

Homeruns Power Aggs Past Bulldog Nine 11-8

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Homeruns by Dick Bleckner and Joe Boring ignited a six-run barrage in the fourth inning to push A&M past Texas Lutheran's pesky Bulldogs, 11-8, here yesterday.

Sophomore lefthander Toby Newton made the Aggies equally proficient on the mound as he hung up 14 strike out victims in six and one-third innings of pitching to take credit for the win. The victory evened up the home and home series with the Bulldogs. The Lutherans pounded out a 9-2 win over the Cadets last Saturday night at Seguin.

Team captain Boring led the Cadets at the plate with three hits in four tries and drove in four runs with two homers and a single. The Aggies left only three men on base as they blasted starter Charlie McMahon for 11 hits in recording their fourth triumph against two setbacks this season.

TEXAS LUTHERAN jumped to a one-run lead in the top of the first frame with second baseman Ken Dismukes doubling and scoring on a one-bagger by first sacker Shane LeSturgeon.

Cochman Beau Bell's Cadets quickly erased the Bulldogs' lead by scoring three times in their half of the initial inning. Right fielder Lupe Fraga led off with a single and moved to second on a free pass to John Stockton. Both runners moved up a base on a passed ball and Fraga dented the plate on Phil Newport's sacrifice fly. Boring unloaded the first of his four-pyralis, driving home Stockton in front of him.

STOCKTON'S SINGLE started things off for A&M in the third

with Texas Lutheran holding a 6-3 advantage. Newport reached first base on a wild throw at first and Stockton took third. Boring beat out an infield single that the Bulldog shortstop fielded and threw wild into centerfield allowing Stockton and Newport to score. The Cadets were still trailing by one run, 5-6.

THEN CAME the fourth inning. Bleckner started A&M's uprising with homerun over the left field wall, and from there the Aggies batted around.

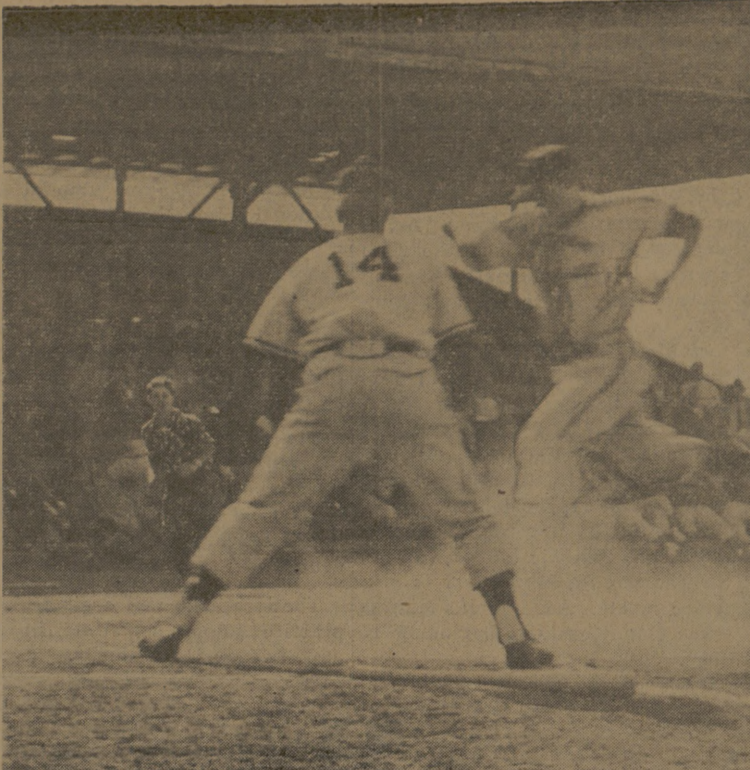
John Hoyle singled, Newton reached first on an error and Fraga walked to load the bases. Stockton's sacrifice fly scored Hoyle and the next batter, Newport, drove home two runs with double down the right field line. Boring's 355-foot homer swept the basepaths clean and drove in the Aggies' final two runs.

