

Athletic Council Announces Lettermen In Minor Sports

Lettermen in six minor sports were announced by the Athletic Department recently. Coach Art Adamson's swimming team has a total of eleven lettermen with Jimmie Flowers, Danny Green, Bernie Syfan, and Jerry Fisher winning major T Awards.

The Tennis, Rifle, Fencing, and Pistol teams also announced their lettermen. Aggieland's golf team, which finished behind Texas in the recent competition, lettered four members.

Swimming—George Dieck, Austin; Jerry Fisher, Dallas; Jimmy Flowers, Dallas; Danny Green, Dallas; Ed Kruse, Brenham; Billy Moy, Nederland; Gilbert McKenzie, Houston; Scotty Potter, Houston; Gene Summers, Bryan; Bernard Syfan, San Antonio; John West-

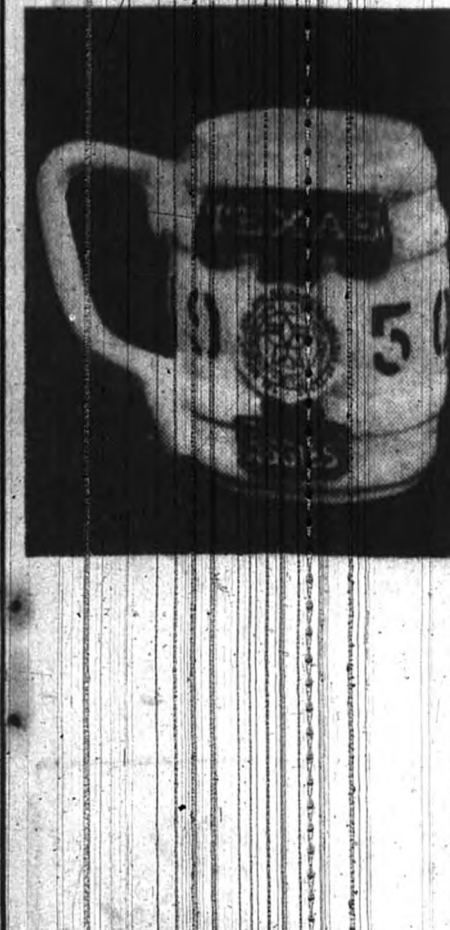
All-Opponents Picked by Aggies

Two players from Texas, one from Baylor and one from TCU were unanimous choices for the Texas Aggies' all-conference opponent baseball team. The three professional teams encountered by the Aggies—Houston, Bryan, and Waco were excluded from the voting.

Pitcher Murray Wall and first baseman Tom Hamilton of Texas, third baseman Jim Nokes of TCU and outfielder Chuck Devereaux of Baylor were the unanimous selections. The remainder of the squad chosen by the Aggie nine included catchers John Ligon of SMU and Dan Watson of Texas, pitchers Jim Bennett of TCU and Bob Henry of Southwest (Ola), Tech, second baseman Joe Shamblin of Texas, shortstop Bob Weygant of Ohio State and outfielders Joe Szekely of Baylor and Al Kneuper of Texas.

The Aggies named Wall the "toughest pitcher" they faced. They picked Hamilton and Henry as the "best major league prospects" they encountered. Henry is a young southpaw pitcher from Amarillo.

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Batt Sports Staff Selects Its Conference Baseball Team

The Batt Sports Staff voted yesterday on its selections for the 1949 All-Southwest Conference baseball team. Previously, the official statistics for all the conference games had been received from the Southwest Conference secretary, James Stewart. The staff's selections were based on each individual player's batting and fielding averages and on the number of errors made. Also, each member let the players' performances against the Aggies here in College Station influence his selection to some extent.

Here is the Batt Sports Staff's selection:

Pitchers—Bob Fretz, A&M, and Murray Wall, Texas.
Catcher—Dan Watson, Texas.
First base—Tom Hamilton, Tex.
Second base—Cotton Lindloff, A&M.
Third base—James Shamblin, Texas.
Shortstop—Guy Wallace, A&M.
Fielders—Joe Szekely, Baylor, Ed Kneuper, Texas, and Wallace Moon, A&M.

