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NEWS



Picking Aggies to Down Alabama in Cotton Bowl; Also Taking Missouri, Duke and TCU

Football is finally fading out of Rose Bowl after suffering an up-Football is finally fading out of the picture of sports. The climax of the great popular sport will in the '39 Classic. Oregon State come in the annual bowl games just came in under the wire to be-New Year's Day. These games come the Bowl nominee edging always prove thrilling to the pig-always prove thrilling to the pig-out Oregon university, 12-7, in the adverte the will be play-throughout the 1941 football sea-son. Wherever people listened to any records, but Nelson's value to the Chinash and will make the third contrast. The above figures don't break out Oregon university, 12-7, in the adverte the third contrast. The above figures don't break any records, but Nelson's value to the Chinash and will make the third contrast. The above figures don't break out Oregon university, 12-7, in the adverte the third contrast. The above figures don't break any records, but Nelson's value to the Chinash and will make the third contrast. skin-minded fans as some of the final minutes of play. The latter, and will make the third consecu-to the Alabama Crimson Tide's the Crimson Tide can't be measur-gies in the Cotton Bowl, Rast will defeated by the Phillips 66 Oilers best teams in the country are meanwhile, suffered its most humatched there. Let's look over the miliating defeat to the Texas pated in a post-season bowl game. bowl lineups for January 1, 1942. Longhorns, 71-7, the following Green Wave in the Sugar Bowl

COTTON BOWL . . . Texas A. week. So, take your pick there. & M.-Alabama—Picked by most We'll take Duke, 14.0. experts to be the closest game of the day, this tilt might well turn T.C.U. . . . Frank Sinkwich and into a mighty offensive duel. With his bunch of surprising Bulldogs Jimmy Nelson tossing the ball on will be up against it when they one side and Derace Moser and face the stonewall line of Dutch Aggies with a 13 to 12 score. Leo Daniels doing likewise on the other, anything can happen and The Toad line led by End Bruce will. The Tide is not noted for Alford and Tackle Darrell Palmer, football in the nation. They have its passing as much as it is for its was the only line besides Baylor, won 28 out of 30 games played in running attack and if it can pierce which completely throttled the the past three years, including the that stout Maroon and White line Texas Longhorn attack. Too, they two bowl games. In these three of Aggieland, it may well go on to victory. That may not be easy to do, however, as only Texas uni-away from Georgia and the Buil-1941) and were tied for first versity has accomplished that feat dogs just don't have much of a place with Southern Methodist in in 10 games. So, we'll take the Ag- team, and one thing learned in the 1940.

Jim Lansing and Steve Filipowicz, partment . . . the Aggies have Nelson has a running average of ior from Live Oak, Fla., has been to the Army, the edge goes to the scored 260 points against 46 . . .

State . . . Called off in California 930 yards net rushing while their because of the existing situation, opponents have managed for but this game has been moved to Dur-843... Some 335 yards of the lat-

gie aerial attack over the 'Bama ground game, 21-13. Southwest Conference is that you can't go far with a one-man team. The Texas A. & M.-Alabama game of this next New Year's SUGAR-BOWL . . . Fordham- It's the Frogs by a 13-7 score. Missouri . . . Here is where the best running game wins. Neither Sports Squibs From Here team boasts of any potential aerial And There; Some Statistics attack, but both have a ground On Southwest Conf Teams game that has lost 'em but one Some interesting statistics as game the whole season. Since compiled by H. B. McElroy, and Fordham lost its two great stars, Roy P. Gates of the Publicity De-

Tigers of Missouri, 6-0. ROSE BOWL . . . Duke-Oregon that totals to 38 touchdowns and 28 extra points . . . they have gained ing record of nearly .500.

Devils are after revenge in the veristy.



sincere wishes for a most pleasant holiday vacation

Cadets Risk Undefeated Bowl Record January 1 Record January 1 *Combination for Alabama Tide!* Cage Trip With Game Against LSU

By Mike Mann On New Year's Day, 1942, the

Texas Aggies gridsters will close tive year the Cadets have partici-

in New Orleans on January 1, 1940, and were victorious by a 14 to 13 score. On New Year's Day, 1941, the Fordham Rams were defeated in the Cotton Bowl by the

The Cadets have one of the best three-year records in collegiate

Day is selected by most observers to be the most closely-contested games the names Nelson and Rast game of the day. It will be the were synonomous with the word Aggie passing game against the touchdown. What lies behind this? Alabama ground game, for the Why are these two boys the most most part. However, with Jimmy feared players in the Southeast-Nelson, Alabama's sparkplug half- ern Conference. Let's take a look back, in the game, anything can into their past performances. be expected from the Crimson Tide. Jimmy Nelson, 180 pound sen-

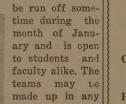
that totals to 38 touchdowns and 28 over four yards per try, a punting Alabama's standout back for the The Aggies are expected to cut ies this year. Jimmy paced the

ham, North Carolina. The Blue ter total was made by Texas uni- game, with Derace Moser and Leo of play during the past campaign, Daniels doing most of the pitch- and for the second successive year ing. The entire Cadet squad is in was named on every all-Southeast-

excellent shape and no ailments ern Conforence team and made sevare expected to be prevalent for eral All-America picks. the Cotton Bowl affair.

