

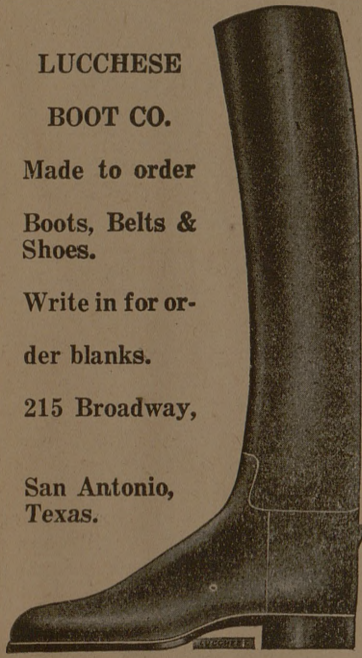
IOWA CITY, Jan. 26.—Regular television broadcasts this week were being planned at the University of Iowa, following the receipt of notification that the Federal Radio Commission had granted the necessary station permit.

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**LOAN—**

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democratic standing is a factor that is seriously taken into consideration. Whenever possible, the Association make it a policy to loan the students only the difference in the amount loaned by the college toward the required sum of money for room and maintenance.

**Half Million Loaned**

In the past seven years The Former Students' Association has loaned a half million dollars to students who needed to make notes, Mr. McQuillen says. The loan fund was started in 1924 with only \$2,000 and has rapidly grown to its present size. Loans are made with interest at six per cent and all interest received from notes is turned back into the fund. The largest single contribution was \$25,000 given by Sears, Roebuck and Company in 1925. The money was contributed with the understanding that all interest from the principal be paid the donors until an amount equal to the original sum

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**Baseball Practice Will Begin Next Monday—Six Letter Men To Return**

**Display Case For Athletic Trophies Being Considered**

At a meeting of the Senior class last week, the suggestion was made to the class that it used part of its present funds to build a trophy case for the college. As planned, the cost would only include the expenditure of materials and labor.

Location of the case was not definitely decided, due to several matters which will affect its location. The case is needed badly for the college to make a proper showing of awards and trophies that have been brought here by athletes in past contests, and games.

has been paid. Mr. McQuillen states that the obligation will probably be fulfilled ten years hence, his estimation being based on the payments made since the agreement was settled upon. After interest equaling the original amount has been paid to Sears, Roebuck and Company, the principal belongs to the loan fund of the Former Students' Association.

Annual dues of five dollars, paid by some 3,500 active members of the Association, augment the loan fund, pay for the publication of the Texas Aggie, and the expense of maintaining the office of the Association in the Civil Engineering Building.

**STUDENT—**

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hospital bed the story of the injury. He was looking in his trunk for some clothing, he said, when he picked up the pistol lying in the trunk. He thought the pistol was not loaded, and while holding it in his hand moved slightly the firing mechanism. The gun unexpectedly discharged in his face, the bullet entering his forehead. He regained consciousness slightly once prior to being removed to the hospital but was too weak to summon aid. X-ray examination at the hospital disclosed the bullet had lodged at the base of the brain.

Prior to Commons' return to consciousness and his explanation of how the accident took place, careful inquiry into the affair was made by the college authorities as well as local civil authorities, invited by the former to participate in the investigation as a matter of form.

**Member Of Infantry**

Commons is a member of Company A, Infantry. He belongs to the Rio Grande Valley Club and the local chapter of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He gained considerable fame in student circles during the spring of 1931 when he climbed the old flag pole to remove the student flag that fluttered for several days from its top.

The pistol by which he was injured was made by Commons himself. It was fashioned from a boyhood .22 calibre target rifle. The rifle was cut short and hand stock affixed.

**BOWLING—**

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the campus at present and as yet plans for the construction of any have not been made. It is possible, however, that an alley might be built in the Y M C A building in a year or so if it is decided to abandon the Y M C A swimming pool when the college swimming pool at Kyle field is completed. If this pool is abandoned, according to Y M C A secretary M. L. Cashion, a bowling alley might be the logical thing to install. Bowling, however, probably would not be recognized by the A and M athletic department unless it was listed as a Southwest Conference sport. It might, however, be listed among the intramural sports if equipment for play were available on the campus.

Students leaving school at mid-term may have their Battalions sent to them if they will turn in their cards and addresses to the office. Make this arrangement as soon as possible and prevent the making of any errors. Do not plan on having someone else do this for you at a later date.

