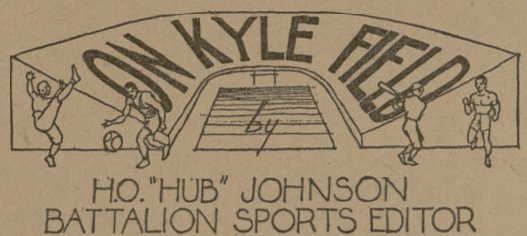


# Cadet Cagers Open Home Schedule Tonight



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## Aggies Determined To Take Bear Skin In First Home Conference Game Tonight at 7:30

A rug for the floor—Bear skins! Such is the cry for the first home conference cage game tonight.

Few Aggies have seen their team play and from the reports fewer may want too but tonight a determined five will take to the floor to fight for that final rung which means crawling out of the cellar where they now rest with the Texas Christian Hornfrogs.

Against Rice they played poor ball. They were together for the first time on the hard wood floor—Dawson and Henderson had just returned from the football field.

Up in the Ozarks they ran against the Arkansas Razorbacks—

that's enough said. The Hogs ought to go through the season undefeated.

The Bears have a scrapping squad but lack that certain team play needed in this game.

Upon returning from the two game series with the razorbacks, the Aggies said they wouldn't drop a home game.

Tomorrow afternoon at the Assembly Hall the T Club will present their annual benefit show.

Rice and Cotton Bowl pictures will be shown, followed immediately afterwards by the regular Sunday free show.

Bill Henderson reached the headlines of the country in his play of the Rice fray and in the Cotton Bowl the Aggies turned back one of the greatest teams of the East.

Coach Manning Smith's freshman cagers will run against Beaumont High School this afternoon in DeWare Field House.

Little is known of these players and the squad is still rather large. After mid-term the fish should start playing games before the varsity contests.

The good part of the game will be the absence of the gate admission. The Baylor game tonight will be 50 cents or the regular coupon book.

### '41 Cage Games Feature Personal Fouls In Abundance

Southwest Conference basketball officials must be about out of wind blowing their whistles this year. The boys who follow the play up and down the courts have called 364 personal fouls in 14 games—an average of 27 per contest.

## Lettermen Get Jackets and Footballs

### All-Southwest Conference Awards Given to Five Aggies

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white letters, gathering buckles, and sleeve trimmings were given the lettermen by E. J. Howell, member of the athletic council.

"T" medals and bars were given those receiving the appropriate awards by C. W. Crawford, head of Mechanical Engineering Department and member of the athletic council.

N. J. Miller, who was not present, gave the players heavy leather belts trimmed with silver buckles and tips.

#### All American Trophies

All-American trophies were given John Kimbrough and Marshall Robnett for being named on one or more of the honor teams.

Last year Kimbrough received a large football with the teams on which he was named engraved. This year he was given a large bowl, much similar to a sugar bowl, with the teams engraved there on.

Robnett was given a football, the type also given to Joe Routt, Joe Boyd, and Kimbrough in years past.

#### Best Blockers

Coach Norton named and awarded the Bert Pfaff best-blocker award. This was the third time Jim Thomason had received the award. It was Henke's first time.

Toastmaster Dough Rollins named Marion Pugh as the most valuable player and presented the award.

For the first time in history the yell leaders were given an award. These were also presented by Toastmaster Rollins.

Spur tie clips were given the squad by Chase Holland in person. He made the belts given the lettermen by the council and those tie clips presented the team last year.

The American General Life Insurance Company presented their all-southwest conference awards to some five Aggies. Carl Aderman represented the company in giving these awards.

Dr. Walton was the only speaker of the evening. Radio station WTAW broadcasted a fifteen minute program from 9:45 to 10:00 o'clock, which was carried by stations WOAI and KPRC.

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## Saturday's Opponents



Above are Frank Bryski (left) and Grady Vaughn (right) of the Baylor Bears basketball team who come to DeWare Field House tonight to meet the Texas Aggies in their first conference home game of the current season.

### Intramurals

## Hq. Cavalry Drops E Field Artillery From Football Championship Race 3 to 0

By Bob Myers

Headquarters Cavalry upset E Field Artillery's apple cart this time when Kincannon made three points the old fashioned way. With the game tied up on penetrations, Kincannon drop-kicked one through the uprights and over the cross bar for the only score of the game and at the same time kicked E Battery right out of running for the football title.

The San Antonio boys must be playing behind the eighth ball this year because they have been dropped by a stronger team, from the final play of almost every sport in which they have participated this year.

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D Field Artillery

Both bands took beatings in football after their trip to the big city. Judging from the scores, they must have had a plenty good time. G Coast Artillery took care of the Infantry Band 15-0 in semi-final play and Headquarters Cavalry dropped the Artillery Band in quarter final play by the score of 21-6.

Finals in Handball and Touch football are just around the corner and G Infantry and B Field Artillery will be fighting for handball honors while G Coast Artillery and Headquarters Cavalry take the pigskin for its last ride of the Intramural season.

