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1st Hdq. Field Artillery Wins Over "D" Cavalry In Water Polo Game

In one of the seasons best water polo games, 1st Hdq. F. A. downed the strong D. Cav. outfit by a score of 3 to 2. The battle was nip and tuck all the way and the only way in which the buggy boys could stay ahead was by the use of those dangerous B. C. shots, which are first passed and then slapped into the goal.

Playing two three minute halves, agreed to for the final game, the first shot was pushed through the goal by O. Denny, of the Artillerymen, with only 2 seconds left to play in the first half. At the start of the second-half, the buggy boys came back to score again, this time on one of the most beautifully executed shots ever pulled in the local pool. The ball went to Hiebeler, Headquarter's goalie, who made a beautiful pass to Chick

Denny, who in turn BC'd the ball across the pool to Rodgers who slapped it in the goal for a score. The Cavalry came back quickly to get back into the game by a hard shot by Allen from the side of the pool, which bounced on the water and was misjudged by the goalie.

The Artillerymen scored again on the Denny to Rodgers combination for a BS shot. And again the Cavalry came back to score on a play worked down from the opposite side of the pool. When the shot finally came Bouds rose out of the water and slung his long arm over with the ball and the ball had too much force for the defending goalie. This left one half minute to play and the Artillery boys gained possession of the ball and kept it until the final gun fired that announced them the winner by a 3 to 2 score.

Individual stars for the winners were those two Louisiana brothers, Chick and Ot Denny, and Billy Rodgers. For the losers were Jack Lippard, Carl Hill, Tommy Bouds and Karcher, the goalie.

Not to be outdone by preseason predictions that predicted a downfall from the heights of prowess in the handball courts, E. F. A. triumphed over the dark horse 2nd Hdq. F. A. team and remained kings of the four walls. Playing with a veteran team and playing their same brand of ball, E. Battery was the master throughout the match. However, the Headquarters boys were determined to

go down fighting and go down fighting they did. An exceptional brand of ball was played and it was a treat to watch these boys go into action after seeing some of the regular league games.

This week will see the finals in Fish basketball and volleyball played with the Rgtl. Hdq. F. A. meeting the less publicized 1st Hdq. F. A. team in the basketball game. The Rgtl. Hdq. boys will be top heavy favorites to win because of the material on their squad. Having practically all of the Fish team and others it is no wonder that they are the favorites. But this does not dampen the spirits of the 1st Hdq. boys. These boys have quite a number of outstanding stars among them and want their turn at the Fish team in order to pull what they say will be a BIG upset. Although the leagues are just completed in college-ball, the finals should be played this week.

When the term is ended and the new term is starting us in the face, there will also be wrestling, horse-shoes, and class A volleyball, to start on. And there will be Class B horse-shoes, handball, and wrestling.

It was thought that tennis and speedball could be completed before the final exams, but with all the rainy weather, and wet grounds and postponements more frequent than the games, it will be necessary to run these finals into the second term.

American League Dominates '38 All Star League Team

Led by the New York Yankees, who placed five players, the American League dominates the 1938 all-star major league team as selected by 249 members of the Baseball Writers' Association of America for The Sporting News of St. Louis, national baseball weekly. The team announced today, follows:

Left field, Joe Medwick, St. Louis Cardinals; center field, Joe DiMaggio, New York Yankees; right field, Mel Ott, New York Giants; first base, Jimmy Foxx, Boston Red Sox; second base, Charley Gehringer, Detroit Tigers; short-stop, Joe Cronin, Boston Red Sox; third base, Robert Rolfe, New York Yankees; catcher, Bill Dickey, New York Yankees; pitchers, Charley Ruffing and Vernon Gomez, New York Yankees, and Johnny Vander Meer, Cincinnati Reds.

200 PERSONS EAT AND LISTEN AT FOOTBALL BANQUET



Above is a view of some of the 200 persons who attended the annual football banquet in the mess hall last Thursday, at which time awards for the year were made in varsity and freshman football and cross-country.

OWLS BEAT AGGIES, 37 TO 29

Third Conference Win for Rice Owls

The Rice Owls won their third conference victory last night when they defeated the Texas Aggies in Houston, 37 to 29. The Aggies outlasted the Owls in the closing stages of the closely contested affair. At one time, with less than five minutes to play, the Aggies pulled to within three points of the Owls, but a couple of quick baskets iced the game and gave Rice its third straight conference win.

