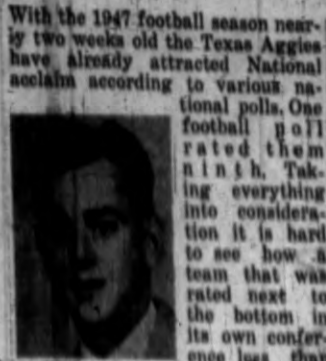


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With the 1947 football season nearly two weeks old the Texas Aggies have already attracted National acclaim according to various national polls. One football poll rated them ninth. Taking everything into consideration it is hard to see how a team that was rated next to the bottom in its own conference less than three weeks ago could have jumped into the top ten teams in the nation before playing its third game of the season.

It is a known fact here at Aggieland that we have a good ball club. The team spirit is higher at this stage of the season than ever before and every member of the squad has shown plenty of hustle and a lot of ability. We should all be proud of our football team for they are a great bunch of Aggies, but let's not get over confident. There are still eight games left on the Aggie schedule and a few bad breaks here and there could cause the Farmers to have an eight-game losing streak.

The Aggie-O. U. clash in Norman, Okla. this week-end may be the yard stick needed to measure the ability of the A. & M. eleven. The Sooners, reported as having one of the roughest squads in the Nation, seem quite capable of stopping the Aggies, but if the spirit and the all around hustle that the Aggies had last week in San An-

tonio still prevails A. & M. will be a hard team to beat.

Looking better every day is the Aggie passing attack with Stan Hollmig and Jimmie Cashion doing the tossing. Buryl Dady is also reaching his peak at the passing game although he is still rated third among Aggie flingers. The place where the most improvement is needed is in the pass receiving department. Over half of all the incomplete passes thrown were due to the fact that they were dropped by the receiver.

Steady improvement has been noticed in the Aggie running game with the power plays looking the best. The off-attack and end sweeping plays can still stand a lot more polish.

If the team spirit and the will-to-win continue to improve, Aggie Fans will have good reason to favor A. & M. in Saturday's clash.

Handball First Of 'Mural' Tournaments Entries Due Oct. 8

Once again the Intramural open tournaments will get underway with handball the first open tournament scheduled. Both singles and doubles will be played. Entries are due in not later than 5 o'clock Wednesday, October 8.

Contestants playing together are not required to be in the same organization or in the same class. Winners will not be given points in regard to the Intramural pro-

Campus Clubs For Intramural League

The formation of a new Intramural Club League got underway yesterday when representatives of the various campus clubs held a meeting to discuss its organization. The idea for the formation of the new league was suggested by Grady Elms, Club Advisor, to give an extra function to the 113 clubs now active on the campus.

This new league is open to any club or organized organization of the student body, and it could be the largest league in the Intramural program.

Players will be eligible to play with their organization or dorm team and also their club team. This will bring the number of leagues in the Intramural program to 113, non-military, military, and club. In each league a champion will be named for every sport.

gram, but they will be awarded intramural medals.

Basketball Results, Tuesday, Sept. 30:

E Field 55, B Cavalry 30; Couch 16 points for E Field.

C Infantry 21, A Air Force 20; Hanson 11 points for A Air Force.

D Field 22, B Comp. 18; Richardson scored 10 points for D Field.

Tennis:

Traylor Camp beat Dorm 3, 2 to 1.

Bizzell won from Dorm 9, 2-0.

A Infantry over C Air Force 2 to 1.

Latest Conference Facts and Figures

Team	1st Downs	Runs	Pass	Total	All.	Comp.	% Comp.	Yds. Gained	Int.	Net Yds.	Yds. Lost	Penalty
A. & M.	21	265	307	572	38	21	.552	3	43.7	99		
Opp.	19	181	121	302	34	13	.382	3	32.9	61		
Ark.	28	690	86	776	11	5	.454	1	37.1	147		
Opp.	10	87	77	164	16	6	.375	1	41.4	61		
Baylor	26	475	184	659	29	13	.448	1	30.0	135		
Opp.	16	162	81	243	34	10	.294	8	38.8	80		
Rice	14	156	91	247	14	6	.428	2	44.1	15		
Opp.	17	245	112	357	12	8	.566	1	39.5	40		
S.M.U.	9	183	18	201	12	3	.250	2	43.2	19		
Opp.	14	166	118	284	21	10	.476	2	28.2	15		
T.C.U.	11	98	113	211	27	10	.370	1	45.1	45		
Opp.	10	177	17	194	7	3	.429	0	36.5	85		
Texas	20	498	263	761	25	15	.600	2	39.2	100		
Opp.	19	139	178	317	29	17	.344	2	36.2	120		

T Club Holds Call Meeting; Indorses Student Candidates

The T-Club had a special meeting Monday night, September 29th. Approximately thirty members were present to take part in the meeting and see the movie, Oklahoma University vs. Texas A. & M. game of '46.

