

Aggie Pass Defense Shows Improvement

By ART HOWARD

After a secret scrimmage on Kyle Field Tuesday, the varsity football team went through an open workout on the practice field yesterday. Coach Harry Stiteler worked his first string line against his starting backfield in a medium-rough scrimmage. Of the two, the line looked by far the superior.

Ozell Stautzenberger was the standout in the line with his rough tackling and his play-diagnosing. Several times he broke through the line and made tackles unassisted, or pinned the passer's arms.

Also dealing the offense misery was Center Hub Ellis, who had a good time smearing the light backfield men. Once, after breaking through some blockers to drop Frank Torno for a loss, Ellis hinted that the backfield ought to eat more if they wanted to run over anybody.

Even Bob Goode looked good on pass defense. If he couldn't get the ball, he jarred the receiver enough to make him miss it.

Many of the aerials were not finding their mark, but it was more often the fault of the passer than the defense. Beryl Baty was the best flinger of the day, but most of his completions were under ten yards.

Coach Stiteler was well pleased with the Aggie's defense. On the offense, James Boswell showed the most improvement. He was the most consistent ground-gainer, and put on more speed than any other runner in practice. He slipped by the defense twice for what would have been touchdown runs. Ralph Daniel made several good runs, as did Fullback Paul Yates.

Trainer Blaine Riadort has been working overtime trying to get the injured players ready for action. Back Bobby Dew is still hobbled with a sore knee and has yet to see his first action this season.

Max Greiner will likely be absent from his guard post because of an abscessed ear, and Andy Hillhouse will see only limited action because of a sore shoulder.

Jimmy Flowers is also on the doubtful list. Flowers' ankle has not been responding well to treatment and he has trouble maneuvering on it. "Cone" Copeland received a bruised knee against Oklahoma, but is expected to be ready for play Saturday.

Underdog Bear Team Flying To Arkansas Tilt

WACO, Oct. 6 (Sp.)—The Baylor Bears will fly to Fayetteville this week to open their conference schedule against the powerful Arkansas Razorbacks, two touchdown winners over TCU last week.

The Bears, who have won one and tied one in two starts, will face one of their toughest assignments of the year in traveling to Fayetteville to meet a club which will be primed and ready for the Bears, since it was Baylor who upset them last year and started them off to a poor season.

Baylor will suffer greatly the loss of halfback Budley Parker who received a broken jaw last week rooking of 7-7 tie with favored Mississippi State.

James Mott, a sophomore back from Lufkin, will take Parker's place and it was this sleek speedster who sparked the Baylor touchdown drive last week.

The Bears' defense which looked spotty against Tulsa found itself last week against what was described as the best backfield in the South and stopped the touted Mississippi offense with only 116 yards and six first downs, most of which was garnered on the Mississippi end of the field.

Ends G. N. Nevill and Harold Riley, along with tackle Bobby Tinsley and guards Bentley Jones and Chuck Stone distinguished themselves in the brain defense pattern. Stone and Tinsley were among the best linemen in the conference last season.



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OU Game Flick, DeWare Speech Features Q-back Club Meeting

Assistant Football Coach Charlie DeWare will speak at the weekly meeting of the Aggie Quarterback Club tonight at 7:30 in the Geology Lecture Room.

DeWare, who scouted the L.S.U.-Texas game and the L.S.U.-Rice game, will discuss the offensive and defensive tactics that the Tigers are apt to use in Saturday night's tilt.

Batt Sports Editor Art Howard, who witnessed the A&M-O.U. tilt last Saturday will narrate the motion pictures of that game.

Robert A. Hooker will be awarded two reserved seat tickets to the A&M-L.S.U. game for his entry in last week's Quarterback Club contest.

Hooker was the only contestant to pick five of the six games correctly. His only mistake was in picking Rice over L.S.U. He called the tie between Baylor and Mississippi State.

James Weyland was declared the runner-up because of his close call. He picked Texas to beat New Mexico by a score of 48 to 0 and the game ended 47 to 0 in Texas' favor. Weyland's only misses were on the Rice-L.S.U. game and the Baylor-Miss. State clash.

Only four contestants picked L.S.U. to beat Rice. Three others had predicted that the game would

TCU Freshmen Prep For Oct. 15 Grid Opener With Cubs

AUSTIN, Tex., Oct. 7 (AP)—Buddy Jungmichel, Texas' freshman football coach, is beginning to whip his prize crop of prospects into game form as the Yearlings move into the third week of organized drills.

