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COL. NELSON

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is not likely that all the power he has vested the Seniors with will shape the destinies of the Corps and student body in a way that is not fitting to the traditions of A. & M. College.

Col. Nelson entered Mississippi A. & M. in 1893 and graduated in 1897. He was one of the outstanding football players during his stay in college. He was also a baseball and track star. This one thing alone shows his love for athletics and explains his presence on Kyle Field every minute that he can spare to see the old Aggie machine at work. After he had received his B. S. degree from Miss. A. & M. in '97, Col. Nelson played baseball one season in the Southern League, and then he enlisted in the army and received his commission in 1899. He served overseas as Col. of the 106th Military Police of the 31st Division. He was also assistant chief of staff of the 92nd Division. After the war the very unpleasant job of commanding the 808th Pioneering Infantry, which was detailed to clean up the Meuse- Ar-

gonne battlefield, was given to him. In 1925 Col. Nelson was placed in command of the 9th Infantry at Fort Sam Houston and has been there until he was detailed to A. & M. in August.

The examples of "fish" Nelson are ones that can be followed with any amount of safety and it is practically certain that the followers will be better off by having followed the examples of this splendid soldier and man.

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

With the opening of the fall term much interest is being displayed in the prospects of the football squad for this year, for it is from among these men that the future Aggie teams will be picked.

Under the tutelage of Freshman Coach R. G. Higginbotham, assisted by J. C. McIntosh, Frank Anderson, and Henry Eitt, the Freshmen will start to work about Sept. 26, when it is expected they will be through with the trials of registration and settled in their new surroundings. About 50 candidates will be equipped at first but it is planned to keep a hundred men in uniform all through the season.

TEXAS AGGIE FOOTBALL SQUAD

1927

NAME	ADDRESS	POS.	WT.	AGE	EXP.
Alsbrook, P.	Cisco	Back	168	21	F
Bartlett, Z. W.	Marlin	Center	190	19	1-VL
Brown, Joe E.	Alvord	Center	168	21	F
Burgess, H. E.	Hale Center	Back	160	22	1-VL
Blount, R. J.	Gainesville	Tackle	168	19	F
Criswell, J. F.	Forney	Center	182	22	1-VS
Cuthrell, J. H.	Navasota	Tackle	182	24	1-VS
Cody, R. A.	Celeste	End	170	24	F
Conover, Brooks	Dallas	Back	167	19	F
Cox, R. F.	Eastland	Tackle	160	19	F
Cape, E.	San Marcos	End	168	21	B
Crawford, W. L.	Palestine	Tackle	158	22	1-VS
Davis, W. E.	Stephenville	Back	145	20	1-VS
Decker, C. T.	Mission	Center	180	20	B
Deffebach, J. A.	Ft. Worth	End	170	22	1-VL
Dorsey, R. R.	Ft. Worth	Back	146	21	F
Day, J. F.	Eden	Back	163	18	B
Ewell, W.	Dallas	Tackle	168	20	F
Figari, E. E.	Galveston	Guard	185	21	1-VS
Flory, C. M.	Smithville	Back	170	23	1-VS
Gnauck, R. E.	El Paso	Tackle	188	25	F
Holleron, W. K.	San Antonio	Tackle	191	20	F
Holleron, Tom	San Antonio	Center	187	19	F
Holmes, J. G.	Troup	Tackle	185	23	1-VS
Hunt, O. J., (Capt.)	Waco	Back	162	21	2-VL
Hable, R. E.	Corsicana	Guard	160	19	F
Ish, Frank	Waco	Back	135	21	F
Jefferies, P. D.	Laredo	Back	177	20	F
Kleber, F. M.	Dallas	Guard	168	20	B
Kyser, E. E.	Marlin	Back	139	19	F
Lister, W. S.	Livingston	Tackle	194	21	1-VL
Laster, L.	Cuero	Guard	171	21	F
Mosher, E. J.	Dallas	Tackle	176	22	1-VS
Mortellra, R. L.	Houston	Back	186	22	F
Mills, T. W.	Groesbeck	Back	146	19	B
Neal, G. G.	Denton	End	158	19	B
Oliver, G.	San Antonio	Back	157	20	B
Petty, S. J.	Decatur	End	162	24	1-VL
Rektorik, J. A.	Violet	Guard	172	24	1-VL
Rogers, W. C.	Marlin	Guard	148	19	1-VS
Rowland, E. C.	Ft. Worth	Tackle	185	19	B
Roland, C. A.	Ennis	End	158	22	B
Robbins, C. P.	Ennis	Center	165	20	1-VS
Richter, C. E.	Laredo	Guard	166	21	F
Sikes, J. V.	Leonard	End	164	22	2-VL
Sprott, A. C.	Livingston	Tackle	195	23	1-VL
Scovell, F.	Dallas	Guard	180	20	F
Snead, I. C.	Waco	Center	160	22	F
Stransky, J. U.	Savanna, Ill.	Tackle	188	20	B
Varnell, R.	Barry	Back	174	23	F
Wylie, H. P.	Dallas	Guard	190	20	1-VL

VL—Letter on Varsity Team.

VS—Varsity Squad (no letter).

F—Freshman team—numeral 1926.

Battalion Football—(Intramural football organized after Thanksgiving composed of players who did not make the varsity or freshman teams).