

# Football, Baseball Feature Sports Day

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good," according to Karow. Positions with the hottest competition will probably be in the outfield. Eight players are lined up to patrol the extremities of the field. The three spots may go to Billy "Shug" McPherson in right, Hollis Baker in center, and either DeWitt or Moon in the left field position.

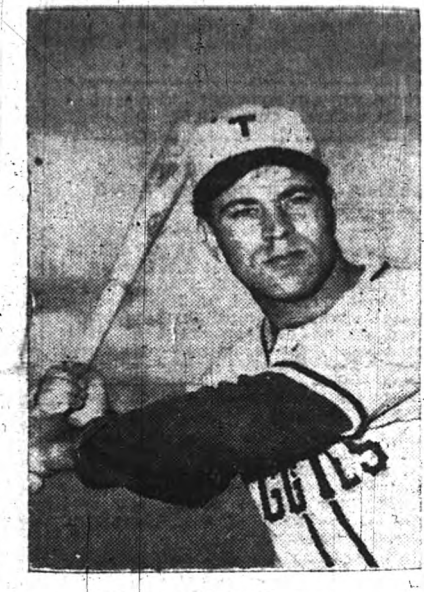
Pitchers are fairly deep in numbers, but slim in actual combat experience. Bruce Morris, Pat Hubert, Blanton Taylor, George Brown, Sam Blanton, Bob Tankersley, Bob Calloway, and Sid Goodloe—some or most of these hurlers should see action in the pre-season games.

Following is a complete roster of the baseballers, as released by the coach's office:

- (1) Guy Wallace ..... SS  
 (2) Joe Savarino ..... 2nd B  
 (3) Lester Lackey ..... Inf Util  
 (4) Al Ogletree ..... C  
 (5) John DeWitt ..... Out F  
 (6) Bruce Morris ..... P  
 (7) Martin Hamilton ..... C  
 (8) Herschel Maltz ..... 1st B  
 (9) Pat Hubert ..... P  
 (10) Sam Blanton ..... P  
 (11) Joe Ecrette ..... In F  
 (12) Hollis Baker ..... Out F  
 (13) Bill Warner ..... Out F  
 (14) Bobby Farmer ..... Out F  
 (15) Wally Moon ..... Out F  
 (16) Sid Goodloe ..... P  
 (17) Bob Tankersley ..... P  
 (18) Hank Candelari ..... 3rd B  
 (19) Bill McPherson ..... Out F  
 (20) Yale Lary ..... Out F  
 (21) Phillip Russell ..... Out F  
 (22) George Brown ..... P  
 (23) Jim Calvert ..... C  
 (24) Blanton Taylor ..... P

Reprinted below is the official roster for tomorrow night's football intra-squad clash, as received from Coach Harry Stichter:

- MAROON SQUAD**
- ENDS**  
 80 Davenport, Walter  
 81 Hill, Carl  
 82 Barton, Dorbandt



"Shug" McPherson will supply much of the Aggie batting power in this year's baseball campaign. High in the running for an outfield position, McPherson may also be used at first.

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# Mural Boxing Field Narrows

Twenty-one more winners were added to the list of victors in the intramural boxing tourney finishing its second day of action yesterday. were in the 159, 169, 139, and 149-pound divisions. Matches today begin at a p. m. in DeWare Field House.

Rick Wescott of I Air Force scored the only knockout yesterday when he successfully laid out Jack Craig of A Engineers. Craig jumped to the front in the first round landing blows at will, while Wescott rarely connected.

The second round proved to be a different story with Wescott tossing all the blows and knocking his opponent to the canvas with a right hook. Stunned as he was, Craig continued fighting in the third round, but Wescott countered again with his right and Craig went down for the second time in the fight.

**Timmons Downs Duke**

Another scrappy battle came in the 169-pound class when Ken Timmons of A Infantry battled with Gene Duke of C Cavalry and still managed to come out on top in the three-round affair.

Timmons took the first round easily, battering his opponent all over the ring, but Duke came back momentarily in the second round with enough blows to tie up the bout. Timmons coasted in the third round to win.

