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AGGIES TAKE RIFLE MATCH FROM ARIZONA

Took Long End of Score by 883 to 817. Future Matches With Teams Announced.

In a match fired with the University of Arizona two weeks ago Saturday the A. and M. Rifle Team was victorious by a score of 883 to 817. The teams fired on their own courses, the results being ascertained by the exchange of the targets used. The members of the team and their respective scores are as follows:

Possible 100.

Johnson, C. R.	95
Robinson, C. A.	88
Dunnam, L. K.	90
Stevenson, L. D.	93
Allen, S. T.	85
Guthrie, S. Y.	89
Longley, A. J.	85
DuBose, P.	86
Guyer, P. M.	84
Bethel, I. M.	88

A match with the University of Minnesota was fired last Saturday; the results of which will be announced later. Preparations have been made by Capt. Besse, coach of the team, to shoot against teams from ten leading colleges in the U. S. They are as follows: Northwestern U., Syracuse U., Louisiana U., Rhode Island State, Kansas State, Washington State, Mississippi A. and M., University of Illinois, and Marion Institute.

The team is also preparing for the National R. O. T. C. match that is to be held in the near future. Teams from all of the R. O. T. C. units in the United States will be entered and the winning team will receive the William Rudolph Hurst trophy offered by this man. In addition to the trophy each man on the team will receive a medal, as will the individual high point man in the contest.

* **STANDING OF THE TEAMS** *

Southwestern Conference Basketball.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Texas	4	0	1.000
T. C. U.	5	1	.833
Baylor	3	1	.750
Texas A. and M.	2	2	.500
Okla. A. and M.	2	2	.500
S. M. U.	1	0	1.000
Rice	0	6	.000
Arkansas	0	0	.000

Inter-Battalion Football League.

Team	W	L	T	Pct.
1st Battalion	1	0	1	1.000
3rd Battalion	1	0	1	1.000
Artillery	1	0	0	1.000
Cavalry	1	1	0	.500
2nd Battalion	0	0	1	.000
S. C., B. and C.	0	1	1	.000
Aviation	0	2	0	.000

THE LONGHORNS ARE LEADING IN BASKETBALL

Horned Frogs Running Close Second, Baylor Third and Aggies Breaking Even

The Texas Longhorns, with a veteran team and a new basketball system to work with, are leading the Southwestern Conference Basketball race and from present indications will continue to lead it unless the Texas Aggies can stop the Orange basketballers when they meet them in Austin in January. The Longhorns have a great team and with a shrewd developer at the helm they should waltz through with two wins over the Baylor Bears Friday and Saturday nights. Texas had little trouble in winning from Oklahoma A. and M. and that team was considered one of the favorites in the struggle for the championship and later in the series with the Owls the Longhorns showed great improvement in goal-shooting. Baylor was lucky to win the second game with the Aggies and are probably higher now in the conference standing than they will be at any other time this year.

The Aggies take on a little rest after they return from Dallas, Wednesday, for if the Owls run true to form they have been showing against the other teams they should not be hard for the Aggies to trim. Rice always gives A. and M. a battle and this series may be no exception to the general rule.

Friday and Saturday T. C. U. meets the Oklahoma Aggies in Fort Worth and if Oklahoma recovers from the beatings that Texas gave them they may be able to walk off with one of the games. The Frogs had little trouble disposing of S. M. U., but neither did Oklahoma, and Fort Worth should see real battles when the two fives come together.

From now on it looks to be a question as to who can stop the flying Longhorns with the other teams fighting for trailing positions. T. C. U. does not play Texas and once the Longhorns are downed it may be necessary for someone to kick the Frogs over in order to win, but such a situation is too remote to consider at present.

Got some good news for the baseball men. Barran McCullough, star of last year's freshman baseball team over at Texas and hurler deluxe, has withdrawn from school and more than likely will go back to Texas. Hot dog!

