

Aggie Win Saturday Gives Temporary Conference Lead

On
Kyle Field
By Jack Hollimon

Texas Score-keeper Gives
Glory to Texas A. & M. Band

When Texas comes to Kyle Field the things that happen are great for the Aggies and rough on the Steers, but the game Saturday made a philosopher, a thinker, and a Christian out of one young "gentleman" from Austin who kept score for the Longhorns. He sat quietly, watching with subdued interest the goings on that had cadets hanging from the rafters, and through the entire eighth inning not a word was spoken by this "T-e-a" man. Finally A. & M. ended the game by taking over 7 to



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Lampasas Poloists Downed 15-3

Braid Sets Two Scoring Records For Year's Games

Texas A. & M.'s hard-riding polo team closed out the season with a resounding win over the Lampasas Polo Club Sunday afternoon on Jackson Field 15 to 3 after "Banging" Bill Braid and his mates roundly outplayed the visiting civilian quartet.

Braid, mixing in action on every side, took control of the contest during the fourth chukker and scored four goals that established a record for individual scoring during a single chukker this year, and he was high goal man of the game with seven markers which sets another 1940-1941 record.

In the first period, A. & M. and Lampasas were even with one goal apiece, but the Aggies moved ahead during the next two chukkers and at halftime, the cadets led by a score of 6 to 3. Then came the 5-goal outburst in the fourth chukker that gave A. & M. complete advantage in the goal department. They added one more in the fifth chukker and three in the last to trample a Lampasas foursome held scoreless throughout the last half.

Besides Braid's seven goals, Walter Hart counted three, Capt. (Continued on Page 4)

5. Smiling wryly, he sighed and said, "The totals for my score page are five runs for Texas, one run for Scoggins, and SIX RUNS FOR THE AGGIE BAND!"

Lampasas Pony Shows Army Mounts How to Get Around

Proving that size is no advantage, the little roan polo pony belonging to the Lampasas Polo Club trotted onto Jackson Field Sunday and shamed the efforts of every "Regulation" size horse in the game. His beauty was not skin deep, because every time he entered into a race, he came out throwing dust in his opponent's eyes. Your writer, in a conversation with U. S. Cavalry Lieutenant Speers of the military department, heard this said by him, "... and that horse could have spotted any mount there two lengths and outrun him in a 75-yard race."

Pistol Shooters Needed For Next Year's Outfit

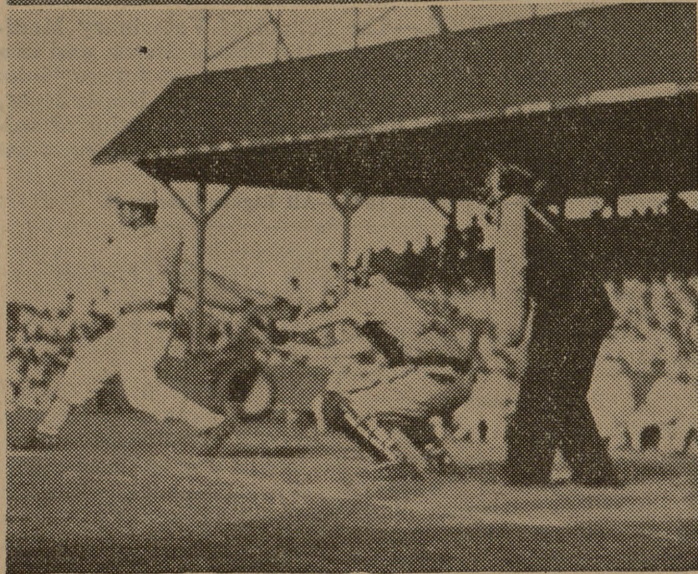
Part of acting as sports editor is getting news, and when we were over in the Coast Artillery Armory yesterday, Lieutenant Strothers told us a few things about the pistol team. Graduation and other duties wrecked the National Championship lineup of last year, but an average team was organized for this year. However, the team is badly in need of men for the 1941-1942 club. With all the boys in the school we have who have had experience with pistols and other arms, a well-rounded team should come forward. Let's don't forget the try-outs next fall.

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When the Aggies First Surprised Longhorns



Lefty Bumpers, Aggie pitcher, scores the tying run, above in Friday's contest as Marland Jeffrey comes to bat for the cadets. The Longhorn catcher watches forlornly as Bumpers crosses the plate. The cadets won, 3 to 2, with credit going to Bumpers.

