

Fish Win Again By Thumping Wharton

By SKIP SIMMEN

Coach Ferron Shoemaker's scrappy freshman diamond squad pounded out a 12 to 6 win over Wharton JC yesterday in a wild, wide open, but sloppy affair on the Kyle Field practice diamond.

The Fish started off action with one run in the bottom of the first frame. Lead off man Gus McDonald banged out a single over shortstop and scored on Munnerlyn's double.

Quickly tying the count up in the second inning Wharton scored one counter on a single by Hodge and a triple by O'Reagan.

The game slowly advanced with the Fish jumping way ahead in the bottom of the fourth frame staying out in front all the way.

Charlie Smith pitched for six innings, allowing only three hits, striking out seven Wharton men and walking four. Cliff Orr took over in the seventh and gave up three runs on five bingles.

Bob Nazier started on the mound for the Pioneers and went the route with Bill Mayberry doing the behind-the-plate chores.

Gus MacDonald, outstanding Highland Park ace, banged out a home run, a triple, and a single to lead the afternoon's hitters.

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O'Reagan Keeps 'Em Laughing Dan O'Reagan supplied the humor in the afternoon's contest. The hefty Wharton right fielder, in an attempt to catch a long fly in the fifth frame, stuck out his glove only to slide down in the dirt throwing his mitt high into the air.

However, the hefty Galveston lad did bang out two hits, one a triple to score the first Pioneer marker.

Slammin' Charlie Russell managed to increase his batting average to .733 when he banged out a single in the fifth frame. The young clouter, who was only pinch hitter in the affair, was caught trying to stretch the well placed bing into a two-bagger.

Score By Innings:
Wharton011 010 030—6
A & M104 205 000—12

A & M, Steer Fight Stated

Corpus Christi, Texas, April 5.—A fight between A&M and Texas for top honors is indicated in the annual "Little Southwest Conference" track and field meet here Saturday.

Rice, the third team, is expected to do much to settle the issue between the top two. As usual, the triangular event should establish the favorite for the regular Southwest Conference Championship. It is held between the three conference teams which usually are the strongest.

'Bera' at Bat . . .

Hank Candelari Claims Ag 'Hot Corner' For His Own

By F. E. SIMMEN, JR.
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He might be little, but he packs a big wallop.

Standing only 5' 7", Henry "Yogi" Candelari still manages to hold his own against bigger and more experienced baseballers.

The 23-year-old PE major is at present holding down the "hot corner" on the Aggie baseball team, and is one of the few players who has started every game this season.

Although batting way down in the lineup, the Houston product—has collected twelve hits in forty-two trips to the plate for an average of .286.

Candelari, starting his first season of athletic eligibility with the Aggies, could not play last season because of scholastic deficiencies.

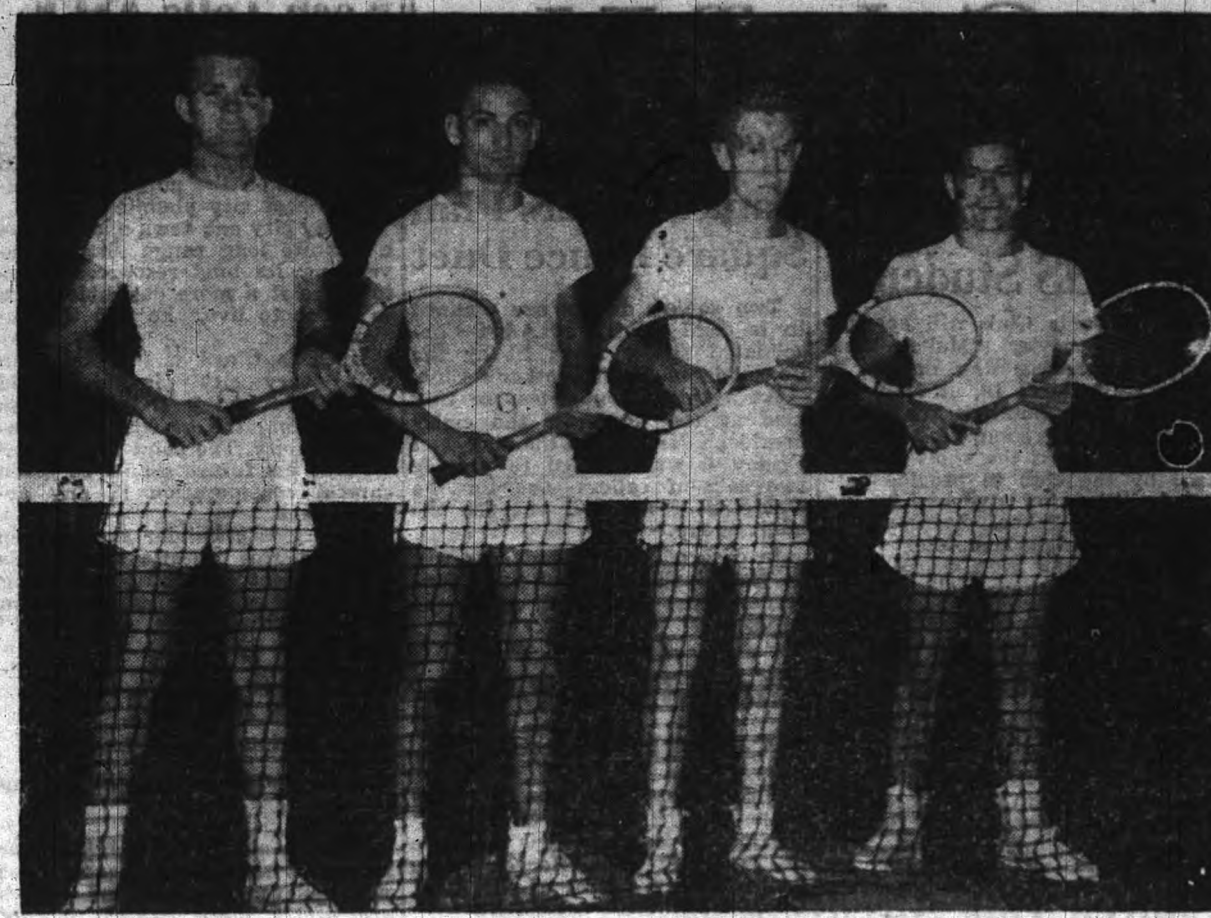
Probably his most startling performance of the young season came in the second Minnesota contest when the talented PE major slammed out two home runs. He has since increased his total to three.

