

Aggies Sweep Two-Game Series With SW Oklahoma Tech



"Boots" Simmons, head coach at Consolidated High School, and his wife were presented a Mixmaster at the banquet honoring Consolidated athletes at Sbis Hall last Tuesday night. The Consolidated athletes gave the Mixmaster in appreciation of Simmons' efforts.

Fish Have One Game With Cubs, Two With Wharton This Week

A&M's Fish baseballers are due for a busy week. The Freshmen have games scheduled with Wharton Junior College tomorrow here, another game with the Baylor Cubs, on Wednesday, and a return engagement with Wharton on Saturday to be played there.

Wharton baseballers have had a 500 season this year. The Wharton nine, at the last report had won three games while dropping the same number.

The Fish, have only lost one contest this season and that was at the hands of the powerful Baylor Cubs. The Cubs under the no hit pitching of ex-Adams great Bill Fitzpatrick, shut out the Fish in Kyle Field by a 9 to 0 count.

Coach Andrews has not announced the starting hurler for the contest but it will probably be one of the three top Fish pitchers, Sam Blanton, Bob Tankersley, or Bill Bybee.

Curve ball ace, Sam Blanton, pitched against the Cubs in the



WOMEN FIND LOCAL MEN Looking Better, Handsomer!

College Station, Texas, April 25. So many women have been commenting on the improvement in male appearance hereabouts that we put a sleuth on the story. He snooped, he interviewed, he checked all over town. Here's his scoop: "The men who look better are using Pal Hollow Ground razor blades 100%. I've talked to dozens and the story's the same - Pal Hollow Ground. They tell me they shave better, cleaner, with no irritation to tender skins. Pal still gives you 4 for 10¢, 10 for 26¢, 21 for 49¢, and 44 for 99¢ - Single or Double Edge. So I bought some myself! How do I look?"

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Cadets Blank Bulldogs 2-0 In First, Win Second One 9-1

Coach Marty Karow's Aggie baseballers made it two in a row over the Southwest Oklahoma Tech Bulldogs Saturday afternoon as lefthander Bruce Morrisse added another victory to his string by the score of 9-1. Morrisse started and pitched the first six innings, not allowing a run to cross the plate. Truett Mobley went on the mound in the seventh and finished the game for the Cadets.

Aggies Start Fast
Shortstop Guy Wallace started things rolling in the first inning when he banged one of the offerings of Bulldog pitcher Adrian McBride into left field for a single. Wallace Moon followed with a single, advancing to second on the throw in. Clean up batter Cotton Lindloff punched a roller to the third baseman, who in turn threw wild to first, scoring Wallace and Moon. After advancing to second on the overthrow at first, Lindloff came home on Russell Mays single to end the scoring in the first inning.

After Joe Savarino, manning the second base position for the day with Lindloff on first, put two men away in the first of the second inning, the Aggies collected two more runs in their share of the frame.

Savarino walked, after Bruce Morrisse had been caught off base, stole second, went to third on a passed ball, and scored on a wild throw to third. Wallace also walked and came home on a double steal.

Wallace scored again in the fifth inning after walking and stealing second on Wallace Moon's single to center. The last Farmer runs came in the seventh inning. Shug McPherson, in for Bobby Fretz in right field, walked and advanced to second on Bill Warriner's single to right. Russell Mays scored McPherson on a single, went to second when Graham walked, and scored with Warriner on pitcher Mobley's one bagger.

The Bulldogs scored in the eighth on an error and a base hit.

Mays Only Extra Base Hit
Russell Mays got the only extra base hit of the day when he doubled in the fifth inning.

Adrian McBride was the losing pitcher. SMU will furnish the next competition for the Aggies when they come to Aggie land next Friday and Saturday for a two game series with the Farmers.

SW Okla. Tech B R H P O A E
Reimer, ss 4 1 0 1 2 0
Jones, cf 4 0 1 1 0 0
Duvall, c 3 0 0 8 1 0
Long, lf 3 0 2 3 0 0
Henry, rf 2 0 1 0 0 1
Dial, 2b 2 0 0 0 2 1
Wright, lb 3 0 0 8 0 1
Vogt, 3b 3 0 1 1 2 1
McBride, p 2 0 1 1 1 2
Byrd 0 0 0 0 0 0
Bergner 1 0 0 0 0 0
Stafford 0 0 0 0 0 0
Turner 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 29 1 6 24 7 6
b—Byrd walked for Henry in 9th.
c—Bergner fanned for Dial in 9th.
d—Stafford walked for Wright, 9th
e—Turner grounded out for McBride in 9th.

