



## Ags Eliminated After 2 Losses

Rain, wind, the long layoff from Southwest Conference play, Minnesota and Seaton Hall knocked the usually poised Aggies out of College World Series play.

Seaton Hall, N. J. finished the season for the Aggies Wednesday with a lop-sided 14-5 win. The Aggies held a 5-3 lead going into the bottom of the eighth inning but the Pirates rallied for 11 runs while the Aggies used four pitchers during the inning.

Seaton Hall had 14 runs off of 15 hits, allowed three errors and left eight men stranded on base. Bill Watson was the winning pitcher for Seaton Hall while Richard Beller was billed as the losing pitcher for the Aggies. Chuck McGuire started the bottom of the eighth inning as pitcher and was replaced by Beller. Beller was followed by Billy Crain and Richard Lee.

The Aggies had five runs off of seven hits, committed four errors and had five men left on base.

The Minnesota Gophers took an early lead Monday afternoon to give the Aggies their first loss in the double elimination play. The Ags tied the ballgame 3-3 in the top of the sixth inning but Minnesota came back with one run in the seventh and three in the eighth.

The Aggies had three runs on nine hits, three errors and nine men left on base. Minnesota had seven runs on 16 hits with three errors and eleven men stranded on base. The losing pitcher for the Aggies was John Crane.

Steven Hillhouse started the game for the Aggies and lasted

five innings giving up three runs, striking out two men and giving up 10 base hits. Hillhouse was replaced by Crain in the sixth when a pinch hitter was used for Hillhouse. Beller pitched the final inning for the Aggies.

Joe Pollack was the winning pitcher for Minnesota.

The Aggies were leading the Seaton Hall club from the fifth until the seventh inning when McGuire was on the mound and it began to rain. Seaton Hall collected 13 hits in the seventh and eighth innings, getting eleven runs in the eighth.

McGuire had a three-hitter going for him through the seventh inning. The Aggies bobbled the ball five times, three of them allowing runs to cross the plate. Beller pitched to three men and walked two. He was given the loss since the first man that scored was the winning run.

## Forestry Officials Inspect Facilities

Boyd L. Rasmussen, deputy chief in charge of state and private forestry, United States Forest Service, Washington, D. C., arrived on the A&M University campus, Wednesday, to begin a two-day inspection of Texas Forest Service installations and programs.

This is the first time a Forest Service official of this rank has visited the Texas Forest Service headquarters in College Station in the past three or four decades.

Dr. A. D. Folweiler, director, Texas Forest Service, met Rasmussen and his party at Easternwood Airport and will escort them during their two-day visit. The group spent most of the first day on the A&M University campus and will fly to Lufkin for the remainder of the visit.

Rasmussen will also visit two other Southern state forestry agencies. His special interest is to observe how work is done by state forestry agencies in connection with the cooperative forestry programs for which the U. S. Congress makes money available. The U. S. Forest Service supervises for

the Federal government the expenditure of these cooperative forestry funds.

Accompanying Rasmussen from Washington is an aide, Roy W. Olson; Deputy Regional Forester Horace Erickson and Douglas Craig, assistant regional forester in charge of State and Private Forestry.

## Teague Announces Moon Study Grant

A&M University's Activation Analysis Laboratory has been awarded an additional \$67,820 grant from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Congressman Olin E. Teague reported Tuesday.

The research grant funds will be used to support further study on the feasibility of using an instrument package to determine what the moon's surface is like.

The A&M-built activation analysis package would radio data back to scientists. The portable unit will weigh about 30 pounds.

## Grad Enrollment Hits Record High

Graduate student enrollment at A&M University continues its record-setting pace, Graduate Dean Wayne C. Hall said Wednesday.

Registration this term included 1,237 graduate students, term up 14 per cent over the 1963 summer school figure. It is only 21 students short of the all-time graduate enrollment record of 1,258 students established last spring.

A&M's total enrollment for the first summer session is 3,721, the highest in A&M's history except for the summer of 1947 when World War II veterans crowded the campus, Registrar H. L. Heaton reported.

