

Three Aggies Sign Contracts

A&M's sparkling Southwest Conference championship battery has signed professional contracts with three rival National League teams. Jerry Nelson, 21-year-old right-hander from Beaumont, signed with the Milwaukee Braves for \$4,000, and has been assigned to Toledo of the Triple A American Association. The \$4,000 is the limit he could receive without making him a bonus player. Nelson joined the team last Friday.

Also receiving a \$4,000 inducement was lefthander Joe Hardgrove, the ace moundsman of the Aggies this year. Hardgrove signed his contract with the New York Giants, and was assigned to Wilkes-Barre in the Class A Eastern league. He joined the team this week.

The hardworking catcher of the Aggies, Jimmy Williams, 20-year-

old product of San Antonio, signed a contract with the Saint Louis Cardinals, reportedly for a small bonus. Williams, who never missed an inning in two and a half years of college ball, is assigned to Allentown in the same league as Hardgrove.

Nelson had 10 major league scouts bidding for his services, and chose Milwaukee as the team he "personally thought would help him most."

Hardgrove picked the Giants over similar offers from three other major league teams. One reason he gave for picking the Giants

Warren Leaves A&M for API

Dr. W. M. Warren of the animal husbandry department has been named to head all beef cattle work at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, according to Dr. J. C. Miller, head of the animal husbandry department.

Warren has coached judging teams, has been in charge of working with horses, and has coordinated freshman work in animal husbandry while at A&M. He wrote the currently used laboratory manual for freshman work in AH.

During the school year now ending, he was named outstanding instructor in the department by the students, and is a nominee for outstanding professor in the college.

Influenza Leads

Influenza was the leading disease in the College Station-Bryan area for the week ending June 4, with 10 cases reported to the county health unit. Measles and strept throat followed with seven cases each reported.

was the prospect of improving his screwball under the tutelage of Giant Farm Director Carl Hubbell, the former major league pitching star.

Williams has been described by

Lincoln's Program For Summer Opens

The summer recreation program at Lincoln School will get under way at 8:30 a.m. tomorrow with a visit by the bookmobile and a story hour. Following the story hour, children will register for the various activities.

The bookmobile will visit the school on alternate Fridays throughout the summer. The story hour will be held each Friday and will be conducted by Mrs. Olga Cech or a member of the Troubadour Story-Telling League.

From 9 to 11 a.m. each day Mrs. Owens, teacher of home economics at Lincoln School, will instruct a group of teen-age girls in art and home making.

Recreation and group play for younger children will also be from 9 to 11 each morning. This group will include both boys and girls.

Two softball teams will be organized and will play during the afternoon. As soon as lights are installed in the Little League park, there will be two games a week there.

On Tuesday, June 14, a movie will be shown, and on Tuesday, June 21, there will be a dance for teen-agers. The movies and dances

Sorensen Attends Florist Workshop

H. B. Sorensen of the Department of Agricultural Economics and Sociology will be in Washington, D.C., June 14-15.

He will attend the Economic Workshop on Floricultural Marketing, which is sponsored by the Society of American Florists.

Sorensen's trip is sponsored by the Texas State Florists' Association, since he is project leader from the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station on the Marketing of Texas Horticultural Specialty Crops project.

many observers as a "major league catcher, defensively." Although a light hitter, he has a very good arm, and never had a base runner steal on him during his varsity career at A&M.

will be held on alternate Tuesdays during the summer.

There will be no charge for the activities, said Mrs. Raymond Rogers, member of the Recreation Council in charge of the program.

Five Players Make District All-Star Teams

A&M placed two men on the first string NCAA District 6 All-Star collegiate baseball team, and had three players on the second team.

Picked for the first team by vote of district committeemen were Joe Schero, third baseman, and Jimmy Williams, catcher.

