

Summer Sports

With Margaret Hollingshead

Some of the old-time Aggies would probably turn over in their graves if they knew a coed was writing the sports column for the Battalion—it just happened because Hub deserted the paper for the rest of the summer. It seems he wanted to devote more time to scholastic activities, but we still catch him occasionally snooping around the playgrounds.

Now then—we've seen lots of good swimming in the pool this summer—here's a chance for all of you to show what you can do. The first annual summer swimming meet will be held in the college pool next Wednesday night at 7:30; so hold that date open and come try your hand.

Here's some good news for the long-suffering Aggies—Bruce Lyster, sports scribe for the Houston Post, selects A. & M. as the potential "top" in the Southwest Conference this year. He admits, however, that it's mighty early to be predicting. The rest of them, in order, are Rice, S. M. U., T. C. U., Arkansas, Texas, and Baylor. Among the promising sophomores he names Moser of A. & M. as an up-and-coming trouble-maker, and Joe Boyd, John Kimbrough, and Ernie Pannell as candidates for all-conference honors. The high-school all-star game comes off tomorrow night at Rice field, in Houston. Coach Bo McMillan of the University of Indiana will coach the North Texas All-Stars, and "Bear" Wolf of the University of North Carolina will lead the South Texas boys. And Allen Academy's new commandant of cadets will be an ex-Aggie, Lieutenant Nicholas Willis, better known as Nick, of the class of '36. He was a varsity football letterman for two years, and co-captain in '35.

Two all-star games will be played with Bryan teams next Thursday night, at Haswell Park in Bryan. The first team from College will be the Aggieand Pharmacy, winner of the Twilight Softball League, and the second will be made up of stars picked from the other five teams in the League. "Chick" Denny will be manager of the Aggieand Pharmacy team, and the other manager is Jack Fugate of Aggie Cleaners.

The tennis tournament is swinging into the final rounds now—the last matches will be played off tomorrow and Sunday morning. The girls steered shy of the singles, but four teams signed up for the mixed doubles. A number of promising players have been spotted.

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Net Tourney Has Number Of Entrants

Interest Runs High; Tennis Tournament May Become Annual

More swimming notes — this looks to us pretty much like a record—Leslie McCarthy swam the width of the college pool under water five times, totaling 100 yards, in one and one-half minutes. Some wind the boy has! "Duck" Denny probably expressed the majority opinion when he said he swims every afternoon because it's too hot either to sleep or study. Bert Burns performs well on the diving board . . . and among the active members of the "sit-on-the-side" club we see Clifton Chamberlain, Boy Myers, and Dick Bibb.

It is not just exactly "cricket" to add on to someone's column, but this guy AIN'T no Englishman. Speaking of something a few lines above, we just happen to remember that Bruce Lyster never did pick a winner, so don't get your hopes too high on his selection. . . . The Austin and Crockett American Legion teams played each other at the baseball park here Tuesday afternoon. . . . Austin won 21 to 1 in seven innings. . . . Sure glad it didn't go nine. . . . The football team reports for fall practice Sept. 5 and that reminds me that the new uniforms are already here. . . . The tops or jerseys are solid white with maroon letters for foreign games and maroon with white numbers for home games. . . . The pants are something the color of straw. . . . It would be a joke if the St. Louis Cards beat the Reds out in the National League. . . . They are noted for their ability in the home stretch. . . . Remember when the Dean boys pulled them through in the last two games a few years back? . . . The Yankees are doing a little slipping now too. . . . Byron Witstead is on the West Coast doing a little publicity work for the Aggies as well as working up the All-Star games there. . . . The Aggies go to San Francisco again you know. . . . The Aggie football pamphlet is ready for the press now. . . . Where will yell practice be held this year?

—"Jeep" Oates

Ex-Aggie Football Stars Visit at A. & M.

Sid T. Martin, of the class of '35, passed through College Station last week on his way to Ft. McIntosh at Laredo, where he will begin active duty as a second lieutenant in the Engineers Corps of the U. S. Army after September 1. He graduated from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point this spring.

Martin, who is from Gilmer, Texas, was captain of "B" Infantry in 1934-35, and won his football letter in '34; however, injuries prevented his development into the star class here.

U. T. Prexy Predicts Youth-Old Age Conflict

"Unless people interested in youth are on guard and use wise strategy, youth is going to suffer in the increasing conflict between young people and old-age groups. It will be a tragedy to have this national conflict, but it seems almost certain to come," Dr. Homer P. Rainey, recently elected president of the University of Texas, believes the conflict threatens youth with loss of financial assistance for education.

350 Texas Coaches Now At Rice Meet

A full week of entertainment has been and is being given some 350 Texas coaches at Rice Institute, Houston, during the Texas High School Football Coaches' Association school which began there Monday and lasts through tomorrow.

Among those presented at the school were A. N. "Bo" McMullin, head coach, and "Suede" Anderson, assistant coach, of Indiana University; "Bear" Wolf, head coach, and Johnny Vaught, assistant coach, of the University of North Carolina; Chuck and Frank Cramer, and many other immortals of the gridiron.

