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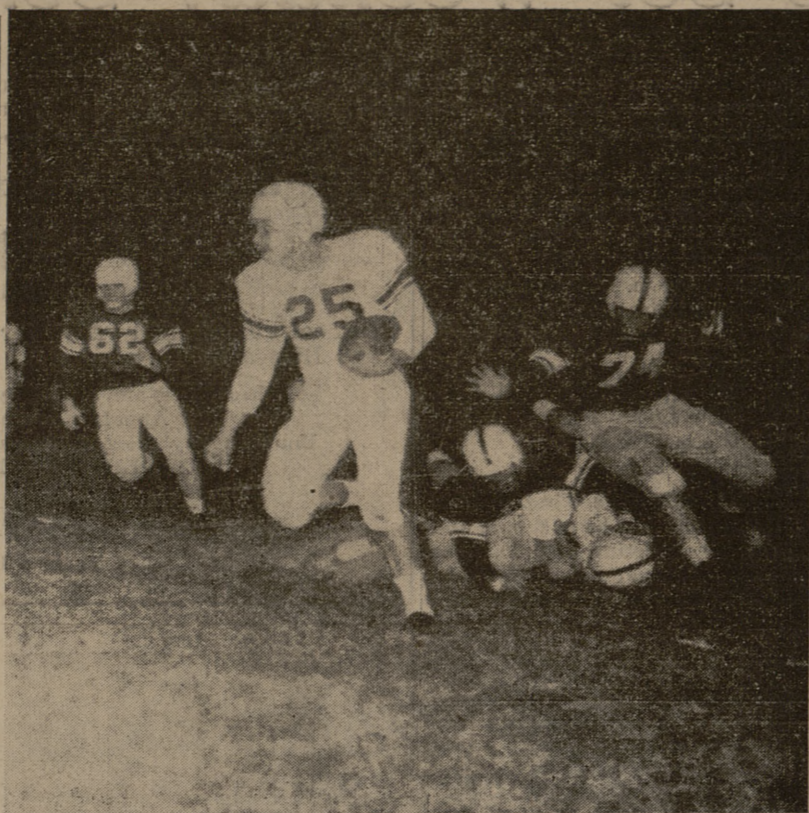
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Battalion Sports Editor

The poise of a freshmen-laden team that nearly won the game on the last play — lack of scoring punch inside the 30-yard lines and absence of a potent passing game—those are the major good and bad points shown in Saturday night's 7-7 tie between the veteran Maroon and the inexperienced White eleven.

Yesterday, after studying the game movies, the Aggie coaching staff was impressed with the way the freshmen came from behind in the final minutes. The staff liked the way both elevens moved the ball but thought both teams were

ON THE MOVE — White halfback Ed Dudley is on his way for a 12 yard gain in Saturday night's intrasquad game after taking a pitchout from quarterback Bobby Conrad. John Crow has taken out center Herb Wolf and tackle Bobby Lockett (74) with a beautiful block. Guard Dennis Goehring (62) is chasing Dudley.

starting slow after the snap, neither lines showed explosive speed and downfield blocking was poor.

These players received praise for their showings — guard Dennis Goehring, a junior next fall; Don Fatson, a senior; White fullback Rodney Osborne, another '54 freshman; and Ed Dudley, whose blocking was cited as outstanding.

Both teams squandered several scoring chances.

Bobby Conrad, who alternated with Jimmy Wright at quarterback most of the game, scored for the Whites on a keeper with 35 seconds left, and halfback Ed Dudley kicked the extra point to tie the score.

Conrad had guided a 10-play, 65-yard march for the "Bottle Babies" after Elwood Kettler, engaged in a brisk battle with the two soph-tops to keep his starting man-under spot, had scored for the "Li'l Ole Men" with three minutes left from a foot out.

Kettler, leading yardage-gainer in the Southwest conference last fall, led the Maroons, who had 10 of the 12 returning lettermen, 72 yards in 12 plays.

Kettler passed 18 yards to end

Bobby Drake Keith on the drive's second play. Then halfback Don Watson, leading runner for the Maroons, took a Kettler pitchout outside right tackle, cut back toward the middle and sprinted 38 yards to the 15.

Watson got a first on the five by inches, Pardee got one, then Kettler carried three straight times, scoring on fourth down. He also kicked the extra point.

Fullback Ken Hall, another 1954 Fish standout, returned the kickoff 18 yards to the White 35. Conrad and halfback John Crow, a bruising runner Saturday night, combined on a 19-yard keeper and

lateral play. Then Conrad carried on seven of the next eight plays, including the last six, and drove over right guard Paul Lillard for the score from about two feet away. Maroon quarterback Donald Grant tried a desperation pass and center Lloyd Hale intercepted, returning it 17 yards to the 22 to give the Whites a final chance. A pass by Crow was incomplete, then Dudley's field goal try from the 28 fell short.

