

Fort Worth Meet Friday Begins Ag Track Season

By JOHN PLATZER

Coach Charlie Thomas' Aggie track team travels to Fort Worth Friday for its first meet of the year.

A&M WILL be among approximately 20 universities to be represented in the invitational which will be run in Will Rogers Coliseum. Most of the Southwest Conference schools will be represented as well as other schools in Texas and such out of state schools at Kansas and Oklahoma.

"This is one of the season's best meets," Coach Thomas said. "It has been a sellout almost every year."

Tom Cilio will compete for A&M in the 300 yard dash while Jack Abbott, a junior, will run the 60 yard high hurdles and Richard Ball, David Dalton and Robert Munson make up the school's mile relay team for the meet.

SOPHOMORE Ronny Lightfoot and Randy Matson, who holds the world record at his specialty, will represent the Aggies in the shot-put. Matson has completed his track eligibility at A&M but is allowed to compete at the Fort Worth meet where no team point total is kept.

Many of the team's better boys will not be allowed to participate. "CURTIS MILLS is one of our best boys but he is just a freshman with no experience and it would be too dangerous for him," Thomas explained.

Senior Jack White and junior Mike Boyd have had the flu the past week and also will be unable to compete.

Following the Will Rogers Indoor the Aggies wait until February 23 for their next meet when they travel to Waco for the Baylor Invitational. The team will appear at home for the first time March 1 when they host Rice and Texas.

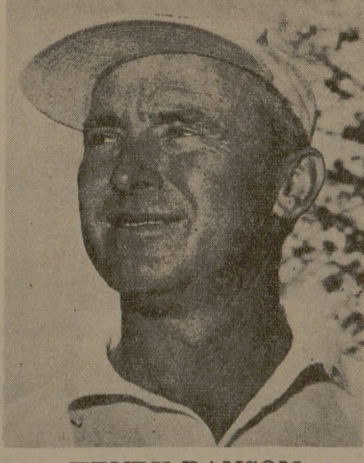
WHILE THE Aggie cindermen are competing in their first meet, Coach Henry Ransom will be searching for his best golfers in qualifying rounds this weekend at the A&M golf course.

The freshmen will try out on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday and the varsity players will shoot 18 rounds Friday and 27 each on Saturday and Sunday.

The qualifications will be run like a tournament with medal play and 16 boys will try out for the varsity while 14 are expected to try out for the freshmen.



CHARLES THOMAS Track



HENRY RANSOM Golf

Fish Cage Stats

Player	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Miss	Reb-Avg.	Pf-D	Pts.	Avg.	High	Game	
Bill Cooksey	7	61-141	43.2	15-24	62.5	90	51-7.3	22-0	137	19.6	28	(Temple)	
Chuck Smith	7	44-71	62.0	46-70	64.9	51	79-11.3	21-2	134	19.1	22	(Tem-L, Mor, Tex)	
Steve Niles	7	38-84	45.3	24-39	61.5	61	81-13.0	25-0	100	14.3	21	(Texas)	
Roddy McAlpine	7	15-43	36.3	40-47	73.3	35	14-2.0	20-2	70	10.0	16	(TCU)	
Danny Berry	7	15-35	42.9	11-15	73.3	24	14-2.0	5-0	37	5.3	12	(Rice)	
Tommy Bain	7	16-22	50.0	3-3	100.0	16	17-2.4	19-1	35	5.0	10	(TCU)	
Andy Harris	6	5-9	55.6	1-8	12.5	11	15-2.5	7-0	11	1.9	5	(TCU)	
Billy Hodge	5	8-22	36.4	2-3	66.7	15	9-1.8	4-0	18	3.6	6	(Temple)	
Lloyd Lippe	6	1-7	14.3	2-2	100.0	6	8-1.3	5-0	4	0.7	4	(TCU)	
Joel Sheffield	4	0-2	0.0	0-0	0.0	2	2-0.5	0-0	2	0.5	2	(Temple)	
Ken Johse	2	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	1	0-0.0	0-0	0				
Team Rebounds.....50-7.1													
Totals	FISH	7	203-448	45.3	146-214	68.2	312	351-50.1	129-5	552	78.9	97	(Temple)
	FOES	7	206-502	41.0	121-170	71.2	345	307-43.9	159-6	533	76.1	92	(L Mor.)
SWC (2-2)													
Chuck Smith	4	23-41	56.1	23-26	88.5	31	39-9.8	8-0	69	17.3	22	(Texas)	
Steve Niles	4	24-51	47.1	12-32	37.5	37	51-12.8	13-0	60	15.0	21	(Texas)	
Bill Cooksey	4	38-71	53.5	6-11	54.5	48	26-6.5	15-0	62	15.5	20	(Texas)	
Roddy McAlpine	4	7-23	30.4	26-29	90.0	19	9-2.3	11-1	40	10.0	16	(TCU)	
Tommy Bain	4	13-24	54.2	2-2	100.0	11	12-3.0	14-0	28	7.0	10	(TCU)	
Danny Berry	4	9-23	39.1	8-11	72.7	17	5-1.3	3-0	26	6.5	12	(Rice)	
Andy Harris	3	2-4	50.0	1-5	20.0	6	3-1.0	4-0	5	1.7	5	(TCU)	
Lloyd Lippe	3	1-5	20.0	2-2	100.0	4	6-2.0	2-0	4	1.3	4	(TCU)	
Billy Hodge	2	1-6	16.7	1-2	50.0	6	3-1.5	2-0	3	1.5	2	(TCU)	
Joel Sheffield	2	0-2	0.0	0-0	0.0	2	1-0.5	0-0	0				
Ken Johse	2	0-1	0.0	0-0	0.0	1	0-0.0	0-0	0				
Team Rebounds.....36-9.0													
Totals	FISH	4	108-251	43.0	81-120	67.5	178	192-48.0	62-1	297	74.3	86	(TCU-T)
	FOES	4	112-270	43.0	73-94	77.7	188	176-44.0	87-1	291	72.8	81	(Baylor)

