

Aggies Play SMU and TCU This Week

SWIMMING TEAM'S ANNUAL WATER CARNIVAL TURNS OUT LAUGHS

The Annual Water Carnival held Saturday night by the swimming team turned out to be one laugh after another with Coach Hub McQuillan furnishing most of the comedy. Comedy diving was offered by Ed Lopez of LSU and Paul Ketelson of A. & M.

Coach McQuillan attempted to land the "human fish," Paul Spagh, with light tackle and 18 pound test line. The object was for McQuillan to land Spagh without breaking the pole. After six minutes of steady fighting on the part of both the fish and the fisher, the "pooped" fish succeeded in breaking the pole.

Adrian Hardy, Women's Senior Diving Champion of Southwest A. U. and three women assistants put on a great swimming and diving exhibition showing great form. Also offering exhibition diving were "Bubba" Reeves and Paul Ketelson. Both showed good form in many dives. Among the events that held much interest were the dives made from the rafters.

The "Water Polo A La 1870", showing the customs and ways of playing of days gone by, turned out to be just a game of laughs and splashes. In the old days canoes were used as goals with the goalie sitting in the canoe. If at any time the goalie fell out, a goal was registered for the opposing team. The game ended as Referee Willie McCully of the Math Department called a foul and allowed one team to score a goal. The opposing team climbed from the water and dunked the referee. Later in an exhibition game of the real way to play water polo the All Stars were defeated by the Varsity Team.

AGGIES AND STEERS PLAY AT BRENHAM

The Texas Aggies and the University of Texas Longhorns will engage in two "off the record" baseball games when they play in Brenham as a feature of the annual Maifest, May 18-19, according to announcement made here this week.

Both teams had filled the schedule allowed under Southwest conference rules but were granted permission to play the two post-season games. They will be "off the record" in that they will not count in the Southwest conference standings.

Regular season games will be played April 29 at Austin and May 15-16 at College Station which will close the conference schedule.

At present the two teams are tied for the lead in the Southwest conference with two victories and no losses.

TECH ROW TAKEN TO APPEALS COURT

L. W. Sheppard, attorney for George W. Winingham, who was granted a temporary injunction against Texas Technological college directors electing Clifford B. Jones president of the school, said Monday he had mailed two petitions for filing in the Tenth court of civil appeals at Waco. One of them is an application asserting that if an appeal by the directors from the injunction is valid, the directors were in contempt of the Waco Court when they named Jones president.

Sheppard said the other is an answer to an application asking that contempt proceedings by Judge Fountain Kirby, who issued the original injunction, be prohibited.

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY Dean Ned H. Dearborn is the first U. S. college dean to apply for membership in the American Federation of Teachers.

Removes Nazi Garb



Ruth Langer, 18, Fort Hill, Md., High School senior reached true with school officials and removed Nazi outfit she was wearing when storm of discussion was aroused. A State Senator demanded an investigation of her "Nazi" activities.

Bonds To Be Placed on Sale in Near Future

It has been announced that the \$75,000 bond issue recently voted by the A. & M. Consolidated School District for the purpose of building a new school will not be placed on sale for at least a month and a half.

The interest rate on the bonds will not be more than 3 3/4% and the bonds will mature in 20 years. Plans for the new school building have not as yet been formulated, but this work will begin within a month.

Deadline for Aggie Play Set as Friday

Friday night has been set as the deadline for manuscripts to be entered in the Aggie play contest, according to an announcement made yesterday by R. L. Elkins, manager of the Aggie play committee.

All plays must be turned in to C. O. Spriggs in room 322 Academic building before April 1 in order to be eligible for the prize to be offered for the best play written by an A. & M. student.

Only one play has been turned in to date but more are expected this week by the committee which will produce the play as the annual Aggie stage production, provided the manuscript meets all the rules of the contest.

Aggie's Sixteenth Annual Horse Show Will Be Held Here April 15

The sixteenth annual Aggie horse show will be held here Saturday April 15 and will have some of the most widely known horses and riders of the South entered.

Some events have been drafted this year with the idea of unveiling true horsemanship among cadets rather than the usual acrobatic riding.