F. S. A. Man Dies While at Meet Here

George W. Harris, 46, training officer for the Federal Farm Security Administration, died suddenly last Thursday night at College Station, where he had been attending the F. S. A. short course.

He had been giving a series of lectures here relative to the F. S. A., as a representative from the headquarters office of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington D. C. He completed his lecture course Thursday afternoon, and later suffered a heart attack which proved fatal.

ROBERT L. DOSS, who was editor of The Battalion last term and who graduated in June, is working with his father on the Whitewright Sun for the summer, and expects to be back at A. & M. in September to work on his master's degree. He will be on an assistantship in the Agricultural Economics Department.

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Twilight League Comes to a Close, With Aggieand Pharmacy Winner

The Twilight League closed its regular league schedule Tuesday afternoon with the Aggieand Pharmacy being declared the winner.

The Pharmacy played five games, winning all of them, although the last game was won on a forfeit by Campus Laundry. Campus Cleaners beat Aggie Cleaners 2 to 0 and went into a tie with them for second place. College Inn came back and beat Lipscomb Pharmacy 6 to 4 to win third place. Lipscomb's and the Laundry finished with a tie for the cellar.

TWO ALL-STAR GAMES
Two All-Star teams were selected. One of the teams is the Aggieand Pharmacy's complete team with the addition of Rob Adams from Lipscomb Pharmacy. The other team was selected by the managers of the six teams.

These two teams will play each other one game and then next Thursday night they will go to Bryan where they will play the Bryan All-Stars. The Aggieand team will play the first game of the twin-bill and the other All-Star aggregation will play the night-cap.

One of the games will be played under the softball rules that the Bryan team uses, and the other will be played under the College or Twilight League rules.

For the last two years the teams have been meeting each other under this arrangement and strange to say, the have split in both cases, the winning team being the one using the strange rules.

MAY WIN BOTH
The Twilighters have a good chance of winning both games this season. The Aggieand Pharmacy stars have a very good ball club and one of the best twirlers in this part of the country in Burton Moncrief. Moncrief will probably tangle with Mitt Williams of Bryan in a pitching duel. These two men met once before this season and the game went 13 innings before Williams and his team won the game 1 to 0.

It is remembered that Williams was the winning pitcher in both the all-star tilts last year. He pitched in both leagues and made both all-star teams. He won the first tilt for Bryan and pitched the Twilighters to a victory in the second game.

The other Twilight All-Star aggregation is plenty strong. The managers did a very good job in their selection. Buckley and Holland are both first-rate pitchers, and added to the team of Glaser, Yarbrough, Lilly, Carl, Hensel, Cofer, Yowell, Carroll, Hanby, McAshan and Todd should give a formidable crew.

FORFEITS FEW
Forfeits were very few this season. When College Laundry forfeited to Aggieand Pharmacy, it marked the first one of the season. Last year when the teams were playing, nearly every day there were several forfeits.

CLEANERS VS CLEANERS
Tuesday the Campus and Aggie Cleaners tied up in a close battle that the Campus Cleaners won 2 to 0 to give them a tie with their opponents in the final standing. Both teams ended the season with three wins against two losses.

Campus Cleaners picked up a run in the first. Hensel walked and stole second. Ross flew to center and then Lewis came through with a bingle to send Hensel home. Lewis went out trying to go to second and Holland popped out.

The next scoring took place in the third inning when with one out, Alexander got a life on an error and scored when Hensel doubled. That completed the scoring for the day.

Aggie Cleaners picked up four hits while Campus Cleaners were grabbing three; but those three were good for two runs, enough to win.

Twilight League All-Stars

TEAM No. 1		
POS.	PLAYER	TEAM
C	Elwell	Aggieand Pharmacy
P	Moncrief	Aggieand Pharmacy
1st	Denton	Aggieand Pharmacy
2nd	Denny	Aggieand Pharmacy
SS	Rodgers	Aggieand Pharmacy
3rd	Doerr	Aggieand Pharmacy
LF	Harbison	Aggieand Pharmacy
CF	Raddock	Aggieand Pharmacy
RF	Hatka	Aggieand Pharmacy
Util.	Huebel	Aggieand Pharmacy
	Adams	Lipscomb Pharmacy

TEAM No. 2		
C	Glaser	Aggie Cleaners
P	Buckley	Aggie Cleaners
F	Holland	Campus Cleaners
1st	Yarbrough	College Inn
2nd	Lilly	Campus Cleaners
SS	Hensel	Campus Cleaners
3rd	Carl	Aggie Cleaners
SF	Cofer	Campus Cleaners
LF	Carroll	Campus Cleaners
CF	Yowell	College Inn
RF	Hanby	Lipscomb Pharmacy
Util.	McAshan	College Inn
	Todd	Campus Cleaners

Managers: Denny, team No. 1; Fugate, team No. 2.

