Rice Owls Tangle With TCU, Face Aggies Here Friday

The Rice Owls, victims of Southern Methodist 57-53, in their conference opener, will meet face to face with the terror of the SWC, Texas Christian, tonight.

TCU, with apparent ease, has rolled over Southern Methodist, 58-43, and Texas 52-43.

From all previous indications, the Owls will more than have their hands full in Houston when the Frogs arrive to try and make it three wins in a row.

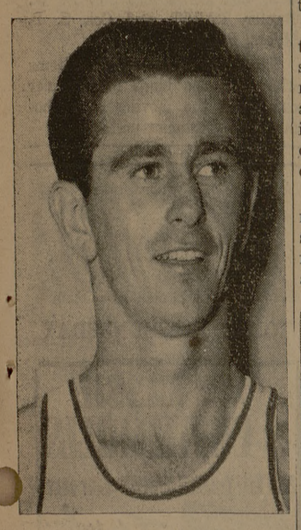
The Rice team has been figured to be much improved over last season. This is somewhat an optimistic outlook by Din Suman, who at 30 years is the youngest coach in the Southwest Conference, and one of the top young mentors in college ranks.

Last year a young team, with no really big man on the roster, short on experience, and with a new coach (one year experience) at the helm the Owls finished in the Southwest Conference second division—an infrequent stopping place for them.

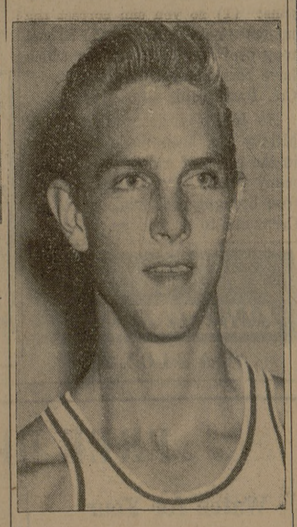
Rice won or shared in the conference standings the majority of time in the '40's.

This year's team has not been predicted as a championship contender, however, the Owls could win a lot of games the experts think they should drop.

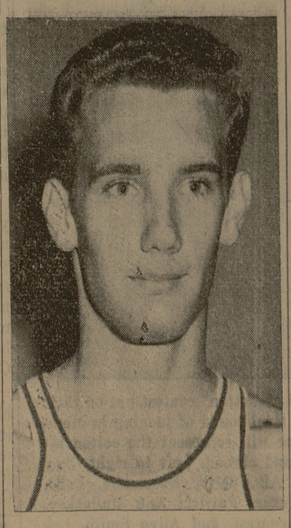
Returning are five of only six lettermen from last year's squad; however, this does give Coach Suman an excellent nucleus to start with.



Maurice Teague
Rice Guard



Ralph Grawunder
Owl Forward



Gene Schwinger
Rice Center

Maurice Teague, 5' 11" guard, is the only player up from the 49-50 freshmen squad that was expected to play a great deal. Now, Teague a junior is the leading scorer on the Rice team, with 152 points, and ranks No. 6 in the conference.

Friday night the Owls will journey to Aggieland to tangle with A&M, the only other unbeaten team in conference play.

Tankers Leave Saturday For SWC Relays

Aggie swimmers will embark Saturday at noon for the third annual SWC relays, to be held this year at Austin. Only SWC teams are entered in the relays which has six events.

The events include a 400 yard free style relay made up of four men each swimming a 100 yards, and a 400 yard back stroke relay with four men swimming a 100 yards apiece.

A diving relay is scheduled in which a three man team is entered with each man doing one required dive and two optional dives. The total points for all three are added up and is used as the team score.

Medley Relay

The distance medley relay composed of a three man team with one man swimming 100 yards free style, one swimming 200 yards free style, and the last swimming 400 yards free style.

A double medley relay is also scheduled in which a six man team is entered, with each man swimming 100 yards. The first man swims the 100 yards backstroke, the second breaststroke, the third freestyle, then the next three repeat in the same order as the first three.

Points will count 14 for first place, 10 for second, eight for third, six for fourth, four for fifth, and two for sixth.

Texas Won Twice

Texas has won the relays both years that it has been held, with A&M coming in second both years.

Expected to make the trip to Austin are, Van Adamson, Richard Black, Don Blundell, Johnny Broker, John Cameron, Tommy Comstock, Don Crawford, Ralph Ellis, Tommy Gilbert, Bobby Johnson, Carroll Jones, Carl Maynard, Kurt Keogl, John Parnell, Sherman Ruben. Bill Sargent, Wayne Strickler, and Paul Walling.

