



CAPTAIN RETURNS—Charley Leissner, Aggie varsity baseball captain, returns to his position today against the Longhorns. Leissner has been benched for nearly two months with a back injury suffered in practice. He will start at second base.

Cadets Set For Texas At Austin

Charley Leissner, Aggie baseball captain, will start against Texas at second base today in Austin for the first time since he hurt his back late in March.

Leissner has been taking special treatments since then and they seem to have put him back in shape.

Right after the accident, there was doubt if he would play again this season. He got a vertebra separation in practice when he twisted to field a ball and attempted a double play.

Jerry Nelson will take the mound for the Aggies this afternoon against the Longhorns number one hurler, Boyd Linker.

Linker was responsible for the pitching which kept the Aggies from winning their first game against Texas here on April 13 in Kyle field.

The Aggies have a 5-5 record in conference play going into this two-game series with Texas. The Longhorns need only to win these two contests from A&M to sew up the 1954 Southwest conference title.

In Friday's game, big Southpaw Joe Hardgrove will hurl for the Aggies.

Following is a lineup of players in today's game by position:

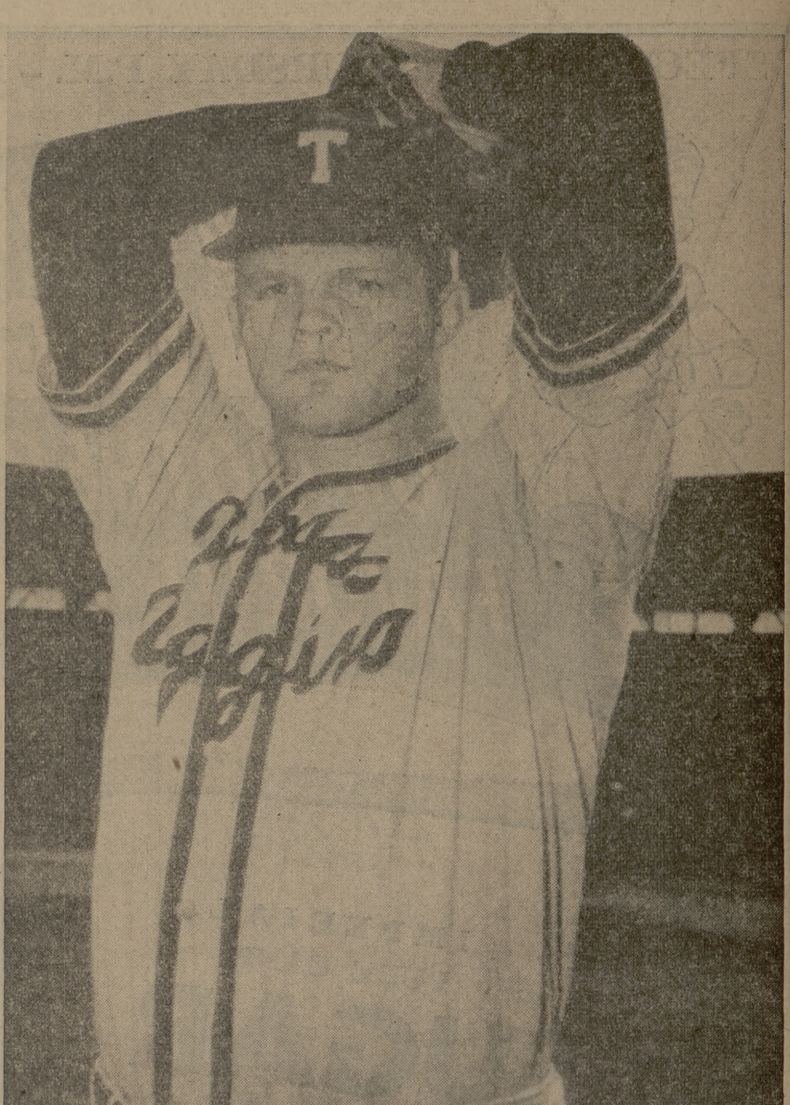
Pitcher—Nelson
Catcher—Williams
First Base—Byrd
Second Base—Leissner
Third Base—Schero
Shortstop—Dishman
Left field—Ellis
Center field—Abton
Right field—Stockton

The Aggies next home game is Wednesday May 12 against TCU.

