

**George Kulton 1907-1987**

For 50 years, George Kulton, a lifelong resident of Elmhurst, was an avid organizer of athletics in Elmhurst.

In 1927, Kulton helped to organize the Elmhurst Travelers football team. This independent team won 292, lost 80 and tied 30 games over 38 playing seasons from 1927-1967. Kulton played and later coached for all 38 seasons.

Kulton also organized the Elmhurst Men's Softball League in 1932. From 1928 to 1931, he managed the Elmhurst Travelers baseball team and he coached the Elmhurst Travelerettes Women's Basketball team from 1931 to 1933.

Kulton made his living working first for the Hammerschmidt Franzen Lumber Yard in Elmhurst and later with the Clover Leaf Dairy in Addison. He never received any remuneration for his sports involvement.