Prof: The gods have drunk nectar? This is a case of the verb being incorrect. Give me a more desirable case.
Student (very sleepy): Er; a case of Haig and Haig, sir.

AGGIES SPLIT THEIR SERIES WITH BAYLOR

In First Game Were Powerless in Hands of Aggies—Turned Tables in Second Game.

Completely outclassed, the Bears took an awful drubbing at the hands of the Aggies last Friday night. Playing on their new court they were powerless against the defense against which they flung themselves time after time, and they were equally as helpless against the staggering offensive which the quintet from Aggie-land forced upon them. The score would indicate that it was a race track affair, but the 21 to 4 does not express exactly the tenseness of the conflict.

Saturday night things were just the reverse—the offensive of the Aggies netting only nine points, while that of the Baylor five netted fifteen. Not a man that composed the five which started this second game for the Aggies, made a field goal. Darby dropped in two out of three tries at free throws. Somethin' wrong, somethin' wrong.

First Game.

Long shots featured the affair of Friday night—Darby leading with three from near the center of the court which is his specialty. Gill started the game off by shooting one from the middle of the floor. Washburn, playing his running guarding game, broke up the Baylor dribbling game time after time as they tried to pass through the center. Baylor's offense consisted mostly of two men going parallel down the court, the man carrying the ball going directly down the center and the other one going down the side. The dribbler would pivot, pass back to a man trailing him who would then pass over the Aggies' heads in an effort to get the ball to the man who had gone down the side lines.

The play was solved by the Aggie guards, but Baylor, instead of seeing that it did not gain them anything, continued to use it for their offensive. Had they resorted to more of a defensive game the score would not have been so one-sided. They used a five man defense during the first half of the game but in the second half they used a man for man defense and things tightened down a bit.

The first half of the game ended with the score standing 13 to 1. Darby made three goals during the first period. Chambless made the one for Baylor. Fouls were few and the game as a whole was a clean one.

The Lineup.

Darby	Strickland
	R. F.
Damon	Chambless
	L. F.
Duckett	(c) Fullingim
	C.

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* **THE DOPE BUCKET.** *

Looks like this Athletic Department has a hard time staying single. Bet Johnnie Pierce leads off before long and Frank Anderson will have to follow or maybe it'll be the other way around.

Arkansas University makes her debut into the Southwestern Conference basketball world this week end when they meet S. M. U. This is the first year that the Razorbacks have ever put out a school basketball team and their big football star, a sophomore by the name of Corgan, is the captain. They play twelve conference games and ought to make a fair showing.

Heard lots of criticism over the way Ramp officiated that series in Waco. The boys that saw it said he let Baylor get away with murder. Surely he is fair or he wouldn't be officiating in the Southwestern Conference but he ought to go somewhere and watch real basketball played awhile and get these football ideas out of his head.

Swartz and Esquival tied up in a fight down at Rice the other night during the Texas-Rice series. Esquival ought to be a hard man to climb as he won the middle-weight boxing championship over at Texas last year. Maybe Swartz didn't know that.

Last week I mentioned in a casual sort of manner that Big George T. C. U. center, was a real basketball player even if he was big and ugly. Since then I learned that he jumped on Jimmy Kitts up at S. M. U. one time for less than that so just wanted to take this opportunity to state that I didn't really mean he was ugly. I should have said he was distinguished looking or maybe manly looking but never ugly. If you look at him in the right manner he's really beautiful.

Bunch of Juniors came into my room the other night and wanted to look at last year's Junior Banquet and a few minutes later Doc Killion came in and wanted to borrow some handcuffs so the banquet must be getting under way. Lee May says he will have his detachment of the Northwest Mounted Police on hand to protect the toastmaster.

The inter-company football season is stepping along. The First and Third seem to be the favorites among the campus experts but most any of the others may upset the dope. The league doesn't seem to be as fast as it was last year but the teams are more evenly balanced and more new material will be uncovered.