C Chemical Warfare and F Engineers put on a tennis match that looked like Varsity play in one of the toughest of the season. Owne and Duncan took their match for C Company as did Punlotti and Kingsberry to take the contest 2-1. Victors for the vanquished were McLarn and Crawford.

## Hustle and Fight In Basketball Are Synonymous With The Name "Frog Duncan"

By Mike Halkin

Whenever hustle and fight are mentioned, you can be sure that Harold Duncan's name will be attached there. Duncan, better known over the campus as "Frog" is one of the five starters on Coach Hub McQuillen's basketball quintet. During his two years on the team, he has added plenty of zeal and pep to a team that was always fighting hard to win its share of games.

Frog is a junior college transfer, and started his basketball career at Aggeland late in the fall of 1938. Since then, he has earned two letters and has been on the starting lineup of nearly every game. His favorite position is forward, but asserts he can play center if he has to. Although not a great offensive star, he has been praised continually for his defensive ingenuity and excellent floor work.

Duncan didn't start playing the game until his junior year at Kingsville High School. When asked why he hadn't started any sooner, he retorted with the statement that he was too little. To look at

this six foot four inch frame one can well imagine that. He is one of the tallest members of the Aggie team.



Duncan

Besides lettering two years in high school basketball, Frog also managed for a couple of letters in football. His biggest honor, how-

## Bears Have Two Wins, One Loss; Ags Blanked

### McQuillen's Men Fight For Chance

By Bob Myers

Performing before a home crowd for the first time this season, the Aggie quintet will take to the rejuvenated hardwood floor against Baylor University in the last Conference basketball game of the current semester.

In conference play, the Bears have two wins under their belt and are still suffering the stings of a 52 to 32 defeat at the hands of Rice Institute on January 17. Scapals drying at Waco are those of T.C.U. and S.M.U.

After winning from Baylor, the Owls had their feathers plucked by the Mustangs to the extent of their being knocked out of conference championship play.

The Aggie's Conference win sheet is conspicuously vacant of numbers but on the other side are three losses. A double to Arkansas and one to Rice Institute.

Coming to Aggeland will be such stars as Frank Bryski, a great defensive player, standing six feet four inches; his six foot four team mate Joe Frivaldsky who drops them in from the pivot position, and Grady Vaughn, five foot nine inches of controlled cyclone who plays guard with Bryski. Joe Terry and Dub Walters will probably complete the Baylor starting line-up of six footers.

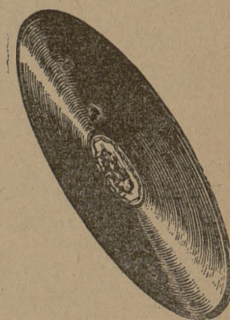
Probable starting line-up for the cadets will include three varsity lettermen and two junior college transfers. Bill Dawson and J. T. Lang each have won two year sweaters and stand six foot five and six feet, respectively. A one year letterman, Charlie Stevenson, will take care of a guard position.

A pair of tall men playing for

the maroon and white their first season are Fred Nabors, six foot four and Raymond Jarrett six foot two. These boys have shown up well in games to date and will probably see much service this year.

Holding down the bench for the Cadets will be Sammy Dwyer and Mike Cokinos who are waiting for mid-term to become eligible.

Prelude to the night game will be a freshman game against Beaumont High School here Saturday afternoon at 4:00. No admission charged. Varsity game will be at 7:30 p.m. Admission in lieu of coupon book will be fifty cents.



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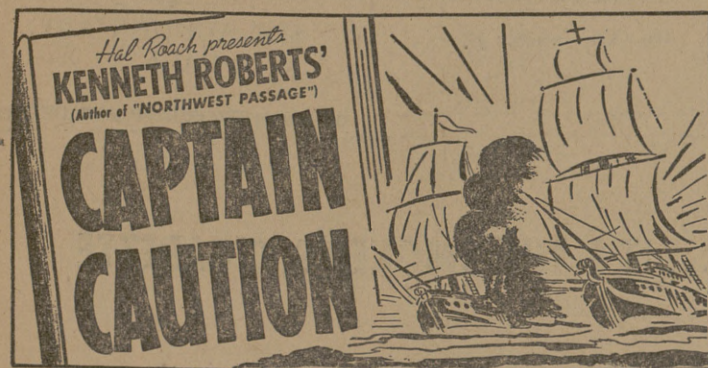
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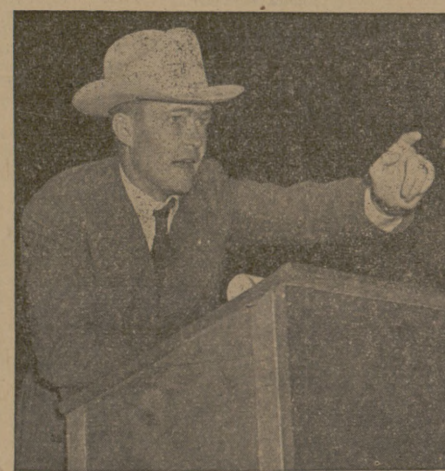
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