

Smith, Lippman Named For Weekly Battalion Honors

By Ralph Gorman

Once again the Battalion Sports Staff is called upon to name the linemen of the week for another Aggie grid classic. And once again the Battalion honor goes to big "Jumbo" Andy Hillhouse.

Weighing in for the VMI game at 213 pounds and standing 6' 3" on the gridiron, he showed the partisan fans what complete coverage of the end posts can be. He charged through the Keydet line several times to break up potential VMI ground-eating plays.

Andy To Captain

Hillhouse, A&M's candidate for all-conference end, will captain the Cadets in their Southwest Conference opener Saturday against Texas Christian University.

It will be the fifth straight week for an Aggie senior linesman to captain the team.

When the Aggie quarterbacks elected to pass, Andy was always to be found breaking into the clear and on these occasions was on the receiving end of aerials to gain a total of 120 yards through the air.

Not to be stopped with just gaining yardage, Andy carried one of these tosses on into the end zone for the second Aggie touchdown. His third TD for the 1950 season, he now has a total of 18 points to rank with seven other SWC stars for fourth place among the conference scorers.

Out Of '49 Lineup

Andy was out of action for the '49 campaign, but led the team in blocked punts during the '48 season. The range end from Alvin made honorable mention on United Press' All-American team of 1948.

Should Andy continue in the same stride that he has shown in the first four games this season, he is a sure bet for all-conference end and a strong candidate for All-American honors.

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Frog Sophs May Start Against Ags

Fort Worth, Oct. 18—(AP)—Three TCU sophomores who started against Texas Tech here Saturday night may have won a permanent place in the Frogs' offensive picture for the game with Texas A&M Saturday at College Station.

Carlton McCormack, 221-pound center from Henderson, still was playing that position today as Coach Dutch Meyer's crew opened preparations for A&M with a dummy offensive scrimmage. Bob Blair, fine young end from Texarkana, still was at the left terminal in place of the injured Wilson George and John Harville retained the No. 1 left halfback post.

Gilbert Bartosh, quarterback, and fullback Bobby Jack Floyd suffered bruises last week-end but were going full speed today.

For this week's Back of the Week honors, the Battalion Sports Staff has chosen All-American candidate Bruiser' Bob Smith.

In last Saturday's game with the Keydets from Virginia, Bob crashed through the opposing line time and again to chalk up a net rushing gain of 115 yards. One of the most called upon fullbacks in college football today, Bob lugged the pigskin 13 times, scoring twice—one being on a 47 yard jaunt through the entire VMI team.

Leads SWC Scorers

Leading the conference in scoring honors, Bruiser' Bob has crossed the double stripe at least twice in every game for a total of nine touchdowns and 54 points.

The 76 times that he has toted the leather give him the distinction of being the most worked member of the SWC. For these 76 carries he has rolled up almost 450 yards for a healthy average of 5.9 yards per carry.

Tipping the scales at 192 pounds, the former all-stater from Lamar (Houston) was considered the best grid power runner in the SWC best circles during the 1949 campaign.

Better '49 Record

The present season is less than half gone and Bob already has scored six more points than his all-season total of 48 points for '49. At the rate that he is going, he will have amassed more than twice his 1949 rushing gain when the season closes. A record of this sort should make the Cadet Power Man a unanimous choice for any all-American team.

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Bruiser' Bob Smith

This may not look like Bruiser' Bob, mainly because he is rarely seen moving in such a leisurely manner. But Smith is definitely the workhorse from the SWC backfields, having carried the ball 76 times for 447 yards, which ranks seventh in the nation.

Aggies Retain 10th Place . . .

Smith, Nation's No. 7 Rusher

By JOE HOLLIS

A&M's reliable fullback, Bruiser' Bob Smith, jumped from a strong eleventh place among the nation's leading rushers to a more prominent seventh spot. In accordance with the one man rushing total that won Smith higher recognition, the combined efforts of the Cadet charges rank them tenth among national colleges in team rushing totals.

The 190 pound crashing fullback increased his last week's rushing total by 115 yards to possess a grand total of 447 yards gained on the ground. Smith took the handoff 13 times in the VMI game for an average of 8.9 yards and now shows a four game average of 5.9 for his 76 carries. Bright, an Eastern star from Drake University, ranks first in this statistical division with a rushing total of 647 yards.

Harry Stiteler's Aggies continue to maintain a firm hold on the tenth place spot in total yards gained rushing. Amassing a total of 1,136 yards in their first four games of the 1950 campaign, the Cadets show an average net gain of 284 yards per contest. Arizona State leads the nation's colleges in this division with a four game total of 1,615 yards and an average of 378.8.

