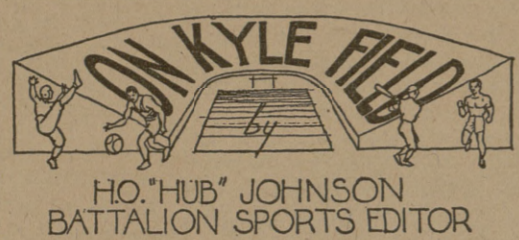


Swimmers Tackle Dallas Club Here Tonight



HUB JOHNSON
BATTALION SPORTS EDITOR

Watch for New Records and Close Races In Tonight's Swimming Meet in College Pool

Coach Art Adamson sends his tankers against the strong Dallas Athletic club tonight as the two teams offer their second showing of the year. Last week in Dallas the home town boys claimed the

upper hand by a few points. Tonight it should be the same story—the home town boys—the Aggies should win by a few points.

Five records were broken last week which means that both teams have top notch swimmers.

Article on Art Adamson

Quiet Arthur Adamson has been coaching Aggie swimming teams and water polo teams for the past seven years and turning in an outstanding job. His water polo teams have been beaten only four times in those seven years and Northwestern and Illinois Universities were the only college teams able to turn that trick. This year's swimming team is the best in A. & M.'s history and stands a good chance to take the conference title away from Texas University where it has always rested. The Longhorns have gone in for swimming in a big way, bringing in outstanding stars from other sections of the country. The fact that Adamson's teams can furnish stiff competition with just ordinary schoolboys for material is a great tribute to his coaching ability.

Outstanding stars of this year's team include Harold Hensley, present 50 and 100 yard conference champion, and sophomore Bob Taylor who is breaking conference record time in the 220 and 440 yard events.

The fine sport of swimming has had tough sledding at A. & M. For many years it was held alive by the personal efforts of student swimmers and volunteer coaches. Adamson has done wonders with his material in the past seven years and has placed the minor sport upon a sound basis.

—Texas Aggie

Cagers Face Three League Teams Here Next Week; Football or Army, Which Will It Be?

The Texas Aggies went down to the S.M.U. Mustangs last Wednesday night. How the score got into this column last issue is beyond men on top of that, how it got in as 43 to 39 is another question.

Monday the cagers fight a return battle with the Frogs and Tuesday they take on the Ponies; Saturday they run against the Rice Owls.

So our Uncle Sam wants us in June—this puts a dark screen before many of the present senior and especially before two, Jim Thomason and John Kimbrough.

These two can make more in three months fighting on the football fields than they could make in the army fighting on the maneuver (let's hope it won't go beyond that) fields for three years. At least they'll have something left after it's all over.

John left for New York again Thursday. This time he'll sign. We said that on his last trip also, but we also said he was having too much fun "footloose." It seems the fun is over. That camp training in store for him might not be too much fun either.

Jim got a long distance call con-

cerning his contract just a few days ago, asking just what was up here at A. & M. Chances are that he'll sign and ask for a year de-ferment.

Intramural wrestling is drawing near and soon boxing will be on the calendar. At this time the pressure will be taken off the Aggie ringmen and they'll be allowed to actually fight a few bouts. Where the difference comes in intramural and intercollegiate boxing is hard to see.

For the first time the seniors will be admitted to the T Dance this year. This is a good move and allows the T men and graduating Aggies a chance to get together one more time before leaving—probably for the army.

George Grant Mason Jr., member of the civil aeronautics board, received his A. B. degree from Yale in 1926.

Members of the speech correction class at Duquesne University are presenting a series of radio programs.

A&M Out to Redeem Self For 1st Meet

Feature Swimmers Are Hensley of A&M And Sinclair of DAC

With their sights set on the Dallas Athletic Club, the Texas Aggie swimming team will try to redeem themselves and "torpedo" the Dallasites tonight in the P. L. Downs, Jr., Natatorium.

This is a return match with the D. A. C., having dropped their first encounter to the tankers last week in Dallas.

Feature of the meet will be the contest between Harold Hensley of the Aggies and Bob Sinclair of the D.A.C. Their event is the 100-yard free style. Hensley and Sinclair are probably the fastest men in the Southwest and have met twice before, Sinclair coming out the winner by a close margin each time.

