

Records Set in 23rd Texas Relay Meet

By RAY HOLBROOK

A crowd of 12,000 fans looked on as three records fell in the university division of the 23rd annual Texas Relays last Saturday. Rice's mile relay, Kansas U-4 mile relay, and two unknown high jumpers, Jack Razzetto of San Diego State and Virgil Severns of Kansas State, were the record breakers, and shared the spotlight of the meet with Pat Bowers, Kansas senior, who was named the outstanding performer of the meet.

Rice's mile relay team of Jim Hoff, Jack Hudgins, Red Brown, and Tom Cox clipped off a 3:14.5 to break Texas A&M's record of 3:17.2 set in 1948. Cox ran a great anchor lap to bring the team to the finish.

The Texas Aggies team composed of Don Carlson, Buddy Shaeffer, Bernard Place, and Don Mitchell, ran a 3:15 which broke the old record, but ended up 4-yards back in 3rd place.

New 4-mile Record

Kansas great 4-mile relay team knocked 20 seconds off the old record by running a 17:20.9. The old record was 17:40.1 set by Illinois in 1929 and was the oldest record running 17:26, but J. D. Hampton's 4:14 anchor mile could do no better than second. The Cadet team consisted of Jim McMahon, John Germany, Julian Her-ring, and Hampton.

The ace high jumpers, Razzetto and Severns, both cleared 6' 8 1/4" to eclipse the old record of 6' 7 7/8" set by Boydstan of Oklahoma A&M in 1941. The pre-meet favorites, Vern McGrew of Rice, Jack Heintzman of Bradley, and Bob Walters of Texas, tied for third at 6' 6". Buddy Davis and Don Graves of the Aggies both jumped 6' 4".

Bowers—Outstanding

Pat Bowers, Kansas ace from Chicago, was selected as the outstanding performer on the basis of 3-relays in which he ran, all of which were won by Kansas. In the distance medley on Friday Pat ran 3 laps in 3:02.4. On Saturday he ran his mile on the record

breaking 4-mile relay in 4:16 and then came back to anchor the 2-mile relay to victory with a 1:52 half. He was 3rd in the national meet last year, running the half mile.

Kadera Only First

Big George Kadera provided A&M with its only first place when he heaved the discus 165' 11" to beat out Rollins Prather of Kansas State by 10 feet. George earlier had placed third in the shot with Prather's winning toss going 52' 1/4". This is Kadera's best discus toss of the year, but all his meet winning throws this year have been over 164 feet. The conference record is 163 feet.

The Aggies only other showing was the 880-relay which placed second behind the Texas team anchored by flying Charley Parker. The Cadet team of Jack Bond, Don Yiengst, Bob Hall, and Bill Bloss were running nearly even with TU until the final handoff.

Montes Double Winner

Javier Montes, outstanding distance star from Texas Western, was the meet's only double winner, taking the 3,000-meter in 8:49.7 and the open mile in 4:21.2. Charley Parker won the 100 in 9.6 edging out Paul Biens of Tulane, last year's winner. Parker also anchored the winning 440 and 880 relays and was runner-up for the meet's outstanding performer award along with the record breaking high jumpers.

Paul Leming failed to place in the high hurdles which was won by Roy Grieve of Bradley in 14.6. Leming had been suffering from flu last week and, obviously, was not yet over his attack.

The Aggies 440 relay and 2-mile relay just failed to place taking 5th in both events.

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Big Third Inning Gives Cadets 2 Needed Runs

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scored and pushed the Cadets ahead, 1-0.

Moon In Third

Wally Moon started the Aggies out in the third when he singled to right field with two away. McPherson followed Moon with a triple that scored the Bay, Arkansas center fielder. Then came the second costly error to the Bruins.

Copeland pitched a fast one to DeWitt, who took his third out, but the sphere got away from catcher Hogo Pearson, and McPherson came in from third to score. Pearson's throw to the home plate was wild and DeWitt advanced to second.

Baylor also scored in the third when the Bruin second baseman Roland Walters managed to roll one of Hubert's tosses under the

fence between right and center field.

DeWitt Hits Winner

The winning run was scored by DeWitt in the sixth, as both teams failed to connect in the fourth and fifth innings. Even the big gun for the Bears—Adrain Burk—was stalled, as he ended the day hitless.

In the bottom of the sixth inning, Buddy Parker, Bears center-fielder, doubled, and was followed by Pearson, who singled. With one away, and players on third and first, the Bruins scored on a double steal. Murray Jones pinch hit for Reyes and Pearson scored, making the score 3-4.

The final three innings were confined to the pitchers' talents, although McPherson came through with a catch that will leave the Wacoans' mouths open for a long time.

| A&M | AB | R | H | O | A |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|----|
| Lackey, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 |
| Savarino, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Moon, cf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| McPherson, rf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| DeWitt, lf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Candelari, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Maltz, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Calvert, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 1 |
| Hubert, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Brown, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Totals | 32 | 4 | 6 | 27 | 16 |

Open Net, Golf Tournaments Begin With Big Field

Intramural open tennis and open golf tournaments begin this week with one of the largest fields ever acquired for these two sports. Both singles and doubles will be featured in each sport.

In the tennis singles division 96 entries have been received while 27 doubles teams are entered in the doubles class. The golf entries numbered only 48 in the singles and 18 doubles teams are entered in the doubles division.

First round matches in the tennis tournament must be completed before April 8, or a double forfeit will be called. Players who have entered the tournament, but have not received their schedule slips from the intramural office, should check immediately with the said office.

Eliminations in the first round of the golf tournament must be completed before April 15.

Handball near end

Playoffs in team handball are almost complete with A Athletics waiting in the final round for the winner of the E Athletics powerful handball group entered the final round scoring wins over B Field Artillery and C Infantry, respectively.