**Results of yesterday's fights according to the Intramural office:**

**159-pound division:** Charles Chandler (G Flight) defeated Tuffy Chandler (A Infantry), Paul Moore (A Field) dropped Joe Bob Crowley (A Transportation), Jim Smith (G Flight) beat Dave Nelson (A Cavalry), Jerry Cloud (C Field) drubbed Hulse (B Engineers), G. Barden (B Cavalry) defeated Archie Stullings (H Flight), W. G. Hodge (A Transportation) edged Nicholas (B QMC).

Bob Schubert (A QMC) won by default over Bruce Hagee (Dorm 15), Ken Timmons (A Infantry) defeated Gene Duke, (A Cavalry), John Dixon (C Field) won by default over Sammy Aboud (A QMC) Louis Ray (C Flight) dropped J. B. Miller (B Transportation), and B. Swinsky (A Field) took a forfeit win from Bill Bain (G Flight).

**169-pound division:** Henry Lee (B Coast) dropped Al Hooten (E Field).

**149-pound division:** Owen Davis (B Field) gained a forfeit win over R. K. Hedrick (D Field), Jerry Saunders (B Transportation) defeated S. Beck (B Cavalry), J. W. Canning (D Field) beat Ross Vandiver (A QMC), Bill Casey (D Field) scored a forfeit win over Stan Livesay (C Flight), George Mowlin (ASA) defeated Davis (C WSA) and Earl Bryan (A Flight) drubbed Don Austin (D Infantry).

**139-pound division:** Rick Wescott (I Flight) defeated Jack Craig (A Engineers), and Kenneth Lewis (White Band) beat George Dishman (K Flight).



Herschel Maltz, veteran first sacker on the A&M baseball squad, makes a shoe-string catch in preparation for initial home games today and tomorrow against the Brooke Field Medics.

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Al Risinger of A Quartermaster, right, tosses a punch at Billy Neal of B Field Artillery in the second round of their intramural boxing match Wednesday afternoon. Risinger took the decision and advanced in the tourney.

# McDowell Selected On All-SWC Five

A&M's Jewell McDowell joined a single player from each of four other Southwest Conference basketball teams on the 1950 all-league selection named by the sports editors of the seven conference school papers. SMU and Rice were the only teams failing to land first team laurels.

Don Heathington of Baylor was the only unanimous choice of the seven editors who named the collegiate sports writers' team. McDowell and Texas' Tom Hamilton were each on six first and a single second ballot.

Fourth choice in voting was George McLoud of TCU. The fifth position went to Jim Cathcart of Arkansas by a narrow margin over Paul Mitchell of SMU.

Support for Mustang players was divided among Mitchell, Charles Lutz, and Jack Brown, a fact which might explain why there was no SMU cager on the first team. However, all three Ponies made the second string, together with Joe McDermott of Rice and John DeWitt of A&M.

Each editor participating in the poll voted for three teams, without regard for filling specific positions on the honor teams. Votes counted five, three, and one for first, second, and third teams, respectively.

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# Training Camp Briefs

Pasadena, Calif., March 10.—(P)—Manager Jack Onslow directed the Chicago White Sox through a four-hour drill yesterday in preparation for their exhibition season opener against the Chicago Cubs here Saturday.

Clearwater, Fla., March 10.—(P)—Gran Hamner's home run with Richie Ashburn on base gave Coach Benny Bengough's Whites a 3 to 1 victory over Dusty Cooke's Grays yesterday in an intra-squad Philadelphia Phillies' training camp game.

St. Petersburg, Fla., March 10.—(P)—Billy Johnson, hard hitting Yankee third baseman, is going to be given a fulltime chance to win back regular duty. Manager Casey Stengel announced yesterday. Starting with Saturday's opening exhibition game with the St. Louis Cardinals, Johnson will begin a daily nine-inning chore.

Avalon, Calif., March 10.—(P)—The Chicago Cubs depart today from this island training base for another year, and Manager Frankie Frisch had this farewell message: "I don't believe any ball club could be in better condition than we are at this point in the spring training program."

Lakeland, Fla., March 10.—(P)—American League batting champion George Kill banged out a pair of triples today as he led his "Tigers" to a 5-2 decision over the "Lions" in Detroit's second intra-squad game.

