

Coach Anderson Ordered to Report for Duty



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Battalion Sports Editor

Circumstances Make it Almost Necessary For Coaching Staff to Add Another Man

If that A. & M. coaching staff continues its onward march to the army, this scribe's worry for gathering sport news will be all but over.

For the second consecutive week, a member of the coaching staff has been called to duty, this time Col. Frank Anderson, cross-country and golf mentor, and a candidate for Capt. Dough Rollins' vacant spot in the track department.

Well, whatever Coach Homer Norton had in mind in that respect is over for Col. Andy leaves for Ft. Sill July 11 to resume his duties as a full-fledged colonel of the U. S. Army.

But back to Coach Norton's problem. His statement that no new coaches will be hired at present doesn't mean that no new coaches will be hired later. In fact, the latter may be made necessary by the circumstances.

But as to who the new coach or coaches will be, your guess is as good as mine. Before Dough and Col. Andy bid this school adieu for a short duration, the possibility of reorganizing the staff was only a simple gesture to Coach Norton, but now, well, that's a horse of a different color.

Sports Squibs From Here and There; Pete Watkins Steals Spotlight in Corpus Meet

Pete Watkins, representing Lipscomb's Pharmacy stole the spotlight in the Corpus Christi Air Station track meet Saturday afternoon by winning or placing in seven of the seven events that he entered. . . . Watkins tied for first in the highjump and placed in the javelin, discus and shotput. . . . he also participated as member of Lipscomb's team which won second in the 440-yard relay, mile relay and the 880-yard relay. . . . Albert Ricks, Ken Stallings and Larry Wolfe also shouldered their part of the burden. . . . Ricks won

Let's just take a peek and see what kind of a reorganization could be made out of the coaches present. Football, baseball and basketball could easily be taken care of by Coach Norton, Lil Dimmitt, and Manning Smith respectively. Bill James plus the three mentioned above would take care of football adequately with such boys as Bill Buchanan, Euel Weston and Charlie Stevenson among the student coaches taking care of the Fish.

But the big problem still reverts to track. Of course, Coach Norton could take over baseball and Lil Dimmitt put on track, but that hardly would be adequate to either of the mentors. Coach Norton, in the first place, would be tied up with thousands of other important things at that particular time while Lil could hardly take care of two sports at once.

So if you're still a bit bothered on the question whether A. & M. will hire a new coach, just put your money that they will, but on a temporary basis only, for both Capt. Dough and Col. Andy are returning to their home grounds following the termination of the war.

Cross-Country and Golf Mentor to Leave July 11

Fort Sill to be Destination of Former A.&M. Commandant; Served 22 Years Here

The possibility of appointing Col. Frank Anderson, head A. & M. cross-country and golf mentor, as the logical successor to army-bound Dough Rollins as head track coach of the Texas Aggies, was nipped in the bud when it was learned Monday that the former A. & M. Commandant received orders from the War Department to report for duty July 11 at Fort Sill.

Col. Anderson's call left the A. & M. coaching staff in a more complex situation than it has ever been. Coach Norton, however, still maintained that "nothing will be done until September." Only Coach Norton, Lil Dimmitt, Bill

James and Manning Smith are left to handle the reins of Texas A. & M. sports. None of the four are in danger of immediate military service.

Coming to Texas A. & M. in 1920, Col. Anderson is the oldest serving member of the Aggie staff. He coached the freshman and varsity track team through 1935 during which time the Ags won their only four track championships 1921-22, 1929-30.

He resigned as head track coach to become commandant of cadets from 1935 until his position was consolidated with the PMS&T Colonel. Col. Anderson then returned to the sporting world retaining his job as cross-country coach and professor of physical education.

In 1935 he was appointed as



average yearly student expenses at Harvard university are \$1,295.

It is estimated that at least half of the nearly 1,500,000 youths in American colleges are working to help pay their expenses, while 20 per cent are paying all their costs.

William Lyon Phelps, Yale University author and lecturer, recently gave 47 new editions to the Friends of the Middle Border treasury room at Dakota Wesleyan University, Mitchell, S. D.

Aggie Cleaners Hand Campus Cleaners First Defeat; Lipscomb's, Theatre, Loupot's Win

The heretofore league-leading Campus Cleaners fell down a notch yesterday evening when a surprising and hustling Aggie Cleaners fired away with both barrels to come out on top, 3-1.

