

Large 'Mural Program To Begin Next Month

By JOE BLANCHETTE

Approximately 80 teams will be entered in the intramural competition this year according to Barney Welch, intramural director.

The upperclassmen basketball teams and team tennis will open play on October 9 with the freshmen and non-military teams beginning one day later on October 10.

On November 6, upperclassmen begin play in flag football and horseshoes and on November 7 the freshmen and non-military teams swing into action. The upperclassmen teams will play on

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and the freshmen and non-military teams will play on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Cross-Country—December

In the early part of December the cross-country teams of the upperclassmen will run their competition while the freshmen will race the following day.

An open handball tournament will be held in the middle part of October with any student allowed to enter the competition.

All basketball games will be played at the Grove on the four courts available. The horseshoe contests will be played on the horseshoe courts west of the varsity tennis courts, and handball games will be held in the Little Gym.

Athletic officers in the new area will pick up schedules for their teams at the Intramural Message Center in front of Duncan Hall, A and B Athletics, A and B Composite, and all other military organizations not in the new area will pick up their schedules at the Assistant Commandant's office.

Non-military and freshman athletic officers will receive their schedules at the Housing Office.

Jack Wood, Joe Jackson and Bob Smith are the Senior Intramural Managers this year.

Soph Managers Needed

Welch has announced the need for Sophomore managers this year and has asked all who are interested to contact him at the Student Activities Office in Goodwin Hall during the mornings or at the Intramural Office in the Gym during the afternoons.

Joe Hovsepian, assistant to Welch, may also be contacted by interested Sophomores.

Welch has also announced that the check-out room in the Southeast corner of the Gymnasium is open daily from 1-6 p. m. All athletic equipment may be obtained for the use of the teams there. He asks that all equipment be returned the same day it is checked out.

The workout room is also open and all students are welcome to use the weights, parallel bars, rowing machine, high bars, and other equipment available in the room.

Lippman Named 'Back of Week' By Sports Staff

Gallop! Glenn Lippman, 168-pound left halfback from El Campo, has been named "Back of the Week" by the Battalion Sports Staff by virtue of his sparkling running performance against Nevada.

Lippman turned in the longest run of the game, and 80 yard jaunt from scrimmage.

Early in the third quarter a 93 yard kickoff return by Lippman was nullified when it was ruled he had stepped out on his own 44.

All in all, Lippman carried the ball 10 times for a total of 138 yards or a 13.8 average. In those 10 carries he was never once dropped for a loss.

Saturday's performance put Lippman at the head of the top ten ground gainers in the conference. His closest contender is Kyle Rote, of SMU, with 10.8 yards per carry.

Last year the El Campo "Flash" led the nation in kickoff returns through the early season games. He was an All-District and an All-American standout in high school and led the SWC freshmen elevens in ground gaining during his Fish year at A&M.

Lippman, who was billed as potential All-American upon entering A & M in '48, was hampered all last year by bad publicity and inadequate blocking.

This season the Gallop! Glenn can go places, namely downfield, with a fast, hard-charging line ahead of him.



Glenn Lippman

Team Spirit High

A&M's football squad went through the regular Monday workout yesterday, limbering up and running plays, in drizzling rain but with high spirits.

Both the coaches and the players seem to be in the best of mental condition. After Head Coach Harry Stiteler and Dick Todd had drilled the backfield on pass defense for the greater portion of the afternoon, the team then worked out on its own.

Good news on the physical side included the return of End Walter Hill, Guard Carl Hill, Clinton Gwin, David Duncan and Bob Smith. Bob Bates, who suffered a bruised ankle in the Nevada-A&M game, and John Christensen are the only two Cadets who did not participate fully in practice yesterday.

Coach Stiteler said that Delmar Sikes, who completed two of six passes for 42 yards in the past game and directed the Aggies to six of their seven touchdowns, is at the present time, A&M's top quarterback, and unless something happens between now and Saturday, Sikes will start before a hometown crowd in San Antonio against Texas Tech.

The other three quarterbacks, Dick Gardemal, Darrow Hooper, and Ray Graves, were also sharpening up their passes, and all will be ready for action Saturday.

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QB Club Meets Thursday in Assembly Hall

The first meeting of The Battalion Quarterback Club will be held in the Assembly Hall Thursday night after yell practice.

Beginning its third big year on the campus, the Quarterback Club is sponsored by those merchants of College Station and Bryan who firmly believe in the objective of the club.

The objectives of the club are outlined:

- to create in the public an expressive and active interest in the "Fightin' Texas Aggie" football team.
- to get the public out to the Aggies game once that interest and support have been instilled.
- to put the Aggies on the map — to make them nationally known.
- to stimulate football interest throughout the entire Southwest Conference.

Club attendance dropped off in 1948, but interest and participation was aroused last year when Sid Wise, former Battalion advertising manager, took the club under his wing for a successful season.

Tireless efforts on the part of Wise brought such speakers as "The Old Scotsman," Gordon McCendon, and Bill Rives, Sports Editor of the Dallas Morning News.

Wise was rewarded for the long hours spent by increased membership numbering over 2,000.

Nine Quarterback Club meetings are open to the general public as well as students and faculty. Readers are reminded to look for the Quarterback Club advertisement in Wednesday's Batt for information concerning the annual club contest.

Notre Dame Still Leads College Big Boys Enter Football Picture Saturday

New York, Sept. 25—(AP)—College football's big boys—Notre Dame, Michigan, Army, Oklahoma and Southern California—get into action this weekend.

Notre Dame, stripped of many of last year's stars, still is the people's choice to keep adding to its string of unbeaten games and last week was picked as the country's best by 125 sports editors in a pre-season poll by the Associated Press.

The Indiana Irish take on North Carolina, winner by 13 to 7 over North Carolina State Saturday.

Army, hangs into Colgate. Coach Earl Blaik's son, Bob, will do the Field Masterminding for the Cadets, who also have a winning streak going.

Oklahoma Plus Heath

Oklahoma, with fullback Leon Heath as the only starter left from its two-time Sugar Bowl champions, is host to Boston College. Boston was held to a 7 to 7 deadlock by Wake Forest Friday night.

Michigan takes on Michigan State, youngest member of the big ten and the surprise winner by a 38 to 13 score over Oregon State. The margin of the Spartan's triumph was the surprise.

Southern California, suspected of having the most material on the West Coast, is host to Iowa Friday night.

It will be the first game for Iowa and Michigan as it will be for all other members of the big ten, all of whom participate in non-conference tilts.

SMU Meets Ohio State

Intersectional contests will be the order as Kyle Rote and his Southern Methodist playmates, who walloped Georgia Tech by a 33 to 13, meet the remodeled Rose Bowl champion team at Ohio State. Clemson and Missouri are booked at Columbia.

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Russell Still Moaning After King-Sized Win

Dallas, Sept. 26—(AP)—Coach H. N. (Rusty) Russell of Southern Methodist thinks it a good idea to wait until Saturday before getting excited over his football team.

The Methodists, who impressed the southwest and other areas with a 33-13 victory last week over Georgia Tech, fly to Columbus, O., to play Ohio State in the second game of the season.

Russell says he isn't hopeful at all of taking care of the Rose Bowl champions.

Seeing a lot of things the crowd of 54,000 apparently overlooked, Russell declared "My boys made a jillion mistakes" in the conquest of Georgia Tech. He added that Tech had a young, inexperienced team, too, so they made quite a few mistakes themselves.

But he doesn't expect that from Ohio State.

"They tell me they lost a lot of (See SMU, Page 4)

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