(See COTTON BOWL, page 4) tries from scrimmage, completed marker, and returned a punt 68

As previously announced, the Physical Education department will sponsor an open doubles handball tournament. The tournament will



FORFEIT DOGHOUSE Class A: Dub Oxford, Speedball. G FA, Speedball. A CAC, Speedball

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THE BATTALION -

By Chick Hurst

Jimmy Nelson

in each of the Tide's eight victor-

6 CHQ, Basketball their faces with Nelson attached. Class B: The other end of the Nelson to H Inf, Ping Pong Rast combination is All-American E Replace. Center, Ping Holt Rast, a 185 pound senior from Pong. Birmingham, Ala. Considered to be I Inf. Ping the best defensive end ever to out respect to G Inf, Ping Pong play for Alabama, Rast is even classification, organization, or campus standing. All of the contests will be played at night and Merry Christmas will be scheduled by the P. E. de-And There is no restriction on the number of teams that may be entered from each unit and medals will be awarded to the champions. Entry cards may be turned in at the Physical Education department Fish Basketball Game I Battery Field Artillery and B Infantry are endowed with Fish basketball teams deluxe. The best game that has been played this season was the encounter between these two teams. The game was CAMPUS VARIETY STORE nip-and-tuck all the way and the game was tied up until the last North Gate quarter. Because of the fine plav-にはようななななななななななななな ing of Lee Forrest, B Infantry won ROYAL DEMUTH FILTER PIPE Campus Club Team Age mellowed, specially treated and thoroughly seasoned imported briar root fashioned by master craftsmen into an ultra fine pipe, exquisitely finished. The Texas Aggie Varsity water polo team downed the Campus **To Remember Your** Club water nolo team by a close score of 8-7 in P. L. Downs Jr. Campus Club clinches the Texas State Water Polo League title for mains one more game to be played The game was hotly contested all the way and at the half time period, the Campus Club was leading 6-3. The Aggie Virsity came back 18 with renewed energy and began to DISTINCTIVE MODELS SUITING EVERY PREFERENCE. FILTER MAKES PIPE FUNCTION SUPERBLY pile up points. High score man for the Aggie varsity was Fred Re-

25 out of 54 passes for a total gain | more valuable as a signal caller, Carrying their basketball trip Nelson to Rast, a touchdown!! of 394 yards and four touchdowns, and runs the team from his left into Louisiana, the Texas Aggies

Nelson and Rast Form a Great Aggies Start

chips were down.

Aggies and 'Bama Ready for Cotton Bowl

yards with an intercepted pass for plenty good after all. a third.

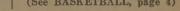
Against Tulane, Nelson passed, to Rast for one touchdown, ran a

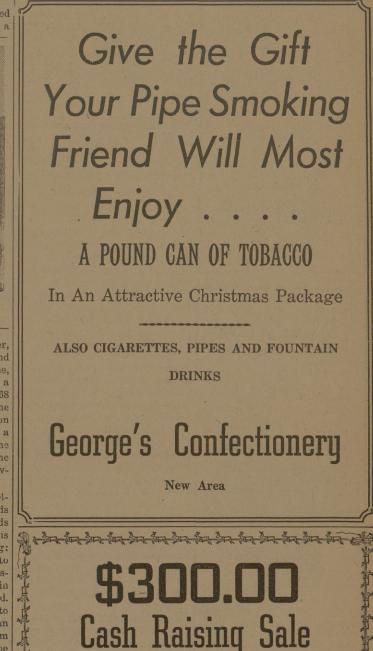
ed in figures. "Ole Tater Head" as Nelson is called by teammates, tion of his career. Both Jim Sterl-score.

In the Tide's 9-2 win over Tennes- But viewing the fact that several of the Chirstmas holidays before taksee, it was Nelson who pitched the lanky Alabamian's pass com- ing to the road again. The next a touchdown pass to Holt Rast for pletions have gone for touchdowns, scheduled game is with Kentucky the only one of the game. In the all against Southeastern Confer- university in Lexington, Kentucky, 27-14 victory over Georgia, Nelson ence teams, and the Aggies season on December 30. The games that passed for one six-pointer, went off record of 294 passes attempted to follow in that series are: Purdue tackle for another, and ran 53 the Tide's 86, Rast's record is university on December 31 at

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has always come through when the ing and Bill Henderson lead him After the two games in Louisiin the department of passes caught. ana the Cadets return home for (See BASKETBALL, page 4)





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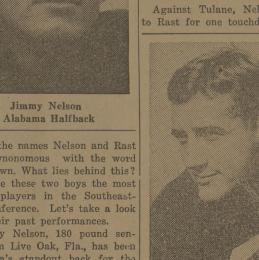
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kickoff back 60 yards for another, Nelson gained 456 yards in 109 he again passed to Rast for a yards for another. Although in the game but a few minutes, Nelson returned the kickoff 95 yards for a touchdown, and went through the line for a 13 yard scoring run in the Tide's early season triumph over Howard.

Besides those listed above, Nelson returned a punt 85 yards against Miami, and ran 20 yards through Kentucky for a score. This list serves to prove but one thing: anyone kicking down the middle to Jimmy Nelson shouldn't be surpris-A Cav, Speedball ed if the ball comes back right in