## Poultry Scientist Named Supervisor

Dr. Jim Deaton has been named supervisor of the National Poultry and Turkey Improvement Plans for Texas with headquarters at A&M University.

Dr. J. H. Quisenberry, head of the A&M Department of Poultry Science, said Deaton replaces George Draper who resigned several months ago to join Consumers Cooperative.

A native of Arkansas, Deaton received his B.S. degree in poultry science in 1956 at the University of Arkansas. His M.S. and Ph.D. degrees came from A&M in 1959 and 1964.

The poultryman's professional experience includes employment at Paymaster Feed Mills in Abilene from 1956 to 1958; Janes Bar Nothing Turkey Ranch, Austin, 1958; and the DeKalb Agricultural Association in Illinois and Ohio 1959 to 1961.

# Annual School Conference Concludes With Ceremony

## Group Agrees To Dissolution Of Their Jobs

A proposal to abolish the office of county superintendent gained approval of the Texas Association of County Superintendents Tuesday.

The proposal, drafted at the schoolmen's conference at A&M University, would establish "middle" districts, usually including several counties, to perform liaison between local schools and the state.

The county superintendents are among three state associations meeting at A&M this week.

Outgoing President Johnnie McLeod of Jasper said this would clear the way for wider distribution of the changes and preparation of a proposed legislative measure.

James R. Phillips of Kaufman was named president of the Texas School Administrators Association. He succeeds Q. M. Martin of Carthage.

H. D. Maxwell of Cameron was named president of the Texas Association of County Superintendents.

Miss Adeline Daniel of Port Lavaca follows Joe A. Airola of Spring Branch as president of the Texas Association of Instructional Supervisors.

The county superintendents elected V. W. Miller of Houston as vice president and re-elected Willie Merle Haithecock of Plainview as secretary and W. D. Bunting of Bryan as treasurer.



A BOOK TO CHERISH . . . State Senator and Mrs. A. M. Aikin awarded volume.

## Science Foundation Programs Available At Dean's Office

Details of six National Science Foundation programs with more than 3,500 openings for graduate and postdoctoral study during 1965 and into 1966 now are available at the office of A&M University Graduate Dean Wayne C. Hall.

Applications for the programs must be submitted within coming months.

A&M cooperates in the National Science Foundation programs.

Three thousand of the NSF awards will be made in the Graduate Fellowships and Cooperative Graduate Fellowships programs for 1965-66. These programs are for all levels of graduate study.

The NSF programs are for work in the mathematical, physical, medical, biological and engineering sciences, and anthropology, economics, geography, the history and philosophy of science, linguistics, political science, psychology and sociology. Also included are interdisciplinary areas such as oceanography and meteorology.

Approximately 350 fellowships will be awarded to science faculty members to enhance their effectiveness as teachers. To be eligible an applicant must hold a baccalaureate degree, have demonstrated ability and special aptitude for science teaching and advanced training, as of October, 1964, had at least three years service as a full-time teacher and intend to continue teaching.

Dr. Fred D. Maurer, an internationally-known veterinarian, will join A&M University's College of Veterinary Medicine Sept. 1 as associate dean and distinguished professor of pathology.

Dr. Maurer is president of the

## Veteran Legislator Honored With Gift

State Senator A. M. Aikin of Paris was honored here Wednesday by Texas schoolmen for his "unmatched record" in the cause of public school education.

Mrs. Aikin also was recognized in ceremonies attended by 450 school superintendents, administrators and instructional supervisors at the last program of the annual three-day conferences on the A&M University campus.

"I only wish that what has been said could be true," the veteran legislator said as he accepted a bound volume of 228 letters of appreciation, from schoolmen and professional organizations.

The volume called the "Golden Deeds for Education Award" was compiled under sponsorship of the Texas Association of County Superintendents, the Texas School Administrators Association and the Texas Association of Instructional Supervisors.

Mrs. Aikin was presented a charm for her bracelet and the couple received a set of Wedgewood china plates showing A&M campus scenes as a thirty-fifth wedding anniversary gift.

