

Aggie Tankmen Host To Texas u. Swimmers Saturday Nite

INTRAMURALS

By R. L. Bynes

"The important thing is not in winning but taking part—the essential thing in not conquering but fighting well"—De Courbetin.

Well ole' army, that is really the prime purpose of the intramural sports here at A. & M.—to take part and to fight well, so just remember this little quotation the next time you feel you have something more important to do than to show up in support of your outfit on each of the afternoons it has an intramural game scheduled. The intramural enthusiasm has been good so far this semester, but let's see if we can make it even better from now until the end of the present semester.

In League A basketball competition so far, Wyble's A Co. lads have displayed remarkable stamina in winning their two games this past week to place them ahead in this league with 3 wins. Their first victory came last week, while they obtained their second and third wins this week by ushering in a 23 to 17 victory over the fighting C Battery quintet on Wednesday of this week, and also by tarnishing the Second Co. frog's pride with a 14 to 11 win played earlier this week. The C battery men are next in League A basketball with two wins and no losses while the hapless H Co infantrymen are way at the bottom with two defeats. League B basketball boasts G Co. in the spotlight with two victories and one loss, and F Battery and Dorm 6 next with one victory each. E Troop is on the loose in League C basketball with a pair of wins for themselves, while E Co. trails

by a slim margin—they have one win.

In the League A Handball parade the B Co. infantrymen are out in front with their two wins and one loss. In grabbing this lead the infantrymen overcame the G battery men 2 to 1 by taking both of the singles games played, and next by punching out a 2 to 1 victory over an outplayed A Battery handball squad. Next comes G Co. and D Troop who are tied with one win and no losses for second place in League A.

In League B the E Co. infantrymen are far out in front with their two victories, followed closely by C Battery with one win. The E Co. infantrymen, in obtaining their two wins breezed through down-trodden E Troop, winning all three matches. Their second win came when won 2 to 0 over the hapless E Troopers. League C, although very idle so far, it is headlined by F Co.'s single victory while H Co. is in the cellar in this division with 0 wins and one loss.

In the League A horseshoe competition, G Battery has 2 wins and 1 loss which puts them out in front in this league followed by the First Co. and C Co. who have one win apiece. League B is spotlighted by D company's pair of victories along with A Battery's lone win, which puts them in a close second position in this division of handball play. Climaxing this brief resume we have the G Co. infantrymen and the D Troop cavalrymen all knotted up in the top berth, with the A Co. infantrymen lying in the second spot with one win.

Aggie Thinclads Place Second Behind Longhorns At Fort Worth Track Meet

By Sam Nixon

Eighteen records were shattered in perfect track weather last Saturday afternoon at the Fat Stock Show track and field meet at Fort Worth. The two-day contest of running, jumping, and throwing events ended with the University of Texas, Brackenridge High of San Antonio and Corpus Christi Naval Air Station dragging down first place marks.

The Texas u. tracksters were the only champions to repeat this year. They piled up a total of 73½ points, nearly as many as all the other entrants in the meet put to-

gether. The Fighting Texas Aggies took second place easily with 30½ points, while Oklahoma U. with 21½ points, placed third. The next three positions were filled by Rice Institute, with 17 points, Oklahoma A. & M., with 10 points, while Southern Methodist U. eked out but 2 points.

The Maroon and White cindermen took a few first places, and many seconds and thirds. The pole vault was a three place tie with Tate of the Aggies, Wilson of Oklahoma, and Callas of T. u., each man going over the high bamboo rod while it was placed at 11 ft. 1 in. above the ground. The next place was copied by Williams of A. & M., who vaulted 10 feet 6 in.

The high jump mark of the meet this year was 6 ft., with Haws of the Aggies tying for first place.

The Aggie spikemen also tied for first in the Mile Relay with Mortensen, Wilson, Alley, and Holbrook passing the baton four times around the track for the time of 3 min. 29 sec.

Holbrook easily took the 440-yd. dash, coming ahead of the field 49.9 seconds after the starter's gun had been fired.

