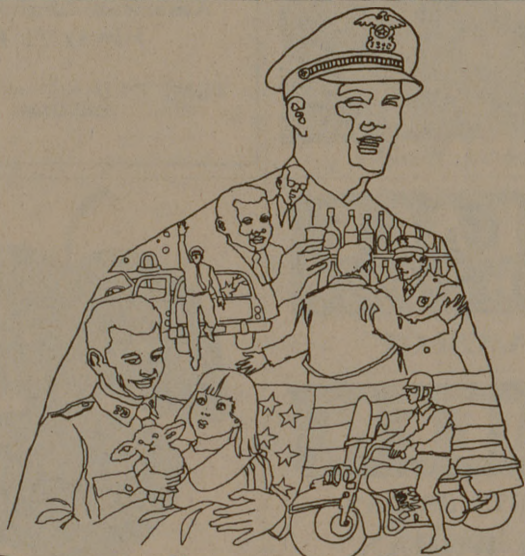


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**Aggie Fish Take On Owlets in Houston**

By Mike Wright  
 Assistant Sports Editor  
 The Texas A&M Fish travel to Houston tonight to take on the Rice Owlets in Rice Stadium at 7:30. The Fish are following close to last year's pattern of capitalizing on the opposing team's offensive mistakes to take a perfect 2-0 record into the game.

The 1968 Fish intercepted 12 passes, recovered seven fumbles, and blocked two punts on the way to a 5-0 record. This year's defense is running ahead of that pace with seven interceptions, three fumble recoveries, and a blocked punt after two games.

**Seaver Wins Young Award**

By JACK HAND  
 Associated Press Sports Writer  
 NEW YORK (AP) — Tom Seaver of the New York Mets, the major leagues' top winning pitcher with a 25-7 record, was named Wednesday winner of the National League Cy Young Award as the outstanding pitcher in the league. Seaver received all but one of the 24 votes.

Jack Lang, secretary-treasurer of the Baseball Writers Association of America announced the tabulation of the votes by a 24-man panel including two writers from each league city.

Phil Niekro, the Atlanta knuckleball artist, received the other vote. He had a 23-13 record for the Braves.

Seaver, 24, who led the amazing Mets to their first pennant and World Series championship, was the first Met ever to win the award and the first New Yorker since Whitey Ford of the Yankees in 1961. Don Newcombe of the old Brooklyn Dodgers was the first Cy Young winner in 1956 and Bob Turley of the Yankees took it in 1958. The 1968 winner was Bob Gibson of the St. Louis Cards, who also was named the league's Most Valuable Player.

Seaver is believed to be in the running for the MVP honors to be announced later.

Fish coach Jim Keller has been well pleased with the play of his defense. "The defense played a lot better against Baylor. We've had real good play from the defensive line, the linebackers and the secondary," said Keller.

Keller expects a tough game from the Owlets. "Rice has a big team with good speed," Keller said. "They have a good passing game, and Ronnie Arceneaux is a fine receiver. We will have to play better than we did in the first two games to win."

The Fish offense has been overpowering in the first half, but has yet to score in the second half. "We've had the same problem in the second half in both games," Keller said. "We have to eliminate our mistakes like interceptions and fumbles. Vance Kerbow ran well against Baylor, and Lex James has played two good games at quarterback. Our offensive line blocked a lot better against Baylor."

The offensive backfield has James at quarterback, Kerbow at tailback, Jimmy Aycock at fullback, and Tommy Goodwin at wingback. The line has John Swedeen at split end with Homer May and Thomas Burke at tight end. The tackles are Mike Faulkner and Herman Mauch with Fred Placke and Eddie Hooper at guards. Buster Slatway started the guard slot against TCU, then moved to center in the Baylor game after Robert Gerasimowicz was injured in practice.

Brad Dusek has been the all-around standout for the fish. He has intercepted two passes, recovered a fumble, and returned nine punts for 98 yards on defense while rushing for one touchdown, hitting on one of two passes and handling all the punting on offense.

The Fish return home against the Texas Tech Picadors Nov. 6 before closing the season against the Texas Yearlings in Austin Nov. 21.

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Baylor vs. TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	TCU	Bay
Rice vs. Tech	Tech	Tech	Tech	Tech	Tech	Tech	Tec
SMU vs. Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Texas	Ten
Cal. vs. USC	USC	USC	USC	USC	USC	USC	USC
Mich. St. vs. Ind.	Mich. St.	Mich. St.	Mich. St.	Mich. St.	Mich. St.	Mich. St.	Ind
Missouri vs. Kan. St.	Missouri	Missouri	Missouri	Missouri	Missouri	Missouri	Miss
Auburn vs. Fla.	Auburn	Auburn	Auburn	Fla.	Auburn	Fla.	Aub
Ga. vs. Tenn.	Tenn.	Ga.	Ga.	Ga.	Tenn.	Tenn.	Ten
LSU vs. Miss.	LSU	LSU	LSU	LSU	LSU	LSU	LSU
Miami vs. Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Houston	Hou
Neb. vs. Colo.	Neb.	Colo.	Neb.	Colo.	Colo.	Neb.	Col
Last Week	9-3	7-5	7-5	8-4	8-4	5-7	64
Season	50-17	47-20	46-21	45-22	45-22	44-23	43

**Applications Here For NSF Fellowships**

Applications are now being accepted for 1970-71 National Science Foundation graduate fellowships, announced Graduate Dean George W. Kunze.

Dr. Kunze said the fellowships are being offered for advanced study in the basic and applied sciences, the social sciences and in the history and philosophy of science.

Deadline for submitting applications is Dec. 5, 1969, with announcement of awards made March 15, 1970.

Dean Kunze said applications may be obtained from the Fellowship Office, National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Ave., N.W., Washington, D. C. 20418.

Stipends for NSF graduate fellowships range from \$2,400 for first-year study to \$2,800 for the concluding year. Allowances include \$500 per year for each dependent.

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