Track Program

Triangular Meet With A&M, Abilene Christian and North Texas State
(Clip This Schedule)

Time	Event	Entries
4:30 p.m.	Discus	A&M—Jim Cavitt, Tom Bonorden, Bobby Gross; NT—Jerry Polen; ACC—Larry Faulkner.
7:30 p.m.	Javelin	A&M—George Knipple, Joe Wilson, Fred Wilson; Fred Hartman, Tom Dollahite; NT—None; ACC—Ted Sitton, Tommy Morris, Von Morgan.
High Jump	A&M—W. J. Post, John Melhenny, Marvin Swink; NT—Kenneth Kelly, Elmer Beard; ACC—Les Vanover.	
Pole Vault	A&M—Ed Reeder, James Earle, Billy Tutor; NT—Jerry Polen; ACC—Larry Faulkner.	
8:00 p.m.	Shot Put	A&M—Bobby Gross, Tom Bonorden, Harry Cox; NT—Gene Branscome, John Cavaglieri; ACC—Poul Goad.
Broad Jump	A&M—Don Watson, James Stansel, Bobby Robinson; NT—Kenneth Kelly, Howard Fitzhugh, Sam Pugh; ACC—Jerry Trenary.	
440 yd. Relay	A&M—Harley Hartung, Sidney Goyer, Gerald Stull, Frank Norris or Don Watson; NT—Dean Renfro, Paul Patterson, Boyd Dollar, Gene Branscome; ACC—Leonous Fry, Von Morgan, Don Conder, George Adrian.	
8:05 p.m.	100 yd. Dash	A&M—Jim Blaine, Dale DeRouen, Bill Boles; NT—Dale Imel, Victor Rodriguez; ACC—None.
8:15 p.m.	440 yd. Dash	A&M—Wallace Kleb, Carol Libby, Terry Veters; NT—W. L. Clancy; ACC—George Adrian, Paul Johnson.
8:25 p.m.	100 yd. Dash	A&M—Sidney Goyer, Don Watson, Don Tedder; NT—Boyd Dollar, Dean Renfro; ACC—Leonous Fry, Von Morgan, Don Conder.
8:35 p.m.	120 yd. High Hurdles	A&M—Tom Dollahite, Harley Hartung, Glenn Blake, Jim Hollingsworth; NT—Kenneth Kelly, Robert Wheeler; ACC—Charles Smith, Weldon Hayes.
8:45 p.m.	880 yd. Run	A&M—Wallace Kleb or Terry Veters; NT—Paul Patterson, Walter Abbey; ACC—Leon Lepard, Tom Bell, Mel Wolf.
8:55 p.m.	220 yd. Dash	A&M—Frank Norris, Gerald Stull, Don Tedder, Sidney Goyer; NT—Boyd Dollar, Dean Renfro; ACC—Leonous Fry, Don Conder.
9:05 p.m.	Two Mile Run	A&M—Verlon Westmoreland, Billy Boles; NT—None; ACC—None.
9:20 p.m.	220 Low Hurdles	A&M—Harley Hartung, Ken Fry; NT—Kenneth Kelly, Robert Wheeler; ACC—Burl McCoy, Mack Clark, Jacky Stockton.
9:30 p.m.	1 Mile Relay	A&M—Gerald Stull, Frank Norris, Carol Libby, Wallace Kleb; NT—Not listed; ACC—Don Conder, Paul Johnson, Leon Lepard, George Adrian.



STARTS TODAY—Jerry Nelson, right handed speedballer, will start for the Aggies this afternoon against the Longhorns' ace, Boyd Linker. Linker beat Nelson earlier this season on Kyle field.

