

Fish Tame Ravens

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The Ravens of San Jacinto Junior College flew in to College Station last night hoping to enjoy fried Aggie Fish, but instead wound up with salted tail feathers as the Aggies dunked the Birds 73-68.

his height, Peret lurched for an easy score, but Mitchell of San Jacinto had other ideas. Sneaking his head in front of the basket, Mitchell managed to squelch the ball just as it slammed into the backboard. The previously quiet Aggie bench sprung into fury screaming "goal tending," and Peret received his first addition to the Aggie total.

By 10, the fearful Ravens began pressing, and literally choked the Aggies lead. Apparently a cold wave struck the Fish, as every effort to defeat the press ended in failure.

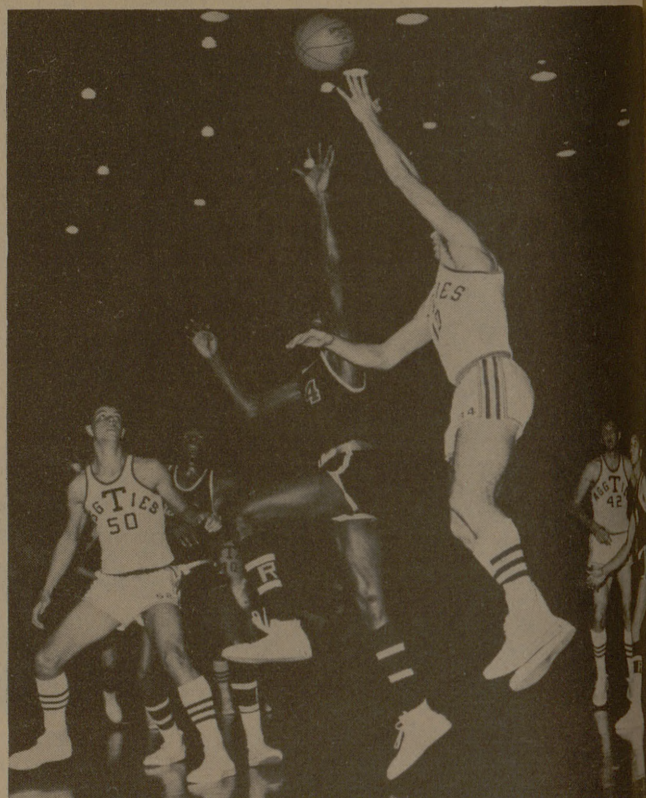
San Jacinto's murderous trio of Mitchell, Vasquez, and Blanton trimmed the Ags with accurate hook and jump shots that chopped the lead to a single point, 40-39.

A seesaw battle ensued, and the Ravens second half strategy payed off as they briefly led the action 45-44 with 13:11 left in the game. A hook shot by Langley broke the Black Birds spell, returning the lead to the hometowners.

Langley's effort aroused the sleeping Farmers, and Barnett teamed with Benefield to pad the lead again.

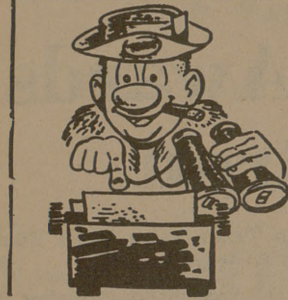
Vasquez and Mitchell turned sharpshooter for the Ravens, and with 9:09 remaining the tally read A&M 58-Visitors 49. Mitchell sank a foul shot to make it an even 50.

Benefield used a one-and-one for two points, as Barnett added two with a short jump shot for the Aggies' greatest lead of the ball game with 12 points.



FISH GOES HIGH
Fish guard Curly Hollman (10) makes a mighty leap the game against San Jacinto Tuesday night preceding Aggie-Hog varsity match. Ronnie Peret (50) and Ditto (42) size up the situation for the Ags. The came out on top 73-68.

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FROM THE Sidelines

By Larry R. Jerden

The Southwest Conference Basketball season, for the Aggies, is off to a fine start. Not only are the Ags in a 3-0 record, but one wire service has rated them 19th nationally.

The cage campaign continues Saturday afternoon in Waco with the game against Baylor to be carried on a state-wide TV hook-up at 2 p.m.