It seems the young third sack specialist did not finish his high school work until after discharge from a two-year tour in Uncle Sam's wartime Navy.

Got The Urge

"While sitting in English class one day," says Yogi, "I got the urge." That's when the then seventeen-year-old Jeff Davis pupil went down and offered his services to the Navy.

"Wanted to go, that's all, just wanted to go," commented the native Houstonian when asked why he decided to join up.



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Water Poloists Leave for East

A&M's water polo squad of nine swimmers and Coach Art Adamson entrain here tonight for matches in the east with Navy and Army.

The Aggies meet Navy in Annapolis, Md., Saturday afternoon and Army at West Point, N. Y., next Tuesday.

Since 1934 Aggie water polo teams have posted 44 victories against five defeats and one tie.

Out-of-state victims included Iowa State, University of Chicago, Downtown St. Louis YMCA, Kansas City Athletic Club, and the Tulsa YMCA.

Last season Adamson's swimmers beat Baylor twice and Texas twice. This season the Aggie poloists hold two decisions over Baylor. The Cadets recently lost a 4-2 game in two overtimes to the Texas Aquatic Club, which is made up

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Fish Trackmen In Relays Third Place

A&M's freshman thinny clads placed third in the four events which they entered at the 22nd Annual Texas Relays last Friday and Saturday to gain a tie for third place in the junior college-freshman division.

The fish mile relay placed second behind the Aggies from the home team in the relay were Robert Brown, Carol Libbey, Edwin Wilmsen, and Bobby Joe Ragsdale.

The Cadet's William Stalder placed third in the 100, while Darrow Hooper and Stalder tied with Rice of Southwest Texas State for third place in the high jump contest. The winning height for the event was 6' 3 1/2" while the occupants of third place jumped a clean 6 feet.

The Aggies other entry—Conrad Strelau failed to place in the high hurdles.

Ag Tennis Team Scores Whitewash, 6-0 Victory

R. G. DeBERRY

The Aggie tennis team jumped into a temporary lead in the Southwest Conference race yesterday by virtue of a clean sweep, 6-0 victory over Baylor.

In the No. 1 singles match, the Aggies' Ray DeBerry breezed through Baylor's Dick Redding, 6-0, 6-1. DeBerry played a forcing game, attacking regularly with his unorthodox, but effective,

two fisted backhand.

Bobby Duncan, No. 2 Aggie netter, won handily over Carroll Drewyer of Baylor, 6-1, 6-0. Duncan, with the help of his much improved game, ousted his opponent in less than half an hour.

Tate Takes Third Royce Tate, playing in the No. 3 spot for the Aggies, displayed an errorless forehand and effective serve in defeating James Phenix, Baylor No. 3 man. Tate won

by a score of 6-3, 6-3.

In the only three-setter of the day, the Aggies' Allan Aaronson, downed Baylor's Bill Strack in the No. 4 position. Aaronson lost the first set, but came back to win in a convincing manner, 3-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Top Duo Wins

DeBerry and Tate, Aggie No. 1 doubles combination, defeated Drewyer and Phenix, 6-4, 6-4, in a match which saw both good shots and numerous errors. DeBerry and Tate held the advantage at the net, where the majority of their points were won.

In the final match of the day, Aaronson and Duncan, Aggie No. 2 doubles team, downed Baylor's Redding and Strack, 6-2, 10-8. After easily winning the first set, they were forced to play their best doubles in taking the second chapter.

The win over Baylor gives the Aggies a season record of four straight. They will leave Monday on their Oklahoma tour, where they will play matches with Oklahoma A&M, Oklahoma University, and Southeastern Oklahoma.

Four Local Splashers Top Southwestern YMCA Meet

(Note to A&M swimming coach Art Adamson: Four more ace prospects for the Aggie swimming team have been spotted.)

The Bryan YMCA swimming team won the Southwest YMCA junior division title in Houston last weekend, and four College Station youths, Bobby Karow, Gayle Klipple, Dick Weick, and Albert Stevens, scored all the winner's points.

(Of course, Adamson probably has tutored the lads himself, but we liked the opening sentence so well we "had" to use it anyway.)

The facts involved are that the four splashers among them won five events and grabbed the junior team title from the Oklahoma City team, 35-34. Houston was third and Bartlettville, Okla., fourth. Four new records were established by the local entrants.

Individual events results showed: 100-yard medley relay—second place: Bryan (Bobby Karow, Dick Weick, Gayle Klipple).

50-yard freestyle—first place Klipple; new record, 29.6. 50-yard breaststroke—first place: Weick; new record, 32.5. 50-yard backstroke—second

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