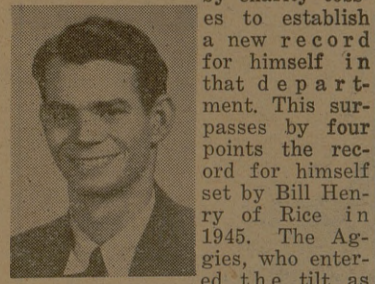


ON KYLE FIELD

by PAUL MARTIN

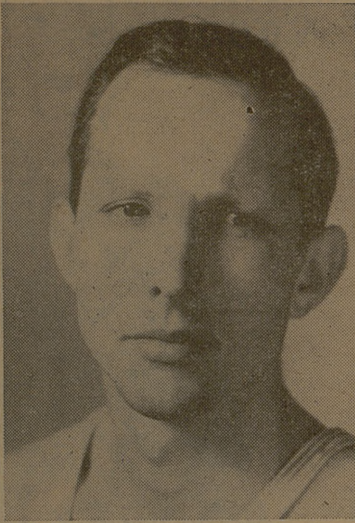
Arkansas Had Tight Squeeze

In the game between the visiting Aggies and the Porkers last Friday and Saturday nights, high-scoring Arkansas forward Al Williams made nine of his 29 points by charity tosses to establish a new record for himself in that department. This surpasses by four points the record for himself set by Bill Henry of Rice in 1945. The Aggies, who entered the tilt as underdogs, out-hustled and out-raced their taller opponents in all but a five minute stretch right after intermission when the Porkers tallied 13 points to their one. The work of the pivot-playing forward was all that saved the hosts from suffering their first defeat of the season on home floors. At times the Razorbacks were not even able to get the ball past the free throw line of their own goal.



Martin

This threw quite a scare into the Arkansas aggregation for Karow was using race-horse tactics and long passes which caught the home team napping and which can be expected to be used by Texas this week-end. In order for the Razorbacks to rank first, they must beat the Steers both games and then win the run-off. They will be playing at a disadvantage for Williams, Kok, and McGaha are all on the injured list. Williams is suffering from a sprained ankle hurt in the Aggie tilt last Saturday night, Kok hurt his nose which is now badly swollen and McGaha, who was hurt earlier in the season, seems to be definitely out.



Homer Adams

In tilts with Arkansas last week-end, Adams played one of his best games this season. Now in his last year at A&M, Adams is one of the few veteran round-ballers on the court and both his offensive and defensive work were highly commendable. He also made a good showing against the Steers in Austin but in this case he out-hustled the hustlers.

Morgan Gets Council's Okay As Tech Football Mentor

Texas Tech's controversy over whether or not Head Coach Dell Morgan would remain as chief football mentor ended with the college athletic council giving Morgan a vote of approval.

The move to oust Morgan was begun when several members of the football team reportedly expressed dissatisfaction with the coaching situation. Following, a petition was circulated and the names of some 670 students were affixed.

Over 137,000 veterans or dependents of veterans now are wards of Veterans Administration.

Each year in Texas, about 250 persons lose their lives in fires on farms or in rural communities. One-third of these are children under 10 years of age.

Bee Team Plays Friday Night

Coach Johnny Frankie's Aggie Bee cagers will wind up their season play along with the A squad this Saturday night. Friday, they fill the first half of a double billing, taking on the District Champion an Jacinto High School team of Houston starting at 6 p. m. at DeWare Field House.

Saturday night they precede the varsity and Ponies on the floor when they take on the University of Houston Bees. In the first encounter between the two schools, the Aggie Bees got slightly the worst end of the deal.

Recreation Clubs Prepare for Spring

Volleyball and badminton hit the high this week at the DeWare Field House in preparation for the Spring sports calendar.

Nicky Ponthieux's Volleyball Club plans to practice meets this week, one with an all star team from the Physical Education instructors and another with a sextet from the local volleyball league, coached by Manning Smith. Ponthieux hopes to enter a team in the forthcoming YMCA volleyball tournament in Houston.

Intramural badminton played off its open tourney this past Tuesday and Wednesday nights. W. M. Dowell, coach of the badminton athletic club, hopes to pick out a team from among the winners, that will go to the Intercollegiate Badminton Meet at Waco on March 20 and 23 and for the Texas Badminton Association tournament on the 21 and 22 of the same month.

