

In Tri-Meet Here

Rice To Be Key In Saturday Meet

Texas and A&M will have another track and field battle Saturday on Kyle field and though the Longhorns are favored, the Rice Owls will be the key to the tri-meet.

Field events get underway at 2:30 p.m. Saturday with the first race—the 440-yard relay—at 3 p.m. Admission is free.

Texas has dominated the Aggies in the Border Olympics and Texas Relays and is favored to dethrone A&M this season as Southwest conference champs.

But in the three-way meet the point spread is much closer than in the big relay carnivals. The big question Saturday is: How much will Rice contribute?

In a recent three-way meet at Houston between A&M, Texas and the Cougars, the UH squad helped the Longhorns eight points—the amount Texas defeated A&M.

In that meet, the Cougars won the javelin and mile relay and took second in the shot put and discus while winning third in the 100 and second in the 220-yard dash.

Rice's key men Saturday are expected to be Stephen James, pole vaulter who is undefeated in conference competition and Harold Griffen, the Owls' great 440-yard star.

Jack Robinson of the Dodgers has hit above .300 his last five seasons.

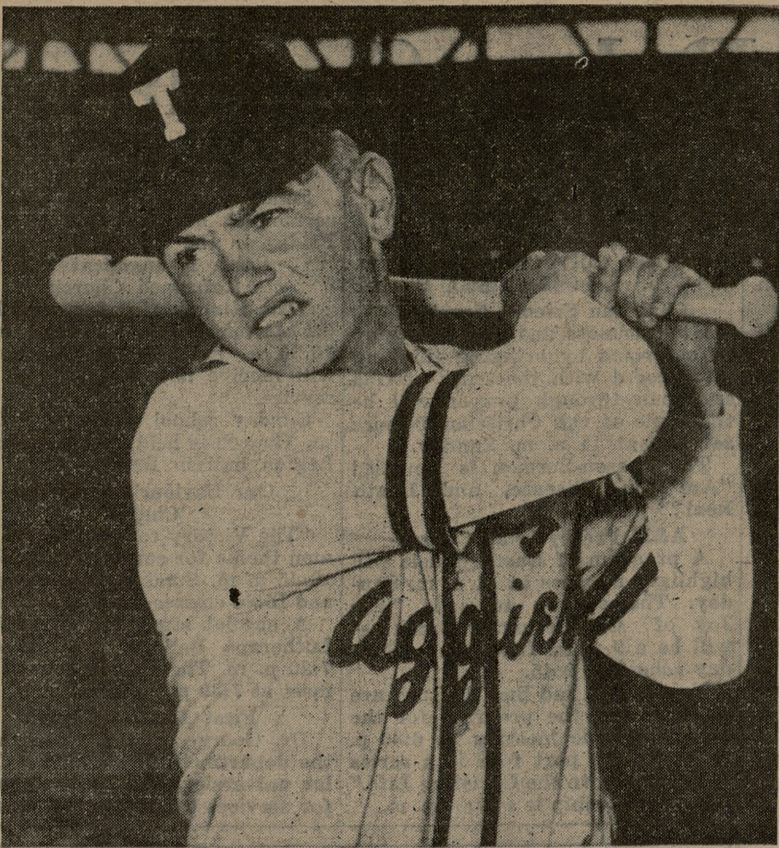
The Longhorns are expected to sweep the dashes, win the broad and high jump and will be gunning for a world mark in the dash relay. The foursome of Dean Smith, Alvin Frieden, Jerry Prewitt and Charley Thomas ran the fastest 440-yard relay in history around two turns at the Texas Relays and was just three-tenths of a second off the world record of :40.5.

A&M will be strongest in the shot put and discus where Bobby Gross and Tom Bonorden rule the roost, and in the mile and two-mile races with Jim Blaine, Dale DeRouen and Verlon Westmoreland carrying the baton. In the javelin, A&M has Pete Mayeaux, SWC champ.

Col. Frank G. Anderson, veteran Aggie coach, figures the mile relay will be the deciding factor Saturday.

The Longhorns, with the strong Dick Forrester anchoring, have defeated the Aggies three times this year but the spread has been thin.

A&M's mile relay crew will be Frank Norris, Carol Libby, Gerald Stull and either Terry Vetter or Wallace Kleb.



LEADING HITTER—Les Byrd, Aggie first baseman, is sporting a .313 batting average. Playing in 10 games, Byrd has made 10 hits in 32 times at bat. He has six runs batted in to his credit to tie for the team lead in that category with right fielder Behn Hubbard. John Stockton center fielder, is second with a .262 average. Stockton has scored eight runs and has 11 hits of 42 at bats. He is tied for the team lead in runs scored with catcher Jimmy Williams.

Cagers, 27 Strong, Report for Practice

Coach John Floyd opened spring basketball practice early this week

in the new, 9,300-seat physical education building.

