

Cleaners Take Lead With Four Stright Wins

Summer Sports

With Mike Haikin

Aggie Cleaners Show Hustle and Fighting Spirit; Voting on All-Star Team Starts Today

The Campus Cleaners are finding their path to the championship rosy and to their liking, but ahead of them lies a team that is determined as ever to break Wayne Todd's claim to the title. That particular team is Jimmy Parker's Aggie Cleaners. They, too, have won everything that's been thrown at them, and, at this time, are seriously threatening the lead of the Campus Cleaners. It's not the ability of the players themselves that have brought victories to Jimmy's boys, but it is their fire and hustle and determination to win that has kept them going. All the teams may already concede the flag to Campus,

but not the Aggie Cleaners. It's determination like this that wins championships

Balloting for the All-Star team begins today, and this writer urges that all the players who receive a ballot attempt to pick a team that is worthy of this campus. One of the most important points to note on the ballot is the selection of a manager. He is the leader of the team, and it is he who makes or breaks it. Without a good leader, the team may as well go to the "dogs." So when you are picking the team, be sure you have one thing right—and that is a good manager.

Only One Player of Homer Norton's Football Team to Be Affected by Draft; All Others OK

Questions have been popping quite consistently to this writer in the past few days on the effect the draft will have on the Aggie football team. As far as can be seen, the draft will hardly have anything to do with the gridsters. In the first place, nearly all the seniors are taking advanced military. Secondly, most of the juniors have already applied for a contract, and are likely to receive one. There are

a few sophomores who are eligible for the draft, but their numbers are high enough to assure them at least a temporary deferment. Dennis Andricks is the only player with a low number, but he is not due to go into the army until the football season will be well on its way. So the draft that may play havoc with such football teams as Texas and Rice, will have very little to do with A. & M.

Snipes Conley's Comeback May Tempt Some Old Time Greats to Take Fling at Baseball

"Grandpappy" Snipes Conley, whose amazing string of 19 consecutive victories in the Texas League still stands, is back in action with the Dallas Rebels after a lapse of some 13 years from pro baseball activity. Although his famed spitball isn't as fast as it used to be, he had enough on the ball to thump the San Antonio Missions, 11 to 6, in his first appearance since his retirement. If Snipes

continues his winning form in the Texas League, it will certainly be a temptation to such old-timers as Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth, and Walter Johnson to take another fling at the diamond game. Even though the old boys would only give their weary bones the exercise they need, they would certainly increase some club-owner's bank roll as far as the gate receipts were concerned.

Highlights and sidelights of sports from here and there. . . Lefty Bumpers lost his first starting appearance with the Beaumont Exporters last Sunday when the league-leading Houston Buffs shaded the Shippers, 2 to 1. . . Bumpers allowed only four blows, but a homer with a man on base proved fatal. . . Ray Perryman, who has been elevated to the acting assistant registrar position in the absence of E. J. Howell, is a former basketball great at North Texas

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Battalion All-Star Balloting Starts Today

Only Active Players And Managers Will Be Eligible to Vote

Five Men Rule to Go Into Effect for the First Time

With the end of the softball season only three weeks away, the time has come when the players and managers of the various teams of the Twilight League get their chance of selecting an honor team of players that will represent this campus against one of the leading teams in Bryan.

Balloting Starts Today

Balloting for the Battalion All-Star team will commence today, with the players and managers of the A. & M. softball teams doing all the voting. This is the first time that the players have had anything to say about an all-star team. In the past, the managers of the teams voted for the honor squad, but this year it is felt that the players should vote so as to get a more representative team.

Five Player Limit

There is but one rule that will be enforced when tabulating the votes. That rule is the limitation of five players from any one team. All ballots that show more than five players from a certain team will not be considered.

The ballots will be distributed to the players today and the managers are urged to have all ballots in by 8 p. m. Thursday either at Luke Harrison's room at the Y. M. C. A. or at this writer's place in 74 Legett.

Ten New Concrete Tennis Courts to Be Completed Soon

Ten new concrete tennis courts will be completed within the next ten days for the Athletic Department of A. & M. College.

Since the tennis facilities of the college have been so limited in the past to only eight courts—four located by the gymnasium and four south of Kyle Field—these new tennis courts will help in remedying this particular situation to a great extent by giving more people an opportunity to indulge in this sport than in the past.

The work was first started on these new courts early in March of this year, but due to the fact that the weather has been so bad since that time, the workers have been unable to work much of the time. Labor for construction of the tennis courts has been furnished by the W.P.A. However, there have been several other projects in progress at the same time which required much of this labor, causing a delay in finishing this particular enterprise.

Four concrete courts were constructed several years ago and have been in use since that time. These old courts are located north of the project houses where the new ones are also to be situated. This makes a total of ten concrete tennis courts and four clay courts, which will help to relieve the crowded situation, due to the increased interest in tennis during the last few years as A. & M. College.

F. J. Benson of the Civil Engineering department is in charge of the engineering work and Travis Reed is foreman of the construction work.

All tennis courts are open to the public as well as to students and faculty members of the college.

State Teachers College. . . he also was basketball coach at Alba High School in East Texas. . . While looking over a 1926 Battalion magazine, we noticed that E. E. McQuillen, head of the Ex-student Association here, was one of the leading football announcers in those days. . . Dewey Hoke, one of the "boys" in the Physical Education Department, is now compiling intramural statistics for this past year. . . these statistics should prove that the intramural department had one of the best years in its career. . . Tommy Burnam, manager of the Seaboard Life softball team, is a renowned jitterbug deluxe. . . you should have seen him "jive" last Saturday night. . .

