

SPORT SLANT S

By JOE CALICOATTE

As almost everyone around the Southwest Conference knows—and many would like to forget—the Texas Longhorns have hoarded their share of championships this year.

The Longhorns started their "title-grabbing" last fall as they went through an almost perfect football season, losing only to Texas Christian in the conference and to Syracuse's Orange in a highly controversial and talked about game at the Cotton Bowl battle in Dallas.

The Steers were expected to win the conference in football and the people's eyes turned to basketball where the Longhorns were rated a little lower on the ladder than the Texas Aggies and Southern Methodist's Mustangs.

For some time it looked as if the forecasters might be right, but the Steers came through with a typical finish . . . strong, but failed to scratch against Kansas in the play-offs.

One season rolls into another and many people were sure that Del Morgan's Rice Owls would take the SWC baseball flag. For some reason—maybe it was habit—the Longhorns weren't fully convinced with the predictions and finished on top of the baseball heap.

The Longhorns find themselves in the same situation that the Aggies were in at this stage of the game last season and will probably have to meet Arizona in the playoffs.

If the steers do meet Arizona, it will be the sixth such series between the two teams. Also, it will be the ninth time since 1947, when the playoffs originated, that the Longhorns have represented District 6.

Although the Longhorns have the conference title in the bag, they are on the doorstep of posting the best regular season record since 1924. However, they must sweep both games from the Cadets this weekend.

Today marks the start of another fracas in the SWC as the teams vie in Fort Worth for the track and field championship.

The Steers are sitting in a precarious position as they enter the conference meet with Baylor breathing right down their shirt collars. The Bears have been tough in sports all year and if they could get all their wheels rolling at the same time, they could take the conference championship. A loss would break the six-year reign of the Longhorns.

All hope for the rest of the teams in the SWC hasn't been lost for their future athletic battles with "mighty" Texas.

Retracting the seasonal steps back to last fall, some of the freshmen football teams around the conference finished strong and on given days probably could have beaten the Shorthorns.

Basketball season found the Aggie Fish in the first place spot with TCU being the top contender. A&M and TCU had the only "tall boys" in the conference as the Aggies' seven-foot Lewis Qualls and the Wogs Alton Adams towered above all competitors.

In baseball the winning finger points shakely at the Fish again. The Frosh have had a winning season, only meeting defeat one time at the hands of the Shorthorns.

The favorite in freshmen track and field competition is Baylor whose team has broken their share of records this spring. The Aggie freshmen are tabbed as the best in years and should be the runner-up.

Although a review of the past shows Texas in the top spot of all four major sports, the future could brighten for the rest of the SWC teams and there is one certainty TU will have no monopoly in coming years.

Arnold Palmer Still Top Money Winner

DUNEDIN, Fla. (AP)—Arnold Palmer continues to hold top money spot on the golfing tour this season with \$49,000 earned in 15 tournaments.

Palmer, who plays out of Ligonier, Pa., garnered the prize money by winning five tournaments and finishing in the top five in 10 others, according to the weekly Professional Golfers Assn.'s standing released Thursday.

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Successful Fish Encounter TU Shorthorns Tomorrow

The Fish baseball team will go into their game on Kyle Field Saturday against the Texas Shorthorns boasting one of the best seasons in many years.

Boasting a 9-1 won-lost record, the Fish polished off their latest victim, the Baylor Cubs, 7-0, in a tense game that showed pitcher Ed Singley tossing a perfect game.

Coached by Gary Herrington of Baytown, three-time All-Southwest Conference catcher, the Freshman team started the season by winning three games in a row before falling to the Shorthorns by a 4-9 score. Since then the Frosh have defeated Allen Academy twice, Tarleton Junior State College, the Rice Owlets and the Baylor Cubs.

Such a tremendous season is attributed to the pitching of Singley, Jerry Warren and Mike Spence and the powerful hitting of Bill Musemeche, Jerry Carter and Bill Puckett. Not to be left out is accurate fielding by both the infield and the outfield.

Musemeche will be the leading hitter going into the game Saturday afternoon with a blistering .455 average. In 44 times at bat he has collected 20 singles, seven doubles and two home runs to set

Farmers Close Out Season Against Texas This Weekend

The Cadet baseball team will close out their 1960 season with a two-game series with the Texas Longhorns in Austin this weekend.

As far as the conference is concerned, the Ags will be fighting a losing battle to the Steers who have already won the Southwest Conference championship.