Charles (Red) Overly, two year varsity letterman was indorsed for the Athletic Council.

Those indorsed for the Student Life Committee were Tex Thornton, Cotton Howell, Marion Setteggast, and Art Harnden.

Thornton hails from Leonard, and plays baseball and basketball. At the close of the previous baseball season, Thornton had a fielding average of .970 which was fourth in the conference and a batting average of .412.

Howell is from Nacogdoches, and has earned two varsity letters at the end position.

Setteggast has earned one varsity letter at A. & M. and lives in Houston.

Harnden, a Youkum product, will captain the '48 track squad and specialize in the 440 yard dash. The Jack-Dempsey-Adam Hat Trophy is among the awards that he has received while at A. & M.

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Aggie Foe Saturday



Coach **BUD WILKINSON**

Leading the Sooner charge against the Aggies Saturday in Norman will be "Bud" Wilkinson, new head football coach at O. U. Boasting a team that racked up the best defensive average per game in the nation last year, Wilkinson pilots a rough crew that shared the Big Six crown in '46.

Columbia to Carry Aggie-OU Game

The Texas A&M-Oklahoma University game in Norman, Oklahoma will be aired on a nationwide hookup over the Columbia Broadcasting System, Saturday.

Curt Gowdy will be at the mike. This is the first Aggie game of the current season to be carried over a nationwide hookup.

Andy Matula of the Battalion Sports Staff will serve as a spotter in the broadcasting booth, identifying Aggie players for the announcer.

In addition to the Columbia

broadcast the game will also be carried over WTAW courtesy of Humble Oil and Refining Co.

The game may be heard over the 290 Columbia stations beginning at 2 p.m. The WTAW broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m.

NOTICE

Ed. note: The Battalion regrets that a mistake was made in the October 1 issue in the Arm-Chair Quarterback correspondence contest story. The story noted that the winner of this week's contest would be awarded two reserve seats tickets to the A&M-Oklahoma football game. Actually, the two reserve seats tickets will be to the A&M-LSU contest to be played in Baton Rouge on October 11.

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Aggies Leave Tonight for Oklahoma Tilt

By ZERO HAMMOND

Thursday night the Aggie Eleven leaves for Norman, Oklahoma where they will take on the O. U. Sooners Saturday afternoon. The travelling squad of 40 Aggies is due to arrive in Oklahoma City at 12:50 p. m. Friday and go through its final workout before proceeding on to Norman.

The game Saturday should do much toward determining what the Aggies really have this year. Although Southwestern and Texas Tech were disposed of with ease there is still much doubt as to whether the team has what it will take down the November stretch.

Southwestern was only a warmup, and Tech was crippled last week so O. U. will furnish the first real test of the year for the Maroon and White.

The Sooners will be favored to square their eight game series with the Aggies despite the fact that the Aggies are rated above them in most rating systems including Williamson's.

To date A. & M. has won four and lost three in the series. The Aggie victories were in 1907 (19-0) in 1909 (14-5) in 1912 (the most one-sided score on the books, 28-6) and in 1945 (19-14). O. U. won the 1903 game 6-0, took the Aggies

in 1944 by the score of 21-14, and eked out a 10-7 win last year.

Starting against O. U. Saturday will be Norton Higgins and Cotton Howell at ends; Jim Winkler and Bob Tulls at tackle; Chittles (Red) Overly and Odell Staunzenberger at guards; and Bob Gary at center. In the backfield it will be Jim Cashion at quarter; Bob Goode and Barney Welch at half; and Ed Dusek in the fullback slot.

The team has been showing steady improvement and should play its best game of the season Saturday as there will be no one on the bench due to injuries for the first time this year. Whether the best will be enough remains to be seen.

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