the Henley Regatta.

"They presented me with a solid silver replica of my racing shell. It was worth at least \$1-

500 but I didn't hock it or melt it down so it wasn't really worth that much in cash. But technically, from that day on, I was a pro," he said.

Kelly says many of the AAU's old guard—"and a lot of them aren't really old, they just think that way"—may change their minds soon. Kelly urges athletes not to bolt his organization.

"The chaos they'd create only cause harm to the people I feel they could be better by working in our organization. They've been frustrated in the past, I know, but I believe modernization of the rules is overdue and I think some of the views are gaining the upper hand."

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SMU's Red and Blue Game scheduled for Saturday night

SMU will hold its final spring scrimmage, the annual Red and Blue Game Saturday, in Texas Stadium. It will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will be played under regular game conditions.

Coach Hayden Fry will pit his number one unit against the number two's with the remainder of the squad to be divided equally.

"I have been pleased with the spring so far," Fry said. "I am especially happy about our defense. We should have a strong defense in 1972 but our offense will have to improve since we have so many young players."

"Our main concern is the depth in the offensive line and the quarterback position, where we have four untested players fighting for a starting spot. We have good battles going on at tight end, center, runningback and quarterback. But all these, except runningback, involve players who don't have much game experience. Overall, I have to be optimistic."

Two top players, Robert Popelka and Avin Maxson, have already been picked on the pre-season All-America team by Gridiron, a national football pub-

lication. Popelka, a second team All-America pick last season is named on the first team. Maxson, who led the league in rushing last season as a sophomore, was named on the second unit.

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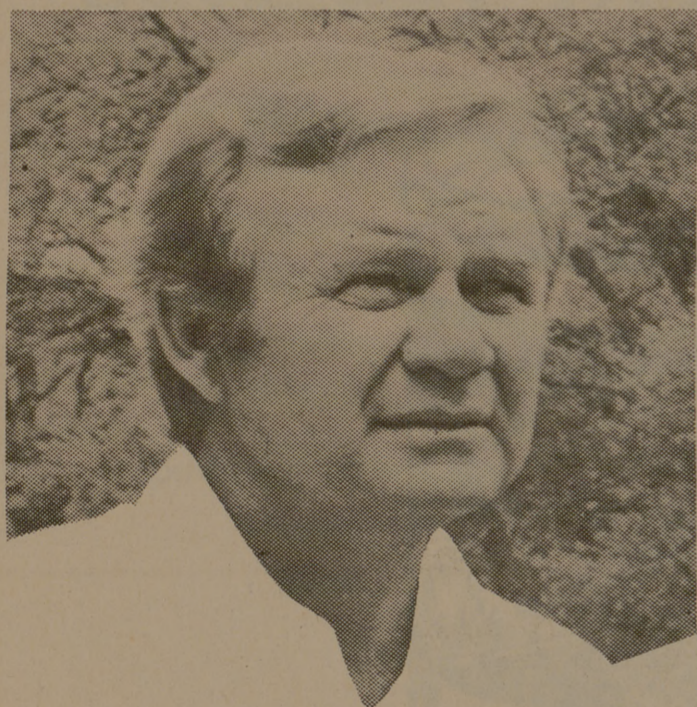


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