thieves is entirely eliminated. The pennants put up in the mess hall are too high in the ceiling to be stolen. Hence there is no danger of losing pennants. The committee now has between eight and nine hundred pennants and needs fifteen hundred to carry out its scheme for decorating the building. There are plenty of pennants in the corps for this decoration if the students will only manifest a little spirit of the right kind.

Another embarrassing feature that presents itself in this preparation for the Thanksgiving hop is the slowness with which the students are subscribing to the funds for financing the big dance. Those cadets who do not dance are expected to give a dollar, and those cadets who do dance are expected to give three dollars. Let us hope that the students have been too busy watching the football games to keep sight of the hop, and that they will come across handsomely to finance the football players' dance.

The decoration and the finance committees need your help; the decoration committee wants the use of your pennants and can use your assistance, when you have an evening off, in decorating the hall. The finance committee needs your dollars. Don't be niggardly in helping this worthy cause.

#### THE AFTERMATH.

We have met the "Longhorns" and have sawed the horns off the once vicious beasts; henceforth they will doubtless exhibit characteristic qualities of domesticated animals, a trait that should have been taught them vears ago.

We wonder who is soothing them now? Breathing sighs and explaining whys? Each day as we turn our oculari upon a gorgeous sun rising to its zenith, may we behold it casting its brilliant rays upon a team that we hope has been taught in the past two years that there are other foes even in this commonwealth that may be classed with the Longhorns in ability, training, prowess, but not in egotism.

Many years have we made pilgrimages to that marshy pen, surrounded by cactus plants and limestone hills, known as Clark Field; and almost invariably have we returned to our haunts along the Brazos void of tin.

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of prosperity, when Varsity offers odds of four to one, we ride in automobiles, have Pullman sleepers at our disposal, and eat real, sure enough steaks; no more hamburgers for us.

Seriously, now we would like to have Varsity's support on some vital points that must be considered, one of them being WHEN IS A PLAYER PLAYING UNDER AN ASSUMED NAME? Another is, ARE WE TO COMPLY WITH THE RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION UNDER WHICH WE ARE PLAYING? Or shall we take every possible opportunity to evade same? Previous to our game last Monday we protested one of the Longhorn players, in due time, as provided for in the rules under which we were to play. The case was investigated and our protest was overruled. We accepted the decision without a murmur. On the other hand, we understand that twenty-four hours before the game was called charges were filed against two of our players and were later withdrawn.

As we see it, this does not appear to be a very desirable method for creating a sportsman-like feeling between the supporters of the two rival insti tutions. This institution has always stood for stricter rules governing the eligibility of players. However, we have always been in the minority on this point, and we may have to again Christianize our rivals, who seem to think, "You Farmers play this game as we say, not as we do."

We are proud of the members of our team and of their work. They have showed that it is still possible to make a winning team out of amateurs, if handled by competent coaches, and our coaches seem to have filled the bill. They have delivered the goods, and the team, the student body and the alumni are satisfied. What do we care about the remarks of a few disgruntled sporting editors?

Of course, we are elated over our victories, yet we do not have any asinine notions in our heads that our team is in the class with Harvard, Yale, Princeton, etc. A couple of years ago, when the Longhorns had clearly won the STATE CHAMPION-SHIP, massive chunks of "hot air" and "rot" began to emanate from beneath the hat bands of some of the gan to fear that we were forever ostracised. Even this year it has been flaunted in our faces that in all probability Varsity would next year head To Whom It May Concern: the Southern Association and would we think an excellent schedule could team. be made by staying on this side of The gentlemen who failed to find the great river for our games, with me last Sunday evening are invited to the exception of the one which we repeat their call. have already contracted for.

As for the game last Monday, it

safekeeping and the danger of loss by But these things have changed tem- speaks for itself. Both teams played porarily at least, and now in the days a great game. It was somewhat of a surprise to us that our line was not torn to pieces by a backfield that had had years of experience, and was magnificently coached. Then, too, we were gratified to find that our "subs" were. capable of tearing through for consistent gains.

Well we done beat Varsity by a mighty nice score.

Ta-ta-ta-ta!

#### **Local News**

Colonel Milner was detained Houston Monday night on account of a severe chill and fever.

A. W. Murphy, of "A" company, has eturned from Fort Worth, where he attended the bedside of his father.

F. M. Law, president of the A. & M. Club in Beaumont, was one of the enthusiastic rooters at Monday's game at West End Park.

Lost-A gold watch with monogram R. W. C." on back of case. Finder please return to R. Canfield and reeive reward.

Among the ex-players of A. & M. who witnessed the game at Houston Monday were Charlie DeWare of Brenham, and Hal Mosely, of Dallas. The latter was for three years field captain of the A. & M. team.

Misses Louise Louwien and Hazel Hill, of Bellville, are visiting Prof. and Mrs. J. E. Lear on the campus. They will be here until after the Thanksgiving hop.

McNulty, the A. & M. line coach of 1909, was on the side lines at Houston and was overjoyed when the A. & M team won its signal victory. McNulty came originally from the Notre Dame football team. In his fourteen years of line experience it is said that only twenty yards were gained through his

Col. R. T. Milner addressed the afternoon session of the Industrial Congress at Houston Tuesday on the subject: "The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and the Work It Is Doing." Prof. R. J. Potts addressed the morning session on Wednesday on inhabitants of cactus-town, and we be- the subject: "Construction and Maintenance of Earth Roads."

#### NOTICE!

The sum of one hundred and fifty not trifle with teams of our class. We dollars is hereby offered to any person regret an attitude such as is outlined who can show that I have ever bet, or above. We must in candor say that offered to bet, against any A. & M. we would like to see a better spirit team; or that I have ever expressed in the state, and as for our own team, sentiments hostile to any A. & M.

(Signed) ROY FOLLETT. November 14, 1910.

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