# Trackmen Try Favored Longhorns in Olympics

By RAY HOLBROOK

Twenty-five A&M track and field men embarked this morning for the annual Border Olympics in Laredo. Preliminaries are scheduled for Saturday morning, with the finals that night.

Texas University, defending champions, will again be favored, with A&M a close second in pre-meet prognostications.

Although the Cadets won the SWC meet last year, Texas has a wide advantage this spring. The Steers lost but 9 1/2 points from last year's conference meet, while the Aggies lost 20 1/2 by graduation.

On a basis of last year's teams, Texas is approximately 11 points better than the boys from College Station.

The Longhorn freshman team was much better than the Aggie Fish last year, having scored almost twice as much in a dual meet.

**Upset Only**

It might appear that the Austinites have the border affair sewed up, but the A&M team is quite promising. An Aggie victory, however, will definitely be an upset.

J. D. Hampton may be a good choice to break both his records, set last year, in the mile and the two-mile events. Hampton ran these events in 4:18.6 and 9:36.0, respectively, in last year's Border Olympics. Ford Rodgers, promising Texas sophomore, should give Hampton a goodly amount of competition in the two-mile race, however.

George Kadera, A&M discus man, will be shooting for the record of 157' which has escaped him for three years. Kadera will enter the shot-put event also, and should better his record of 46' 11".

Bob Hall and Paul Leming, A&M low hurdlers, are both capable of bettering the 23.6 seconds record held by John Rowland. Even the loser in this hurdle event may break the record.

The 440-yard record, set by Ray Holbrook at 48.0, appears well within the reach of Don Mitchell of A&M, however, he may not be able to nip the time so early in the season.

Rice's relay team, called the "best yet" by many so-called experts, may be in for a surprise in the border city Saturday night, with either A&M or Oklahoma A&M a strong possibility as winners. Rice is a noticeably slow-starting team, early seasons plaguing them. The Oklahoma squad took the Sugar Bowl title in this event with a 3:16 time on Jan. 1.

Tom Cox of Rice, last year's second-place winner in the conference 440 run, is a favorite in that event, although Mitchell may give him considerable trouble.

Making the trip for the Maroon and White are the following track and field thirly-eds:

Gary Anderson, Dave Yienget, Buddy Shaeffer, Bob Hall, Paul Leming, Don Graves, Billy Bless, Don Mitchell, Bernard Place, Cecil Inglehart, B. E. Terry, Don Cardon, Alec Ortig, John Garmany, Robert Allen, J. D. Hampton, Julian Herring, Jim McMahon, Jerry Bonnen, Jack Jones, George Kadera, Ed Hohar, John Weber, Jack Simpson, Elmo Wade, Buddy David, and manager W. M. Garner.

# Cadet Netmen Meet U of H Tennis Team

By HAROLD GANN

A&M's tennis team is in tip-top condition, and is ready for the University of Houston netters who will make their appearance on the clay courts opposite P. L. Downs Natatorium tomorrow afternoon in a match that was postponed a week because of unfavorable weather conditions.

R. G. Deberry and Bobby Duncan, two sophomores, who led the Fish team last season, are presently pacing the varsity squad. Deberry will start the match at 1:30 when he takes the number one singles court to play Jason Morton, UH's number one man.

Duncan will be pitted against Hugh Sweeney, the Cougar's number two man, and then he will combine with Deberry to form A&M's top ranking doubles combination. Morton and Sweeney will join to face the duo.

Royce Tate and Dick Hardin—two important racket-swingers who were plagued with flu last weekend—have been working out all week and are ready to go, according to Coach W. M. Dowell.

Tate will play in the number three singles position, and the fourth place berth won't be decided till this afternoon. Hardin and Allen Aronson are contending for the position, and both players are almost evenly matched.

Dowell requested a two-out-of-three set match yesterday afternoon between the two, but at "chow-time" each had one set to his credit after two hours of playing. Hardin won the first set, 7-5, but Aaronson bounced back to even the match at one-all, taking the second chapter, 6-2. A playoff set will be staged this afternoon to decide fourth position.

A freshman match is also scheduled with Eugene Letsons of Galveston playing in the number one singles slot. Donald Farmer, also of Galveston, will play in the number two position. Tommy West and Harold Gann will form the doubles team for the first-year men.

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