BOX SCORE										
TEX. LUTH. (8)	AB	R	H	O	A	E				
Woerner, cf	5	1	1	4	0	0				
Dismukes, 2b	5	1	2	1	5	1				
Graber, c	4	1	0	5	1	0				
LeSturgeon, 1b	2	1	1	9	0	1				
1. Eckert	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Hoffman, rf	1	0	2	0	0	0				
2. Borgstede	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Neumann, lf	2	1	0	1	0	0				
3. Green	1	0	1	0	0	0				
Schultz, 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0				
Marburger, ss	2	0	0	2	0	0				
Kersten, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Mauer, ss-2b	4	0	1	0	3	1				
McMahon, p	3	1	1	0	2	0				
4. Schneider	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Erkstein, p	0	0	0	0	0	0				
TOTALS	33	8	7	24	11	3				
AGGIES (11)										
AB	R	H	O	A	E					
Fraga, rf	4	2	1	0	1	0				
Stockton, cf	3	2	2	0	0	0				
Newport, lf	3	2	1	0	0	0				
Boring, ss	4	2	3	1	5	0				
Worden, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0				
Smotherman, c	3	0	9	12	2	2				
Bleckner, 2b	4	1	2	1	2	0				
Hoyle, 1b	1	1	1	8	0	0				
Baker, p	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Newton, p	3	1	1	0	0	0				
TOTALS	33	11	11	27	12	3				

1. Walked for LeSturgeon in 9th.
2. Fanned for Hoffman in 9th.
3. Reached first by fielder's choice in 9th for Neumann.
4. Walked for McMahon in 7th.

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RBI—LeSturgeon 2, Hoffman, Schultz 2, Mauer, Stockton, Newport 3, Boring 4, Bleckner, 2B—Dismukes, Newport, HR—Boring 2, Bleckner, SB—Schultz, Stockton, Smotherman, SF—Stockton, Newport, DP—Dismukes and LeSturgeon, PB—Smotherman 2, Graber, Wild Pitch—Newton, LOB—Texas Lutheran 8, A&M 3.



FIFTH RUN—Butch Newport, left-fielder for the Aggies, races across home plate with the Aggies fifth run in yesterday's game with Texas Lutheran College. The action was in the third inning of the game, which the Aggies took 11-8.

Dorm 16 Softballers Rap Mitchell Hall 9-6

By JOE DAN BOYD

Keith Presswood and Robert Bean paced Dormitory 16 in a 9-6 Civilian softball win over Mitchell Hall yesterday. Stephen Love paced the Mitchell sluggers and was outstanding in the field.

Walton Hall edged Puryear, 3-2, in another softball game. William Belford starred for the victors and James Struthwolf looked good for Puryear.

C-Field Artillery broke through a 14-14 tie in the sixth inning of the Corps upperclassman softball feature, winning 15-14. Tom Beard and Billy Carter were stalwarts in the C-FA lineup. Randy West and Dick Howard played fine ball for A-FA.

In freshman softball A-Field Artillery downed C-Field, 17-14, with Jack Harzke and Robert Powers providing the winning power. John Sackett, Ben Woolverton, and R. G. Watkins led D-Infantry over A-Signal, 2-0, in freshman volleyball. Leland Albert, Ed Brookshire, and Jack Bryant played for A-Signal. The White Band defeated Sqd. 1 in another volleyball tussle, 2-1. Joe Minor, Buddy Hipp, and David Eller contributed to the band win.

A-Armor defeated A-Chemical 2-1 in another Class B volleyball match with Herb Whalen, Stan Hausman, and Denne Freeman the

most outstanding players. John Smith, Jerry Bower, and Jack Cleveland played fine ball for the Armor lineup also. Jim Caston and C. H. Murphy looked good in the A-Chemical team.

Other volleyball games saw Sqd. 2 down A-Infantry, 2-0, Sqd. 17 defeat B-AAA, 2-0, C-Infantry crush C-AAA, 2-0, B-Infantry edge A-AAA, 2-1, and B-Composite nose Maroon Band, 2-1.

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A&M's tennis team finished strong with a pair of blustery doubles victories to pull into a 3-3 tie with the Hardin-Simmons Cowboys here yesterday.

Rex Reed and Bill Ashburn outlasted the West Texas school's Bill Herring and Donnie Campbell, 6-8, 6-3, 6-1, while John Medlin and

John Young were taking Jerry Goad and Benny Kniffen in straight sets, 6-4, 6-2, to hold on to the tie in the wind-swept dual match.

Don Dixon, Baytown junior, bested the Cowboys' Kniffen in a long three sets, 6-1, 3-6, 10-8, for the Aggies' only singles win.