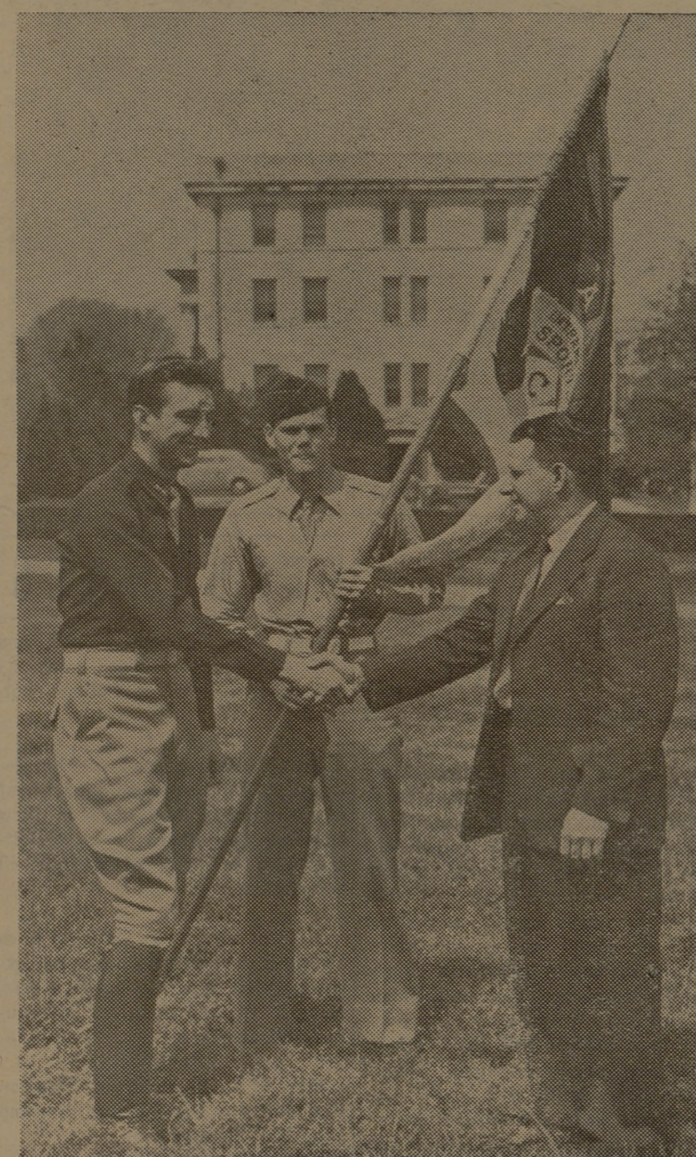
White placed a close second in the 120-yd. high hurdles. White, Hirsch, and White were third and fourth, respectively, in the 220-yd. low hurdles.

Hargis came in fourth in the one mile run.

Coach Lil Dimmitt's strong-arm man, Damon "Greek" Tassos, was third in shotput, third in discus, and fourth in javelin. Greek's dis-

Battalion Sports

Bob English Takes Intramural Flag for F Co.



Bob English, former F Company Commander, is shown receiving the Intramural Pennant from W. L. Penberthy for scoring the highest number of points in the Intramural race last semester. Bill Davis, Executive Officer, looks on.

Norton Meets With Golfers

Homer Norton will meet this afternoon at 5:00 P. M. with all men interested in Varsity Golf and Tennis. This is the first official call for players in these sports and Mr. Norton stated that plans for regular practices will be discussed.

Several men interested in Golf met last week with C. H. Henning in front of the Duncan mess Hall. All these men and others wanting to try out for this sport are asked to meet with Mr. Norton at the Athletic Office this afternoon at 5:00 P. M.

Several boys have been in to see Mr. Norton about Varsity Tennis during the past few days. He asks that these boys and any others who have had tennis experience meet with him at the above mentioned time.