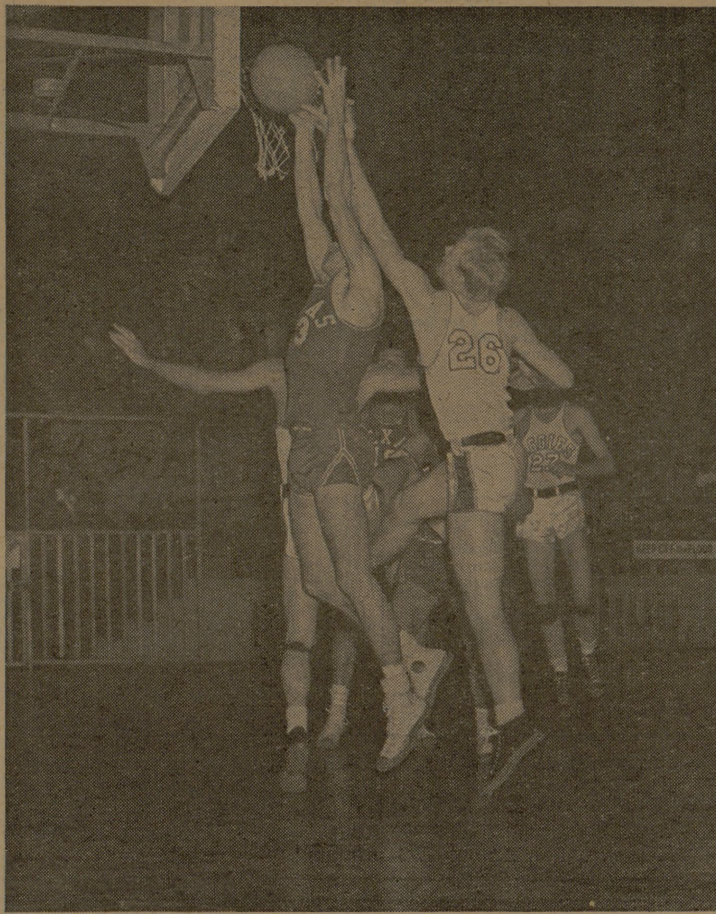
Aggie Swimmers To Meet T U Saturday

The all-victorious Aggie swimming squad will try for their seventh straight win Saturday afternoon against the Texas Longhorn aquamen in the P. L. Downs Natatorium. The dual meet will start at 3 p.m.

After defeating the Texans in Austin on February 18, the Cadet tankers established several pool records. So far this year Art Adanson's charges have been completely successful, winning every match by a substantial margin and establishing new pool records almost at will.

Danny Green and Jimmy Flowers have thus far sparked the team along with Allen Self, Gene Summers, Howard Spencer, and Jack Riley. The Medley Relay trio, Spencer, Flowers and Green set a new pool record in the last meet to add to the string of broken records already set this year by the A&M swimming aggregation.

Aggies Score One Against Longhorns



Aggie forward Don Volding tips one into the bucket as Longhorn guard Al Madsen attempts to cover the basket. In the background Mike Garcia gets set for the rebound, if any. This shot came at a crucial moment in the game here between the Aggies and Longhorns on February 15.

INTRAMURALS

By Cliff Ackerman

TO START SATURDAY

The Intramural Fencing Tournament will get underway Saturday, March 1 at 1 o'clock. The head judge for the tournament will be A. B. Rodner, a professional fencing instructor from Houston. All men who have entered the tournament are urged to be at the gymnasium promptly at one o'clock.

VOLTEN BALL

The new game of Volten Ball is progressing with great interest and enthusiasm. Four teams have gone undefeated to date, B Eng., D Inf., B Field, and A Coast. The league standings through February 24th are as follows:

League "A"			
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
D Inf	5	0	1.000
A F.A.	3	1	.750
E-F F.A.	2	2	.500
F-G Inf.	1	2	.333
A Inf.	1	2	.333
F.A. Band	1	3	.250
A Sig.	0	3	.000

League "B"

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
B Eng.	3	0	1.000
Inf. Band	4	1	.800
E Inf.	2	1	.666
B-C Inf.	2	3	.400
C-D F.A.	2	3	.400
B-C-D. Cav.	1	3	.250
A Eng.	0	3	.000

League "C"

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
B F.A.	3	0	1.000
A CAC	3	0	1.000
A Ord.	2	1	.666
A CWS	1	1	.500
C Eng.	2	2	.500
Air Corps	1	3	.250
A QMC	1	4	.200
A Cav.	0	3	.000

Total books in Veterans Administration general and medical libraries rose to nearly three quarters of a million volumes on November 1.

Aggie Cage Squad Winds Up Season With TCU and SMU

Winding up a hard-fought basketball season this week-end, Marty Karow's cage charges will take on TCU and SMU in DeWare Field House on Friday and Saturday nights respectively.

PENNY'S SERENADE

W. L. Penberthy

Whenever we attempt to carry out a difficult assignment we usually try to secure a pattern or model from which to work. I have heard preachers say, and I agree, that a good life is a hard life because we have to do many things that do not come natural to us, such as loving our enemies; however, the rewards are great and well worth the trouble.