Texas A&M B R H P O A E
Savarino, ss 4 1 0 3 3 1
Wallace, 2b 3 3 1 3 4 0
Moon, cf 4 1 2 0 0 0
Lindloff, lb 3 1 0 7 1 0
Fretz, lf 2 0 0 4 1 0
Maltz, rf 2 0 0 0 0 0
McPherson, rf 1 1 1 1 0 0
DeWitt, lf 3 0 0 1 0 0
Warriner, lf 2 1 1 0 0 0
Mays, 3b 4 1 3 1 2 0
Dennis, c 3 0 0 4 2 0
Graham, c 0 0 0 3 1 0
Morrisse, p 10 0 0 0 3 1
Mobley, p 1 0 1 0 4 0
Calvert 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 34 9 9 27 20 2
a—Calvert fanned for Morrisse, 9th.
Score by Innings:
SW OKLA. 000 000 010 100
A&M 320 100 30x 002

Good pitching by Bobby Fretz plus good support by his Aggie teammates gave A&M a 2-0 victory over the Southwestern Oklahoma Bulldogs Friday afternoon.

This first of two games with the Bulldogs was a pitcher's duel between Fretz and Bill Henry, lanky

lefter from Amarillo. Noted for his effective hurling in semi-pro leagues, Henry allowed the Aggies eight hits but struck out eleven of them. Fretz fanned eight of his opponents and gave up but five hits.

Aggie scoring started in the first inning. Guy Wallace slapped a double to left field. Wally Moon was up next and cracked a single through the infield to right field. Fleet footed Wallace was away with the pitch and scored easily.

John DeWitt scored the other A & M run in the sixth frame. He was safe on the first baseman's error and advanced to second on the passed ball. Henry went into a full windup and DeWitt stole third base. Bill McPherson, then at bat, got the squeeze sign from Marty Karow and laid down a bunt to the left of the mound. Both the pitcher and catcher slipped down in trying to field the ball. McPherson received credit for a hit and DeWitt scored.

Rainy weather had made the field soft and it was doubtful if the game would be played. Outfielders had a tough time keeping their footing. The grass of the infield was treacherous but the infielders had no trouble off the grass.

After the 14-4 defeat by Texas, the Aggie lineup was juggled: Joe Savarino came in at second base and Cotton Lindloff took over at first. Though not completely confident at the initial sack, Lindloff didn't commit any errors. Russell Mays made way for Savarino as leadoff man and gathered two hits out of three official trips to the plate.

SW Okla. Tech B R H P O A E
Reimer, ss 4 0 2 3 3
Jones, B. cf 4 0 0 1 0
Duvall, c 4 0 1 12 1
Long, lf 3 0 1 0 0
Wright, lb 4 0 0 6 0
Vogt, rf 4 0 0 0 0
Walt, 2b 3 0 0 1 0
Turner, 3b 3 0 0 1 2
Henry, p 3 0 1 0 1

Totals 32 0 5 24 7
A&M B R H P O A E
Savarino, 2b 4 0 0 2 4
Wallace, ss 2 1 1 0 3
Moon, cf 4 0 2 0 0
Lindloff, lb 4 0 0 12 0
DeWitt, lf 2 1 1 1 0
Mays, 3b 2 0 1 1 0
Calvert, c 3 0 1 8 1
Fretz, p 3 0 0 0 0

Totals 29 2 8 27 9
Score by Innings:
SW Tech. 000 000 000 0 5 1
A&M 100 001 00x 2 7 1

Life Saving Class To Be Held Here Starting Thursday

A Red Cross Senior Life Saving Class, under the direction of Jerry McFarland of D Flight, will begin Thursday night in the P. L. Downs Natatorium.

The class will meet three times a week, from 7 to 9 p. m. on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights. All participants must be 17 years of age.

Before he is qualified, each member of the class, must swim 440 yards continuously using the crawl back stroke, breast stroke and side stroke.

All Aggies wishing to enroll in the class must be present for the first meeting. No one will be admitted to the class after the first meeting. All male participants must wear bathing trunks.

WATCH RUNNERS
EAST LANSING, Mich. —(AP)—Eleven members of the undefeated Michigan state track team participated in the Purdue Relays and brought home 13 gold medals as first place winners. Every man won at least one, while Warren Druetzier and Bill Mack won two apiece.