**Shaw Nursing Sprained Wrist Carpenter, Garvey and Golasinski return.**

The pinnacle of the Southwest conference set as their goal, Coach "Little Hig" Higginbotham's champion Aggie diamond crew will begin official scheduled practice on Kyle field, Monday afternoon.

With the exception of two infielders, a pitcher, and an outfielder the Aggie line-up is likely to appear much the same as it did at the close of last season. Six of the nine positions will be filled by returning lettermen of last season.

**Pampell and Henderson Gone**  
The two infield members of the champion Aggie nine last season, who will not be on hand this season, are Vernon "Pamp" Pampell and T. A. Henderson, veteran third baseman and shortstop, respectively. Pampell completed his period of eligibility last season and Henderson failed to return to school in the fall.

Ab "Axel" Hawes, curve ball artist who held the Texas Longhorns helpless in the final game of the race last year, was graduated in June; along with "Beau" Bell, slugging captain and left fielder for the Aggies.

Besides the loss of the aforementioned lettermen, two promising sophomores, C. L. Cobb, third sacker from Bryan; and J. Curry, first baseman from Brenham; also failed to reenter school in the fall.

**Shaw's Wrist Bad**

Already handicapped by the loss of dependable performers at their respective positions, the hopes of Aggie diamond fans took another turn for the worse when Marshall Shaw, sensational sophomore right-hander from Ennis who was rated a "top-notch" as a moundsman in the conference last year, broke his wrist in a baseball game just prior to the Christmas holidays. Until very recently Shaw's wrist has shown little response to medical treatment and Aggie coaches are doubtful if he will be able to pitch effectively for some time.

"Bob" Scheer, right-handed letterman from Marshall, will likely carry the brunt of the work on the mound, should Shaw's wrist fail to heal.

**Good Catchers**

The receiving end will be well cared for with "Bob" Garvey of Livingston and Andrew Golasinski, Houston, both veterans in the art, probably dividing time. Garvey is a letterman and Golasinski is a squadman of two year's experience.

George Carpenter, Houston, who handled the initial sack satisfactorily last season and won his letter at that position, is likely to be shifted to the hot corner to replace Pampell while W. W. Mitchell, letterman in right field last year and

**Varsity Reserve Defeats Fish In Fast Night Game**

The fast-stepping freshmen proteges of Coach Klepto Holmes tasted the bitter dregs of defeat for the first time Saturday night at the Memorial Gymnasium court when they bowed to the varsity reserves by a score of 42-20, in a scoring spree in which more experienced players of Coach Reid held the upper hand throughout. With no one man starring, the smotherer passing and greater accuracy in hitting the basket enabled the varsity second stringers to gain a lead at the start of the game which was never threatened by the freshmen.

Joe Merka, of Bryan, was probably the most outstanding player on the court. His uncanny ability to break up freshman passes and his towering height at center enabled his team mates to keep the ball in their own territory while "Jocko" Roberts, guard from Terrell, and E. S. Horn, forward from Dallas, scored 13 and 11 points respectively. The other points were well distributed among the rest of the team.

Nervousness hindered the freshmen noticeably as they fumbled frequently and lost the ball in critical positions a number of times. Behind 19-11 at the intermission they came back strong at the beginning of the last half, playing a much improved brand of ball, but the lead the varsity reserves had could not be lessened, and when the game ended the lead was still mounting.

who formerly played at the short field post, will probably be shifted back to that position to strengthen the infield with veteran material. Carpenter was a candidate for third base until he was shifted to first last season.

Joe Miller, squadman from Princeton, and E. Weber, freshman numeralman from Nixon, will probably lead the fight for the vacancy left by the shifting of Carpenter. Walter "Sweetie" Davis, Fort Worth, twice a letterman at second base, is slated to fill the position for the third time.

**Fill Bell's Vacancy**

Finding a man capable of replacing "Beau" Bell in left field will present a task which is likely to completely surpass the means of Coach Higginbotham. Bell led the conference sluggers with a .470 batting average for the season last year, and his home run in the final game was the turning point which brought the Aggie from behind to win the conference title. In two of the ten conference games played by the Maroon and White last season Bell's batting average was 1000 per cent.

**Veltman At Center**

The middle garden will be in capable hands with captain Lester Squawk Veltman, San Antonio slugger who was second only to Bell in hitting last season, doing the patrolling. Veltman is also a sensation on the bases and his fielding leaves little to be desired.