In the second contest, Sinclair broke all existing pool records for the D.A.C. and cut one minute from the conference record.

Hensley saved his name however by lowering the 50-yard free style record and claiming the event.

Bob Taylor will pace the Aggies in the distance races and should leave the pool first in the 220 event.

Sporting four ex-Aggies in their squad, Joe Cockrell, Chic Denny, Ty Hall, and Cecil Crow, the Dallas Club is represented by a strong swimming team and water polo teams.

The line up of the Aggies is as follows:

Medley relay—Conway, Stevens, Davis.

220 yd free style—Taylor, Keil.

50 yd free style—Hensley, McKee.

Diving—Reeves.

100 yd free style—Hensley, Stevens.

100 yd breast stroke—Ponthieux, Davis.

100 yd back stroke—Conway, Japhet.

440 yd free style—Taylor, Goodman.

Free style relay—Hensley, Taylor, McKee, Davis.

Starting line up for the water polo team will be as follows:

Japhet—center back

Ponthieux—right back

McKee—left back

Hensley—center forward

Conway—goalie

Renaud—right forward

Davis—left forward

Officials will be P. L. Downs, Jr., honorary referee, Dough Rollins, Ned Dwelle, C. W. Crow, E. J. Smith, W. S. McCulley, T. A. Reiner and W. L. Penberthy filling the executives capacities.

Robertson of Penn U Made Head Referee For The Texas Relay

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—With Lawson Robertson, famous University of Pennsylvania and three-time Olympic coach, installed as head referee, the 14th Texas Relays are beginning to shape up. Date of the University of Texas' annual track and field extravaganza is April 5.

Special events this year will include another hurdles race between Fred Wolcott of Rice and Boyce Gatewood of Texas, hot rivals during their three varsity seasons, according to Director Clyde Littlefield's preliminary plans.

First Call for Fish Tankers Answered; Adamson Needs More

Coach Adamson's first call for freshmen swimmers was answered by a large number of first year men last Wednesday night, but there still remain a few places on the squad.

In the past years, the Aggie tankers have lacked top divers, and the coach is quoted as anxious to see anyone proficient in this class of sport.

All freshmen desiring to talk with Coach Adamson about participating in the various meets may get in touch with him at the P. L. Downs Jr. Natatorium any day between 4 and 5:30 p.m.

BATTALION Sports

FEBRUARY 15, 1941

PAGE 3

Splashes for Ags Tonite



Harold Hensley, who broke a pool record in last week's meet with the Dallas Athletic Club will again try to shave off a few more seconds in the 50 yard free style tonight. He swam the event in 23.2 seconds.

Intramurals

Instructions Will Be Offered in Handball, Water Polo and Wrestling

By Bob Myers
Weigh-ins for wrestling are progressing slowly. All interested men are reminded that the deadline for this process is 6:00 p.m. today and entries will not be taken after the deadline.

Instructions in Hand ball, Water Polo, and Wrestling will be given for the benefit of freshmen and other interested parties beginning Monday afternoon. The purpose of these instructions is to better acquaint the players with each particular sport.

On Monday and Tuesday afternoon at 5:00, Spike White will give handball instructions in the main gym.

Monday night, immediately following the basketball game, Swimming Coach Art Adamson will explain the finer points of water polo and at the same time Tuesday night, Mr. Penberthy will hold a wrestling class.

All Freshmen who attend these meetings will be given credit for an intramural participation for each class attended.

This is a splendid opportunity to learn the basic fundamentals of these sports and at the same time pick up four points toward the completion of the requirements for intramural physical education.

E Field Artillery scored a touch-down and capitalized on a touch-back to down D Field Artillery in a clean-up game of football. The game ended with a score of 8-6.

Some postponed speedball games were played in a howling gale that did some funny things to the ball until the players got the drift of the thing.

F Coast Artillery came out winner in two games by downing B Chemical Warfare 12-3 and then taking D Infantry 16-7.

G Coast Artillery won one and tied one. 2nd Headquarters Field Artillery held them to a 5-5 score and they towered over D Coast Artillery 9-3.

