

Aggie Field Men Meet Best In Southwest Saturday Nite

Six A&M tracksters meet Southwest's best in the Southern United States Track and Field Championships at Houston, Saturday night. Although the Aggies can not compete as a team representing A&M, Bobby Gross, Tom Bonorden, Oran Helvey, Winton Thomas, James Clark and Fritzie Connally will enter unattached. With not a runner in the bunch the Aggies hope to sweep some points in the field events. Gross, who was a double winner in the Southwest Conference meet last Saturday in Fayetteville with victories in the shot put and discus will be the favorite to cop the disc, his specialty.

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Squadrons 15, 18 Win 'Mural Titles

By JOE BOYD
Battalion Sports Staff

John Crow, Lloyd Taylor, Robert Marks, and Bobby Conrad ran the 880 relay yesterday in a record time of 1:33.0 for B-Athletics in upperclassman intramural prelims. The speedy B-Athletics tracksters smashed the six-year old mark of 1:34.4 set in 1950 by Hart Hall.

Squadron 15 defeated Squadron 14 2-1 last night romping to an upperclassman volleyball championship. Gerald Scucchi, Jack Wilkins, Arvill Newby, Thomas Todd, Jack Brown, and Jesse Jefferies composed the winning lineup.

In the runner-up roster Ed Mikulka and Bobby Bowen saw plenty of action. Jerry Gleason, Ronnie Briggs, Marcus Crow, and Roy Powell completed the list.

Squadron 18 blasted into the freshman rifle limelight annexing the Corps championship with 592 points. Clifford Lane fired high for the day scoring 134 of a possible 150 points. Lane's best shooting was in the prone position with 47 points. He amassed 45 kneeling and 42 standing.

Henry Koster was credited with 120 points for the champions and Robert Lyon's 117 was good for third on the winning card. Robert Royal and Richard Myers fired 115 and 106 to complete action for the Sqd. 18 team.

D-Infantry was the second place team with 582 points. Bob Watkins and Bobby Wilkins paced the infantrymen with 130 each. Jack Sackett fired 112 for third place honors and teammate Ben Woolverton chalked up 106. Rene Vela fired 104 for the second-place team.

B-Infantry's 557 points were enough to hold down the third place notch and B-Engineers compiled 540 for fourth place. Fifth place honors went to Squadron 20 with a score of 530.



UP AND OVER—No, it's not Buddy Davis, but A&M's own Jack Pardee clearing the bar in the Intramural high jump.

Boring Ends Career As Ag Batting Champ

Joe Boring, the Aggie baseball team's answer to Ted Williams, wound up his college career as A&M's top hitter with a fine .341 average and led the Southwest Conference in homeruns with eight. club's strikeout artist with 76 whiffs in 64 and two-thirds innings.

Boring, this year's team captain and the Cadet's best bet for all-conference honors, Tuesday signed a contract with the New York Giants and will report to the Giant's Muskogee, Okla. farm club May 26. The Aggie shortstop also paced the club in hitting against SWC pitching with a .327 effort.

Elo Zatopek, senior pitcher and first baseman, was second in stick work in SWC games with a .316 average, while outfielder Phil Newport ranked next with .290.

John Stockton, who also signed a contract with the New York Giants, was second behind Boring in runs batted in this season with 15. Boring knocked home 20.

Juniors Paul Lang and Doug Mullins finished the season with the best pitching records, gaining 2-2 and 1-1 records respectively. Sophomore Toby Newton was the

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By The Associated Press
LOS ANGELES — Sugar Ray Robinson of New York remains the general favorite to knock out Carl Bobo Olson of San Francisco and hang on to his world middleweight championship tonight.

WACO—Wayne Connally, a .333 hitter for the second-place Baylor Bears this spring and an all-Southwest Conference shortstop for the two seasons, Thursday signed a professional baseball contract with the Chicago Cubs.

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Alabama basketball ace George Linn Thursday said he signed a contract with Phillips 66, winner of the U. S. Olympic basketball trials.

PITTSBURGH—Outfielder Bill Virdon — the 1955 National League Rookie of the Year Thursday was grabbed up by the Pittsburgh Pirates in a two-for-one player swap with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Barbecue Planned For A&M Athletes

The annual spring sports barbecue honoring Texas Aggie athletes will be held Tuesday, May 22 at 6:30 p.m. in Kyle Field Stadium. Ray Putnam, cross country coach, will be master of ceremonies for the affair at which time members of the Aggie basketball, swimming, baseball, track, golf, tennis, fencing, pistol and rifle teams will be feted.

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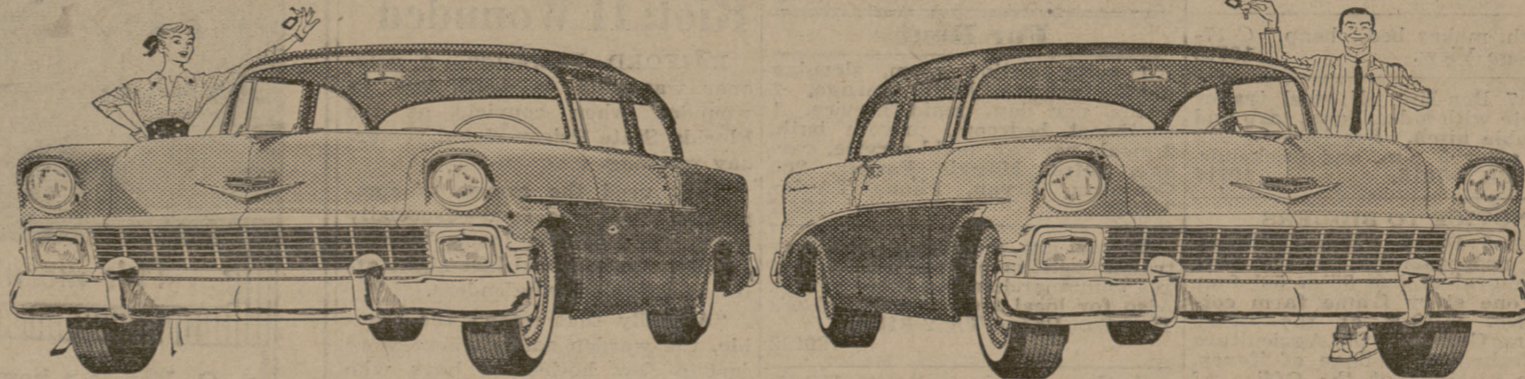
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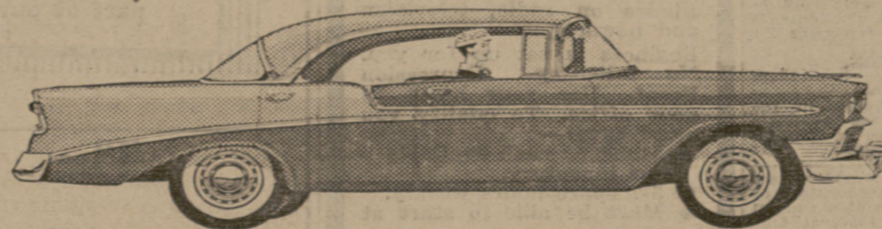
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