C Infantry had reached the semi-final bracket with a victory over A Air Force, while E Flight entered the semi-final bracket by downing A BMC and ASA had defeated A Chom Warfare in the quarterfinal round before downing A CWS in the semi-final match Friday night.

Corps Softball and Volleyball

Military softball is slightly more than a week old, but already leaders have been established in the different leagues.

Leaders in military softball with their respective leagues are W. Band tied with A Air Force (A), A Comp tied with B Flight (B), E Field Artillery tied with G Air Force (E), H Flight (G), and CWS tied with F Air Force (H).

Volleyball leaders are Army Security Agency (A), A Transportation tied with B Infantry (B), B Field Artillery (C), Maroon Band (D), C Infantry (E), K Air Force (F), E Infantry tied with D Air Force (G), and A Flight (H).

Non-Military Volleyball, Softball

Mitchell Hall holds the edge in the non-military volleyball league, while TCVV and Dorm 16 are the top teams, respectively, in league A and B of the non-military softball division.

Ag Weightlifters Rate Meet Place

The A&M Weightlifting Team tied for second place honors in the Gulf AAU Championship Meet in Houston last Saturday. The Houston YMCA team received other second place honors.

Frank Thurmond, junior in "A" Flight Air Force, won first place in the 148 pound class for the second time in two years. Dale Thompson, junior, was runner-up. Thompson was also runner-up to Thurmond in last year's meet. Both lifted the same poundage, but first place was awarded to the smaller man, Thurmond.

"Sam" Bass and Kelly Anderson both placed fourth in the 181 pound and heavyweight class respectively.

Bobby Moore entered the physique contest and ranked highly among 20 other competitors for the title of "Mr. Gulf Coast." He was awarded the trophy for "Best Back."

Emil Mammaliga, athletic department, is coach for the team.

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Charlie Russell, Aggie Fish right fielder, demonstrates the correct stance and grip for anyone who wants to bat at a .728 clip. Russell has done just that, and he also hit five for five in Saturday's game against the Cubs.

A&M, Texas Take Lead In Southwest Baseball Race

By The Associated Press

Texas and Texas A&M have taken over the lead in the Southwest Conference baseball race.

Baylor, top team through the first week of play, stumbled before A&M 4-3 last week while Texas was edging Texas Christian twice by a 5-4 score each time.

Meanwhile, Southern Methodist lost its opening conference tilt with Baylor 11-10.

The fact that all four of the conference games for the week were lost by one run each indicates the balance of the field in the circuit this season.

Conference members continue to beat professional clubs. Texas licked San Antonio of the Texas League 12-10. Southern Methodist, however, lost to Dallas of the Texas League 8-2.

In other games Texas A&M fell before Sam Houston State of the Lone Star Conference 6-3. Texas

Bears Drop Cadet Golf Team, 4 & 2

A&M's golf team was edged by the Baylor Bears, 4 and 2, Friday afternoon at the Bryan Country Club in the first SWC match of the season.

The Aggies held some consolation when Gene Darby, the Cadet's No. 1 striker, took low gross honors with a 72.

In the singles Darby beat Roman Parma, 2 and 1; Raymond Goddard of the Bruins downed Tony Guerrero, 3 and 2; George Wagner also of the Bruins defeated J. C. Fletcher, 1 up; and Bobby Dodson gained the Baptists third singles win beating Monty Currie, 1 up.

The visitors split the doubles with the home team as Guerrero and Darby dropped Parma and Goddard, 1 up, and Wagner and Dodson turned the same trick on Fletcher and Currie, 2 up.

Ag Fish Nine Edged By Baylor Cubs, 6-4

By ROGER COSLETT

The Fish nine dropped their first game in four starts this season to the Baylor Cubs Saturday afternoon, on Kyle Field, by a score of 6 to 4.

Although they out-hit the visitors, 12 to 9, the Fish were not able to bunch their hits well enough to prove effective until the ninth—the inning in which all four of the Fish runs were scored. The Cubs took the lead by one run, on two hits and a walk, in the first frame.

A homer by Cub shortstop Davis in the fourth put the visitors further in front. But they really came to life in the eighth with a barrage of four hits for three runs that was sufficient enough for Ag coach Perron Shoemaker to replace Jack Brinkley, an Austin boy with two wins to his credit, with Charlie Smith.

Smith Pitching

Smith struck out the next Cub batter; gave up first base by hitting the next, and then settled down to strike out Hatch. Cub relief pitcher, and nip the uprising. The Cubs collected their sixth run in the ninth off of one hit and three walks.

Charlie Russell, powerful slugger for the Fish, started off the ninth inning rally with a single through short stop. Russell, who hit five for five in yesterday's game, has been at bat 22 times thus far this season and has collected 16 hits for an average of .728. Bill Bragg, Fish third baseman made first on a hard hit ball that the shortstop fumbled and then advanced to second as the shortstop overthrew first.

Parma Singles

Parma drove in both runs when he singled into right field. Hatch, who had pitched fine ball until then, proceeded to walk the next batter and was relieved of his mound duties by Sacks.

Sacks struck out Gus McDonald, but gave up a double to pinch hitter Tom Niland, who was batting for Smith. Niland's double drove in Parma making the score 6 to 3. Kewiger, batting for Dabman, slammed a ball that looked like a sure hit into right field but Bay-

lorite Russell made a breathtaking shoestring catch, and threw to retire the side and end the game. Lasterick had crossed the plate, before the out on Niland was scored, to give the Fish run number four.

Winning pitcher for the Baylor Cubs was Joe Gresham, Jack Brinkley was credited with the Fish loss.

Score by Inning

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| Bay. Cubs | | 100 | 100 | 031 | -6 |
| A & M Fish | | 000 | 000 | 004 | |



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