I don't know of a better pattern for every-day living than Penny "The Fiftieth Boy" by Dr. Frank Crane. Here it is:

"About one boy in fifty will remain after the feast and of his own accord offer to help clear the things up or to wash the dishes.—Do you know this Fiftieth Boy?—There are forty-nine boys who are seeking jobs? The job seeks the Fiftieth Boy.—The Fiftieth Boy makes glad the heart of his parents.—The Fiftieth Boy smooths the wrinkles out of his teacher's forehead, and takes the worry out of her mind.—All the grouches and sour-faces brighten when they see the Fiftieth Boy coming, for he is brave and cheery.—The forty-nine "didn't think"; the Fiftieth Boy thinks.—The Fiftieth Boy makes a confidant of his mother and a pal of his father.—He does not lie, steal nor tattle, because he does not like to. When he sees a banana peel on the sidewalk, where it is liable to cause some one to slip and fall, or a piece of glass in the road where it may puncture a tire, he picks it up. The forty-nine think it's none of their business.—The Fiftieth Boy is a good sport. He does not whine when he loses. He does not sulk when another wins the prize. He does not cry when he is hurt.—He is respectful to all women and girls.—He is not afraid to do right nor ashamed to be decent.—He looks you straight in the eye.—He tells the truth, whether the consequences to him are unpleasant or not.—He is not a prig nor a sissy, but he stands up straight and is honest.—Forty-seven out of the forty-nine like him.—He is pleasant toward his own sister as toward the sisters of other fellows.—He is not sorry for himself.—He works as hard as he plays.—Everybody is glad to see him.—Do you have that kind of a boy at your house?—If not, don't complain, there are not enough of them to go around."

Double headers will be played both nights with the Bee team opening at 6 p. m. against San Jacinto High School of Houston on Friday night and the University of Houston Bee team on Saturday night. The main events begin at 8 p. m.

This will be the second game between A & M Varsity and both TCU and SMU, with the first games staged on January 10 and 11. TCU bowed before the furious attack launched by the Cadets but the Ponies handed the Farmers their worst conference defeat of the season.

TCU enters this contest the underdog with but one win in nine tries to their credit. This places the Frogs on the bottom of the list in conference standings. SMU is more unpredictable for after trouncing the top-rating Arkansas Porkers two in a row, the Ponies received a drubbing at the hands of the Baylor Bears last week. The Mustangs are still holding third place with seven wins and three losses to their credit.

Coupon book holders with even numbers will be admitted Friday night and odd numbered coupon books will be admitted Saturday night.

All of the Southwest Conference cage squads are finishing their schedules this week with Texas playing host to Arkansas on both Friday and Saturday nights, Southern Methodist meeting Rice in Houston on Friday, and TCU and Rice playing in Houston on Saturday night.

Social Club to Meet Friday

The Social Club of A. & M. College will meet at the YMCA on Friday, February 28, at 3 p.m. Mr. Harris, well known interior decorator from Houston, will be guest speaker, discussing "Modern Trends in Interior Decorating."

With 99,055 veterans in Veterans Administration hospitals on December 4, the hospitalized population continues to show a rising trend.

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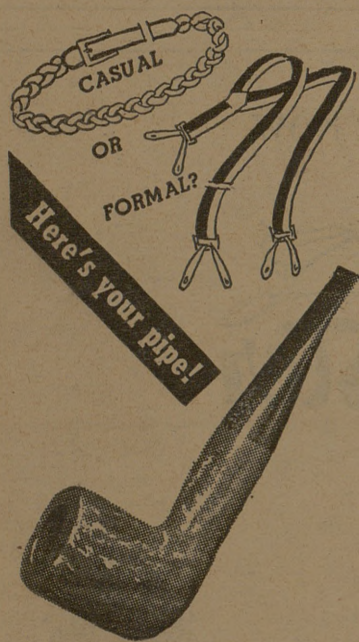
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Forfeits A-Plenty In Local League

Forfeits were the rule rather than the exception in the local volleyball league games at A & M Consolidated gym Monday night.

At 7 p. m., O. G. Hevey's Athletes forfeited to Ray Hickman's Pirates, while Norman Anderson's Dodgers defeated Carl Tischer's Giants by the scores of 13-15, 15-3, and 15-8.

In the 8 p. m. rounds, Grady Elms' Tigers went down in defeat to Luther Jones' Cardinals by the score of 15-10 and 15-12. There was only one game scheduled at this time.

In the last round at 9 p. m., H. W. Barlow's Cubs lost by forfeit to Lloyd Barryman's Rebels, and Joe White's Red Sox took W. M. Dowell's Yankees by forfeit.

Any team forfeits if it does not have at least four players by game time. However, the teams may choose players and play for recreation, though the outcome does not count.

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