Surprises do end right here though for the Campus Theatre, sparked on by the two-hit hurling of Charlie Beasley annexed its

first game by defeating Holick's Cleaners, 9-0.

Lipscomb's Pharmacy took over first place with the Campus Cleaners by edging out the Faculty, 5-3. Loupot's outscored Madeley's in the other affair; 3-2.

Of all the games played yesterday, the performance of the Aggie Cleaners easily tops the list. Leonard Holder's bunch aren't any super players—they just played ordinary everyday ball, but that was good enough to down the Campus Cleaners. "Sarge" Brown, a converted catcher, hurled for the Ags,

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Entries Already Submitted For Intramural Tournaments; More Desired

All is in readiness for the opening early in July of the six open tournaments sponsored by the intramural department, states W. L. Penberthy, who will direct the contests.

A number of entries have been submitted to the department but more entries are desired to make the program more exciting and entertaining. All Aggies are eligible to enter this contest regardless of classification or outfit. An application blank may be found on this page. When it is filled out and turned in to the Intramural office the entrant is officially in the con-

test. The events included in the tournaments are golf, table tennis, handball, tennis, aggieintom and horseshoes. The greens fee for the golf entrants will be 25 cents with no charge to those reaching the semi-finals and final matches.

Friday at 5 p.m. is the deadline for the entrants. There are four more days in which to fill out an application blank and submit it to the Intramural office. The sports will begin early in July. Contestants will be notified of the opening of the season.

INTRAMURALS

By Mike Mann

At the first meeting of the Intramural Managers Club, consisting of all departmental intramural managers, the following officers were elected: Johnny Mouser, president; Dave Meyer, vice president; and "Pinky" Wilson, secretary-treasurer. The object of this club is the furtherance of intramural athletics and entertainment of departmental managers. The members have planned a semi-monthly meeting with entertainment and food included.

son, local swimming coach will no doubt have a worthy assistant in Ponthieux when the latter returns to A. & M.

In the Class A softball competition, A Engineers nosed out Machine Gun Cavalry 13-12 as E Field Artillery defeated B Signal Corps 10-2. D Cavalry walloped K Infantry 11-5.

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- E Replacement Center, softball
- D Coast Artillery, softball
- E Engineers, tennis
- B Replacement Center, tennis
- B Replacement Center, water polo
- D Field Artillery, water polo
- B Cavalry, water polo
- 2nd Corps Headquarters, water polo

CLASS B

- C Chemical Warfare, swimming
- E Engineers, swimming
- H Infantry, swimming
- F Infantry, swimming

Recreational officers are reminded that 5 p.m. Thursday, July 2, is the deadline for turning in entry cards for new sports to the Intramural office. The sports included at this time are Class A volley ball and swimming and Class B tennis and water polo. Nicky Ponthieux, former assistant director of intramurals, has written to "the boys down at the office." Nicky is on leave and is spending the summer managing the swimming pool at the Pleasure Pier in Port Arthur. Art Adam-

Lt S M Williams To Report For FA Duty

First Lieutenant S. M. Williams will report here soon as an instructor in the Field Artillery regiment. Lt. Williams is from Oklahoma City and has been on inactive duty prior to this order from the War Department.

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Loupot's Trading Post	3	2	0	.600	1
Faculty	2	2	1	.500	1½
Aggie Cleaners	2	2	1	.500	1½
Holick's Cleaners	2	3	0	.400	2
Campus Theatre	1	4	0	.250	3
Madeley's Pharmacy	1	4	0	.250	3

MONDAY'S RESULTS

Aggie Cleaners 3 Campus Cleaners 1
Campus Theatre 9 Holick's Cleaners 0
Loupot's 3 Madeley's Pharmacy 2
Lipscomb's Pharmacy 5 Faculty 3

allowing five scattered hits, while his mates were blasting out seven from the offerings of Ramsey. A two run rally in the first on hits by Robinson, Riley and Holder, plus a walk to Beard sowed up the affair.

In scoring their first victory of the Twilight League season, the

Campus Theatre bunch uncovered a pitcher who should give the other teams plenty of worry before the year is out. Charlie Beasley had that wind-mill delivery to perfection, and with a ten-hit attack, led by Bill Black, who slammed out three hits, the Theatre team (See TWILIGHT, Page 4)

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