One of the events will be the charging class. It is restrict to cadet officers and will require showing of the animals to bring out his usefulness for practical purposes. He will be shown at the trot, canter on proper leads, walk and slow trot. Four jumps will be made over hurdles not to exceed three feet six inches.

Other events in horsemanship and jumping to take care of entries other than cadet officers will be held.

On advices that have been received by Col. O. E. Beesley, the show should surpass anything that

has been here before. The early entries indicate that there will be an increase in good local horses and also there will be many out-standing horses and riders from other sections of the state.

One of the feature riders, Miss Joan Robinson, little eight year old girl of Houston, will bring her four famous horses and will compete with them. The girl has competed with other youngsters much older than she, but she has come through with 14 trophies and 35 ribbons in various shows.

She will bring with her four horses that will be shown at coming meets at Atlanta, Ga., Atlantic City, Devon, Pa., Lake Placid, Madison Square Garden, and other shows on the eastern circuit.

American Horsemen say that she is the greatest young horsewoman in America today. She has been invited to England for competition.

"FROG" WADWANI BETTER, RESULT OF NEW DRUG-SULANILAMIDE

Lal "Frog" Wadwani is better. For the first time in five months Frog's condition is showing improvement. A new medical discovery is the cause; sulfanilamide, the new drug is called—a drug which was discovered about thirty years ago, but only very recently have its near-miraculous curative powers been known.

A man named Gelmo discovered the drug. He wasn't a famous scientist—nor a doctor, either—devoting his life to humanity. He was, in fact, only an industrial chemist employed by one of the world's largest chemical manufacturers, Germany's vast dye trust, the I. G. Farbenindustrie. Gelmo was employed to make chemicals, many of which had never been synthesized before, and sulfanilamide was one of these.

The curative powers of the drug were little known until about five years ago. Now it is known that the drug is effective in many different diseases, including child-bed fever, scarlet fever, epidemic meningitis, septic sore throat, and, most important of all, nearly all

of the thirty-two pneumonia germs including the deadly Type III germ.

Another new medical discovery, the drug sulfapyridine, was given to Frog before sulfanilamide was, but it soon became apparent that this was ineffective. Then sulfanilamide was tried... and now, once again, there is hope for Frog's recovery.

But sulfanilamide isn't the only reason for Frog's recent improvement. He has a brother in Hyderabad, India, who is a doctor. Both Frog and "Mom" Cleghorn received a long letter from this brother last week and this has done much towards building up Frog's mental attitude.

Then, too, since a recent article appeared in the Battalion about Frog, countless cadets and civilians have inquired about him and sent him notes of encouragement.

Yes, thanks to a great medical discovery, sulfanilamide, Lal "Frog" Wadwani is better, and now that the flu epidemic is over, Frog can have visitors.

ECONOMICS CLUB ONLY CAMPUS CLUB THAT IS INCORPORATED

BY BILL MURRAY

The Economics Club enjoys the unique distinction of being the only incorporated college organization of its kind in the state of Texas, and possibly the only incorporated college club of any kind in the state. It came as a result of the request of students some three years ago to invite speakers to the A. & M. campus to speak on their business experiences, and to give contacts for many students with outside business men.

The Club was incorporated January 13 of last year by three men—John Kercheville, H. A. Bischoff, and R. L. "Satch" Elkins, Economics Department instructor who acts as sponsor for the club. This came after the club had already been active though unincorporated for more than a year previous to this. The date of incorporation—the unlucky 13th—has apparently brought the club no bad luck, for it has progressed much and steadily since that date fourteen months ago.

In addition to the two purposes named above, the club fulfills at least two others: it allows students to become better acquainted with each other and with their professors; and it gives ample opportunity for a better understanding of the practical application of economic theory studied in the classroom.

The Economics Club holds meetings of several kinds—social and business meetings and banquets, and programs with A. & M. and outside speakers. These meetings take place in the Asbury Room of the Library on the first and third Wednesdays of each month. Many of them are open to the public.

Programs which the club has had included talks of interest by W. J. Rogers, regional director of the Texas Employment Service; E. O. Cartwright, manager of the Penner and Benne investment brokerage firm of Dallas; Colonel Ike Ashburn, executive assistant to

President Walton; Dr. T. F. Mayo, college librarian, who spoke on the relations of economics to literature; E. J. Howell, Registrar, who talked on the labor-saving devices in the registrar's office; Mrs. Marinet McNeil, advertising manager of Neiman-Marcus of Dallas, one of the largest department stores in the United States; T. F. Bush, of Bush and Co., Bryan; and H. J. Rossman, agency manager of the Equitable Life Insurance Company of Houston, third largest insurance company in the world.