The two remaining vacant outfield posts, the second made so by the shifting of Mitchell to shortstop, will have as leading competitors "Pete" Crozier, Fort Worth; V. C. Andrews, Bryan; and I. M. Lowenstein, Ysleta. Crozier and Andrews are squadmen and Lowenstein is a sophomore. A. B. Fisk, Houston; and D. C. Alanis, Ennis; both sophomores, are other outfield candidates.

**AGGIES FALL—**

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times in quick succession, by means of crisp-shots.

The Aggies retaliated partly by scoring again but found themselves unable to further diminish the Baylor lead. It was not long after that when the Bruin forwards again found vulnerable spots in the A and M defense and increased the Baylor lead to six points, below which it was never reduced thereafter.

While the Bruin forwards found the going fairly easy, Raymond Strickland, elongated pivot man and scoring ace of the Bears, could not find the basket and his total of field goals was only two.

Dividing equally the scoring honors for the night were Joe Moody, Aggie forward; James and Alford Baylor forwards; each contributing ten points to his team's score.

Lester "Squawk" Veltman, whose absence because of an injured ankle has been conspicuous in previous games, was probably the outstanding individual in the passing attack of the Aggies.

**GRID COACHES—**

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we wish for him every success to which he is justly entitled."

Coach Hunt received his scroll from "Sweetie" Davis, and it was worded thusly: "We, the undersigned members of the Texas Aggie football team, wish to express our sincere appreciation to Coach Joel Hunt, and we desire to state that we consider him as one of the ablest demonstrators and backfield coaches. His efficiency in demonstrating the things he desired us to do contributed immeasurably to our successful season."

The name of its receiver and the score of the Thanksgiving game, 7 to 6, were engraved on the back of each combination comb and brush set given the players, coaches, and "Doc" Sprague, trainer.

**AGGIES—**

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Owls February 16. Should the Aggies fail to win from either Baylor, then they will play a "crucial" game with the S M U Mustangs in Dallas Saturday night, February 6, to determine just who is to be the official doormat for conference cage teams, during the 1932 season.

The Navy football officials gave approval to recruiting prep school stars, and arranged for the continuance of the Notre Dame system of play.

**Barger Holding Men's Class For Insurance Exam**

In order to prepare its members for the Certified Life Underwriters examination to be held in June, the Houston Life Underwriters Association is offering a course in the fundamentals of insurance each Tuesday evening in Houston. Professor J. Wheeler Barger of the Department of Economics, A and M College of Texas, is conducting the class.

Original enrollment of thirty-five members in November has increased to seventy-two at present, making the Houston class the third largest in the United States studying for this year's examination. The largest is the New York class, while a Los Angeles class is slightly larger than the one conducted by Professor Barger. At present there are more than 2,000 insurance and business men studying for this year's examination.

The examination is exceedingly comprehensive, covering business law, trusts, estates, corporation finance, investments, taxation and public finance, government, English and sociology. Courses are of advanced college or graduate school calibre. The Certified Life Underwriters degree, given to those who pass the examination, corresponds in the field of insurance to a Certified Public Accountants degree in the field of accounting. One company offers a minimum salary of \$250 per month to any of its employees holding the C. L. U. degree.

The class roster includes 16 general or district agents, a number of home office employees, 1 actuary, 1 sales promoter, 1 bank trust officer; and several salesmen.

**Horseshoe Pitching Starting Next Term**

Although regular competition does not begin until after the start of the second term, several organizations have already applied for equipment for intramural Horseshoe Pitching, in order to practice for the contests.

Leagues will be formed in this sport as they are in Intramural Handball and other intramural sports. There will at least four leagues formed with five to six teams to the league, depending on the number of units desiring to participate. Each organization desiring to participate will be allowed a team consisting of six men.

This team will be divided into three sets and competition will take place as in handball and tennis.

Seven intramural medals will be presented to the winning team. This will allow one for each of the six men on the team and one substitute.

**Publicity Director Calls Press Meeting**

Curtis Vinson, publicity director of the college, will be in Dallas next week where he as director of District Five of the American College Publicity Association has called a one day session of the organization.

Several prominent speakers will be on the program including Dan Scoates, head of the Agricultural Engineering Department of the College. The date has been set for February sixth.

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