

Gridders Work Only Two Days Last Week

Bad weather has curtailed spring football practice at Aggieland with the Aggies getting in only two days of workouts last week.

Due to the sleet and cold a scheduled scrimmage game was postponed until later this week, Coach Jim Myers announced.

Highlight of the training after seven workouts in two weeks is the showing of Sophomore Fullback LeeRoy Caffey of Thorndale. The big, rangy back has been running on the first unit because of his fine showing. Also Bob Phillips, Corpus Christi letterman, has been showing up well in practice.

Caffey was one of three sophomores-to-be working with the first team over the weekend. Others were Guard James Phillips of Freeport and Tackle John Stradinger of Houston Bellaire.

Other first-year men breaking into the top three teams thus far include Mike Davis of Weather-

ford and Bobby Huntington of Plainview, ends; James Walton of Dumas, George Hogan of Longview and Ben Krenek of El Campo, tackles; Keith Huggins of Houston, Walter LaGrone of Carthage and Jim Harper of Borger, guards; Jerry Hopkins of Mart, center and Backs Ronnie Brice of Andrews, Sam Byer of Marlin,

No. 2 Ag Bowlers Downs Rice Owls

The A&M second string bowling team bowled a total series of 4,519 points at Houston's Lamar Lanes to defeat Rice Institute's team, Saturday, Feb. 27, according to John Pocina, chairman of the MSC Bowling Committee.

Individual high game series was rolled by Jerry Reynolds, who scored 998 points. A&M's highest individual game of 233 points was bowled by Parks Mahaney.

Ronnie Ledbetter of Dalhart, Calvin Janner of Brenham and Mike Roquemore of Carthage.

Top four quarterbacks to date are Powell Berry of Snyder, two-year letterman; Brice; Babe Craig of Knoxville, Tenn. and Darlye Keeling, Tyler squadman.

Myers has been impressed with the passing improvement of his signal-callers but said "their ball-handling needs much more work."

The Aggies are slated to end the spring work with a final Maroon-White intrasquad game the night of March 12.

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SPORTS

Old Pros Comment On Future Success

By MIKE RATHET
Associated Press Sports Writer
Ted Williams and Stan Musial, venerable members of baseball's Old Guard, view their chances of making successful comebacks with strikingly different attitudes.

Williams, 41-year-old Boston Red Sox slugger, is pessimistic about the future.

Musial, 39, a mainstay with the St. Louis Cardinals, is extremely optimistic.

Williams, whose aching neck is bidding for a spot alongside Babe Ruth's upset stomach on the list

of baseball's aggravating ailments, reported to spring training Tuesday and predicted his career may be at an end.

"There is considerable doubt that I can play," said the six-time American League batting champion.

The neck ailment, suffered in spring training in 1959 when Williams pinched a nerve, handicapped the big slugger last season and his batting average dwindled to .254.

The Red Sox already have lost hard-hitting Jackie Jensen, the league's most valuable player in 1958. He quit baseball to devote more time to his family.

But the story was quite different in the Cardinal camp where Musial showed up in tip-top condition after winter exercises that trimmed an inch from his waistline.

Stan The Man, who slipped to .255 during the 1959 campaign, had these encouraging words for Manager Solly Hemus.

"I feel better, stronger and believe I can get around on the ball better."

With the tempo picking up at the various training camps, the list of holdouts continued to dwindle.

The New York Yankees, with Mickey Mantle their biggest headache, cut the number of dissatisfied players to five by signing outfielders Roger Maris and Hector Lopez and first baseman Kent Hadley.

The Detroit Tigers lured pitcher Frank Lary, 17-10 last season, into the fold with a contract calling for a reported \$26,000.

Baltimore signed outfielder Albie Pearson, Washington received a contract from rookie second baseman John Schaive and the Chicago White Sox reported pitchers Turk Lown and Stover McIlwain in the fold.



Aggie Sharpshooters
The A&M Smallbore Rifle Team competed in the Fourth U. S. Army ROTC Smallbore Tournament held at Fort Hood last Saturday. Members of the team were, sitting, Sgt. Phillip Retherford, team coach; A. B. Brothers, Larry L. Reeves, Robert A. Wither and James H. Elder. Standing are E. P. Lewis, J. M. Wilkerson, R. D. Whittington, Jim W. Hillin and F. H. Laudermilk.

Sports Calendar

This is a new wrinkle in the Battalion sports page to give everyone a chance to know what will be on tab in Aggie athletics for a few days in advance.

After March 12 the schedule will be published on Friday to give the outlook on the next week's events.

Thursday, March 3—Fish and Varsity basketball vs Baylor at Waco.