Hatton, left, Texas shortstop, gets a hit as Darrell Carden crouches behind the plate for the Aggies.

Intramurals

Coast Artillery Has Winner in Every Class A Softball Game Over Week-end

By Bob Mabe

Class A softball found three matches on the weekend schedule and the Coast Artillery had a winner in every game as H Battery won by forfeit from B Battery, Coast, G Battery whitewashed C Company, Engineers, 10 to 0, and F Battery smashed C Troop, Cavalry, 12 to 0.

Class A Swimming
Both swimming matches of the week resulted in top-heavy scores as Headquarters Cavalry defeated E Battery, Coast Artillery, 28 to 13, and E Battery, Field Artillery, won an easy 38 to 10 victory over D Troop, Cavalry.

Class A Ping Pong
M Company, Infantry, won two matches of Class A ping pong by defeating Headquarters Cavalry, 4 to 0 and G Battery, Field Artillery, 3 to 2. The Artillery Band won a close 3 to 2 victory over H Battery, Field Artillery.

Class B Softball
Class B Softball scores were close, with B Battery, Field, giving E Battery, Field, a 15 to 5 defeat for the only top-heavy score of the week. G Battery, Coast, won over B Signal Corps with a score of 13 to 9, while B Company, Infantry, trimmed C Troop, Cavalry, 6 to 3.

Class B Tennis
In the only Class B tennis games of the week, Beychock, Morris, Ott, Looney, Waddell and Lindsey

Aggie Pistol Team Loses Austin Match

The Aggie Pistol team lost a match Saturday to the Austin City Police team and the Texas State Highway Patrol team in a match fired at Austin. Members of the team who made the trip are: Capt. C. A. Lewis, R. T. Cook, Bill Filgo, R. G. Cox, C. L. Mullins, and P. W. Beckley.

The pistol team enjoyed a fairly successful season this year in winning 15 matches, losing 8, and tying 1. Two trips were made, one was to the Bayou Rifles Matches at Houston on April 5 and the meet at Austin Saturday.

The team has had some rough going this year, because of the loss of several seasoned pistol shots. Team members of last year's team whose loss is felt include Bill Becker, Clint Kenemer, Bert Burns, and Bill Lewis. Becker has been unable to fire with the team this year because of other activities.

of G Battery, Field, proved to be more than a match for Lloyd, Craig, Graba, Judd, Goloby and Harthorensen as G Field won two out of three matches.

Announcement has come from the publicity department that the board of directors passed a bill calling for \$200.00 to be handled by Mr. Penberthy as an award for intramural managers who have assisted the operation of the intramural program to any extent this year. Further details as to how the awards will be made and to whom they go will appear in a later column after final decisions have been made. This is a deserving present for some of the fellows who have worked tremendously on intramural affairs.

Thomas Speaks To Honor Students

J. B. Thomas, '10, president and general manager of the Texas Public Service company, made the principal address at a banquet held by the school of engineering Wednesday evening at 6:30 in Sbis Hall, for approximately two hundred students in the school who earned a distinguished student rating the first semester.

J. T. L. McNew, head of the civil engineering department, was toastmaster for the occasion. Representatives of each of the seven departments in the school of engineering and the engineering drawing and industrial education departments were present for the banquet.

B. Shreve Hutchins, senior in mechanical engineering from Atlantic, New Jersey, was awarded the scholarship certificate of the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences for attaining the highest scholastic average for his junior and senior years. Hutchins has received an appointment as junior aeronautical engineer at the Naval Aircraft factory in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Fred Smitham, junior in chemical engineering from Dallas, was awarded the A. I. Ch. E. award for the highest scholastic rating for the junior class in chemical engineering.

The I. Ae. S. award is made to the graduating senior in aeronautical engineering who has the highest scholastic average for his junior and senior year.

Four Records Fall In Swimming Meet

New records were set in four events at the state swimming meet held in P. L. Downs Jr. Natatorium Saturday evening as Brackenridge High of San Antonio nosed out Highland Park High of Dallas for the team championship.

Danny Green, Adamson High of Dallas, swam the 220-yard free-style in 2:23.6 to best the old record of 2:26.2. George Heaney, Austin of El Paso, bettered the mark in the 100-yard backstroke with a sizzling 1:09.1. The Brackenridge 180-yard medley relay team splashed to a new mark by getting under San Jacinto High's old record of 1:55.4 as they covered the distance in 1:51.7. Highland Park of Dallas set a fresh mark in the 160-yard relay by breaking the old record by :03.3.