The Mustangs of Southern Methodist rank a strong first place in the offensive passing game. Tossing 128 aerials in four games, Coach Russell's passing combinations have completed 70, while only 10 have been intercepted, for a

37.8.

TCU's Gil Bartosh is in the No. 16 spot in the overall offense division with a total of 594 yards for the 101 times he has handled the pigskin. SMU's Kyle Rote is close on the heels of Bartosh with 568 yards in 89 tries. Rote's teammate, Fred Benner, is 20th in this class with 526 yards for 70 attempts.

First in this division is Bright of Drake, who has a total of 1,340 yards for the 154 times he has handled the leather. This is Bright's second No. 1 spot in the statistical rating, as he leads in the rushing

column.

Benner, the SMU passing ace, is No. 11 in forward passing, tossing 67 aerials for 39 completions, and a total of 554 yards. First in this division is Cox of Duke, who has thrown 102 passes in four games, and completed 56, while eight have fallen into the eager arms of the opposition.

Isbell Top SWC Punter
Lary Isbell, Baylor's punting specialist, ranks ninth among the nation's punters. In four games he has kicked 22 times for an average of 41.6 yards. An average of 45.4 yards for 18 punts is boasted by Nevada's Brady, who claims the No. 1 spot in this column.

The leading pass receiver in the nation is Binemann of Drake, who has snagged 28 aerials for a net gain of 387 yards, but has yet to carry one of these into paydirt.

Other firsts in statistics across the nation go to Cornell, who leads in the total defense class; and Ohio State, who leads in the rushing defense department.

In three games Cornell has seen their opponents start 164 plays against them for a total of 407 yards. Ohio State's line has been charged a total of 88 times for a weak 86 yards.

—Beat TCU—

Rice' Glauser to Be Ready for SMU

Houston, Oct. 18—(AP)—Rice first stringers took it easy today as they began preparations to defend their undefeated record against unbeaten Southern Methodist here Saturday night.

Coach Jess Neely said fullback George Glauser, who played only about one minute against Pittsburgh Saturday, will be ready. He said the remainder of the squad is in good shape physically.

Glauser suffered a leg injury in the Louisiana State game October 7.

Seven days ago we said that with "some heads-up football and a little luck . . . we will see the day that Mr. Williamson is forced to admit the worth of the Texas Aggies." The taste of this ninth position is sweet, but it is also something to worry about. In weeks past such "favorites" of P. B. W.

Bruiser Relaxin'

Austin Sports Editor Protests TU-OU Contest

Austin, Oct. 18—(AP)—A "we-wuz-robbed" cry was raised yesterday by Sports Editor Fred Williams after he viewed movies of the Texas-Oklahoma football game.

Williams said in the Austin American the camera caught at least four crucial plays which were mis-called by the officials and helped Oklahoma beat Texas, 14-13.

Longhorn Coach Blair Cherry said he had no criticism of the officiating.

Williams said the officials missed the boat when they ruled that Right Half Lew Levine failed to score for Texas on the first half's next-to-last play.

The sports writer said Referee Bob Miller was wrong when he decided that Longhorn fullback Byron Townsend fumbled on Oklahoma's 5-yard line, where the Sooners recovered.

Williams said Townsend's forward progress had been stopped on the 2½-yard line and the play should have been whistled dead there before he was thrown back.

An offside penalty should have been called against Oklahoma on a tackle Ed Rowland on the fateful fourth-quarter play in which Billy Porter failed to get off his punt, Williams wrote. Oklahoma took the ball on Texas' 11 and scored in two plays to tie the score.

"The first thing that moves is No. 74 (Rowland)," he said. "The big tackle is offside, and practically everybody in the stands and press box saw it. The newsreel camera caught it. The television camera, NBC's Bill Stern caught it."

The writer said Miller and Head Linesman Clay Vanreen were guilty of poor officiating.

Asked his opinion Cherry said: "I haven't raised my voice one time. I haven't made any criticism of the way the game was called."

Five Fish Cagers Tower Above 6'5"

By Glenn Williams

Height is the least of Coach John Floyd's worries concerning his 1950-51 Texas Aggie freshman basketball squad which went through their first formal workout Monday night in DeWare Field House.

Floyd has five first-year Cadet hoopsters who tower over the 6' 5" mark and a dozen others top 6'. The new mentor has limited the squad to 22 players, including two former all-state high school sharpshooters and a bevy of all-district choices.