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HOW THEY STAND

(Excluding Tuesday's Games)

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Campus Cleaners	7	0	.1000
Aggie Cleaners	6	1	.857
Campus Theater	6	1*	.857
Aggieland Pharmacy	4	2	.667
Seaboard Life	4	3	.571
North Gate P. H.	2	5	.286
Milner Highballs	2	5	.286
Rivet Busters	2	5	.286
Legett Hall	0	7*	.000

*Denotes Forfeit

Last Tuesday's Results

Campus Cleaners 10, Lipscomb Pharmacy 3
Aggie Cleaners 5, North Gate P. H. 0
Campus Theater 6, Rivet Busters 4
Seaboard Life 8, Milner Highballs 5
Aggieland Pharmacy over Legett Hall (forfeit)

Wednesday's Results

Campus Cleaners 4, Aggieland Pharmacy 1
Campus Theater 12, Lipscomb Pharmacy 11
North Gate P. H. 12, Milner Highballs 3
Rivet Busters 8, Seaboard Life 3
Aggie Cleaners over Legett Hall (Forfeit)

Friday's Results

Aggie Cleaners 22, Lipscomb Pharmacy 13
Aggieland Pharmacy 12, Milner Highballs 6
Rivet Busters 5, North Gate P. H. 3
Campus Cleaners over Campus Theater (Forfeit)
Seaboard Life over Legett Hall (Forfeit)

Monday's Results

Campus Cleaners 8, Aggie Cleaners 3
Campus Theater 3, Aggieland Pharmacy 2
Seaboard Life 9, Lipscomb Pharmacy 5
Milner Highballs 13, Rivet Busters 10
North Gate P. H. over Legett Hall (Forfeit)

Margaret Hollingshead Wins Over Sis Florence in Tennis

By Al Krezdorn

One interesting sidelight of the summer tennis tournament took place here last week when Margaret Hollingshead and Fred Smith collided with Florence Hollingshead and Bill Parker in a first round mixed doubles match.

The match was of particular interest in the fact that Margaret, who is a left handed player, and Florence, who fires the ball from the right side, are sisters and top flight players. Margaret participated in the tournament last year with Sunny Campbell and got as far as the finals, but was beaten there by Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Terrell.

Margaret and Florence both played tennis in high school and have

been playing ever since, yet they have never met in a tennis tournament before.

However, the question was finally decided June 24 when Margaret and Fred defeated Florence and Bill in straight sets, 6-4, 6-4.

Class Schedules And Weekend Trips Slow Tournaments

Class schedules and weekend-end trips slowed down many of the summer sports tournaments when tennis and ping pong entries failed to get by the first round and hand ball failed to get past the bulletin board stage.

Due to the lag in the playoff Luke Harrison, head of the tournaments, has decided that a default list in men's tennis doubles will be posted at the end of this week in order to finish the tournaments in the scheduled amount of time.

Posting of a default list in all ping pong, tennis and handball will be necessary if these tournaments do not pick up.

This is a bad situation since the idea of the tournaments is for everyone to get to play as much as possible in all the sports possible. The tournaments are run with as much leniency as possible with few non-technical rules. From experience in the past Harrison found that this is the only way to handle the situation if a final round is ever to be reached.

Despite the slowness of the tournaments, two especially interesting matches were witnessed when J. P. Hill trounced Robert Thurmond and X. H. Fernandez slipped by P. M. Barker.

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Three Leading Teams Are Ploughed Under Last Week

Campus Theater Forfeits Crucial Game to Cleaners as Team Decides to Take Holiday

The Campus Cleaners, behind the consistent pitching of Rudy Rutherford and Maxie Bloodworth grabbed the Twilight League lead and led the Campus Theater and Aggie Cleaners by one game when they defeated their three toughest opponents—Aggieland Pharmacy, Campus Theater, and Aggie Cleaners. The Campus Theater game was especially easy as most of the theater players decided to take a holiday and thus forfeited the game to the Cleaners.

Cleaners Down Pharmacy

Loose fielding by the Aggieland Pharmacy ten gave the Campus Cleaners a 4 to 1 victory. Both Rutherford and Monty Moncrief, Pharmacy pitcher, allowed but five hits, but poor support by Moncrief's mates gave Rutherford the edge.

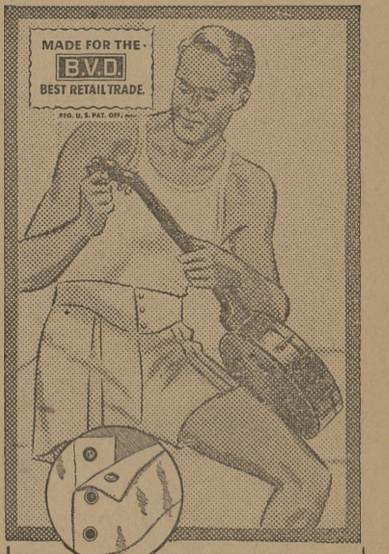
Wildness by Pitcher Godwin of Lipscomb Pharmacy gave the Campus Cleaners an 8 run lead last Tuesday evening. The Cleaners added two more tallies to take the contest, 10 to 3. Godwin allowed only 7 blows to the Cleaners while Red Bloodworth was touched for 7 hits too.

Stop Rally

Scoring five runs in the first two innings, the Campus Cleaners held off a belated rally by Jimmy Parker's Aggie Cleaners to grab an 8 to 3 victory. Rutherford allowed only two hits and none of the runs scored off him were earned. In another exciting game Mon-

ten decided to go back to action as they shaded Monty Moncrief's Aggieland Pharmacy, 3 to 2. The Pharmacists opened the scoring in the opening inning. Cashion doubled, Wilson singled, and Buckley poked another two-baser. However, after that short-lived scoring af-

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