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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10.

## A TROLLEY LINE SUBSTITUTE.

Some time ago, when Mr. Kennedy of Houston proposed to build an electric railway between Bryan and College Station, the public spirited citizens of Bryan and Brazos county raised about \$15,000 as a bonus to secure the line. Mr. Kennedy, however, was not ready with his end of the deal, and the proposition was abandoned. We understand that Bryan still has the \$15,000 ready to give to anyone who builds the line.

Unless some company is soon found which will undertake to build the line, we suggest that the I. & G. N. or the H. & T. C. be offered the bonus to operate one or more motor-cars between Bryan and College Station. The bonus is large enough to start a motor-car and to insure the operator against loss for some time to come. The students and the faculty of the A. and M. College are just as desirous of a quick and frequent means of transportation to and from Bryan as are the citizens of Bryan, and we hope that those on the trolley line committee will see fit to consider this suggestion.

## BASE BALL FOR THE WEEK.

A. and M. will play Houston league Wednesday and Thursday, April 10 and 11. On Friday and Saturday, April 12 and 13, games will be played with Austin College. All these games will be played at College Station.

Tennis is now a sport recognized by the Athletic Council, and those making the team will be allowed to wear the "T" drill and retreat has been given to all who are trying for the team.

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## U. OF T. 2, A. AND M 1

(Continued from page 1.)

Tarleton three times and Graham once, a noble string for Smith.

A. AND M.		U. OF T.	
POS.	PLAYER	A. B.	R. H. S. H. P. O. A. I.
5	Kelley	5	1 1 0 2 1 0
9	Moore	4	0 1 0 1 0 0
1	Smith	4	0 2 0 0 3 0
8	Milligan	4	0 1 0 0 0 1
2	Wessendorf	3	0 1 0 11 1 1
7	Huff	4	0 0 0 0 1 0
6	Heweiler	4	0 0 0 3 1 0
4	Black	2	0 0 1 1 0 0
3	Ehlinger	1	0 0 1 6 1 1
Totals		31	1 6 2 24 8 3

U. OF T.	
POS.	PLAYER
5	Jacoby
7	LaPulli
3	McMahon
2	Francis
6	Witherspoon
4	Watkin
9	Walker
8	Tarleton
1	Graham
Totals	

## Summary:

Bases stolen: A. and M. 3, U. of T. 1.

Two-base hits: Wessendorf, Smith, Francis and Watkin.

Double plays: Ehlinger.

Base on balls: off Graham 3, off Smith none.

Hit by pitched ball: Ehlinger.

Struck out: by Graham 9, by Smith 11.

Time of game: 2 hours.

Umpire: Hammer. Scorer: J. H. Collins.

## "B" COMPANY WINS.

"B" Company won the second of the company games by the close score of 2-0 over "C" in a six-inning game. Krauskopf rapped out a two-bagger the first time up. Day got two hits for "B." "C" had three men on bases and nobody down at one time, but Abney pitched out of the hole in fine shape. Stinson pitched good ball for "C."

C-0		D-2	
Pos.	Player	Pos.	Player
4	Mollenbery	6	Day
8	Stripling	5	Jennings
6	Faber	4	Filgo
2	Whitney	2	Dibbrell
5	Krauskopf	9	McCown
9	Sorensen	8	Easterwood
7	VanZandt	3	Maxwell
3	Haney	7	McConnell
1	Stinson	1	Abney

## BIVINS TWIRLS

**Big League Ball—Southwestern Falls to Score in Second Game.**

A. and M. had the game all to herself Tuesday. Southwestern had to be satisfied with a goose-egg, while College chalked up the neat sum of eleven—the eighth inning yielding nine long marks.

Kelley drove one to Johnson on second and made it to first on his error. He stole second and third. Moore beat out a bunt and stole second. Both scored on Smith's two-base hit. Smith was caught off second. Wess went out on a fly to Nettles and Ehlinger struck out.

Southwestern nearly scored in the second, but Bivins took in a hot one and spoiled the chance. In the fifth Stanford and Williams went out on a double play by Black to Heweiler.

The eighth was a hit-and-run affair for the College boys. All got around but Milligan, whose hit brought in Moore. Kelley tripped across twice. With thirteen men up we got two two-base hits, three singles, three stolen bases and the nine runs.

Georgetown's score card is mostly 1-2-3. We were too harsh with them in our last issue. They are

"slap-dab" good players.

Innings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9—  
 A. and M. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—11  
 S. W. U. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Bases stolen: Off Stone, 5; off Bivins, none.

Two-base hits: Smith, Kelley and Wessendorf.

Double plays: Black to Heweiler.

Hit by pitched ball: Moore, Ehlinger.

Struck out: By Stone, 5; by Bivins, 5.

Time of game: Two hours.

Umpire: Richenstein.

Scorer: Collins.

## LETTER FROM WESTINGHOUSE COMPANY.

The E. E. department of the A. and M. College has received the following letter from the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company of Pittsburg, Pa. Messrs. Allen, Gleason, Pirie and Ramsey of the E. E. class of '06 are now employed by this company. Numerous other letters have been received by the E. E. department from the various electric manufacturing companies, asking for men. Some of the companies will be disappointed, as the E. E. class of '07 is not large enough to supply the demand. The men in the class have all a large number of positions to pick from, and they will be scattered from California to Lynn, Mass.

East Pittsburg, Pa.,

March 29, 1907.

Prof. N. H. Brown,  
 The A. and M. College,  
 College Station, Texas.

My dear sir:

I have at hand your letter of February 28th, which was referred to me by Mr. C. F. Scott, and which he acknowledged under date of March 25th.

Messrs. Allen, Gleason, Pirie and Ramsey, the young men who came with our Company immediately after graduating from the A. and M. College last June, have been doing exceptionally well—so well, indeed, that we will take full advantage of your offer to send us four young men from this year's graduating class.

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In line with the above would request that you initial each application.

I have nothing to suggest in the way of improvements in your training of young men at the College, since the work of the four men now with us compares quite favorably with the work done by the other young men from the various technical schools throughout the United States.

One thing in their favor is that they are willing to work and very anxious to learn.

Yours very truly,  
 Chas. E. Downton,  
 Foreman of Apprentices.

A number of copies of the Inter-Collegian were received the other day by the president of the Y. M. C. A. This paper is issued monthly by the head of college Y. M. C. A. work in New York. The monthly copies will be found in the library. As much important matter is to be found in them, the students should read them.

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