The last two meetings of the organization have featured a talk on a widespread study of the farm tenancy problem by Dr. C. H. Hamilton, economist of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station who is a specialist in rural life and has written numerous publications on the subject; and a talk last night on stock exchanges by the same E. O. Cartwright who had spoken here for the club before.

The Economics Club is not primarily a social but an intellectual group. Its membership is by no means limited to students majoring or minoring in economics; anyone else who is interested in this broad field may become a member.

Plans are being made to hold a club barbecue or picnic this spring, and to bring to the campus several important speakers with good contacts.

Officers of the organization are Foster Wise, president; Ben G. Post, vice-president; Roy Davidson, secretary-treasurer; and W. G. Yates, social secretary.

SINCE 1930, 64 PER CENT OF the Rhodes Scholars have entered careers in public life.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA annually stages a "good-will week" to promote understanding among the students of various nations.

A. & M. Tied with Texas with Two Wins for Conference Baseball Lead

AGGIES DEFEAT BRUINS 4 TO 3 IN FRIDAY'S GAME

Coach Marty Harrow's Aggie nine made it two straight over the Baylor Bears Friday when they defeated the Bruins 4 to 3 after the elements had failed to stop the game in the fourth before it could be called a contest.

The game was almost a story-book finish as the count was tied at 3 all when the Aggies went to bat in the last of the ninth. The ump had already decided to call the game after that frame if the count was still knotted. Alsbrook walked and went to second when Jeffrey was safe on an error. Stone sacrificed out, moving both runners up. Rice came in to bat for Timmerman, who is in a batting slump, and rolled one down the first base line that scored Alsbrook with the winning tally.

Bass had started on the mound for the Cadets and had pitched good ball. He was having to use only one hand with which to hold the bat. He was taken out in the eighth for a pinch hitter when the Aggies had men on the bases with the score tied. The pinch hitter struck out to end the inning.

That was a break for Peden who came in to pitch good ball in the ninth. He held the Bruins in check and then was credited with the win when the Cadets won the game in the ninth.

Bass worked eight innings and allowed six bingles while he struck out eight. The Aggies got men on the bases in every inning off of Golden, the Bear pitcher, but many of them were left stranded.

Batting honors went to Bob Stone with three singles and a sacrifice in four times to bat.

SKIDMORE COLLEGE HAS transformed five barns into efficient studios and academic buildings.

Tied with Texas for the Conference baseball lead with two victories, Marty Karow and his Aggies will journey to North Texas where they will meet S. M. U. Thursday and T. C. U. in Ft. Worth on Friday and Saturday.

S. M. U., coached by "Little Hig" Higginbotham, former Aggie mentor, is rated to have a vastly improved team over the one that defeated the Cadets last year in one fray.

The Ponies meet the Aggies Thursday and the Rice Owls on Friday and Saturday. They will either pitch Billy Dewell or Dougherty against the Karowmen. Tony Polanovich will probably draw the starting assignment against the Ponies. The Aggies will shoot their works against the Cadets and trust to luck that they have enough left to take the Owls.

Moving over to Ft. Worth the Aggies will have another vastly improved nine to face. The Frogs had little luck with anyone except the Owls last year, their freshmen even beat them. There have been strides of improvement made "opt on the hill" though and some very promising men from last year's freshman team has added strength.

T. C. U. won only four tilts last season, all of them over the Rice Owls and this year they are not expecting to win the conference, but nothing would please them better than to knock over the Aggies and hurt their bright chances.

They will probably start Woodrow Duckworth on the mound against either Ralph Lindsey or Sam Bass.

S. M. U. finished fourth in the conference last year two games below the Aggies. They trimmed Rice twice, T. C. U. thrice, Baylor once and A. & M. once.

Conference Swimming Meet at Baylor

The 1939 Southwest Conference swimming meet will be held at Baylor University Friday and Saturday with Texas, S. M. U., Texas Aggies and Baylor competing for the loop championship.

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