The rest of this team consisted of Russ Gragg, Arizona, first base; Danny Brown, Southern Methodist, second base; Wayne Connally, Baylor, shortstop; Les Mattinson, Texas Christian, left field; Jerry Mallett, Baylor, center field; Tommy Snow, Texas, right field; Don Lee, Arizona; and Tommy Bowers, SMU, pitchers.

A&M men making the second team were John Stockton, center field; Fred Ablon, right field; and Joe Hardgrove, pitcher.

Other second team members were Jim Payne, SMU, first base; Tom Anderson, Baylor, second base; Jerry Dykeman, Baylor, third base; Bobby Stegemeier, Rice, shortstop; Norman Cash, Sull Ross State College, left field; Babe Navarro, Rice, catcher; and Benny Rincon, Arizona, pitcher, along with Hardgrove.

Figures Released On A&M Visitation

A total of 56,434 persons were on the A&M campus from June 1, 1954, to June 1, 1955. The visitors represented those attending short courses and conferences and general visitors.

A grand total of 346,608 such visitors were on the campus for the six-year period from June 1, 1949, to June 1, 1955.

Stonewall Jackson Has Admirer

RICHMOND, Va.—(AP)—A phone call caught Mayor Thomas Bryan munching a late bedtime snack. "Claggett, Ontario, calling Mayor Bryan," said the long distance operator.

"This the governor of Virginia?" the caller asked. "No? Oh, the mayor of Richmond. You'll do just fine . . . I've just been reading about a man you have down there—Stonewall Jackson. I certainly admire the way he marched his men and fought . . . You're doing a good job down there."

Bryan never did find the identity of his Canadian caller. He agreed, though, that Stonewall Jackson was a fine Confederate general 90 years ago.

MSC Alleys

Summer Bowling Planned

Several summer bowling leagues are being organized under ABC and WIBC sanction at the Memorial Student Center bowling lanes. Anyone interested in participating in these leagues may call acting ABC Secretary Capt. Walter Heritage at 6-2311 or WIBC Secretary Lou McDonald at 2-3115.

The College Station-Bryan Association of the American Bowling Congress, which organized in September of 1954, is an association for men who are interested in furthering the interest of bowling. The Association started with 40 members, composing one eight-team league. The Association hopes to have two leagues and possibly two mixed doubles leagues sanctioned for the 1955-56 year.

Officers of the Association serve from August 1 to July 31 each bowling season. Marvin H. Butler of the A&M Economics Department was the first president of the local group. Officers for the 1955-56 year are Walter G. Mead, president; Walter M. Heritage, vice-president; and John Redden, secretary-treasurer.

The Association had two teams in 1954 and three in 1955 participating in the ABC state tournament. The Park Cleaners team of College Station finished 14th in the Class B team event, and the Otta-

Dusting Co. team composed of students also finished high in class C team event in the 1955 state tournament at Houston.

Women's Association
The Bryan-College Station Association of the Women's International Bowling Congress organized in September of 1954. The first year, which ends in July, the association had three leagues sanctioned with 16 teams participating and a membership of 60.

Officers for the women this year are Mary Ann Karnes, president; Margie Thompson, vice-president; Lou McDonald, secretary-treasurer; and Alberta Gruber, sergeant-at-arms. Mrs. Dorothy Moore, who served as the first president of the local group, was instrumental in its original organization.

The Bryan Air Force Base Officers Wives League, which was sanctioned for 1954-55, sent one team to the state WIBC tournament in Dallas this spring.

Both ABC and WIBC associations are interested in encouraging additional members to participate in their leagues.

Junior Bowling
Free bowling instructions will be offered to junior bowlers this summer on Wednesday afternoons between 1:30 and 5, beginning next week. This free instruction offer-

ed by John M. Geiger, certified bowling instructor, will be given on the MSC alleys. Junior bowlers, ages 7 to 17, who are interested in learning to bowl or to improve their game, can call 4-5124, extension 110, for additional information, or can go by the bowling lanes and sign up for the free classes.

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L. P. (Larry) Cobble, W.M.
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