Boxers Begin Workouts For Golden Gloves

Several boxers are working out in the little gym every afternoon under the direction of "Rabbit" Milhollin for the Golden Glove matches that are coming up next semester.

The team will be sponsored by the Bryan YMCA, Milhollin announced this morning.

"Anybody that is interested in boxing in the Golden Gloves, either in the novice or open class should contact me at the little gym any afternoon after five, except Sundays,' Milhollin added.

The team is trying to schedule one or two matches with the Bryan Air Base team before the Golden Gloves tournament.

Boxers working out are Dick Frey, heavyweight, Charlie Davis, middleweight, Jack Fowler, middleweight, Elwood Schmidt, light heavyweight, Pat LeBlanc, welterweight, Pete Kilpatrick, middleweight, "Looper" Lucas, light weight, and Dave Curtis, feather weight.

The boys work out Monday and Thursday afternoons from five to six, the rest of the week from four to six and on Saturdays from three to five in the afternoon.

Horned Frogs Lead In SWC Cage Race

Texas Christian University cagers, favored to win the SWC basketball title, lived up to expectations last week by defeating two challengers, SMU and Texas to jump into an early lead in the conference race.

The Horned Frog quintet should not have any trouble staying out in front, meeting Rice and Baylor this week.

A&M, the only unbeaten team in conference play besides the Frog cagers, play only one conference tilt this week, tangling with Rice Friday night, at College Station.

Big George McLeod, who doesn't have any trouble finding the basket on his home court, was the big gun in the TCU attack against both Texas and SMU.

McDowell Finishing Up

Aggies stellar guard, Jewell McDowell, who will finish up his eligibility this semester, was the deciding factor in the Cadets win over Arkansas Saturday night.

McLeod, with 242 points is way out in front in the scoring race, Arkansas' Billy Hester is second, but since he quit the team and went back to the farm, McLeod won't have any competition from him.

Third in the scoring race with 164 points is Ralph Johnson of Baylor with Ted Price of Texas fourth with 156 points.

Season Standings

Team—	W	L	Pts	Op	Pct.
T C U	12	1	825	635	.923
Texas	7	5	688	636	.583
S M U	6	7	657	715	.462
Arkansas	5	7	591	670	.417
Rice	5	8	772	795	.385
A & M	4	7	507	544	.363
Baylor	1	11	616	745	.083

Conference Standings

Team—	W	L	Pts	Op	Pct.
T C U	2	0	110	86	1.000
A & M	1	0	47	42	1.000
S M U	1	1	100	111	.500
Baylor	0	0	0	0	.000
Rice	0	1	53	57	.000
Texas	0	1	43	52	.000
Arkansas	0	1	42	47	.000

Last week's results: Texas Christian 58, Southern Methodist 43; Southwest Texas State 58, Baylor 56; A&M 47, Arkansas 42; Southern Methodist 57, Rice 53, Texas Christian 52, Texas 43.

This Week's Schedule

Tuesday — Rice vs. Texas Christian at Houston, Texas vs. Southern Methodist at Austin.

Friday—A&M vs. Rice at College

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George McLeod
Leading scorer in the Southwest Conference, McLeod, has scored 242 points as the center man on TCU's red hot cage team.

Aggie Fish, Owlets Meet Friday Night

A&M's Fish cagers will meet the Rice Owlets in a preliminary game before the Aggie-Owl tilt Friday night in DeWare Field House.

The Owlets have won two and dropped one so far this season, as have the Cadet Freshmen. James Everitt, All-Stater from Cleveland, is one of the sparkplugs of the Owlet quintet.

Two Indiana boys are on the Rice Frosh and have played very good ball in their three games played so far. Center Terry Telligman, standing six foot six inches tall and even six foot Norman Pahmeier are the Yankee stars.

Monte Robicheaux, class A Allstater from Bowie, is one of the main cogs in the Owlets sparkling offense.

Another center who may get a chance to play against the Aggie Fish is Richard Floyd, a six foot six inch lad, that has a smooth right-hand hook shot and handles himself well under the basket.

Billy Wohn, an inch shorter than Robicheaux at five feet eight inches, is the Owlets floor leader, and plays a cool heads-up game. Wohn is an adept ball handler, is fast and has excellent drive.

Another guard who will probably play against the A&M Fish is Dick Rowand of Pasadena, California. Rowand has an accurate deceptive jump shot, is a fine dribbler and is very fast.

Both teams played the Allen Ramblers, with the Aggie Fish beating the Ramblers by seven points while the Owlets edged Allen by six points.

This indicates that the game should be a close one with breaks deciding the winner.