About a week ago, the sports staff sent blanks to the sports editors of the other Southwest Conference schools which participated in the conference baseball race. These blanks were to be filled out with the respective editors' choice for the all-conference baseball team and returned to the Batt.

Replies were received from Texas, SMU, and Rice. Since Arkansas didn't participate in the conference battle, that left only TCU and Baylor replies missing. They must be having finals.

Norris Keeler, Baseball Editor of the Rice Thresher, picked the following for his team.
Pitchers—Fretz, A&M, and Wall Texas.

Catcher—Watson, Texas.
First base—Hamilton, Texas.
Second base—Lindloff, A&M.
Third base—Kana, Texas.
Shortstop—Boyd, TCU.
Outfield—Kneuper, Texas, De Witt, A&M, and Szekely, Baylor.

The Sports editor of the SMU Campus picked the following:
Pitchers—Fretz, A&M, and Wall Texas.
Catcher—Watson, Texas.
First base—Hamilton, Texas.
Second base—Lindloff, A&M.
Third base—Salmon, SMU.

Shortstop—Al Joe Hunt, Texas.
Fielders—Rote, SMU, Kneuper, Texas, and Szekely, Baylor.

Alb Weiner, Associate Sports Editor of the Daily Texan, turned in the following list:
Pitchers—Fretz, A&M, and Wall Texas.
Catcher—Watson, Texas.
First base—Hamilton, Texas.
Second base—Lindloff, A&M.
Third base—Shamblin, Texas.
Shortstop—Wallace, A&M.
Fielders—Devereaux, Baylor, Brock, Texas, and Kneuper, Texas.

SOPHOMORE SHORTSTOPS



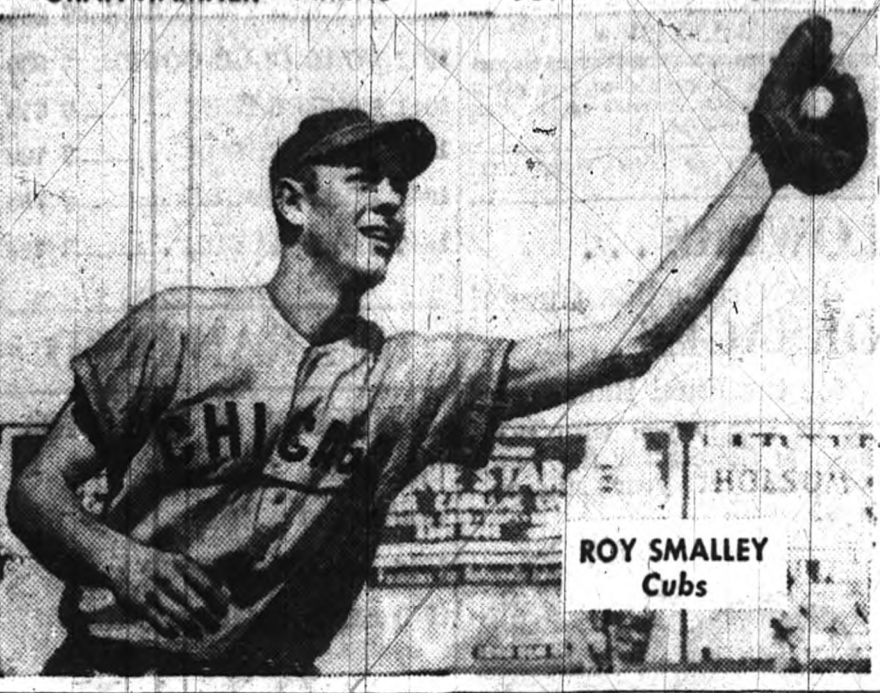
ALVIN DARK - Braves



GRAN HAMNER - Phillies



JOHN LIPON - Tigers



ROY SMALLEY - Cubs



VIRGIL STALLCUP - Reds

The shortstop position is one of the key spots on a major league ball club, and five teams have entrusted the spot to sophomores. These five players have developed into important cogs with their teams and appear headed for long careers as shortstops.