Aikin's legislative career dates to 1932 when as a freshman in the House of Representatives he cosponsored a teacher retirement bill.

"Senator Aikin has sponsored every major education bill enacted into law during the past 20 years," President Joe Airola of the instructional supervisors said as he presented the volume of letters to the senator.

"There are so many to whom I owe so much," Aikin said after paying tribute to his wife for her support. Aikin singled out Gibb Gilchrist, former chancellor of the A&M University System.

"I don't know the English language well enough to say how much I appreciate this," Aikin continued.

He downgraded his role, saying he had "just a little bitty part" in the support given Texas education.

Aikin coauthored the Gilmer-Aikin Laws and more recently the Hale-Aikin Law which updated Texas educational programs. He also has sponsored other major legislation.

## Rudder Named Future Choice For Governor

Conservative Democrats seek A&M University President Earl Rudder as a future candidate for governor of Texas, The Dallas Morning News reported June 7.

Rudder's possible candidacy was mentioned in "Weather Vane," The News' political column with viewpoints from Austin, Washington and Dallas.

"Earl Rudder, president of Texas A&M, is mentioned among conservative Democrats as a future candidate for governor," Richard M. Morehead, the News correspondent in Austin, wrote. "Rudder won his only statewide race, for land commissioner, after holding that office awhile by appointment. . . ."

Morehead noted that Rudder is a rancher as well as an educator, and serves as a general in the Army Reserves.

"Last week he was back in Normandy in an official party named by President Johnson," Morehead continued. "Rudder was one of the D-Day heroes as a Ranger battalion commander."

The Texas A&M president returned to Normandy to participate in ceremonies marking the 20th anniversary of the World War II invasion.

## World Famous Veterinarian To Join University Faculty

Dr. Fred D. Maurer, an internationally-known veterinarian, will join A&M University's College of Veterinary Medicine Sept. 1 as associate dean and distinguished professor of pathology.

Dr. Maurer is president of the

American College of Veterinary Pathologists and director of the division of medicine at the U. S. Army's medical research laboratory at Fort Knox, Ky. His appointment was announced Monday by Dean Alvin A. Price.

Dr. Maurer is known for his research with viruses and animal diseases. He once served as a field director of a research team in Africa for a joint Department of Defense-U. S. Department of Agriculture project.

He is a consultant to the Animal Disease Eradication Division of USDA, the Illinois Center of Zoonoses Research and the Morris Animal Foundation.

A former staff member at the University of Idaho and Cornell University, Dr. Maurer is chairman of the Army Medical Research Laboratory's research committee and was a member of the Armed Research Committee for seven years.

He holds a doctor's degree in veterinary medicine from Washington State and a doctor of philosophy from Cornell University. Dr. Maurer also has studied at the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

The professor is a member of numerous professional organizations, including the American Veterinary Medical Association, Society of Experimental Biology and

Medicine, American Society of Immunologists, U. S. Livestock Sanitary Commission, Conference of Research Workers in Animal Diseases and International Academy of Pathologists.

Dean Price said the new associate dean of veterinary medicine will play an important role in furthering research at the university.

Dr. Maurer is married and has two children. The family will move to College Station in August.

## Ford Foundation Announces Grant

The Ford Foundation has announced a \$25,000 grant to the College of Engineering at A&M University to encourage graduate students to become teachers.

A&M is one of 34 universities (the only one in Texas) to receive \$1 million in grants for forgivable loans up to \$10,000.

The loans may be granted over a three year period to any qualified applicant, the Foundation reported. Recipients must be engineering graduate students. Those who commit themselves to a teaching career are not required to repay the loan.

This is the third year the Ford Foundation has provided such a grant.



Which Is The "Bloomer Girl?" Four cast members for the A&M summer musical from left to right, Dianna Wierus, Carla Vaughn, Ruth Samson, and Nancy Muehlstein. Director Robert L. Boone is still seeking male cast members for the July 16-18 musical. Auditions are held week-day nights in the Social Room of the Memorial Student Center.