The quintet of skyscrapers includes Jim Ashlock, 6' 8¼" center from Pecos; Leroy Martin, 6' 7½" pivotman from Waxahachie; Richard Harris, 6' 5¾" center from San Angelo; Allen Davis, 6' 5" forward from Luling; and Kenneth Murray, 6' 5" forward from Wills Point.

Lipan's James Addison at 6' 4¾", Ronald Dwyer at 6' 3½" and Pampa's James Gallemore at 6' 3" are close behind in the height department.

Dwyer is one of the two all-stars on the team. He gained the distinction in 1949 at Wellington, Kans., as a member of a Floyd-tutored team which captured third

place in the state tournament. The deadly jump shot artist was destined for Oklahoma A&M, Floyd's alma mater, before the former Oklahoma Aggie cager became head basketball coach here following the resignation this summer of Marty Karow.

The other all-state schoolboy is Norman Miksch of Waelder. Norman, the younger brother of Leroy who was a standout for the first-year Aggie cagers last season, was chosen to the Class B dream team after the Texas Interscholastic League's state meet last winter.

Speed to be Important
Speed—a factor which usually is sacrificed when excessive height is employed—has not yet been noticeable as a shortcoming to Coach Floyd. He admits, however, "that if the big boys can't run, we'll use shorter ones who can."

The 6' Miksch, Al Faber of Dallas (Jesus), Lynn Swartzell of Cleburne, Pat McCroy of Waelder and a couple of former A&M consolidated basketballers—Bill Williams and J. S. "Jake" Magee—are some of the comparatively shorter candidates who could supply the needed fleetness.

Other members of the squad include Glen Darling, Abilene; John Gray, Waco; Douglas and Dudley Coleman, twin brothers from Dozier; Billy Jeffrey, Harlingen; Val Montgomery, Abilene; Joe Cochran, Fort Worth (Paschal); and Stan Baker, Fort Worth.

Nov. 24—First Game
Local basketball fans first opportunity to see this year's freshman club in action under true game conditions probably will be Nov. 24. That is the tentative date for a clash with the Aggie varsity in DeWare Field House which will serve as a pre-season warmup for both aggregations and will not count as a scheduled contest.

Following that, the first-year Cadets begin a 12-game schedule starting with a home battle Dec. 14 against the always-strong Long Morris Bearcats of Jacksonville.

Aggies Put In First Ten By Williamson

By FRED WALKER

As we sit here fitfully wishing our hands in fiendish glee, the inspired words of "Dr." Paul B. Williamson charge from ear to ear:

"Three hard-riding, straight-passing football outfits from Texas galloped full tilt into the Williamson Big Ten this week as the balance of football power in the United States shifted to the Southwest."

"Southern Methodist took over the No. 1 spot . . . The University of Texas is No. 5, WITH TEXAS A&M No. 9."

Of course this is great news to A&M, but when you notice such powerhouses as Vanderbilt, Georgia, California, Wisconsin, Maryland, Illinois, and Notre Dame ranking behind the Aggies, it must be realized that the Cadets have their work cut out for them.

Williamson's Top Ten
This is how Williamson ranks his first ten: SMU, Oklahoma, Kentucky, Army, Texas, Washington U., Ohio State, Stanford, Texas A&M and Vanderbilt. The second ten are Georgia, Rice, California, Wisconsin, Miami U., Princeton, Clemson, Maryland, Mississippi, and Cornell.

Down in the 40th, 51st, and 69th positions respectively we find TCU, Arkansas and Baylor.

The Mustangs made the trip from fifth to first this week because "No other team in the country can equal this record: SMU 33, Georgia Tech 13; SMU 32, Ohio State 27; SMU 21, Missouri 0; SMU 56, Oklahoma A&M 0." This is the second consecutive week that three SWC teams have had control of first place as Texas rested there last week.

"Just Another Loser"
Seven days ago we said that with "some heads-up football and a little luck . . . we will see the day that Mr. Williamson is forced to admit the worth of the Texas Aggies." The taste of this ninth position is sweet, but it is also something to worry about. In weeks past such "favorites" of P. B. W.

at Notre Dame, UCLA, Purdue and Michigan State have fallen along the wayside. Going into games highly favored, these teams emerged just another loser.

This week highly favored A&M meets the not-so-highly touted TCU. Reports from the Fort Worth camp reek of secrecy, and high spirits. The Frogs "may be in the best physical shape of the season, for as they started the week's work, there were signs the Frogs would again be 'high'."