Friday, March 4—Golf at Border Olympics.

Saturday, March 5—Golf and Track at Border Olympics; tennis at Trinity; baseball vs Texas Lutheran at College Station.

Tuesday, March 8—Baseball at Texas Lutheran.

Saturday, March 12—Practice baseball game with Rice at College Station; tennis at Lamar Tech; track at Shreveport Relays.

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INTRAMURALS

Weather is having its effect on intramural athletics just as it is on the varsity sports.

So far during the past several days no tennis matches have been played, but volleyball and intramural rifles have been carrying the intramural load.

Even though the range gets a little drafty at times the class B rifle leagues have managed to shoot enough matches to get down to the final rounds. The final rounds will continue through today and tomorrow.

Since volleyball has been moved inside this year and the cancellation rate is down for the matches. Yesterday in class A volleyball Sq. 2 downed Co. H-2, White Band defeated Co. E-2, Co. G-2 beat Sq.

Aggie Pistol Team Defeats Air Force In Saturday Match

The A&M Pistol Team defeated the Air Force Academy Pistol Team by a score of 1,381 points to 1,344 in a contest held here Feb. 27.

Aggie team members were S. Morgan Ragan of Ranger; James Wilson, Pasadena; Team Captain Henry Gill, College Station; Warren Copeland, Friendswood; and Cyril Adams of Houston.

Grand aggregate medals for total score in all matches was won by Wilson, with a tally of 841 points out of a possible 900.

Second place went to Ragan with 839 points, and third to Gill with 812 points. Team coach is Sgt. William H. Gard.

1. Co. A-1 topped Co. A-2 and Sq. 3 bested Sq. 14.

In class C competition Puryear stopped Bizzell, Milner halted Walton and Pan American topped Hart.

Today class A-C tennis and volleyball are on the slate, but if the cold and rain continues the tennis matches will probably be called off again today.

If the weather ever decides to let up for awhile the tennis matches will be rescheduled along with cross-country which had to be postponed twice because of the weather.

Lucky Strike's Dr. Frood is asked Why Are Today's Students More Serious, Dedicated, Industrious?

Dear Dr. Frood: In your day, college students were all rah-rah and raccoon coats. Today's student is more responsible, more dedicated, more industrious. What accounts for this big change?
Studios



Dear Stu: Today's world is more complex, more challenging. Ideologies clash. Our planet grows smaller. The cold war strikes fear into our hearts. There is a shortage of raccoons.

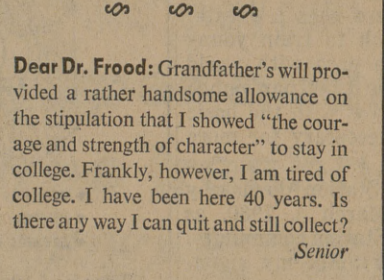
Dear Dr. Frood: I am disgusted with my classmates. All they think about is women and parties. How can I get them to talk about important things?
Serious

Dear Serious: Throw a large party. Invite plenty of women. Then, around midnight, say something important, like "We're out of beer."

Dear Dr. Frood: Modern girls go to college for four years. Then they get married and don't even know how to change diapers. What is this leading to?
Old-Fashioned

Dear Old-Fashioned: Self-sufficient babies.

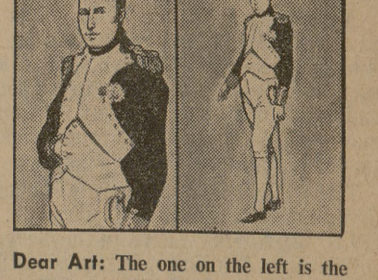
Dear Dr. Frood: Why doesn't everybody smoke Lucky Strike?
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Dear Dr. Frood: Grandfather's will provided a rather handsome allowance on the stipulation that I showed "the courage and strength of character" to stay in college. Frankly, however, I am tired of college. I have been here 40 years. Is there any way I can quit and still collect?
Senior

Dear Senior: Your question brings up a considerable number of legal problems, with interesting technical ramifications. Having given the matter much thought, I have this suggestion: enter Law School.
Practical

Dear Dr. Frood: Here are two portraits of Beethoven. One was done by an old master. The other by a student. Which is the masterpiece?
Art Lover



Dear Art: The one on the left is the master's work. The stroke is deft, clean, authoritative. Every detail is authentic Beethoven, even the gesture of keeping his composing hand warm.

Dear Dr. Frood: Has college ever really helped anyone in business?
Practical

Dear Practical: Of course. Think how college has helped the people who make pennants, footballs, fraternity pins.

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