This, reminded Coach Shelby Metcalf after the Arkansas victory, will put the eyes of the state on A&M. Not only the team, but the image of the school will be telecast to fans all over the conference.

The students will have a part in this, and Metcalf asks the students to put out a special effort to attend the game.

"It would really look good on TV if the Aggies had a large following at the game. We're known for the way we follow our athletic teams, and the whole state will be watching this one."

"But," he added, "let's keep our speed down and don't get caught by the highway patrol. They'll really be out on that road from here to Waco. Why, I remember a couple of years ago . . . " But maybe I'd better not go into that.

"I hope all the cadets that go to the game will wear their

uniforms. Viewers will be able to tell the Aggies by their yelling, but when they see that uniform, they KNOW he's an Aggie."

Randy Matson, recently chosen by SPORT magazine as the year's outstanding performer in track and field, will receive the award during halftime of the Baylor game before the TV cameras. He was selected for the award on the basis of his 70-foot, 7-inches world shot put record and the great amount of progress he's made in the field during the last year.

He's looking better all the time on the basketball court, and if Coach Metcalf gambled in starting a boy who's been away from the spot for three years, its certainly paid off well.

A note on the weightlifting meet held in Bryan last weekend. It was swept by members of the A&M club, with Henry Heatherly taking first in both the press and squat. The 200-pounder pressed 270 pounds and 420 in the squat.

Second in the press was Sidney Robin and Gerald Pitts was third. Robin also took second in the squat, while Larry Edgington took third.

New Mexico State swimmers will challenge the Aggies Saturday morning at 10:30 in the P. L. Downs Natatorium.

San Jacinto's Thomas Mitchell drew first blood for the Ravens, but the Ags' Gary Ditto quickly retaliated with a well aimed jump shot from the corner. The game became a defensive battle as both teams pulled some fancy thefts on their opponents. The Ravens Percy Anderson awed the crowd with superhuman leaps to head up the Birds rebounding.

Aggie ace Billy Bob Barnett caught on to San Jacinto's defensive maneuvers, and teamed with Jack Langley, to shoot the Aggies in front 15-10 with 12:21 left in the half. Barnett, 6-4 195-pound guard from Brenham, kept the pace going with on-the-target hook shots, aided by the Black Birds sudden ability to double dribble.

With 8:12 left before the half Ronnie Peret, the Aggies 6'-9" forward, angled for a shot under the left side of the basket. Using

Matson Named Top Athlete In Track, Field By SPORT

Olympic shotputter Randy Matson of Texas A&M has been named "Top Performer in Track and Field" for 1965 in SPORT magazine's 19th annual selections honoring the top performer in every major sport.

Matson, the 20-year-old weight-tosser with limitless potential, captured the SPORT award for heaving the shot an incredible 70 feet, 7 inches, a world mark that track experts feel will not be approached for 10 to 15 years.

"In less than two years," the SPORT editors say admiringly, "Matson has added an unparalleled 10 feet, 2 inches to his throws. Who knows what his ultimate limits are?" they ask.

Another major award issued by SPORT magazine names Sandy Koufax "Man of the Year" for 1965. Koufax, who previously received the award in 1963, becomes the first winner to earn the distinction for a second time.

"None of baseball's immortals, not even in their single best seasons, had as good a year as Sandy Koufax had in 1965," say the editors.

Despite the presence of a chronic and painful arthritic condition in his pitching arm, the great Dodger lefthander led the major leagues in victories (26), in complete games (27), in earned run averages (2.04), and in innings pitched (336).

Koufax set major league records by striking out 382 batters in breaking Bob Feller's single-season mark, and by hurling his fourth no-hitter, a perfect game against the Chicago Cubs. He

closed out his outstanding year by blanking the Minnesota Twins in the fifth and seventh games of the World Series to bring the championship to Los Angeles. Besides honoring the "Man of the Year," he also received the "Top Performer in Baseball" award.

Another special award covering the entire world of sports, goes to spectacular Chicago Bear running-back Gale Sayers, named SPORT's "Rookie of the Year." Last year's top all-sports rookie was Tony Oliva of the Minnesota Twins.