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DICKIE DOWELL, talented four sport letterman at Consolidated High School, is shown at the right receiving the Basketball Most Valuable Player Award from G. W. Black. Dowell, who has another year of high school eligibility left, was also chosen team captain by his cage teammates. The banquet honoring the Consolidated athletes was held last Tuesday night in Sbis Hall.

Lou Boudreau Still Beefing Over Stewart's Decisions

By FRANK ECK AP Newsfeatures

NEW YORK — Lou Boudreau's new book "Player-Manager" makes interesting reading, especially those pages he devotes to Umpire Bill Stewart's decisions on several close plays in last October's World Series.

Boudreau, Cleveland's short-stop manager, still insists the National League umpire made two bad calls against the American League champions in their series with the Boston Braves. On one of the decisions, Louie is writing through his hat.

The particular item with which I found fault concerns a play in the fourth game before a Saturday crowd of 81,897 in Cleveland. In the last half of the first inning, Dale Mitchell led off with a single through the box and advanced to second as Larry Doby grounded out.

Boudreau then lined a hit along the right field foul line, scoring Mitchell. Well here are Lou's exact words—in the book.

"Unfortunately, I tried to stretch my hit to a triple and Umpire Bill Stewart called me out on a close play at third. I thought I had slid under the tag. (Bob Elliott made the tag) and I exchanged a few

hot words with Stewart, but as always, the umpire has the last word. I was still out."

The last time I talked to Boudreau while he was wearing his baseball uniform was in his dressing room in Cleveland. He had this to say:

"As I ran towards second base I looked up and saw the ball hitting the right field fence and that Tommy Holmes was after it. After passing second I looked at Bill (Bill McKechnie, third base coach) and he had his hands up. (This was a signal to hold up at second base.) But it was too late to do anything about it."

This, if anything, was an admission by Louie that he was out. His quotes got a good play and it's surprising that Lou failed to mention them in his book. And they weren't uttered while he was cooling off.

Boudreau also goes into detail on the widely-discussed pick-off play and refuses to give an inch. It happened in the first game in Boston in the eighth inning while Bob Feller of the Indians and Johnny Sain of the Braves were pitching their hearts out in a scoreless duel.

"There wasn't then, and there cannot be now, any question but

that pick-off attempt to Masi (Phil Masi, Boston catcher, who was on second) was the key play of the game," writes Boudreau.

"All of us on the Cleveland staff who were in a position to see the play felt that a mistake was made. Many persons who saw the game agree with us and so, of course, no millions of people who have studied the still photos of the play, I would point out, however, that photographs are notoriously unreliable in judging close baseball plays. The angle from which the photographer works can have a tremendous effect on the picture. I would also like to point out that I'm not belittling Umpire Stewart's judgment. He was in position to call the play and he called it quickly and with forcefulness. This much I do think. I tagged Masi on

the arm instead of on the leg because he dove back to the base instead of sliding, and I regard it, as most likely that Stewart's head was down, looking for the tag at the base, while I was busy tagging Masi on the arm. That is the only explanation I can think of to account for the wide difference of opinion between Bill Stewart and me. I didn't even think the play was close; Bill ruled exactly the opposite."

Another freshman on the Aggie aquatic squad, Bill Sargent, helped the College Station cause by swimming a lap on the winning 400 yard free style relay team.

The only other member of the squad was Gayle C. Klippie, a College Station lad, who is showing plenty of promise. Klippie finished third in the 50 free style behind two Texas swimmers.

With a team of Karow, Adamson Sargent and Ellis, the A&M crew beat out two groups from the University to mark up a first place spot in the 400 yard free style relay.

Four of the participating Aggies will be eligible for the varsity squad next fall. The only other swimmer, Gayle Klippie, will be one of Art Adamson's regulars in a year or two.

Adamson Sets Pool Record In AAU Meeting

A new pool record was set on the South Texas, A.A.U. Meet by Aggie Freshman Van Adamson in Austin Friday.

Representing the College Station Swimming Club, Adamson stroked the 200 yard individual medley in 2:22. This is a second and three-tenths off of the former mark.

Four other College Station swimmers participated. Billy Karow, talented freestroker on the Aggie team, finished this season, finished behind Adamson in the 200 yard individual medley. He finished third behind two Texas University swimmers, in the 200 yard breast stroke.

A Dallas Aggie, Ralph Ellis, straddled the tile for the finish in the 250 yard free style just behind Longhorn swimming team captain Jim McCann and Jack Wilson.

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