Readers, Here's Your Chance To Help Select Sports Stars

Well folks, we'll be around only a few more times before it's all over with, so start thinking a bit harder about who those two all-round sportsmen should be.

The tennis tournament winds up tomorrow and Sunday; the Twilight Softball League finished Tuesday; the all-stars play in Bryan next week, the swimming meet comes off Wednesday, and the dance breaks loose tonight; so never let it be said that there's not enough chance to pick the right ones.

I recommend that _____ be named as the boy and _____ be named as the girl for the second-session All-Sports Stars. The sports seen being played by each are as follows: (Check those chosen)

softball	BOY	bowling
swimming		dancing
tennis		(others)
golf		
	GIRL	dancing
swimming		(others)
tennis		
golf		
bowling		

(Signed) _____

NICK WILLIS NOW COMMANDANT AT ALLEN ACADEMY

Lieut. Nicholas Willis, better known as Nick Willis to Aggie football followers, has been added to the staff at Allen Academy in the official capacity of commandant of cadets. A graduate of A. & M. in the class of '36, he was outstanding at A. & M. both in military work and in sports, being a varsity football letterman for two years and serving as co-captain in 1935. He has been doing graduate work at A. & M. and the University of Wisconsin. He reported for active duty at Camp Bullis August 6, and at the conclusion of his duty there, will assume his responsibilities at the academy.

Flagstones from the Tower of London, upon which the feet of many royalties have trod during the eight and one-half centuries the structure has endured, form part of the paving in the courtyard of the British Empire Building at the World's Fair.

HOW THEY STAND

TEAM	FINAL	W.	L.	Pct.
Aggieand Pharmacy		5	0	1.000
Aggie Cleaners		3	2	.600
Campus Cleaners		3	2	.600
College Inn		2	3	.400
Lipscomb Pharmacy		1	4	.200
Campus Laundry		1	4	.200

Switzerland's skill in the production of mechanisms, which to most of the world means the making of watch movements, is being demonstrated very differently at the New York World's Fair. One item of that republic's exhibit is a 30-ton steel crane, a far cry from a watch.

1st Summer Swim Meet Is Next Monday

Jr. and Sr. Classes, For Both Boys and Girls, Will Be Held

The water will splash high in the college pool next Wednesday night as the first annual summer swimming meet gets underway. The meet is open to all those who are regular users of the pool during the summer, students and residents of College Station.

The meet will be divided into Junior and Senior classes with separate events for boys and girls. Anyone who desires to enter the meet should get in touch with any of the life guards at the pool or Hub Johnson in Milner Hall. "Nicky" Ponthieux, Eddie Johnson, and "Chick" Denny will act as judges of the various races and events.

In the Junior class, the events will include the 100-yard free-style, 100-foot free-style, 100-foot backstroke, 100-foot breast-stroke, and diving. In the girls' division, the diving has been omitted.

In the Senior class, the events will be much the same as those in the other with the exception that diving has not been omitted from the Senior girls' class.

As a feature race or contest, an underwater contest will be held—One race for the greatest distance swum under the surface.

The meet is scheduled for 7:30 p. m., next Wednesday.

Exes Asked To Join "Home Folks" For Turkey Day Game

Volunteers to join the "Thanksgiving Home Folks" will be called for, when ticket applications for the Turkey Day game to be played at College this fall are sent out to members of the Former Students Association by the Athletic Department about September 10.

The "Home Folks" program is the idea of the board of directors of the Association of Former Students, and represents that group's hope for an easing of the tension and difficulties experienced in the handling of Thanksgiving Day football tickets.

Already in the ranks of the volunteers are the directors and officers of the association, the directors of the college, 98 per cent of the Bryan people who have purchased season tickets, and 85 per cent of the faculty members who have bought season tickets. A minimum of 300 volunteers from the ranks of the ex-students will be required to put the program over successfully.

Two Ex-Aggies To Wed This Weekend

At least two ex-Aggies are to be married this week-end—both of them to Dallas girls. Miss Katharina Meyer of Dallas and Matt M. Moseley Jr., former student of Texas A. & M., will be married tomorrow in Dallas.

Miss Meyer is a graduate of St. Joseph Academy. Moseley is a graduate of A. & M. He now lives in Chicago.

The marriage of Miss Sarah Elizabeth Cook and Richard W. Scott, former Aggie, will be solemnized Sunday at the home of the bride's parents in Dallas.

Miss Cook is a former student of Paris Junior College, and Scott attended A. & M. After a short wedding trip the couple will live in Dallas.

AMONG A. & M. MEN who have visited the campus for the purpose of entering their sons in school this fall have been the following: L. C. "Wolf" Doney, '18, Houston; Frank Litterst, '19, Houston; Sid Miley, '19, Houston; C. A. Sherram, '22, Greenville; and Dick Winters, '16, Brady. Among the local A. & M. men who will have sons entering school this fall are John M. Lawrence Jr., '19, Bryan banker; and K. J. "Becky" Edwards, '20, district agent, A. & M. Extension Service.