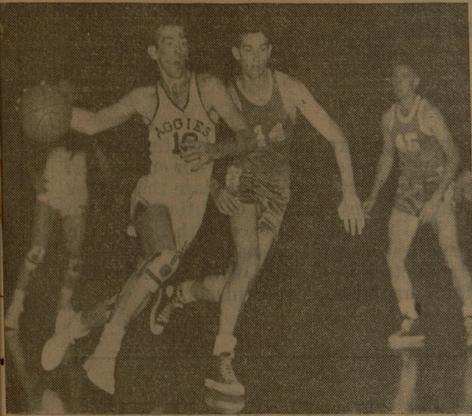


## Why He's All-Conference



A&M's All-Conference guard Jewell McDowell dribbles past an unidentified Southwest Texas cager to score. McDowell will be one of the top men who Coach John Floyd will be using tonight to curb the Rice Owls and start the conference season off with a win.

## DuBose To Work For Texas—Maybe

A&M's Line Coach, Bill DuBose is headed for a job as end coach at the University of Texas, the Associated Press and the Dallas News Bureau of Austin reported late last night.

A&M officials could not be reached for a report. Athletic Director Barlow Irvin is out of town, and DuBose could not be reached at his home for a definite report by press time.

The News said that along with DuBose, another coach would be added to the University's football staff. He is G. C. (Ox) Emerson who was head coach at Delmar of Corpus Christi during the past year. Both of the "probable" new coaches for the Orange and White played with TU's New Head Coach Ed Price on the 1930 Championship Texas eleven.

### To Join King

DuBose is supposed to join J. T. King as end coach. King left A&M last year to join the Longhorn Staff, and he too is a former Texas football star.

DuBose played for three years on the TU varsity as a lineman. After graduation in 1932 he became freshman line coach at the university and in 1935 and '36 he served as head coach at Hondo High School. After serving a year as line tutor at Nacogdoches he met A&M's Head Coach Harry Stiteler for the first time as he became line coach at Corpus Christi under Stiteler.

That year Corpus won the state title and in 1942 DuBose became head coach as Stiteler moved to Waco. Corpus Christi under the direction of DuBose lost in the district playoffs, the following year to Austin, who went on to win the state title.

When Stiteler moved to Rice in the fall of 1946, DuBose took over as head coach at Waco, and directed the team to the quarterfinals of the state playoffs. The following year, he coached the Tigers to a second place in district, and when Stiteler gained his present post at A&M, DuBose was immediately named line coach.

In the period from 1935 to 1947, DuBose was on the winning side 107 times and on the losing side only 83 times.

Persons interested in working with the Battalion Sports Staff are urged to contact the sports editor or one of the co-editors at the Battalion office in Goodwin Hall anytime during the day. Experience is unnecessary but eager workers are needed.

# A&M, Rice Open SWC Campaign Tonight

By RALPH E. GORMAN

A&M's Cadet quintet inaugurates the 1951 Southwest Conference basketball campaign tonight at 8 o'clock when they vie with the Rice Owl cagers in the DeWare Field House.

Preceding the varsity encounter, the Aggie Fish and the Rice Owlets will meet at 6 p.m. in a curtain raiser.

### Added Confidence

With the added confidence of three wins in four starts during the holiday season, the Aggie cagers should show greater prowess on the hard-court than ever before.

Showing a win-loss record of five and six for the 11 starts so far this season, Cadet Coach John Floyd says that "the boys feel good about tonight's game and we know pretty well the type ball that Rice is playing. The boys are not cocky, though. They just like what they're doing and they're coming along well."

### Holiday Practices Helped

The former Hank Iba pupil attributes the improved game of the Aggie five to the practice sessions

held during the holidays. "We could spend all of our time and thoughts on basketball while the boys had a vacation from their books," Floyd said, "and that seems to be just what they needed—some days we had as many as three practice drills and had plenty of time to iron out the wrinkles."

In the last four cage bouts preceding the conference opener tonight, A&M's varsity basketballers downed Sam Houston State, 40-36 and 45-40, and Trinity, 60-40, while losing to the University of Houston 45-52.

### Aggies "Sparkled"

According to Floyd, the turning point came in the Dec. 22 meeting with Sam Houston in which the Aggie cagers "sparkled."

"The boys led them (Sam Houston) 16 to 20 points all through the game until the last ten min-

utes," Floyd said, "then I started substituting. They (A&M) really played good ball."

The Aggie coach was even more satisfied with the showing in the Trinity game where "the boys played their best ball by far."