FURL SAIL TO SHIP

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Long range plans call for Mrs. E. K. Thomas' Furl Sail, 3-year-old filly champion of 1967, to be shipped to Hialeah early in February from New Orleans. Trainer John Winans has his eye on the Columbiana and Black Helen stakes.

Tigers Edge Furr For 28th Triumph

From Battalion News Service Coach Jack Churchill's A&M Consolidated Tigers passed one of their biggest tests of the year Tuesday night with a pressure-packed 48-46 win over the fired-up Furr Brahmas in Houston.

The win was a must for the Tigers, as they all are now, who remained in a first place deadlock in district 10AAA with Conroe on identical records of 8-1. Consolidated is now 28-2 for the season. ENNIS WATSON once again provided the turning point in the game, according to Coach Churchill.

"He hit two real vital free throws with just 13 seconds left that decided the game," Churchill said.

Furr, who had the lead for a huge portion of the contest, was nursing a two point bulge with 4:40 left when Jan Dozier hit a corner jumper to knot the count. The Brahmas then soared back into a four point lead before Watson took control of the game with six points in the game's last minute.

The Houston team had performed erratically during the season and went into the game as heavy underdogs. They seemed to be unfazed by the Tigers' growing reputation, however, and jumped out to a quick lead which was stretched to as much as six points in the initial quarter before a closing spurt by Consolidated narrowed it to 14-13.

CONSOLIDATED had their best quarter in the second as they took the lead two minutes into

the period and ran it up to six at one point. Furr cut the lead in half to trail 25-22 at the half-time break.

Furr regained the lead in the third quarter as they entered the last eight minutes with a 36-34 margin and a major upset balancing on their fingers.

Watson, the Tiger's 6-9 all-state candidate, paced Consolidated's offense with 24 points while Dozier and David Terrell each contributed 9 and James Nichols added 6.

Coach Churchill described the closeness of the game as a combination of good effort by Furr and a below average game by the Tigers.

"THEY PLAYED real well against us in a vital game while we didn't play one of our better ones," Churchill explained.

"We just weren't mentally prepared to play. We had beaten them twice before, the last time fairly easily."

Consolidated returns to the familiar surroundings of College Station Friday night after a three game road trip. Cypress-Fairbanks will provide the competition Friday followed Tuesday by the Brenham Cubs.

If the district should end in a tie, a playoff game will be set up between Consolidated and Conroe to decide the league's champion and its representative in the state playoffs. In two games the teams split with Conroe winning by one in Conroe and the Tigers taking a ten point decision on their home court.

Reserve Seats Gone For t-u

All reserve seat tickets for Saturday night's Aggie-Texas basketball game have been sold. A&M Athletic Business Manager Wally Groff, who made the announcement, said that general admission and student tickets will go on sale at 5 p.m.

Adult general admission tickets are \$1.50 each. High school student tickets and A&M student date tickets are \$1.

A freshman game between the Fish and Yearlings is scheduled for 5:45 p.m. The varsity game starts at 8 p.m.

G. Rollie White Coliseum will seat 8,500 for basketball.

Six Texans Named On H.S. Grid All-American Team

NEW YORK (AP)—Ohio, California, Pennsylvania and Texas contributed 27 of the 100 top schoolboy stars selected to the All-American High School Football team by Scholastic Magazine.

The squad includes 17 linemen who weigh 230 pounds or more, topped by George Trujillo of Jackson, Mich., who is 6-foot-8 and 282 pounds.

John Harris High of Harrisburg, Pa., was the only school to place two players—tackle Mike Vecanski, 226, and quarterback Jim Jones, who completed 129 of 197 passes for 2,260 yards and 15 touchdowns.

