

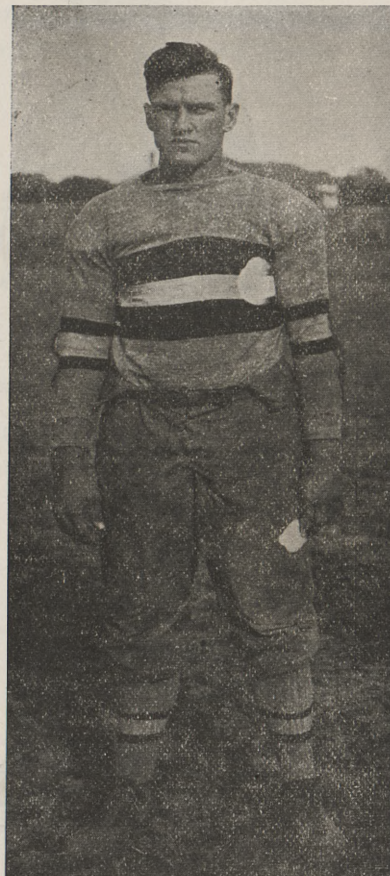
# FRESHMAN WEARERS OF THE "T"



BROWN



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## FRESHMEN ATHLETES

As a class we started out to help A. & M. in every way we could, so when the call for candidates was issued last fall, as many as had ever seen a foot-ball turned out to see if they couldn't be of some use in the making of a championship team. Some of us were not developed enough this year, but we're going to give—em—ll next year. The others, about a third of the squad, got in and gave them what they had and although some got their necks twisted and their legs tied up in bow-knots, they made it evident to the old boys that they would have to hump if they wanted a place on that team. With the same determination they kept working and hoping, throughout the season. Gradually Brown showed them that he knew something about playing end and that the opponents chances for slipping anything over on him were mighty slim. At the same time old Newt Settegast was developing into a strong tackle, and Butler was helping the team at guard. So that when the end of the season came these to-gether with Brooks who played so well at end were awarded "T"s, while Johnson, Menier, Burns, and Rogers were given the next highest honor, the "T AMC".

Then came the basket-ball season and Settegast again stepped forward for the class of '18, and was making good at center when he succumbed to his studies and was forced to drop out, leaving a hole that was hard to fill. Price, our only other representative, showed up well and with the aquisition of a little more speed will develop into a mighty good man.

At present we're all looking toward base-ball and track, watching the development of the respective teams, and feeling proud that some of our men if they keep on developing as they already have, will be counted on

in the big tests. In baseball Rigney is showing very good form at short, and ought to be a valuable man to the team. Davies and Thodberg are also doing some good work in the out-field, and seem to know where to find the ball when it crosses the plate. In the in-field Priester and Menier are giving the old boys a hard rub, as is Moore behind the bat. The weather has been against the pitchers, but Smith and Saunders are working hard, and ought to develop into good men.

On the track "Bullet" Mooses is showing up mighty well. He's a hard worker, and with a little more time ought to make a strong bid for the quarter. Shiner has concentrated his mind on the mile and, weather good or bad, he'll be found working out and getting in shape to do a little bit more than his best when the big meets come. DeMontel has been doing a lot of hard work to get in shape, and is now polishing up his form for the hurdles and getting a little endurance so he can do all he can to fill Captain Everett's place. Rogers is also working at the hurdles, but dividing his time between them and the quarter, where he is making a strong bid for the relay team. Starnes, tho handicapped with a bad knee and ankle, is also making a strong race for the relay, and at the same time is getting in shape for the high and broad jump. Erskine is working hard at the half and improving his form, and ought to develop into a god man. Shuckhart did some good work in the pole vault before he came here, but is having a hard time learning a new form, and it will probably take him a little time to master it, but when he does, he ought to go right up.

"Fish" Brooks was making good on the track; he was undoubtedly one of the best men out, but unfortunately he injured his knee so severely that he will be unable to run any more this season. His loss, with Captain Everett's, will be sorely felt on the track squad.

## HIGH RANKING FISH.

In the military department we have two high ranking "Fish," namely, Lieut. Hill, Commandant, and Sergeant Hyland, "Bull" Sergeant. Lieutenant Hill graduated from West Point in 1909. He has seen several years of active service. He spent about a year and a half in the Philippines and for two years he was stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas. Lieutenant Hill also spent nearly two years on the Mexican border, part of the time being in El Paso and part along the border of New Mexico. He was sent as Commandant to A. and M. in September 1914. After remaining

at A. and M. for a few months, he took unto himself a wife, and now resides peacefully on the campus, instructing cadets in the art and science of war.

Sergeant Hyland came to us from Fort Clark, Texas, where he was stationed previous to his call to A. and M. Sergeant has made many friends in the short time he has been here. And we "Fish" are proud of him, for you know he is a "Fish," too.

Some of the boys like to call him "Puss in Boots," not disrespectfully, however, but as an affectionate nick name, for we all like Sergeant Highland immensely.



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