### Scoring Balanced

"The winning team is the team that makes the fewest mistakes," Floyd continued, "and that's just what we did. The scoring was well balanced, too, as Davis, McDowell, DeWitt, and Martin all counted for more than ten points apiece."

In anticipation of emerging from the conference cellar, Coach Dan Suman's Rice Owls have displayed an improved brand of ball over last season as they won five of ten encounters in preparation for the conference season.

Paced by the high scoring threesome of Joe McDermott, Jim Ger-

hardt, and J. D. White, the Owls have a calmly confident attitude that they have as good a chance as the next team to take it all in what should be the most topsyturvy race in some years.

Highlight of pre-conference play of the Owls has been the high scoring of McDermott and the team's phenomenal ability at the free throw line. McDermott has a neat 18 point average to rank as a serious contender for SWC top individual honors and the team as a whole, hit 72 percent of their charity shots.

### Manpower Problem

Manpower seems to be an acute problem with the Rice cagers, as it was for the grid team. Coach Suman has only seven players that could really be rated in the top bracket, and excessive fouls will hurt the Owls cause.

Coach Floyd will call up on the services of '68" Buddy Davis for the Maroon and White pivot man, while Leroy Miksch ('64") and Marvin Martin ('63") will handle the forward posts. Don Heft, at 5'10 1/2", and Jewell McDowell, at 5'9 1/2" will get the starting nod for the guard chores.

The Aggie cage mentor concluded to say that "the boys will put on a good exhibition of basketball tonight and will be playing with all they have to win."

### Owls Not As Tall

Coach Suman will not field a man nearly so tall as A&M's Davis, as McDermott and Ralph Grawunder are the tallest starters at '64". McDermott will be at the center position, while Grawunder will work with either Leonard Childs (5'10") or Charley Tighe (5'9") at the guard posts.

At forward, fans will see White ('62") and Gerhardt ('63"), who are the remaining two-thirds of the high scoring threesome. Sophomore Maurice Teague now stands as the squad's principal "general utility" substitute.

### Owlets Taller Than Fish

In the warmup game at 6 p.m., Roy Martin ('67") will work at the center position, while James Addison and James Callemore, who stand 6'4" and 6'3", respectively, are slated to handle forward duties. Ronald Dwyer ('63") and Bill Williams ('59") will get the nod for the guard posts.

For the Owlets will be Eugene Schwinger ('65 1/2") at the center post, James Bavers ('60") and Alfred Johec ('61") at guards, while Buzz Fuller ('65") and Tom Cullinan ('65") will handle the forward posts.



Harold V. Ratliff

## Ratliff Scheduled At A&M Saturday

Harold V. Ratliff, sports editor for the Associated Press in Texas, will be in the College Exchange Store Saturday morning from 10 to 12 to autograph copies of his two recent books.

Copies of Ratliff's books, "I Shook the Hand," and "Towering Texans" are on sale at the Exchange Store now. Ratliff will be on the campus all day and then go to the Winter Sports banquet in Sbis Hall Saturday night honoring the football and cross country teams.

## Fromme Leads TCU To Win Over SMU

Dallas, Jan. 4.—(AP)—TCU whipped SMU 57-46 last night in the opening Southwest Conference basketball game for both teams.

The Frogs combined the sharp-shooting of rangy Harvey Fromme with the brilliant floor work of little Johnny Ethridge to down the Mustangs.

The winners were in command after assuming a 4-3 lead after two minutes. They led 26-17 at the half.

The Methodists blew a big chance to get back into the game in the last seven minutes when Fromme, towering George McLeod and Teddy Reynolds were waved out on fouls. They trailed 45-35.

But TCU played a magnificent stalling game the rest of the way and the over-anxious Mustangs failed to threaten seriously.

Fromme was high scorer with 16 points, most on set shots. Fred Freeman topped SMU with 12.

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**FLOUR . . . . . 10 lb. bag 79c**  
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### FOR SALE

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FURNISHED APARTMENT, phone 8578. New Crosley Refrigerator in apartment. Meadowbrook Addition, 200 Meadowlark.

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### LOST AND FOUND

LOST: 1946 Philco Portable. Brown wood and lacquerette case. Dec. 19. REWARD. J. B. Roberts, Room 83, Leggett.

### Official Notice

Deviating from the usual custom, President and Mrs. M. T. Harrington will hold open house on Sunday, January 7, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the President's home on the A&M College campus.

All members of the faculty and staff of the college and friends of the college from the Bryan and College Station communities are invited.

In former years this open house celebration had been held on New Year's day.

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