Sport Shorts

By The Associated Press

DALLAS — Texas will make three television appearances in football this year while Texas A&M, Arkansas and TCU each get two.

CLEVELAND— Babe Parilli, the quarterback the Cleveland Browns hope can fill the shoes of retired Otto Graham, signed his 1956 contract with the pro football team yesterday. Parilli was discharged from the Air Force last week. He is a former Kentucky and Green Bay Packer star.

NEW YORK — Wes Santee, America's No. 1 miler, was shelved again yesterday. Justice Walter A. Lynch of the New York State Supreme Court refused to continue a temporary injunction Santee had obtained against the Amateur Athletic Union which banned the AAU from enforcing its lifetime suspension on him.

ALPINE, Tex. — Buddy Watts struck out 14 and walked one as Sul Ross took the second of a two game baseball series with Baylor, 13-4 yesterday. Sul Ross won Monday, 13-1.

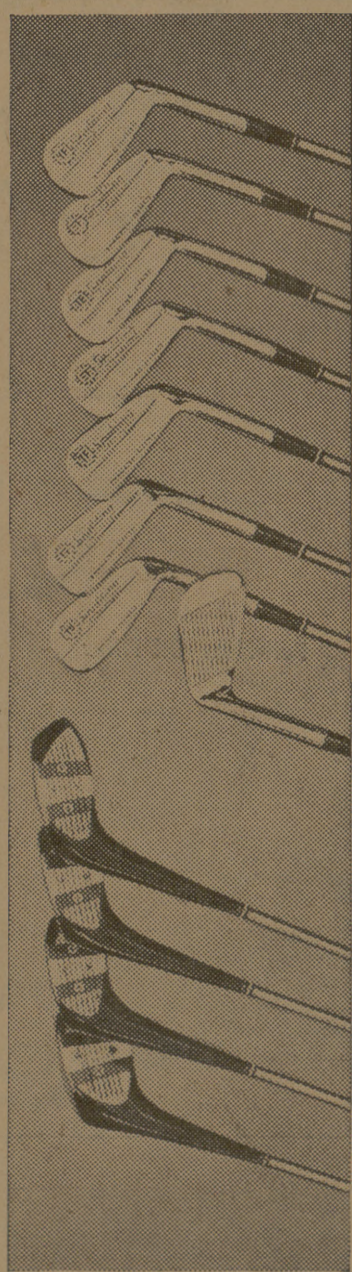
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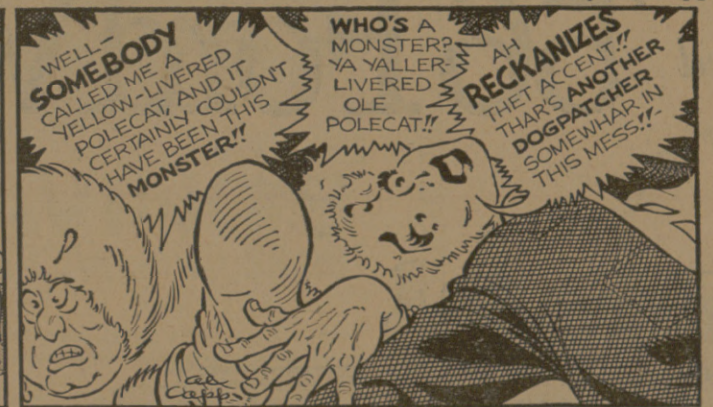
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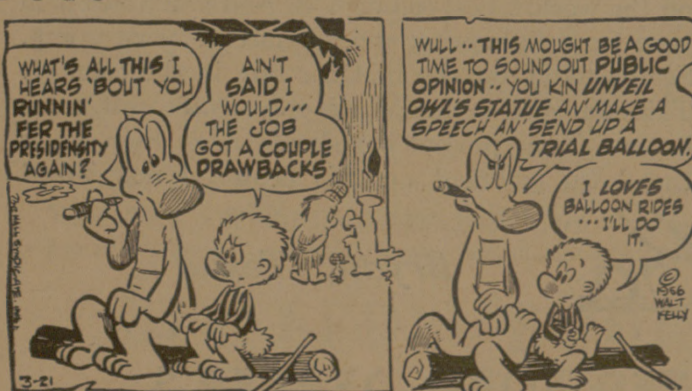
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