For the first game of the season with the Baylor Cubs in Waco Oct. 15, he will probably use Jerry Robertson of Highland Park at the vital quarterback position in the T-formation.

The other likely backfield starters are Bob, Raley of Bowie at left half, Byron Townsend of Odessa at fullback, and Red Mayes of Pampa at right half.

The first-string offensive line now stands with Joe Arnold, Corpus Christi, at center; James Parkenham, Longview, and Howard Hurt, Borger, at guards; James Lansford, Carrizo Springs, and Jim McConkey, Highland Park, at tackles; and James Adams, Baytown, and Bill Hilburn, Austin, at ends.

Outstanding defensive specialists are Paul Williams, Lufkin, an ace linebacker; defensive halfbacks Reed Guinn, Austin, and Bobby Dillon, Temple; and safety man Buddy Lambert, Galena Park, the leading broken-field runner on the team.

However, Coach Jungmichel emphasized numerous switches might be made before the Yearlings take the field against the Baylor Freshmen Friday week.

The second game for the Yearlings will be with the Rice Owlets at Houston Oct. 22, followed by the lone home game of the year Oct. 29 with SMU's Colts.

Freshman Team to Play Full-time Game On Kyle Field Saturday in Preparation for TCU

By SACK SPOEDE

Aggies remaining on the campus this weekend will still be able to see an Aggie football team in action. And more than that, local football supporters are guaranteed Farmer victory Saturday on Kyle Field, when the Fish team holds an intrasquad game at 2:30.

Assistant Freshman coach Bob Gary will be in charge of the game with Freshmen Coach "Bones" Irvin in Baton Rouge with the varsity. The first and fourth freshman teams will compose the Maroon squad with the second and third teams wearing white.

Goode Leads SWC Punters; Scott Is Best Ball Carrier

DALLAS, Oct. 5 (AP)—Arkansas has a tight-fisted hold on Southwest Conference football statistics as well as boasting an undefeated record.

James H. Stewart, conference executive secretary, shows Arkansas leading in both offense and defense for the season to date. The Razorbacks, paced by Clyde Scott, that running and passing man, and Leon Campbell, battering fullback, have rolled up 152 yards rushing and passing in three games to lead the University of Texas by 105 yards.

Arkansas is the leading ground team with 917 yards. Texas tops in passing with 420 yards but Southern Methodist and Arkansas have the best percentage in pass completions. Southern Methodist has connected on 36 out of 22 for 727. Arkansas has completed 16 out of 24 for .667.

Arkansas has held three opponents to an average of 135 yards per game as the top defensive outfit of the conference.

Scott leads in ball-carrying with 340 yards net on 38 carries with Lindy Berry of Texas Christian second with 268 on 63 carries. Campbell is third with 229 yards on 36 runs.

Paul Campbell of Texas is the pass leader with 235 yards on 18 completions in 37 throws. Gil Johnson of Texas Christian has the best percentage; however, with 11 out of 12 for 323 yards.

In punting Bob Goode of Texas

Little Longhorn

AUSTIN, Tex., (AP)—For the fourth straight year, tiny Byron (Pup) Gilroy holds the title of the University of Texas' smallest football player. Gilroy runs the scales up to 149 pounds in uniform. The largest in 1948 is mountainous Bud McFadin, a 239-pound sophomore lineman.

In the 1914 World Series the Boston Braves beat the Athletics four straight with Dick Rudolph and Bill James winning two games each.

A&M is the leader with 350 on 24 boots. Gordon Long of Arkansas has averaged 38.8 on six for second place.

In total offense, Berry is the No. 1 man. He has rolled up 448 yards on 104 plays. Scott has 443 yards on 46 for second.

Ralph Dresser of Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio handed all the kick-off duties at Stephenville. His first kick went over the end zone while the two others went inside the ten-yard line.

The coaches seem to have settled on Mack Stoeltje of Beaumont as the best punter on the freshman squad. He handled most of the booting duties against the plooyboys a week ago.

Saturday's game will clear up the picture as to who will start against the TCU plooyboys next week. The star of the TCU Freshmen is the renowned traveler from Granger, Gilbert Bartosh.

The Fish seem to be eager to keep Bartosh from doing too-much traveling next Thursday on Kyle Field. After each practice session, the freshmen yell something that sounds like "1-2-3, Bartosh" as they take their wind sprints up and down the field.