Ohio, California and Pennsylvania each had seven on the team and Texas six.

Among the statistical leaders was Roy Bell, a 195-pound running back from Clinton, Okla., who rushed for 1,842 yards and scored 276 points. He scored 60 points in his career.

All of the 16 ends were 6-4 or taller and only one of the 28 interior linemen was under 6 feet. Iverson Williams of Ft. Pierce, Fla., scored 43 touchdowns, gained 2,117 yards and piled up total yardage of over 5,000 yards in his career.

Among the outstanding quarterbacks were Greg Briner of Gardena, Los Angeles, Jerry Powell of Lincoln High, San Diego and Charley Duddish of Avondale, Ga.

Bob Giorgetti, a flanker from St. Ignatius, San Francisco, rushed for 1,330 yards, caught passes for 266 yards and scored 23 touchdowns.

Texas members of the pro All-America area: Ends Riley Odums of Corpus Christi and Ken Adams of Kashmere High in Houston; interior lineman Romeo Carroll, Spring Wood High, Houston; center Frank Dittu, Walter High, Houston, and O. Z. White, Houston; quarterback Jack Mildren, Abilene.

Panel To Discuss Missionary Fields

Clergymen from the Baptist and Episcopal Churches and a local missionary to Indonesia will discuss "The Positive and Negative Aspects of the Mission Field" at 5:30 p.m. Sunday at the A&M Methodist Church.

Dr. Charles Sampson will be the moderator.

FLORSHEIM SHOES at **DON STARNES** mens wear

The Complete **Hallmark** LAND IS AT AGGIELAND FLOWER AND GIFT SHOPPE North Gate

WOW! NAPKINS
2⁶⁰ COUNT PKGS. 25¢
SPECIALS FOR THURS-FRI+SAT FEBRUARY 8-9+10, 1968
ALL QUANTITY RIGHTS RSVD.

WHAT BIG BUYS greet your eyes!
AT **Brookshire Bros.**
•THE BEST FOR LESS•

KRAFT'S SOFT MARGARINE
PARKAY
1 lb. CTN. **39¢**

GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS
1 lb. **9¢**

KRAFT'S SALAD DRESSING
MIRACLE WHIP
QT. **39¢**

DETERGENT
BOLD KING SIZE! **99¢**
ALL FLAVORS HI-C

DRINKS 3^{46oz} CANS **89¢**
KRAFT'S MACARONI & CHEESE

DINNERS 5^{7 1/2 oz} PKGS **1.00**
WILSON'S GOLDEN BRAND

OLEO 1 lb. SOLID **10¢**
FOLGER'S MOUNTAIN GROWN

COFFEE POUND CAN WITH \$5.00 PURCHASE OR MORE **19¢**

DILLSBURY OR BALLARD BISCUITS 4^{CANS} **25¢**
DUNCAN HINES LAYER

CAKE MIX 3^{BOXES} **1.00**
KRAFT'S HOT, PLAIN OR SMOKED BARBECUE

SAUCE 18 oz. BOTTLE **39¢**
TASTE O'SEA FROZEN PERCH

FILLETS 1 lb. PKG. **49¢**

Quality MEATS

U.S.D.A. Choice — Blade Cut, CHUCK
ROAST 1 lb. **39¢**
Lean Boneless

STEW Lb. **69¢**
Hormel

FRANKS 12-Oz. **49¢**

REDEEM THIS COUPON FOR **50 FREE** TOP VALUE STAMPS
With Purchase of Pkg. of 5's Schick Double Edge Razor Blades
Coupon Expires Feb. 10, 1968

REDEEM THIS COUPON FOR **50 EXTRA** TOP VALUE STAMPS
With Purchase of Johnson's Sun Country Air Freshener
Coupon Expires Feb. 10, 1968

REDEEM THIS COUPON FOR **50 FREE** TOP VALUE STAMPS
With Purchase of \$5.00 or More (Excluding Cigarettes) • One Per Family
Coupon Expires Feb. 10, 1968

Call 822-1441
Allow 20 Minutes
Carry Out or Eat-In

THE PIZZA HUT
2610 Texas Ave.

NOW OPEN

SCHERTLE'S GALLERIES
of Bryan
Original Oil Paintings

2016 TEXAS AVENUE BRYAN, TEXAS 77801
PHONE 822-4317

68 — YEAR OF THE ELEPHANT

Join The Texas A&M Young Republicans — NOW

Drawer B. O. College Station
Phone 846-7693 or 846-3195

AIRLINE

Reservations and Tickets At No Extra Cost . . . Free Ticket Delivery
. . . 30 Day Charge Account . . . Bonded ASTA Agent

Call **Beverley Braley** . . . Tours . . . Travel

BRYAN — **823-8188**

MEMORIAL STUDENT CENTER, A&M — **846-7744**