SPORT also named the other

winners of its 19th annual "Top Performer" awards, covering participants in every major sport. Mike Garrett of the University of Southern California received the "Top Performer in College Football" award, and Jim Brown of the Cleveland Browns was named "Top Performer in Pro Football."

Former Princeton University star Bill Bradley captured "Top Performer in College Basketball" honors, and Bill Russell of the Boston Celtics was his "Pro Basketball" counterpart. High-scoring Bobby Hull of the Chicago Black Hawks was the "Top Performer in Hockey."

On Campus with Max Shulman
(By the author of "Rally Round the Flag, Boys!", "Dobie Gillis," etc.)

ROMAN IN THE GLOAMIN'

Now as the end of the first semester draws near, one fact emerges clearly: you are all going to flunk out of school.

There are two things you can do about it. First, you can marry money. (I don't mean you marry the money itself; I mean you marry a person who has money. Weddings between people and currency have not been legal anywhere in the United States since the Smoot-Hawley Act. Personna® Stainless Steel Blades, on the other hand, are legal everywhere and are, indeed, used with great pleasure and satisfaction in all fifty states of the Union and Duluth. I bring up Personna Stainless Steel Blades because this column is sponsored by the makers of Personna Stainless Steel Blades, and they are inclined to get edgy if I omit to mention their product. Some of them get edgy and some get double-edged because Personna Blades come both in Injector style and Double Edge style.)

But I digress. I was saying you can marry money but, of course, you will not because you are a high-minded, clean-living, pure-hearted, freckle-faced American kid. Therefore, to keep from flunking, you must try the second method: you must learn how to take lecture notes.

According to a recent survey, eleven out of ten American undergraduates do not know the proper way to take lecture notes. To illustrate this appalling statistic, let us suppose you are taking a course in history. Let us further suppose the lecturer is lecturing on the ruling houses of England. You listen intently. You write diligently in your notebook, making a topic outline as you have been taught. Like this:

- I. House of Plantagenet.
- II. House of Lancaster.
- III. House of York.



Then you stop. You put aside your pen. You blink back a tear, for you cannot go on. Oh, yes, you know very well that the next ruling house is the House of Tudor. The trouble is you *don't* know the Roman numeral that comes after III.

It may, incidentally, be of some comfort to learn that you are not the only people who don't know Roman numerals. The fact is, the Romans never knew them either. Oh, I suppose they could tell you how much V or X were or like that, but when it came to real zingers like LXI or MMC, they just flung away their styluses and went down town to have a bath or take in a circus or maybe stab Caesar a few times.

You may wonder why Rome stuck with these ridiculous numerals when the Arabs had such a nice, simple system. Well, sir, the fact is that Emperor Vespasian tried like crazy to buy the Arabic numerals from Suleiman The Magnificent, but Suleiman wouldn't do business—not even when Vespasian raised his bid to 100,000 gold piastres, plus he offered to throw in the Colosseum, the Appian Way, and Technicolor.

So Rome stuck with Roman numerals—to its sorrow, as it turned out. One day in the Forum, Cicero and Pliny got to arguing about how much is CDL times MVIX. Well, sir, pretty soon everyone in town came around to join the hassle. In all the excitement, nobody remembered to lock the north gate and—wham! before you could say *ars longa*—in rushed the Goths, the Visigoths, and the Green Bay Packers!

Well, sir, that's the way the empire crumbles, and I digress. Let's get back to lecture notes. Let's also say a word about Burma Shave®. Why? Because Burma Shave is made by the makers of Personna Blades who, it will be recalled, are the sponsors of this column. They are also the sponsors of the ultimate in shaving luxury. First coat your kisser with Burma Shave, regular or menthol—or, if you are the devil-may-care sort, some of each. Then whiff off your stubble with an incredibly sharp, unbelievably durable Personna Blade, Injector or Double Edge—remembering first to put the blade in a razor. The result: facial felicity, cutaneous cheer, epidermal elysium. Whether you shave every day, every III days, or every VII, you'll always find Personna and Burma Shave a winning combination.

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