Four Athletic Contests Highlight Sports Day Program Tomorrow Aggie Netmen Make Second Baseball Team Meets

Home Appearance Tomorrow

By BILL EVANS

Tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 the Aggie Tennis Team will meet the Sam Houston State College netters on the clay courts. As the Battalion went to press today the Ag-gies were playing their first home match against Vander-

bilt University. A total of six matches, two doubles and four singles, will be played against the Sam Houston raqueteers.

After much pre-game practice and inter-squad competition game-time Friday found the team paired as follows: Bill Bennett, Pre-Law Senior from San Antonio with Benny Stanford, Engineering Junier from Dallas, and Rodney Sellars, Pre-Dental Junier from Price with

Dowell, recently appointed to his present coaching position will find himself pitted against his old Alma Mater Saturday. Coach Dowell took his undergraduate work at Sam Houston and received his. M. S.

in Physical Education at George Peabody College in Nashville.

Prospects for the coming con-ference championship race are somewhat doubtful as the Aggies will have to face many starstudded SWC teams, but Coach Dowell says that the squad will be ready and willing.

A bright spot is seen in the future A&M net team though, as the freshmen group is improving daily. Some real court terrors are developing in the persons of Jimmy Gray and John Lugar of Houston, Charles Hodges from Dallas, and Allan and Alvin Aarson from Cotulla. The last two boys mentioned are identical twins and even the coach can't tell them apart.

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Medics In Twin Bill

By ANDY MATULA

The annual "T" Club's Sports Day finds the Aggie Baseball team right at the start of their 1948 sea-

right at the start of their 1948 sea-son. It's quite a difference from last year when the Aggies were in mid-season for Sports Day. Oddly enough, the same club that furnished the opposition for last year will again be the opponent on the diamond tomorrow. The Brooke Army Medical enter usually fields a hustling, fighting team when they play a game. Both Aggie bas-ketball and baseball fans remem-ber the games played last year with DeWare Field House. ber the games played last year with

Five men, all members of the the medics. fencing team, are entered in the novice league. They are: Fulton

the medics. For the Aggie, the present series with the Army nine will be "test tube" games. Bad weather at the early part of training this spring has hampered the Aggies in their development. Marty Karow, wor-ried first about his pitchers, soon became concerned with the hitting power of the team lattle the bat Dye, I. J. Barrios, Gus Mistrot, Dudley Stillinger and Robert Shaw. For the uniniated, a novice is a fencer with a year of fencing experience.

power of the team. Lately the bat-ters are about even with the pitch-There are six entries in the prep class. Gerald Monks, Robert Dillon, and Polly Webb are campus entries, while Rovy Cantu, Mort ers of the team so now it's time to watch the hurlers again. Sports Sullivan, and Henry Schmidt will come from Bryan Field. Day fans will get to see both in action tomorrow afternoon.

Probable starting lineups for the Other entries will be accepted Sports Day game include: Russell Mays or Bobby Fretz at for the novice tournament tomorrow at 1:30. Any student is elird base, Cotton Lindloff, 2nd base gible to compete in this class.

showed a variety of scores from a Zeke Strange or Red Burditt in enter field The feature game of the day

Stan Hollmig, pitching Dusty Clark, right field Tex Thornton, shortstop Saltenfuss of Dorm 3 as his team Jim Calvert, catching

ran up a 13-0 over Dorm 7. This is the first no-hitter of the sea-Peck Vass or Herschel Maltz. son, but there is a chance of a st base, Walter Willingham, left field.

b Field got 14 runs across the home plate in their game with A Field and held the opposition to only one hit. It was D Field's game all the way with A Field making a fighting stand to bring up their side of the score. Kenk was the winning pitcher, while Grimms tos-sed for the losers

tween A Cavalry and Senior Co. occured in the first four innings of play. Both pitchers were stin-gy in the closing innings and

starting time.

All three weapons, foil, epee, and

saber will be fought. Equipment,

including weapons, will be furnish-

ed to fencers who do not own any.

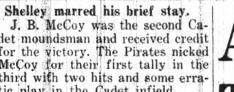
Participants are requested to be

on hand at 1:30 tomorrow so that

bouts can be scheduled prior to the

the game ended in favor of Sen-Law Hall and Dorm 14 played held a track meet in the third in-

Shown above is first-string catcher JIM CALVERT, who is due to see action behind the plate this week-end against the Brooke Medics, CALVERT hails from Dallas and lettered on the team last vear.



Football Game to Highlight Sports Day Program Tomorrow

Fighting to gain or hold their positions on the team, members of the Aggie football squad wil stage an intrasquad game at 2 p. m. Saturday on Kyle Field. This tilt will mark the close of the 1948 spring training and will be one of the highlights of the second post war Sports Day program. A Maroon team composed of the first and second elevens will line up against a White team composed of the third and fourth halfback post after lettering as an elevens.

composed of the third dark jerseys elevens. The starters for the dark jerseys will average 196 pounds, averaging 204 in the line and 183 in the back field. this the Whites will the Whites will the the Whites will

pit a starting team averaging 187 pounds, 191 in the line and 182 in the backfield.

182 in the backfield. Three members of last falls freshmen squad will be wearing maroon jerseys Saturday. Dorbandt Barton was a halfback for the freshmen but was shifted to end this spring. During training this big, fast lad from Ft. Stockton has developed into a very fine wing-

Charley Royalty, the "Freeport Flash", is being touted by some as the scat back for whom Coach Stiteler has been searching. Royalty is the smallest man on the en tire squad, weighing 155 pounds The rail-birds out at the practice field are predicting a hard fight for Hub Ellis if he wants to keep

his starting position away from bruising Bob Bates. Bates was the center on the freshmen squail Bates and Ellis both weigh 198 but Ellis is several inches taller than Bates.

Another newcomer to Aggie football fans will be Clovis Ofsack of San Angelo. Olsack play-ed at San Angelo Jr. College last fall and was one of the outstand-ing junior college backs in the country. Olsack picked up 150 yards in one game against Tyler Junior College.

O. L. Pollock is being tried at

Aggie Baseball squad plays Brooke Medics here at 3 p. m. Tennis Match between Aggies and Vanderbilt at 1:30 p. m. Saturday-Sports Day. Conference Swimming Meet

Of twenty-six members of the White squad, fifteen were on the freshmen squad during the fall. Others were ineligible due to both scholastic and transfer rea-

Tickets for tomorrows game can be purchased from any member of

the "T" Club, or at the Kyle Field gate tomorrow afternoon.

Sports Calendar

Friday— Southwest Confer-ence Swimming preliminaries at

8 p. m.

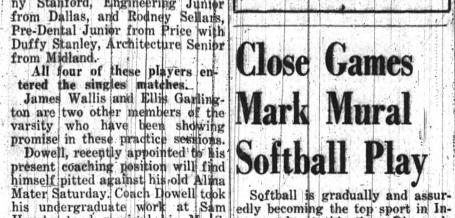
finals at 7:30 p. m. Intramural fencing begins at

2 p. m. in gym. Intrasquad Football Game on Kyle Field at 2 p. m. Basehall Game between Ag-gies and Brooke Medics at 4

Tennis Team plays Sam Hous-

ton at 1:30 p. m.

By JAMES DE ANDA Texas A&M's hard-hitting baseballers got off to a flying start yesterday with a decisive 17-6 win over a visiting Southwestern University squad. The Cadets wasted little time, scoring one run in the first stanza and adding another in the second. The Farmers hald a track weat in the third in-



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are filled with enthusiastic players

who give their all in an effort to

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