Aggie Fish starters will probably be Rodney Pirtle and Don Moon at guards, Cecil Neely at the center slot, and Dale Fisher and Bob McCullock at Forwards.

OCU Edges Ags 62-55, McDowell High Scorer

Based on AP Reports

Oklahoma City University downed the Aggies last night in a high scoring affair, 62-55, in Oklahoma City.

Off to a slow start, the OCU team took over at halftime with a 27-25 lead while the Cadets failed to threaten during the third and fourth periods.

Guard Jewell McDowell and Center Walter Davis of A&M shared scoring honors with 19 points each.

In other games in the Southwest, Rice Institute's none-to-strong Owls will try the role of giant killers tonight in an attempt to stop the headlong drive of Texas Christian's Frogs to the Southwest Conference cage title.

With decisive victories over Southern Methodist and Texas Longhorns under their belts, the Froggies will be after their third straight conference win.

Texas, meanwhile, will try to jump back into the victory column at Dallas in a game with the SMU Mustangs.

A&M	fg	ft	pf	tp
Houser, f	1	1	2	3
Binford, f	1	0	0	2
Miksch, f	4	2	4	10
Heft, f	0	1	3	1
Davis, c	9	1	4	19
Addison, c	0	0	0	0
Walker, g	0	1	4	1
Farmer, g	0	0	2	0
McDowell, g	9	1	4	19
Totals	24	7	20	55

Okla. City	fg	ft	pf	tp
Key, f	3	2	1	8
Couts, f	0	0	3	0
Likens, f	6	5	1	17
Penwell, c	7	3	1	17
Mayfield, c	0	0	0	0
Dalton, c	0	0	0	0
O'Neil, g	1	0	4	2
Laws, g	0	0	1	0
Thompson, g	0	0	0	0
Short, g	4	6	0	14
Rose, g	1	2	3	4
Totals	22	18	14	62

During the second week of football practice, Georgia Tech had three of its first four tackles, its first three left halfbacks and two of its first three fullbacks sidelined by injuries.

MONDAY NIGHT SCORES

Oklahoma City Univ., 62; Texas A&M, 55.

Midwestern, 77; McMurry 51.

North Texas State, 84; Trinity University, 65.

Southwest Texas State, 84; East Texas State, 50.

Brooke Medical Center, 73; Howard Payne, 61.

Randolph AFB, 91; MATS, 51.

Navarro Junior College, 51; Henderson County JR., 44.

Minor Upsets Mark Play In Intramurals

By JOE BLANCHETTE
Battalion Intramural Writer

Intramural football continued to roll toward the finals yesterday afternoon with minor upsets marking the afternoons play.

K AF pulled the first minor upset of the day by thoroughly trouncing the footballers from D Vets, 14-0. The airmen were inside the Vet 20 only twice in the entire game and both times managed to punch across TD's. The Golla brothers once again were the big threat of the airmen as they were outstanding on the attack for the winners.

A Armored managed a safety in their tilt with the gridders from A AF and as a result walked off with a 2-0 win over the heretofore heralded airmen.

A FA Wins 6-0

A FA, displaying a terrific offense to a certain point, managed to tally a 6-0 win over A Composite.

The artillerymen had six penetrations to the losers' one. The winners were inside the Composite 20 only once during the game and pushed across their lone tally on that occasion.

A Ordinance racked up a 6-2 win over the football crusaders from C AF yesterday in a tilt that was more of a runaway than the score indicates.

Horshoes

A QMC racked up a straight set win from the horseshoe pitchers of E AF. The scores of the six contests were 21-11 and 21-13, 21-6 and 21-11, 21-2 and 21-10.

B AF also scored a 3-0 win over K AF and B Athletics took a 2-0 win from C Armored.

Bill Warden, Bill Schnerr, Bill Bowdoin, and Jerry Buster turned in the two victories necessary for the A TC team to defeat A Chemical, 2-0.

C Infantry scored a 2-0 win over E FA.

CONDENSED STATEMENT

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ASSETS

Cash and Due from Banks		$2,404,192.55
U. S. Government Obligations		2,551,700.00
Municipal Bonds		62,750.00
Loans and Discounts		1,350,421.75
Banking House and Fixtures		61,203.58
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank		6,000.00
Other Real Estate		2.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$6,436,269.88

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 100,000.00
Surplus		100,000.00
Undivided Profits		140,523.81
Reserve for Taxes		39,118.67
DEPOSITS:		
Individual	$5,275,311.04	
U. S. Government	49,404.38	
Banks	85,920.29	
Other Public Funds	645,991.69	
TOTAL DEPOSITS		$6,056,627.40
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$6,436,269.88

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