The Whites took the opening kickoff and drove to the Maroon 29 but on the next play Crow fumbled and Jack Pardee recovered (See FOOTBALL, page 4)

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Munday Starts Today

A&M Plays 'Kats After 7-0 Victory

Sophomore righthander Dick Munday takes the mound for A&M this afternoon in Huntsville for the Aggies' second meeting with Sam Houston State. Lefty Joe Hardgrove spun a masterful four-hitter against the University of Houston here Saturday to propel the Cadets to a 7-0 decision, their first of the season.

Except for Munday, Coach Beau Bell is due to start the same team that opened the Cougar game—Jimmy Williams, catcher, John Hoyle, first base, Joe Boring, second, Joe Schero, third, Dick Bleckner, shortstop, Billy Ross, right field, John Stockton, center field, and George Stinson, left field.

Captain Les Byrd, who missed the first two games because of injuries, may replace Stinson.

Sam Houston defeated the Aggies 9-3 here last Wednesday in A&M's opener.

As a freshman, Munday won five and lost one. He had a 1.4 earned run average, giving up only 11 earned runs and 47 hits in 66 1/3 innings.

Saturday, Hardgrove struck out 13—seven in the first four frames—walked four, didn't give up a hit after the fourth. In the last five innings, only two Cougars reached first as Hardgrove retired 13 in a row.

Four of the Aggie runs were unearned, as the Cadets got only two hits out of the infield—both in the eighth—and three in the first six innings.

The Cadets scored one in the third on Hardgrove's infield hit, two walks, a wild pitch and an error. They got three in the sixth on three infield hits, a walk, a hit batter and two errors to sew it up.

Aggie-Houston Box

HOUSTON (6)	AB	R	H	O	A
Arnold, lf	3	2	0	0	0
Price, ss	2	0	1	1	2
Tucker, 2b	4	0	1	1	1
Dean, cf	4	0	1	0	0
Osburn, 3b	3	1	1	1	1
Temple, c	3	0	4	1	1
Rankin, c	0	0	0	0	0
Vickers, 2b	3	1	4	2	1
Jordan, 1b	1	0	4	2	0
Langford, rf	3	0	2	0	0
Zeller, p	2	0	0	1	1
Stinson, lf	3	0	0	1	0
Ledbetter, p	0	0	0	1	1
TOTALS	28	4	24	12	12
A&M (7)	AB	R	H	O	A
Bleckner, ss	2	0	0	4	4
Schero, 3b	4	0	0	1	1
Ross, rf	2	0	1	0	0
Stockton, cf	4	2	1	0	0
Stinson, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Gunnells, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Hoyle, 1b	3	0	0	0	0
Williams, c	3	0	13	0	0
Boring, 2b	4	2	3	1	0
Hardgrove, p	3	1	0	6	6
TOTALS	28	5	27	12	12

Varsity Tankmen Spank Fish 50-34

A&M's varsity tankmen handed the Fish a 50-34, spanking Saturday despite the efforts of fast moving Tetsuo Okamoto.

Okamoto, freshman from Brazil, provided the big splash of the afternoon by copping three events. He won the 200-yard individual medley, setting a new pool record of 2:15, the 200-yard breaststroke in 2:44.1, and the 200-yard free style in 2:08.8.

The varsity proved too strong in the relays and splashed to victories in the 300-yard medley and the 400-yard relay.

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Six Ag Trackmen Meet Best in U.S.

Six of A&M's top tracksters compete later this month in Mexico City.

Coach Frank Anderson takes with him Herman Johnson and Tom Bonorden, shot putters; James Hollingsworth, high hurdler; Fritzie Connally, high jumper; Winton Thomas, vaulter; and Billy Cocke, two-miler.

The Pan American team sports such outstanding cinder men as Parry O'Brien, world's champion shot putter; Wes Santee, America's fastest miler, and Willie Williams, NCAA champion sprinter.

Bobby Gross, Southwest conference shot put and discus champion, will not compete in the meet due to a mystery knee ailment tentatively diagnosed as a bruised cartilage.

The Aggies placed second to Texas in a triangular meet in Austin last Saturday, collecting 49 2/3 points to the Longhorns' 85 1/3. U of H got 24.

A&M dominated the weights, winning all four places in the shot and first three in the discus. Johnson won the shot with a heave of 52.1 2/4 and the discus with 153-8. Hollingsworth took the 120-yard high hurdles in 14.7, Cocke won the two-mile in 9:56, Connally leaped 6-4 to grab first in the high jump, and Thomas vaulted 13.0 to win the pole vault.



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