Frogs Again 'High'
"They were 'high' two weeks ago in besting the big Arkansas Porkers, 13-6." Also it should be noticed that the Williamson Rating is the opinion of one man, while the AP poll, compiled by national sports writers and casters, agree that the Aggies only rate the 25th position.

Holding a natural prejudice, we think that the Aggies should have a good national standing, but one preferably between the AP and Williamson choices. High position has hurt more than one man or institution.

Saturday's Predictions
A few Williamson choices for this Saturday: Washington over Illinois in a close one, Oklahoma A&M to beat Kansas, Navy to take Southern California's measure, Georgia over LSU, Wisconsin to beat Michigan; Alabama to whip Tennessee; and Vanderbilt to fly past Bob Woodruff's Florida host.

In the Southwest the System looks for A&M to take TCU, Texas to beat Arkansas, SMU to trounce Rice and Baylor to edge Texas Tech.

P. S. We forgot to mention that the Aggie's 25th place in the AP Poll is a notch lower than their last week's rating.

'Mural News

By JOE BLANCHETTE

Company 1, leading 12-0 when the first half ended, was forced to stave off a last half spurt by the aggressive cagers from Company 5 to win in the Freshman Intramural Basketball League, 17-15.

In the final quarter of play Poetter of Company 5 looped in the two points which put his team temporarily ahead 14-13. Broker and Ohlendorf soon found the range and each bucketed two digits to put the game on ice. Broker of Company 1 was high point man of the contest with nine points.

Company 10 turned in a complete rout of the Band, 33-18. Brigham and Francis Anderson led the assault with eight and five points, respectively. Bledsoe of the Band was the leading scorer of the game with nine tallies to his credit.

Company 3 under the inspired leadership of Lassiter, who hooked in 14 points, defeated the basketballers of Company 4, 23-10. King led Co. 4 with four counters.

In the non-military division Mitchell edged out Puryear 19-16. Mitchell's Joe Bennett led the scorers of the contest with eight. Cliff Pfiel, also of Mitchell, counted six tallies. Figott led Puryear with five scores.

TCVV forfeited to Bizzell Hall. In the final freshman game of the afternoon Squadron 7 defeated Squadron 8, 15-11. Morgan tallied 10 points for the winners, while Woolbright led the losers.

All intramural managers will meet at the Gymnasium in the Intramural Office Wednesday afternoon at 5 p.m.

All officials of the Intramural Department will meet Thursday afternoon in the Intramural Office at 5 p.m.

Upperclassmen football begins on Monday, October 23 according to Barney Welch. Non military football opens on October 24 and the freshman leagues swing into action on November 7.

All athletic officers are asked to notify the Intramural Office of any conflicts in their schedule so that contests may be rescheduled.

QB Club Will Meet Tonight

Gilbert Steinke, Aggie assistant football coach, will be the principal speaker when the Quarterback Club meets tonight at 7:30 in the Assembly Hall.

Steinke, a former Little All-American halfback at Texas A&I and ex-pro football star for the Philadelphia Eagles, came to A&M from Oklahoma A&M last spring. He has been scouting TCU for Coach Harry Stiteler.

Following Steinke's talk movies of last week's A&M-VMI football game will be shown. Winner of last week's Quarterback Contest, Billy Ditto, will receive two tickets to this Saturday's game with TCU during the course of the program.

The meetings and the Quarterback Club Contest are open to the general public. No admission is charged.

Baylor Prepares For Tech Contest

Waco, Tex., Oct. 18—(AP)—Plans shaping up yesterday for Baylor's game against Texas Tech here Saturday included the use of sophomore guard Bill Athey on offense as well as defense.

The Bears are looking for more blocking on offense, and the Athey switch may give it to them.

'No Injuries in TU Camp,' Says Cherry

Austin, Tex., Oct. 18—(AP)—The Texas Longhorns today attempted to shake off the effects—both mental and physical—of their one-point loss to Oklahoma Sooners.

Coach Blair Cherry commented that none of his players got injuries in the Sooner game that will keep them out of this week's conference opener with Arkansas. The coach also declared "the team's morale is good."

The audit and division of receipts from the Southern Methodist-Oklahoma Aggies tilt probably will not be complete for two or three weeks, SMU officials reported.

However, unofficial estimates place the split for each school at between \$76,000 to \$80,000 from a gross of \$175,000.

There has been a greater Cotton Bowl take-home total than the O. U. T. game produced. Southern Methodist and Notre Dame each received more than \$100,000 for last year's contest.

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