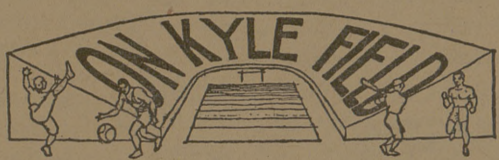


Ags Renew Series Against Baylor Tonite



By Mike Haikin
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Aggies Must Stop Baylor's Dwight Parks If They Hope to Triumph in Tonight's Game

After a 13 day respite from conference competition, the Texas Aggies finally get back into action as they tangle with the Baylor Bears at Waco tonight.

The last time these two teams tangled, one of the most thrilling games of the season was reeled off. As per usual the valiant Aggies went down in defeat, but not before they gave the home town fans their money's worth.

Coach Marty Karow's five will undoubtedly go into the fray as decided underdogs, but there is a good chance for them to win the game. As you may remember in their first meeting, the Bears' main offense centered around diminutive Dwight Parks who hit the meshes right and left for 19 points and the game. Without him, the Bears are a listless ball club, as was shown in their game with Rice last week.

Stopping Parks is another question. The little Elkhart cager was stopped but once this year, with the result being a 73-36 thrashing by Rice. If the Aggies

can hold Parks to, say 10 or 12 points, there is a good chance for the Aggies to be on the long end of the score.

The same can be said about the Aggies. It seems that the Cadets can't get anywhere without Bill Henderson. Sure, the other boys, like Ray Jarrett or Fred Nabors, get on a spree once in a while and hit the hoop for a number of points, but we will have to admit that without Henderson the Aggies probably wouldn't even come close to these conference teams.

So the main concern of the respective A. & M. and Baylor coaches will be to devise some method of stopping the high scoring aces of the two schools. Which one it will be is a burning question among Aggie basketball fans, but Coach Marty Karow has already shown that he is able to figure out a defense for high scoring aces, Bob Kinney of Rice for example. I'm not saying the Aggies will win, but they have a swell chance—about a 60-40 anyway!

Sports Squibs from Here and There; Maroon And White Banquet to Come Off Fri or Mon

The banquet for the Maroons and the Whites will be held either Friday or next Monday . . . everything but the medals are ready and these are expected to arrive from Holland's Jewelry Company in San Angelo this week . . . the annual Sports' Day, sponsored by the T. Club, will come off February 21 . . . a baseball game and an intra-squad football game will be the feature of the day . . . Don't forget the date—February 21 . . . the Aggie freshman swimming team elected Lewis Albert Stein of Brownsville, captain of their team for the current school year . . . Stein swims the 100-yard backstroke event and Coach Art Adamson expects to see him develop into a fine tanker before he is through . . . Four of Temple High School's brightest college prospects decided in favor of Texas university . . . they were Wayland Hill, triple threat back; Kenneth Baker, end; Ed Heap, tackle, and F. G. Martin, guard . . . Of the four Martin looks the best . . .

Aggie Swimming Team Opens Tenn Tour February 7

Five Dual and One Triangular Meet on Line For Art Adamson's Men

Coach Art Adamson's Texas Aggie tank team will make their annual spring tour starting Feb. 7 with a dual meet with the Dallas Athletic Club nators in Dallas, but then instead of making the customary northern tour, they will swing through the South and take part in five more meets, one of them a triangular affair.

On February 9 they will swim the Alabama Polytechnic Institute (Auburn) at Auburn, Ala.; on February 10 they meet Emory university at Atlanta and then the next night swim the Georgia Tech team in the same city.

From there they move on to Knoxville, Tennessee, where they compete against the University of Tennessee, on February 12, and then over to Lebanon, Tennessee, for a triangular meet with Castle Military Academy and Vanderbilt university on February 13. After that meet they will return to College Station and get ready for the Southwest Conference season.

No water polo games will be played on the tour since a swim meet will be held each night and both sports by one team would work too much of a hardship on the swimmers.

Aggie hopes are fairly bright this year with Bobby Taylor, 220-440 and 100 backstroke champion of the Southwest Conference still on hand. Jimmie Kiel, Guy Johnson, Richard Weirus and Fred Renaud also will take part in the 220 and 440 events.

Because of dangers of excess eye strain, children should not learn to read until 6½ or 7 years old in the opinion of Dr. Helen A. Field, professor of education at University of Pennsylvania.

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Lil Dimmitt--the Jack of All Trades --Learned Coaching Profession by Simple Observation

By Mike Haikin

"O-oo! My shoulder. Get the sun lamp over here, Lil. How about my ankle? It sure needs tarping, Lil. Lil! Lil! Come on, Coach, let's rub the soreness out of my muscles."

No, those are not groans coming out of a hospital, but are regular exclamations coming out of the A. & M. training room, and the man behind the scene is none other than Lilburn J. (Lil) Dimmitt, one of the best known and most fascinating persons in the state of Texas.

Jack-of-All Trades

Everyone has heard of a person who is known as the "jack of all trades," but you really don't appreciate one until you've met and talked with Lil Dimmitt.