Twenty-seven cagers, comprising members of the 1953-54 varsity and Fish squads, are working out on the new floor.

The 18-day training period will end Saturday, May 1.

Among the leading freshmen are Jeff Penfield, center from North Hollywood, Calif.; George Meahaffey, Houston forward and Guards Roger Harvey of Denison and Ted Herrod of North Little Rock, Ark.

Leading varsity candidates from last season are John Fortenberry, North Little Rock forward; Pat McCrory, Waelder guard and Harry Hearne, Temple center.

All future Aggie basketball games will be played in the new building, which houses all physical education offices and activity rooms. In addition to the PE facilities, there are varsity and frosh dressing rooms for both A&M and the visiting teams. Coach Floyd's office and equipment room also are located in the new building.

Hal Dixon is the largest empire in the National League. He is 6 feet 3½ and weighs 230 pounds.

Games of the Week

Tuesday—Baseball. Varsity, UT here at 3 p.m.
Softball. A&M, UT here at 7:30 p.m.

(Clip this schedule for a reminder)

Ag Softball Team Meets UT Tuesday

The A&M softball team will play the University of Texas softball team Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. on the Aggie softball diamond.

The Ags, who won conference in softball last year, will play without Curtis Lemons and Gene Letsos, top Aggie softball players. Giles Schanen and Charles Corpeniter will handle the pitching duties for the Aggies.

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Bears Here Today For Two-Game Stand

Baylor, with a will to improve a 1-3 conference record, invades Kyle field today for a two-game stand.

Today's game begins at 3 p.m. with the Saturday contest starting at 2.

A&M and Texas are the conference leaders at this time, each with a 3-1 record. The Aggies split a series with SMU in Dallas last

weekend, then lost a non-conference game to Houston, 14-0, here Tuesday afternoon. The Aggies and Cougars have split two games this season, A&M winning an earlier 8-5 decision at Houston.

Coach Beau Bell will go with his two ace hurlers—Southpaw Joe Hardgrove and righthand speedster Jerry Nelson — against Baylor. Hardgrove, the Forth Worth junior, won his game at SMU, 8-3, to give him a 4-1 season record while Nelson, a Beaumont junior, lost a 1-0 pitching duel to Tommy Bowers.

A&M's batting average suffered in the Houston game, Jack Schultea limiting the Cadets to two hits—both by sophomore Bob Pender of Navasota.

The Aggies now hold a .225 mark after 11 games with Les Byrd, first sacker from Winters, holding the lead with .313. The Bears come into College Station with a .245 team average. Mickey Sullivan, Baylor's all-America outfielder, is tops with .384.

The cellar-ridden Bears have a 5-6 overall record. The Aggies have won seven and lost four.

The Aggies entertain Texas at College Station on Tuesday.

PLAYER	G	A	B	R	H	T	R	B	S	O	A	AV.
Little, p	5	6	1	2	2	0	4	338				
Byrd, 1b	10	32	5	10	18	7	5	313				
Hardgrove, p	9	11	3	3	0	2	232					
Stockton, cf	11	42	8	11	13	6	4	262				
Pender, 2b	7	27	2	5	8	2	6	239				
Farrier, 3b	8	20	4	5	5	0	4	230				
Dishman, ss	11	41	7	10	10	8	8	234				
Williams, c	11	37	8	9	9	6	6	243				
Hubbard, rf	11	34	6	8	9	7	9	235				
Rowland, lf	3	9	1	2	2	0	1	222				
Howell, 3b	10	2	0	2	0	1	200					
Northrop, 3b	5	11	2	2	2	4	2	182				
Nelson, p	6	12	1	2	2	1	3	167				
Ellis, lf	11	28	3	7	4	3	143					
Leisner, 2b	4	13	4	1	2	3	1	107				
Vanzura, p	3	3	0	0	0	0	1	100				
Morrison, 3b	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	100				
Monical, p	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	100				
Verble, ph	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	100				
Dropped (2)	7	1	0	1	5	0	0	0				
A&M Totals	11	347	56	78	95	56	62	225				
Opp. Totals	11	372	47	75	108	51	65	202				

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Swordsmen Compete In Meet Saturday

The A&M fencing team will compete in an Amateur Fencing League of America meet, Saturday in the Rice institute gymnasium. This meet will include open sabre for individual competition, team sabre and team foil.

Members competing are Gus Wulfman, Bob Braslau, Arthur Garner, Walter Anderson, Bill Huettel, Jerry Ramsey, Kenneth Jones, Bill Swan and Joe Dibrell.

HAPPY ORIOLE
BALTIMORE (AP)—Happy is the word for George J. Diering III, 15. He was chosen as the batboy for the Orioles, Baltimore's new team in the American League, after a contest in which 250 boys were entered.

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