Basketball

By R. L. Bynes

A BATTERY TOPS G BATTERY MEN

The game was only ten seconds old in Monday afternoon's 4:15 G Battery-A Battery tilt before Dietrich pushed one through the basket for the A Battery men. Both the A Battery Peashooters and the G Battery men slugged it out in the first quarter from there on and then just as the whistle brought the curtains down on the first quarter, Ellis looped one in for G Battery.

Scoring did not resume until midway of the second quarter when, with both teams tangled up in a muddle under G Battery's mesh, Lane squirmed his way through the tangle-up to break the stillness with a crisp shot. Then Pryzant of A Battery, who played colorful ball all the way through with his pass interceptions and fast breaks, banged two shots through the hoop, followed by Hamilton of G Battery who laced up the game 6 to 6 when he plugged the last shot through the hoop with but 35 seconds remaining in the first half.

The second half score may simply be summed up as a very tight bit of floor play because that is just about what it was. The G Battery men could only boast Murphree in the second half with his two points, while it was really Boone and Cecil who put the very tight ending game in the bag for the A

Longhorns To Be Seeking Revenge For Defeat By Aggies In Austin Recently

The Aggies and the Steers clash once again Saturday afternoon at 3:15 in P. L. Downs Natatorium in what promises to be a repetition of last week's close fought meet at Austin. Any number of things, however, can rob the Aggies of a second victory, the margin in the first meet being only 3 points, or the equivalent of a second place. So this means that if any Aggie swimmer lets down the slightest bit and fails to do as well as he did last time, Texas will have a better than even chance of winning.

The Steer splashers, in the first meet, exhibited singular lack of condition, and they will most likely show much improvement over their previous performance with the benefit of ten more days of conditioning behind them. The Aggies, although able to hold their own, may succumb under new power developed by Texas.

The Aggies will enter with three advantages. One is the use of their own pool, of especial importance to the sprinters. Another is the fact that the diving board here is of a rather tricky nature, and should give the Texas divers considerable grief. But perhaps the greatest advantage will be the support of the Aggie Corps. There's plenty of room in the gallery for all the Aggies and their dates. So come on down to the pool Saturday, Aggies; the swimmers need your support as much if not more than the football and basketball team needed them. And remember, there is no admission charge!

Thirteen Aggie swimmers, under the direction of Coach Art Adamson, displayed superior condition and came through to win the first dual meet of the year from the Steer splashers by the very close margin of 48-45. Three times trailing, it was not until Self, swimming anchor on the 400-yard freestyle relay team, struck the bank

Battery men with their combined four points. Final count in this well played tilt was 10 to 8, A Battery over G Battery. Lane of A Battery and Seyfarth of G Battery were the reigning lads in the fouls division with two each, and while we are on the subject of fouls, may it be added that the A Battery quintet didn't commit any fouls whatsoever in the last half, something which is remarkable in intramural cage play.

A CO. WINS OVER FROGS
Edwards took advantage of Walker's foul late in the first period to begin the scoring parade in the League A, A Company-Second Company cage squabble played on Monday afternoon at 5:00 p.m. The first quarter looked as though it might remain that way, but Darby, of the frogs, made it a 1 to 1 tie when he looped through a free shot just as the quarter ended.

By this time the frogs' starting string was expected to have a slight lead because A Company's starting five was not on the court, but their scientific zone play backfired on them and the score became tied after A Company's Lofler and Fuller of the Frogs each made two points for their squads. The third period produced no score but from the standpoint of floorwork alone, A Company's Wyble, Latham, and Presnal really produced a bit of coordination and footwork which can be remembered for some time to come.

By this time the tables began to turn, and how that furniture began to fly—Edwards, lugging the oval in a whale of a scoring spree which saw him shovel in 10 big points for himself, along with Wyble's and Latham's expert floorwork, A Company simply ran wild, pushing the exciting tilt to a final 14 to 11 victory over the by now hapless Frogs. It was not a one way win, however, because the Frogs kept plugging away all the time, but the odds were simply in A Com-

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Frogs Are Leading In Intramural Horseshoes

Handball

C CO. TROUNCES E CO.