A Engineers stopped E Field Artillery 5-3 while the Cavalry dropped a couple. B Coast Artillery

Cage Team In Preparation For Game with TCU

Jaunt Past Weekend Will Have Aggies at Their Best for Frogs

Coming through with a .500 record on their northern jaunt the past week, the Texas Aggies came back to their own hardwood floors with determination to prepare for the coming game with the cellar-dwelling but dangerous T.C.U. Horned Frogs Monday night at the DeWare Field House.

It will be the second meeting of the two teams, with the first ending in favor of the cadets. However, it was not until the final gun that victory was assured to the Aggies. The Frogs went on their wildest scoring sprees of the year and only the timekeeper's gun saved defeat for the cadets. It was T.C.U.'s seventh straight loss of the season, and definitely strengthened their hold on the conference cellar.

However, the Frogs do not intend to get nosed out all the time according to their general coach, Mike Brumbelow. He insists that one of these days his team is bound to spring an upset on somebody after all those close games the Frogs have lost. T. C. U. will bank all their chances of upsetting the big Aggies on Gloseclose and Barron, their two leading offensive spark-plugs.

Meanwhile Coach Hub McQuillen was taking the Frogs none too lightly. He is working hard to

Fish Basketeers Seek First Victory Against Rice Slimes

Suffering three straight setbacks this season, Coach Manning Smith's Aggie fish quintet will attempt to salvage their first win of the season when they meet the powerful Rice Slimes at the Colesium Monday night in Houston in a preliminary match to the Rice-Baylor fraacs.

The Fish showed a smooth-working cage squad in the first half of their losing battle with Allen Academy last Wednesday night, but went to pieces in the final period. Webb and Parker showed to a great advantage as offensive sparkplugs of the team, and should be ready and in top shape for the slimes.

Probable starting lineup for the fish will include Webb and Parker at forwards, Dawson at center, and Robinson and Clifton at the guard posts.

strengthen the cadet's defense which let T.C.U. filter in a total of 50 points in their last meeting. Bill Dawson and Bill Henderson, the Aggies' two scoring leaders, should be in top shape for the coming fray, as both have vastly improved their "shooting eyes." Henderson's one-handed shots from any point of the court and Dawson's alertness under the basket should give the Frog's plenty of gray hairs before the final gun goes off.

The probable starting line-up for the Aggies will include Henderson and Jarret at forwards, Dawson at center, and Stevenson and Nabors at the guard positions.

Assembly Hall

YOUTH AND PEP ON JOYOUS WING—SOARING TO COLLEGIATE SWING!

From the Long-Run
B'way Musical
Comedy Sensation!



LUCILLE BALL • RICHARD CARLSON • ANN MILLER
EDDIE BRACKEN • FRANCES LANGFORD • DESI ARNAZ
HAL LEROY

Harry E. Edington, Executive Producer. Screen Play by John Twit

12:45 - Only One Showing

Y-Cards Good — "Extra" No. 20 of Old Y-Cards

Selected Shorts

Ole Army

We appreciate the business you have given us this year. If you feel that you are unsatisfied with your purchase, bring your books back and we will refund your money.

We have the following books that you will probably need.

English 203	Ag. Eco. 312
Math. 103	Economics 315, 203
History 306	Entomology 301
Geology 205	Biology 101, 107, 111
M. E. 432	Education 121
Chemistry 206, 207	Accounting 409
E. E. 431	Agronomy 315

LOUPOT'S

North Gate

Headquarters for your Confectionery Needs



Pipe Tobaccos - Every brand and every size.

Standard and other brands of cigarettes.



A complete line of the latest styles in pipes.

GEORGE'S Confectionery South Station

THE THUNDERING SPECTACLE OF AMERICA'S MOST FABULOUS DAYS



Edward Small presents

Kit Carson

Lynn Jon Hall • Bari

DANA ANDREWS • WARD BOND
HAROLD HUBER • C. HENRY GORDON
Directed by GEORGE B. SEITZ
Original Screen-play by GEORGE BRUCE
RELEASED THROUGH UNITED ARTISTS

6:45 and 8:30

also MARCH of TIME entitled

"Labor and Defense"