

Wrapup Of Weekend Sports

Aggie Teams Compete At 4 Different Fronts

Spring sports busted out all over for Texas A&M this weekend as action occurred on four fronts.

On a note of chagrin, Aggie baseballers suffered their second non-conference loss, 4-3, to Missouri in San Antonio Monday.

Also Monday, Texas Aggie

linksters felt the sting of the Texas golf bugs, 3 1/2-2 1/2, at Morris Williams Golf Course in Austin.

Terry Archer of A&M copped a six and four win over Dee Finley for the Aggies' sole singles victory while Sip Eugene Mitchell, medalist with a par round of 72, snubbed Ronnie Tomas two and one.

Mason Adkins and Bruce Miller scored one-up edgings of Lee McCowell and Skip Bresk, respectively, for the other TU singles victories. In two-ball action, Archer and Bresk halved with Finley and Miller while the McCowell-Tomas duo bested Adkins and Mitchell one-up.

In track action Saturday, Randy Matson did his stuff for the Aggies' only two blue ribbons at the Texas Relays in Austin.

Matson lofted the shot 65 feet 4 1/2 inches in the prelims and launched the discus 169 feet 9 inches into a strong crosswind for the first-place markers. It was his best showing in the shot ring this season, and it proved to skeptics that his three-month stint with the A&M basketballers hurt him not.

Aggie sprinter Gilbert Smith gained a fourth place finish in the 100-yard dash with a 9.6 clocking, behind a brisk 9.4 by winner Clyde Glosson of Trinity. The 440-yard relay crew of Albert Cilio, Smith, Billy Schmidt and Arie Britt sped to third place in 41.2 seconds. The Southern Methodist Ponies galloped to first with a 40.6.

A&M's 880-yard relay unit salvaged a sixth place finish after dropping the baton.

The featured event of the Relays, the invitational Jerry Thompson Mile Run, fell on its star-studded forehead as the states' first sub-four minute mile failed to materialize. American record holder Jim Ryun ran a 4:03.9 to whip four - time meet winner John Camien and Missouri-ex Robin Lingle, all running unattached.

Texas dominated the university class, winning the sprint medley and two-mile relays and gaining recognition as the outstanding team in their division.

But little Southern University of Baton Rouge captured the cake with four record-breaking relay wins and one other first. Friday night the sprint medley foursome flashed to a American collegiate mark of 3:16.5, eclipsing Baylor's old 3:17 timing.

In Saturday's running, the two-mile quartet set a Relays mark of 7:27.1, although opening batonman Henry Brown fell and dropped the stick. Robert Johnson picked it up and made up the loss. Then the Louisiana group streaked to a meet record of 39.9

in the 440-yard relay.

In their Texas Relays finale, Southern smashed the mile relay standard with a 3:04.7 clocking. Theron Lewis ran a 45.6 anchor leg, as Southern came within two-tenths of the world record, and outdistanced all college division harriers as the star performer.

All tolled, seventeen records fell in the two-day conclave. John Hartfield of Texas Southern drew much of the cheers with a seven-foot leap in the high jump, nixing his old Relays best of 6-10 1/2.

Kansas erased their own mark of 16:55.3 in the four-mile relay by 15.1 seconds with a 16:40.2 and Abilene Christian romped to a new meet record in the distance medley, clocking a 9:38.5.

Preston Davis anchored Texas' winning relay groups and was named the outstanding performer in the university division. Rice freshman Conley Brown received likewise honors for his anchor work in the winning mile and two-mile baton efforts.

Lanky schoolboy Clarence Johnson of San Antonio St. Peter Claver eradicated the oldest mark on the books, the high jump record of 6-5 set by Vern McGrew of Houston Lamar in 1946, flying 6-9 and gaining the spotlight in his class.

Coach Omar Smith's surprising Aggie tennis squad romped and stomped over Texas Tech Saturday with a 6-0 shutout after a Friday afternoon bombing of five-time NAIA champ Pan-American.

The Tech stomp opened Southwest Conference net action on a happy note. A&M plays Texas today in College Station and the winner will assume the role of chief challenger to defending league champ Rice.

Against Tech, Richard Barker of A&M clobbered Charles Bower, 6-1, 6-0, in the No. 1 singles match. Then Luis Rojas smacked Tech's Mike Farrish, 6-1, 6-1. Ricky Williams downed Benge Daniel of Tech, 6-1, 6-0, and Pete Faust swept one-man play, blasting a 6-3, 6-1 match from Pat Acton.

The doubles crew of Barker and Williams crushed Bower and Farrish, 6-0, 6-3 while the Aggies' Dean Dyer and Rojas won by default over Acton and Daniel because of a Tech player's illness.

The 4-2 slicing of Pan-American avenged an earlier loss in Edinburg. Barker, Rojas and Williams bested their opposite numbers and Joe Tillerson came up short in singles play. The Barker-Williams duo clicked as usual but the Rojas-Dyer crew flubbed for a split in doubles action.



TEXAS RELAYS THIRD PLACE FINISHERS ... A&M's 440 relay team, composed of Thomas Cilio, Billy Schmidt, Gilbert Smith and Arnie Britt, from left to right, placed

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