Future Aggie Dad Club Still Growing

Membership in the Texas A&M "Athletic Department Dads of Future Aggies Club" is still growing. Newest member is Bill DuBoise, line coach of the Texas Aggies. A prospective 1967 Aggie tackle, weighing eight pounds and 11 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill DuBoise last Sunday.

Daughters of Aggie athletic officials are conspicuous by their small number. Basketball coach Marty Karow, track mentor Frank Anderson, and end coach J. T. King and Freshman Coach Barlow Irvin have two sons each.

Athletic director Bill Carmichael, head coach Harry Stiteler, Backfield coach Dick Todd, swimming coach Art Adamson, Tennis mentor W. M. Dowell, freshman basket ball coach Taylor Wilkins, trainer Blaine Rideout and sports news director Dub King have one son each.

Athletic Officials Enroute to Georgia

Athletic Director Bill Carmichael and D. W. Williams, chairman of the athletic council, of Texas A&M are enroute to Atlanta, Ga. to attend the weekend meetings of the Southern and Southeastern Conferences.

The A&M officials went to the meeting by special invitations and do not plan to take part in the controversy pertaining to NCAA rules.

While in the south, Carmichael will visit athletic officials on the campuses of Georgia, Georgia Tech University of Alabama, University of Florida, University of Miami and other schools.

A&M To Play VMI Here In Football

The Athletic Department announced yesterday that Texas A&M had signed a one year contract with Virginia Military Institute for a football game. The two teams will meet here in a night game on October 14, 1950.

This will be the first meeting between two of the leading military schools in the country.

Athletic Director Bill Carmichael stated that the Aggies "might return the game in Lexington, Virginia, home of the institution, in 1952."

VMI compares favorably with Texas A&M as one of the leading military schools in the country. Located in Lexington, Virginia, the school has an enrollment of about 1000 men.

The VMI team's nickname is the Keydets and its colors are Red, White, and Yellow.

The school is a member of the Southern Athletic Conference and its head football coach, Art Morton is a graduate of LSU.

This game will be number four on the Aggies' 1950 schedule and takes the place of the LSU game.

The Standings

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN		
W	L	Pct.
New York	21	19 .677
Philadelphia	19	15 .559
Boston	18	14 .533
Chicago	17	15 .531
Washington	17	17 .500
Detroit	16	17 .485
Cleveland	12	15 .444
St. Louis	9	24 .273

NATIONAL		
W	L	Pct.
Boston	20	13 .606
New York	19	13 .594
Brooklyn	18	15 .545
Cincinnati	17	15 .531
Philadelphia	15	16 .484
St. Louis	13	17 .433
Pittsburgh	14	19 .424
Chicago	11	19 .367

215 Pounder To Enroll in A & M

T. K. Niland, an outstanding 215 pound tackle from Austin High School, has informed Texas A&M athletic officials that he will enroll here in September. Niland also plays baseball.

Hank Behrman's poor start with the Giants is reminiscent of his 1947 failure with the Pirates. As a result, Pittsburgh returned him to Brooklyn.

Ray Sanders, placed on the Braves inactive list with a broken wrist, hit .329 for Hartford, Conn., last season.



BOB HALL, junior Business major from Dallas, turned in one of the outstanding track performances in the country this season when he removed the names of Clyde Scott and Freddy Wolcott from the record holders in the 220-yard low hurdle race at the Conference meet in Fayetteville, Arkansas, this year. Hall broke the record in the prelims and then tied it in the finals as he made sure that he cleared all the obstacles and won the race. He had been warned that the Aggies needed the points in his special event before the race so he ran a cautious one.

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Aggieland '49 Sport Pictures Scheduled

Four groups of students will have their pictures taken on Thursday, May 26, for the Aggieland 1949.

Spring intramural champions and all other intramural winners who have been notified by Barney Welch, director of intramurals, will have their pictures taken at DeWare Fieldhouse tomorrow afternoon.

Pictures will also be taken at the same time of the campus sports organizations, such as the Tumbling, Weightlifting, Soccer, Volleyball, Softball, and Handball Clubs.

The A&M pistol team will have a squad picture made at 5 p. m. the same day at the gym.

Thursday night at 7:30 pictures will be made of the Intramural Managers and the different officials of the group at their annual barbecue at The Grove.

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