General Tells Group Games Are Moral Aid

WASHINGTON, May 6—(AP)—The Army threw its backing behind its widespread sports program today in the face of argument by a House committee that the Army has been "coddling" big name athletes.

Big time baseball, basketball and football games between Army posts are "morale builders, even for the spectators," Brig. Gen. Herbert P. Powell told a House Armed Services subcommittee.

But Powell and some of the committee members seemed to be in disagreement over what "preferential treatment" amounts to.

Chairman Hess (R-Ohio) said "It appears the Army has pleaded guilty" to reports that special favors had been given name athletes called into the Army.

Powell told the House members Army regulations specifically forbid preferential treatment.

He conceded it is "possible that the policy may have been violated" in some cases and that post commanders who give preferential treatment to athletes will face "appropriate action."

This could amount to anything

"Shoulder Hurts" Ted Williams Plays Catch To Warm Up

BOSTON, May 5—(AP)—Ted Williams playing catcher, a baseball announcer pitching his high fast one and a discussion about pro basketball's George Mikan—it was all part of the scene yesterday when the game between the Boston Red Sox and Detroit Tigers was rained out.

Warm Up

Williams warmed up by catching his old nemesis Paul (Dizzy) Trout, former Detroit ace and now a sportscaster, at rain-soaked Fenway park while most of the players talked shop in the dressing rooms.

Boston's slugging outfielder, looking forward to pinch hitting in the near future, wanted to limber up despite the light rain and found a pair of takers in Trout and teammate Billy Goodman. Williams' broken collarbone is about healed and he won't let a day go by without exercising it.

Shoulder Hurts

"The shoulder still hurts," said Williams, obviously miffed at the weather which has kept the Sox idle since Saturday. "They told me yesterday it was up to me when I can play. How can I tell when that'll be? I do know some warm weather would help."

Manager Lou Boudreau indicated he would talk to Ted this weekend about making the western road trip which starts Monday.

"I'll wait to see how he is then," the Boston pilot added.

Aggie Catcher Williams Is Top Varsity Slugger

By ERIC MILLER
Battalion Staff Writer

Jimmy Williams, catcher for the varsity baseball squad, is the top hitter on the team this season.

First string catcher last season, Jim resumed his post this year. He is a junior personnel administration major from San Antonio.

Last summer, Jimmy played semi-pro ball for the Refugio Veterans, coached by Aggie mentor Beau Bell. Jim played his first semi-pro ball the summer of 1952 with the Columbus Redbirds. He plans to play with Refugio again this summer.

Jim's most exciting moment in baseball came last summer when he hit a home run against the Sinton Oilers in the state semi-pro finals.

Although presently living in San Antonio, Jim attended high school at Ball high in Galveston where he lettered three years in baseball.

His batting has proven especially welcome to the Aggie diamond squad this season in which they have displayed a noticeable lack of power at the plate.

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Wednesday's Results

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	Bhd.
Chicago	13	7	.650	—
Detroit	9	5	.643	1
Cleveland	10	7	.588	1 1/2
Philadelphia	9	8	.529	2 1/2
New York	8	9	.471	3 1/2
Washington	7	10	.412	4 1/2
Baltimore	6	10	.383	5 1/2
Boston	4	9	.308	5 1/2

Washington 1, Chicago 0
Detroit at Boston, pld.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Wednesday's Results

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.	Bhd.
Philadelphia	11	6	.647	—
Brooklyn	10	7	.588	1
Cincinnati	11	8	.579	1
St. Louis	10	9	.526	2
New York	9	10	.474	3
Milwaukee	7	9	.438	3 1/2
Chicago	6	8	.429	3 1/2

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Cincinnati 7, New York 1
Brooklyn 7, Chicago 0

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CHS Sends Eight To State Finals

Eight A&M Consolidated athletes, seven boys and a girl, go to Austin today to compete in the state finals in track and tennis.

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The four CHS tennis players are Roland Beasley, Bobby Jackson, Fred Anderson and Betsy Burchard.

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