The C Company infantrymen put the drop on the outplayed E Company infantrymen in Monday afternoon's lone handball squabble and walked away victorious by trouncing the E Company infantrymen in both the singles games by overwhelming margins of 15 to 4, 15 to 5, and 15 to 1, 15 to 3.

In the first singles match, Herrera of C Company capitalized on Domingon's inability to return the ball on serves and bounded to an easy 15 to 1, 15 to 3 win without a letup.

The second defeat for the E Co. infantrymen of the afternoon was sustained when Ostermeyer of C Company dealt Washington of E Company quite a low blow when he poured it on in a steady, easygoing 15 to 4, 15 to 5 pacemaking victory which virtually clinched the win for McGuyre's C Company lads.

In the doubles match the C Company infantrymen did not fare so well, however those E Company lads had a whale of a time in grabbing their lone win in what may be described as one of the most evenly matched handball tussles seen here in several weeks. Two-thirds of the way through this match the score was all knotted up with both E Company and C Company with a victory. The first game was won by Tuffly and Bassett of E Company 15 to 11, while H. L. Prater and L. N. McGuyre of C Company netted the next one with a tight 17 to 15 score. Now the C Company lads had a nice chance to take the third game for themselves and thereby shut their opponents out with a straight three game win when they led by an 11 to 6 margin midway of the third tilt, but their serve returns got the best of them and Tuffly and Bassett went on to win 15 to 7.

tance with the discus was 118 feet, 11 inches.

The University Division teams, depleted by the war, left the record-breaking to the fast-stepping High School Division boys. The big boys did their best and came very close but could not set a mark that would better others in the two-year-old meet.

Horseshoes

FROGS BEAT G BATTERY

By Dick Dillingham

Straight, fast games were played last week. No matches were played down to the last game to decide the match. The games, nevertheless, were packed with good pitching and tense moments. Accuracy on the part of all teams was the factor that made the games fast.

The Frogs of the First Co. came back from Kyle Field with a surprising win over G Battery. Taking four of the games and losing two, the Freshmen showed real promise as G Battery was the winner of two matches and the league lead. The First Co. men, led by the very good pitching of Murray, took most of the games by convincing scores. The team of Murray and Smith defeated Bill Withers and Chuck Weinbalm 21-6 and 21-19. Elder and Dillingham took Nixon and Groves of C Battery 21-3 and 21-17. Meanwhile, Johnson and Lafferdy were losing their games 21-12 and 21-15.

Again the "Fighting Frogs" pulled another victory home with their last Monday, as they defeated E Troop in some very close games, the First Co. men had considerable more trouble with the Jocks than with G Battery in their first victory. This match was tied down to the last game (and tied in that game 17-17, to be specific). Elder and Dillingham took two games in a row over Botard and F. W. Poe of E Troop in a couple of close games. Clayton and Denson ran into more than their match in Withers and "Big Boy" Broome of E Troop. The Jocks won two straight in this match. This left the whole thing up to the games between Voss and Brown of E Troop and Murray and Smith. Taking a game apiece the first round, the last game was the clincher for someone. Leading 15-14, Voss threw a ringer that seemed destined to take the match, but the Frogs still had their ace pitcher, Murray, to throw. Murray then settled down to the quiet business of covering Voss's pitch, and that he did. The "Fighting Frogs" then put on the steam and the tension was over. The Frogs of the first Co. are as yet undefeated. They show excellent promise of surpris-

C. BATTERY LOSES TO INFANTRYMEN

While these games were getting hot, C Co. and C Battery were battling it out furiously. The paddle feet finally ended the clanging confusion by taking all games. The men from C Battery showed that "Fighting Aggie Spirit" by keeping the games close and never losing hope. Chilton, Goodnight and Davis looked good for the peashooters, while Webb, Owen and Callahan more than matched their throws.

B BATTERY TAKES FORFEIT

B Battery won over the Second Co. Freshmen by a forfeit.

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