Athletics at A. and M. College

Athletics and athletic conditions at the Agricultural and Mechanical College have been improving steadily during the last four or five years, and the day is not far distant when A. & M. will excel in all forms of sport. Taking the average A. & M. student for an example, he will be found to be a healthy, strong and upright young man. With this foundation to work upon, success is assured.

The place of athletics in colleges has been argued by some of the opponents to inter-collegiate athletics to be destructive of the young man's ambition for something else. Inter-collegiate athletics have done a great work in making young men better, not only physically, but mentally and morally as well. The regular and earnest physical training makes the youth sinewy and enduring. Without the strong bodies and clear minds which they gain on the athletic field many students would undoubtedly fail in their studies.

school on the gridiron. The team efforts. work was excellent, and the individual work was never better. Great by "A" Company, by an overwhelming praise is due our coach, Mr. Larson, total score of 96 points to their opwho is, without doubt, one of the best ponents' 0. The splendid team work coaches that has ever been at the made possible by the every day hard A. &. M. College. Being a stranger to practice won for these boys their title the boys he naturally worked under as champions. Although this team some disadvantages, but it was not was one of the heaviest, it does not long before he had everything work- owe its victory entirely to weight. ing smoothly. It is entirely to his This year's baseball team started credit that the forward pass was out under disadvantages. The "strike" worked so successfully, and that the and several other causes weakened many new plays were carried out so the team. The loss of Choc Kelley, well. This proves that it takes some- who was the captain of the team, and thing else besides weight to make a also one of the best all around playteam.

quainted with all the boys, and knows in such a gloomy light, for he had what they can do, and what to expect them practicing early and late, and of them, the next year's team will made every one of the boys get up surpass, we hope, the team of 1907 and travel to keep his pace. With an in many ways.

is as follows:

	A. & M.
Ft. Worth U 0	34
Texas U 0	0
L. S. U 5	11
Haskell Indians 0	5
T. C. U 5	32
Tulane U 6	18
Oklahoma U 0	19
Texas U11	6

Total opponents'

points ...27-A. & M.125 A larger amount of enthusiasm was displayed in the company football games this year than has ever been shown before. Each company always had enough men out for practice to



An Exciting Moment.



L. L. LARSON, Coach.

L. N. HUFF, Manager.

The line-up of the team was as fol-

McElroy, pitchers; DeWare, 1st base;

English, 2nd base; Bittle, short stop;

Butts & Eversberg, 3rd base; Mc-

Daniel, left field; Crockett, center

The averages made by the differ-

ent men at the bat are as follows:

Townsend, 316; DeWare, 310; Cor-

nell, 261; Harbin, 209; McElroy, 182;

a hard thing to pick the winners, and

now that company "C" has played the

tie off, they can truly say that they

honestly deserve the company champ-

leadership of Coach Larson, this year,

has shown good results; but now that

the first real hard work of breaking in

a large team, as this was, is over, it

will not be difficult for the A. & M.

track team to crowd all the others

for the head place. Fourteen were

qualified this year against only

This form of athletics, not hav-

ing the proper support, was form-

erly permitted to drag along, but

now that everything has been

brought to working order, great

The track team, under the able

field; Townsend, right field.

Butts, 19.

ionship.

three last year.

results are expected.

J. UTAY, Captain.

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The College Flirt

Of all the maids that ever lived, As well as those of story books. There's one alone to whom we give The most of al lour time and looks: This maid is Annie Lytics.

Of all that ere to college come, This one, we think, surpasses all In bringing woe, disgrace and shame To sad-eyed Sophs from every hall-This maiden, Annie Lytics.

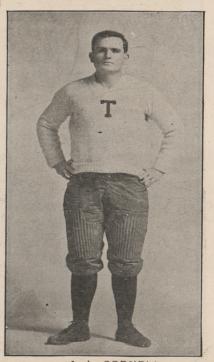
Crockett, 179; Bittle, 167; English, From other daughters of father Math, 216; McDaniel, 125; Eversberg, 48; We could get sometimes a big round 10. But this little maid of all she hath, The company baseball teams have Presents a lemon our hopes to rend: been so evenly matched that it was Beware of Annie Lytics.

> One sad sweet day this flirt so bold, Entrapped three youths from Batche-

lor's hall, And we believe, and too are told. They're Bobbie, Pottsie, and Pee Wee

small-Ah! treacherous Annie Lytics.

-B. K. and C. J., '10.



A. L. CORNELL. Captain '08 Baseball Team

The A. & M. football team this year count of the stars of the company foot- | won, seven lost, and one tied. was without a doubt one of the best ball teams could not be given, for, in teams that has ever represented this fact, every player put forth his best lows: Cornell, catcher; Harbin &

The football championship was won ers, was indeed bad. Coach Wirt Since Coach Larson has become ac- Spencer, though, did not look at things earlier start next year, and more bat-The tabulated account of the games ting practice, the team for next year will no doubt give a hard fight for the championship.

Chas. DeWare, the star first baseman, and one of the safest hitters on the team, had been chosen captain for next year. DeWare is popular with the boys and can no doubt get, more hard work out of the team than any other man. The scores made this year are as

Southwestern U.0 Southwestern U.4 Southwestern U.4 Southwestern U.5 Texas Christian U....5 University of Ark....1

follows:

Texas Christian U....1 University of Texas..0 University of Texas..1 University of Texas..5 University of Texas..1 University of Texas...6 Eaylor University1 Baylor University4 Baylor University0

A. & M.

* 14 innings; ! 11 innings.

Our team therefore had a total score of forty-eight runs against their member of Coopponents' forty. Out of the sixteen lumbia debating games that were played, eight were

V. Kejein, a Chinese student, has been elected editor-in-chief for next year of the "Columbia Spectator," the daily newspaper of Columbia University. For two years Kee has been a teams.