High point man among individual scorers was Don Smith, fast-swimming San Antonio Tech boy, who topped the field with a total of 12 points out of a possible 12. He won the 50-yard free-style in :25.3 in a close heat with Pollakoff of Highland Park who finished in second position. Later he came back to annex the 100-yard free-style in a battle with Danny Green, record smasher in the 220-yard, and Green crossed the finish line as runner up. The time for this race was :56.9 seconds.

Fancy diving was an event closely contested, but Tolar of Brackenridge won first place with a superb exhibition. Manalle of Paschall, Fort Worth, was awarded second honors.

Brackenridge scored 40 points by placing in six events out of eight held in the meet. Highland Park stacked up 35 points for the place spot in team totals, and Stephen F. Austin High of El Paso made 17 points to win third.

Texas A. & M. Consolidated High finished ninth when Scofield took fourth in the 100-yard free-style and third in the 50-yard free-style.

The meet, run under the auspices of the A. & M. Athletic Council and carried out according to the National Scholastic rules, was well handled by Manager Art Adanson, A. & M. swimming coach.

Acertain professor at Ohio State walked into the classroom 15 minutes late to find the class gone. The next day the students were reprimanded. The professor said his hat had been on the desk, and that had been a sign of his presence. Next day the professor again found an empty classroom. On each desk was a hat.

Cadets Overcome Early TU Lead to Blast Out Close 7-5 Victory in 8th Inning

Stevenson Relieves Peden to Silence Orange and White Batters Late in Game

A vicious six run splurge in the eighth inning gave a fighting Aggie team a lead over the Longhorns from Texas University here Saturday, and the cadets went ahead to win the game by a score of 7 to 5. This victory gave the Aggies first place in the conference standing as of Saturday.

The Longhorns took an early lead in the first inning when they scored two runs as a result of a single by Horace Glenn and a home run by Pete Layden which scored Glenn. J. D. Scoggin homered for the Aggies in the second, and Jack Stone retaliated with a circuit blow for the Longhorns in the third.

Roy Peden pitched for the Aggies until the eighth inning, when he was removed in favor of Charles Stevenson. During the eighth inning the Longhorns added two more runs to their score. Both Peden for the Aggies and Udell Moore for Texas had pitched good ball up until this time.

In the Aggie half of the eighth inning, the fireworks started and A. & M. scored six runs before Texas could apply the brakes. Beefus Bryan came in to relieve Moore, but the damage was done and the Aggies had created a two run lead. Stevenson, who was the winning pitcher, helped to win his game with a mighty double in this inning which scored two runs; Stevenson later came in with the tying run himself.

The ninth inning saw a threat of the Longhorns erased as Lefty Bumpers, winner of Friday's game, replaced Stevenson and went on to hold the Steers scoreless in the last inning. The final score was 7 to 5 in favor of the Aggies.

Saddle and Sirloin Barbecue Held Today

The Saddle and Sirloin Club picnic, originally scheduled for Monday, will be held at five o'clock this afternoon at Scoates lake.

This annual affair sponsored by the club sophomores will be highlighted by the presentation of medals to the members of the Meats Team, the Livestock Judging Team, and the winners of the Little Southwestern stock show.

The club officers for 1941-42 will be introduced followed by a meal consisting of barbecued pork, beef and mutton and side dishes.

Invitations, entertainment and arrangements for feeding the crowd will be handled by a committee composed of Horace Brown, F. C. Wright, M. H. Cannon, and Walter Cordwell.

As has been customary for the past several years, there will be a senior-prof baseball game.

The club extends invitations to all army officers, Animal Husbandry instructors and Saddle and Sirloin Club members.

Handball Meet to Reach Semi-finals

Aggieland's handball tournament has been moving at a fast clip since the beginning of competition and play has reached the third bracket. All games have been contested and the completion of this week's classes will narrow the field to four men.

Interest in the tournament has been high, according to manager Ransom Kenny and Mike Cokinos, and the activity points to becoming an annual affair.

Those players advanced to the third bracket are Al Droleski, Cokinos, Spoede, Smith, Nayowitz, Kenny, and Ed Droleski. Semi-finals and finals in the tournament are slated to be held next week.

Eastern New Mexico's public information bureau sent out a story saying there was a large increase in number of freshman girls.

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