Last year the Ags swept the

three-game conference slate from the Longhorns, but in the one game this year the Steers were on top, 5-1.

In spite of last year's losses to the Ags the Steers hold a 122-8 won-lost record.

This year's title marks the 36th time Texas has been the winner of the SWC, 33 times undisputed and

three ties figure in the total.

The Aggies are posting one of the lowest SWC records in their history. They have won only one game in the SWC while losing nine and one tie had to be called because of darkness.

In their last outing the Cadets dropped a pair of games to the Baylor Bears who are now riding in the second place position with Rice.

While the Aggies have won only one of their last nine conference games the Longhorns have won five straight in the conference and 15 of the last 16 games.

Leading the Longhorn batters is Jay Arnette with .357 in conference play. Arnette will be remembered by most people for his performances on the hardwoods during basketball season.

John Burton, first baseman, is



Trouble

Bart Shirley, sophomore Longhorn, could spell plenty of trouble for the Cadets in their twin-bill at Austin this weekend. He leads his team in doubles with eight.

Kittens Capture District In Track

By RUSSELL BROWN
CHS Correspondent

The A&M Consolidated Junior High Kittens, paced by a strong finish in the playground division, captured the District 21-AA track and field meet held Tuesday in Brenham at Blinn College.

The Kittens picked up only one first place in the track and field part but strong placing and the sweep of the playground activity gave the crown to the Maroon and White over their league rivals Bellville, Navasota and Cy-Fair.

The crack 440-yard relay team composed of Randy Hall, Hubert Hearne, Bobby Wright and Buttons Linton copped the lone first place in clicking of a 0:51.0 clocking. The Kittens placed second

and third in the 100-dash with Wright and Linton; second in the 75-yard dash with Linton; second, third, and fourth in the 50-yard dash with Hall, Wright and Hearne; second in the high jump with Russell Hanna; second in the broad jump with Hearne; and fourth in the shot put with Jay Penthers.

In the playground area the seventh grade boys' softball team took top spot with a 9-8 triumph over Bellville and a 13-2 trouncing of Navasota. The eight grade boys' volleyballers also won a first place with 16-14, 15-12 win over Navasota and a 15-6, 15-2 over Cy-Fair. Jim Mills won first in boys' tennis singles to complete the final facts and figures.

SWC Golf Leader — Dill

FT. WORTH (AP)—Southwest Conference golfers set out today on the final 36 holes of their medal play tournament with Terry Dill of Texas leading with 140.

Dill, who wasn't listed among the pre-tourney favorites, put one-under-par 70's back to back and took a one-shot lead.

In second place with 141's were Billy Martindale and Dickey Doble of A&M and Ross Teter of Southern Methodist.

Chris Blocker of Texas Tech

posted the day's lowest 18-hole score, a three-under-par 68.

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COLLEGE HEIGHTS ASSEMBLY OF GOD 9:45 A.M.—Sunday School 11:00 A.M.—Morning Worship 8:30 P.M.—Young People's Service 7:30 P.M.—Evening Worship	BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Missouri Synod) 8:15 A.M.—Morning Worship 9:30 A.M.—Church School 10:45 A.M.—Morning Worship 8:00 P.M.—Evening Worship	ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHAPEL 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 A.M.—Sunday Masses 6:30 A.M.—Mon., Wed., Fri. & Saturday Masses 5:15 P.M.—Tues. & Thurs. Masses 6:30-7:30 P.M.—Saturday Confessions Confessions before all Masses 7:30 P.M.—Wednesday Services
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS 26th East and Coulter, Bryan 8:45 A.M.—Priesthood Meeting 10:00 A.M.—Sunday School 7:00 P.M.—Sacrament Meeting	UNITARIAN FELLOWSHIP 9:30 A.M.—Church School, YMCA 8:00 P.M.—Each Sunday—Fellowship Meeting, YMCA	FAITH CHURCH 9:15 A.M.—Sunday School 10:30 A.M.—Morning Worship 7:30 P.M.—Evening Service
EPISCOPAL CHURCH 8:00 A.M.—Holy Communion 9:15 A.M.—Family Service 11:00 A.M.—Sermon 7:00 P.M.—Evening Prayer	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 9:40 A.M.—Church School 11:00 A.M.—Worship 6:15 P.M.—Training Union 7:15 P.M.—Worship	A&M PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 8:45 A.M.—Church School 11:00 A.M.—Worship

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