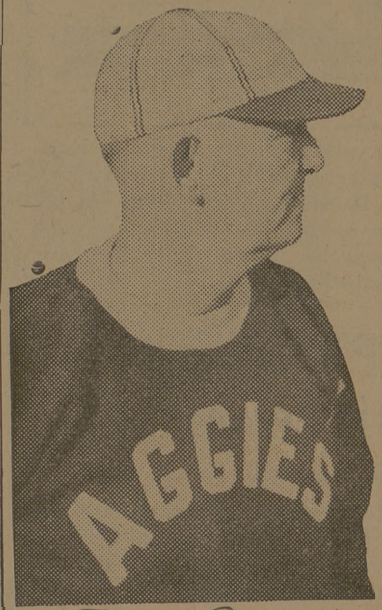
Yes, Lil Dimmitt—the Mayor of Georgetown, the banker, the insurance man, the rancher, the trainer, and the coach of football, basketball, track, and baseball—has had his finger in everything imaginable. But first, let's start from the beginning and look into the career of the man who today tends to the business of taking care of A. & M. athletes, both physically and otherwise.

Lil was born, reared, and educated in Georgetown. He participated only in high school athletics, never engaged in sports while at-

tending Southwestern university. He loved all kinds of athletics, but was too small to participate in these. He learned the fundamentals of basketball, football, baseball, and track, not from actual experience but from observation.

To get ahead with the story, Lil left the university after three

Ag Baseball Coach



Trainer Dimmitt

years and immediately jumped in to the ranching business where he stayed until the drought took the last "blue shirt" he had.

Other men would have been discouraged but not Dimmitt. With a group of his friends, he organized a bank and served as a cashier for two or three years. In 1921, Lil decided to run for mayor of Georgetown, and no sooner had he done so, then he was easily elected.

"Why, shux, it was nothing," said Dimmitt. "Half of the town was kin to me one way or the other, while 99 per cent of the colored people voted for me, so how could I miss?"

Helped High School Coach

While he was a \$40-per-month mayor, he got a job helping coach in Georgetown High School. He worked in all kinds of sports, and succeeded in each admirably.

"My greatest thrill in helping coach Georgetown High was the time we beat Main Avenue of San Antonio. They were one of the bigger schools and were expected to give us a real licking. But we fooled 'em. The thing that tickled me most was that Bruce Layer played for them. What did he play? He claims he was a half-back, but I think he was the water-boy."

Following his short career in politics, Lil acquired the job of head coach at Beaumont High School through the great efforts of one Pete Cawthon, former Texas Tech coach. Starting in 1922 (See DIMMITT, Page 4)

Parks, Henderson Duel Expected to Highlight Game

Cadets Out for Bear Scalp After Two Point Defeat in Last Meeting of Teams

With remembrance of that last minute two point defeat in their previous encounter adding fuel to the flame of revenge, the Texas Aggie basketballers left this morning for Waco where they meet the unpredictable Baylor Bears tonight. With the Aggies hot for revenge, and the Bears fighting to stay in the upper bracket of the conference, the game promises to be one of the most thrilling to be reeled off in the current season.

Last Saturday night the Aggies took on the Sam Houston Bear attack and is as elusive as a jackrabbit on the court. Plus his terrific speed and elusiveness Parks' exceptional ability to sink shots from seemingly impossible angles makes him one of the hardest men in the Southwest Conference to stop.

Together with Sparks, the Bears will couple Jimmie Marino, the ball hawk from Chicago, a lad who can make it plenty tough for the opposition to hold the ball, as the Aggies will testify from experience in their previous encounter.

Probably starting lineups for the two teams are as follows:

A. & M.	Jarrett.....F.....	Haley
	Huffman.....F.....	Arnett
	M. Cokinos.....G.....	Belew
	Nabors.....G.....	Parks
Henderson.....C.....	Frivaldsky	

The army's new "shirt-pocket" food rations—12 ounce, condensed meals—were developed by Dr. Ancel Keys of the University of Minnesota.

For tonight's encounter the Aggies have spent plenty of time

INTRAMURALS

By Mike Mann

Class A Speedball and Basketball tournaments are drawing to a close and the champions in both events will be decided by the end of this week.

H Replacement Center came through to trounce I Replacement in an eighth-final cage match with a 22-8 score. In another similar game I Infantry defeated D Engineers 11-8. Hdq. Signal Corps took B Field Artillery in a quarter-finals game by a score of 15-7. In the closing games of Class A Speedball, A Chemical Warfare

Field and Coast Artillery. Thursday, Feb. 5, 5 p.m., little gym, Handball demonstration for Infantry and Engineers.

Friday, Feb. 6, 5 p.m., little gym, Handball demonstration for all other organizations.

FORFEIT DOGHOUSE

Class A:
Speedball
K Infantry
3rd Hq. Field Artillery
1 Corps Headquarters
B Field Artillery

whitewashed Hdq. Cavalry with a 20-0 score. D Cavalry took C Field Artillery 14-2 while D Coast Artillery beat G Field Artillery 6-1.

All intramural participants are reminded of the start of Class A Volleyball today and Class B Aggiminton tomorrow. Class A Horseshoes and Class B Horseshoes and Handball will begin shortly and schedules will be sent out this week.

Intramural players are reminded that Volleyball will be played on the new courts west of the clay tennis courts and Aggiminton will be played on the old Volleyball courts under the west side of the stadium. Horseshoe games will be run off at the same place as in previous years, under the east side of the stadium.

The Intramural Department has issued the following schedule for instructional periods (game credit will be given only to those taking intramurals):

Tuesday, Feb. 3, 7 p.m., big gym, Handball, chalk talk.

Wednesday, Feb. 4, 5 p.m., little gym, Handball demonstration for

Calisthenics at 6 -- Spike White Exercises With Ags Each Morning

Will wonders never cease? Taking calisthenics along with the cadet corps is Spike White, assistant intramural director of the college. Spike arises at the first peep of dawn and begins his "daily dozen."

If Spike misses his "formation," his "ram slips" read, "Pay Mrs. White one dollar."

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