Tommy Tinker, junior college transfer, was the outstanding player of the Aggie team. His four field goals in the final period of play kept the cadets in the ball game and gave the Owls a headache.

Levi Craddock was the outstanding man during the game for the Owls. His steady work under the basket when the Aggies were threatening to overhaul the Owls proved to be a life-saver.

The game was nip and tuck throughout with Rice holding a 17 to 11 lead at half-time. The lead changed four times during the first 10 minutes with the Owls finally going to the front, 13 to 11, after 13 minutes of play.

Big Dog Dawson, who worked well under the basket for the Aggies, took the ball off the boards to start the second half and looped a basket. He then added a free throw and the Aggies were back in the ball game. Rice pulled away after four minutes on baskets by Craddock and Carswell. Tinker then swung into action with two field goals and the Aggies trailed 21 to 25 as Dawson left the game on fouls.

DR. A. R. KEMMERER, CHEMIST of the A. & M. College Experiment Station, has accepted appointment as associate referee on Reboflavin for the Association of Official Agricultural Chemist, it was announced by Dr. G. S. Fraps, state chemist and head of the department.

It will be Dr. Kemmerer's duty to work out a chemical method of estimating reboflavin, which has been known as vitamin G. This method would be tested by collaborative work by laboratories in various parts of the United States and when a satisfactory method has been developed, it will be adopted for official use by the Association of Official Agricultural Chemists.

McQuillan's Quintet To Fort Worth And Dallas For This Week's Games

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"Hub" McQuillan takes his quintet to Fort Worth and Dallas this weekend. Friday night they meet the lowly T.C.U. Frogs in Fort Worth and the next night they take on the powerful S.M.U. Mustangs—"Snipe" Norton, Billy Dewell and all.

The Mustangs ran over Arkansas in grand style several days ago, but when they met the Frogs the other night they were lucky to get a 31-29 victory over them in a five minute overtime.

If the Cadets, who are improving with every game, turn the trick against the defending Mustangs, they will throw the conference race wide open. J. T. Lang has shown lots of improvement lately. "Hub" has changed Lang from guard to forward and the change has looked good. Dawson has shown lots of improvement this year. Everyone remembers Freeman Bokencamp, who was about the roughest basketball player who ever hit this court.

Rice, SMU Win During Weekend Games Texas And Arkansas Split Twin Bill

RICE BEATS ST. MARY'S IN FINAL QUARTER

A stubborn aggressive St. Mary's University quintet nearly won over the Rice Owls last weekend but the Owls came back into the fourth quarter to win 43-31. The Rattlers held a lead over the Owls at the half 18-16, then the Owls came into their own towards the end of the third period to forge ahead 30-27. The final quarter was filled with the goal shooting of Frank Carswell and ball-grabbing of Bert Selman who teamed together to pile up a 10 point lead.

Carswell was the top point maker of the evening, accounting for 16 points. He also turned in an excellent exhibition of ball handling. Taylor of St. Mary's lead his team with a total of 11 points.

TEXAS AND ARKANSAS SPLIT A TWIN BILL

Arkansas University, defending Southwest Conference basketball champion, dropped its third consecutive game Friday night by losing to Texas 41-37. The undersized Texas Team took the lead in the first minute and led over the awkward Hogs all the way. Chester Granville of Texas was high point man for the game with 10 points. Martin of Arkansas led his team with nine.

Arkansas University reversed words but sang the same tune that Texas sang on Friday to win over them on Saturday 65-41. The Arkansas team was composed of four Sophomores and one Senior. This quintet completely outplayed the Longhorn bunch throughout the entire game to avenge the defeat handed them the night before. John Adams, Hog forward, was high point man with 23 points to his credit. Houpt, Texas forward, lead his team with 12 points.

WIN GOES TO MUSTANGS IN OVERTIME PERIOD
A trailing Mustang team opened up in the final quarter to force the TCU Frogs into an overtime period. The Mustangs played over-confident ball all evening, making miss after miss in field goals. J. D. Norton, S. M. U. forward, sank the field goal that won the game for the Mustangs in the extra period. Wilkerson was high for the game with 13 points followed by Norton with 10. Duckworth was high for T. C. U. with 8 points.

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