Coach Bob Gary has a nice way worked up to wind the practice sessions up for the Fish. The first and second elevens run relays against each other using a football as the baton. Each man runs approximately 200 yards back and forth across the field passing the ball to another man each time he crosses.

There will probably be a speaker system announcing the game Saturday for the benefit of the spectators unable to recognize the players. A list of the squads with their numbers and other information will be run in the Battalion tomorrow.

All Aggies on the campus are invited by the coaches to attend the game. There will be no admission charge for the game. This contest will offer pigskin fans a chance to get acquainted with the freshman football players.

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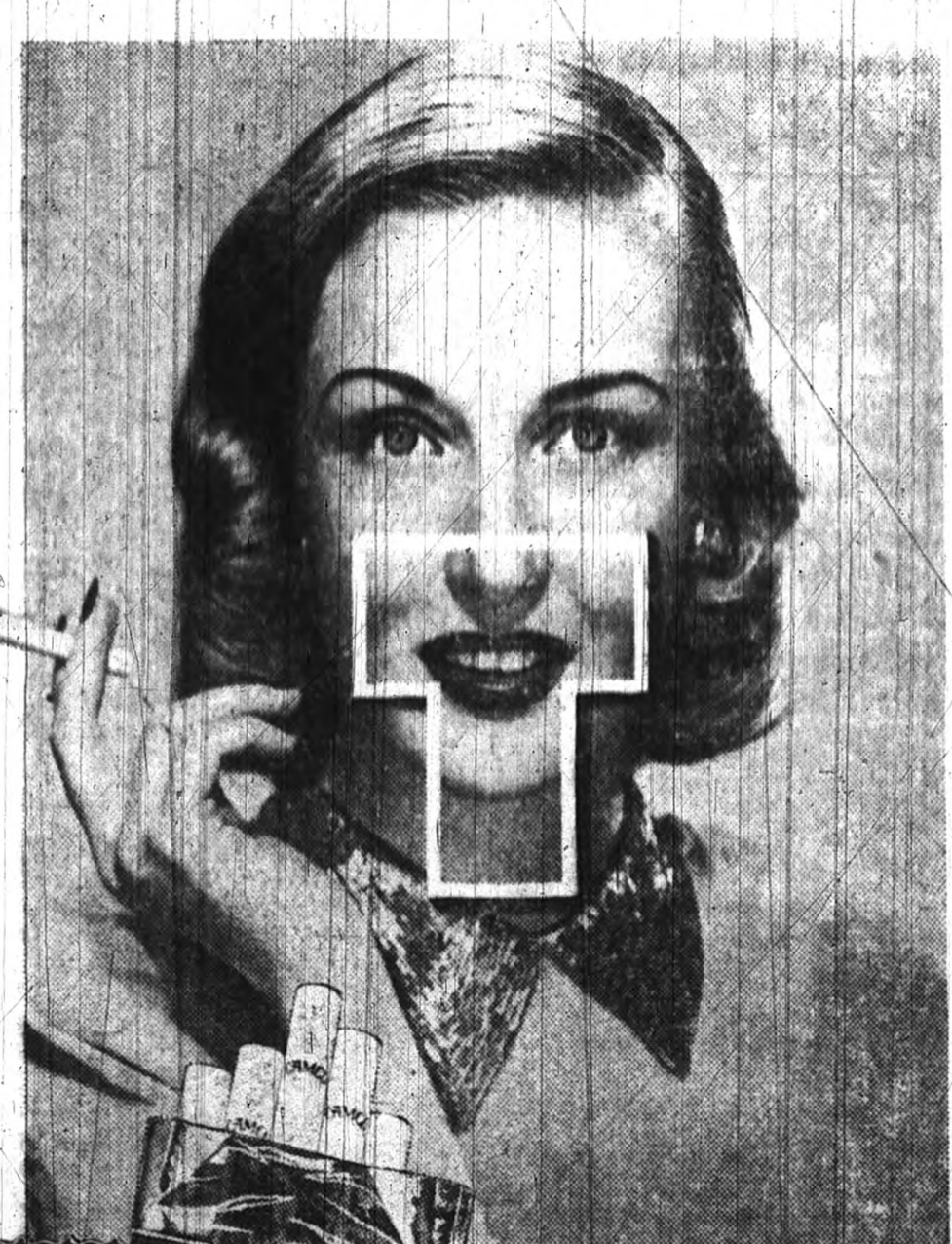
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