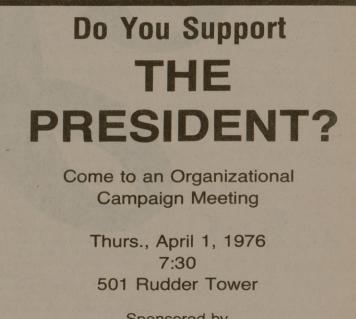
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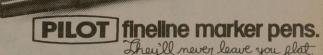
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vill cone notices, these syndicated McKa ze-givers never delve into the more than most for working only a few hours a day, included in your profession are benefits unavailable to non-athletes. Granted, everyone s entitled to a living, but be remindful that it is the fans that furnish your livelihood and it is they you will have to answer to in the long run.

Dear Abby: I have been offered scholarships to S. Olympic play basketball at several major universities. Unfortunated included versities. Unfortunately, included amongst these have been illegal inducements such as money and cars. I do not want these illegal offers but I need to know if I should report those responsible or should I say nothing?

Worried Cager

Dear Worried Cager: Honesty is a rare commodity in this day and age and yours is to be commended. If the offers were illegal they should be reported, just as one would report a hit and run want that gold medal more than ing in the world, but I have to too," said the nation's No. ked amateur lightweight.

carpet. FOR L.B. in Austin — The grass is greener in Pasadena.

Dear Abby: I am a woman athlete. What can I do to avoid becoming trapped in the "jock" image? Female Chauvinist

Dear Female Chauvinist: Don't play sports.

Dear Abby: Why do teams like the Dallas Cowboys and Texas A&M Aggies dash. seem to get their collars too tight in Ra crucial games? No others have gone so far so often to succeed so little. Disheartened in Dixie

Dear Disheartened: Of 26 teams in the National Foot-

Racketball continues rise Sportfolio in popularity in America

The sport of racketball began in lar to a cut down tennis racket and a 1950 in the United States. A professional squash player who also played paddle ball was dissatisfied with the game of paddle ball because it was too slow. He encouraged a manufac-turer to produce a "racket" and the sport was born.

The governing board of U.S. racketball is the International Racketball Association (IRA).

Racketball is played on a court 40 ft. long, 20 ft. wide with a 20 ft. ceiling. The same court is used for handball. The court is divided into three areas: the front court, the server's area, and the back court. The server's area occupies three feet and divides the two courts.

Equipment includes a racket simi-

Consol sports

A&M Consolidated High School took first place and set two school records in the Liberty Relays on Saturday

The 440-yard relay team finished first with a record time of 42.7 seconds. The team, Sammy Jones, Philip Steen, Larry Johnson and Re-ggie Carr also finished second in the

880-yard relay. Another school record was set by Chris Powell in the mile run. His time of 4:29.9 placed him third in the competition. Brett Whitten finished fourth and Damon Buffington finished sixth for Consolidated. Steen placed second and Jones

fifth in the long jump.

In the 880-yard medley relay Jones, Steen, Johnson and Harold Eaton took second place.

Chris Ramsey came in second in the 880-yard dash. Doug Chester and Jay Carlton placed third and fourth, respectively. Consolidated took another first

place victory in the distance medley relay. Carlton, Chester, Powell and Joe Wilborn were the runners. Carr placed third in the 100-yard

The A&M Racketball Club was founded last semester and now has rubber ball. The racket looks as if it 52 members. This is the first semesmight be a Munchkin's tennis rac-ket, being only about 19 in. long, ter, however, that the club has parwith 7 in. of it making the handle. Nylon strings are used in the rac ket for better control of the ball movement. The handle has a rubber grip on it and a safety string is looped

on the end of the handle. A match of racketball is comprised of two out of three games. A game is won with 21 points, and points may only be awarded to the server. the club. Anyone interested in learn-ing about racketball is invited to at-Racketball is a game of precision tend the next meeting, April 6, 7:30

and wit. Racketball is played by a Racketball Club on campus and that club is soon to be recognized as an official IRA sponsored group.

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Bobby Garner placed fifth in discus throwing and in the high jump, Brad Smith finished sixth.

BASEBALL

Consolidated scored only in the first inning but defeated Hearne 3-2 Friday.

Early in the game, Consolidated loaded the bases with Ronnie Mor-gan, Colin Ward and Tim Lyda. Walter Boone drove in Morgan and Ward with a single. Lyda scored the final run for Consolidated on a sacrifice fly by Ashraf Ayoub.

The pitcher, Ward, a sophomore, struck out nine batters.

On Saturday Consolidated finished third in the tournament they hosted. Three of their players, Jay Ward, Tim Lyda and Walter Boone, were named to the All-Tournament team

Consolidated beat Cleveland 9-1 in the first game and then was de-feated by Crockett 7-4 in the second. This defeat stopped Consolidated's six game winning streak.

A victory over Hearne 1-0 gave Ramsey, Eaton, Chester and Consolidated the third place finish.

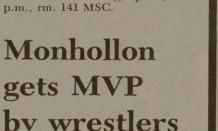
ticipated in tournaments. With only three tournaments on their slate, the club has placed in all three and brought home 12 trophies. The club emphasizes that membership is not limited to proficient racketball players. Members serve as coaches for the many beginners in

Monhollon gets MVP by wrestlers

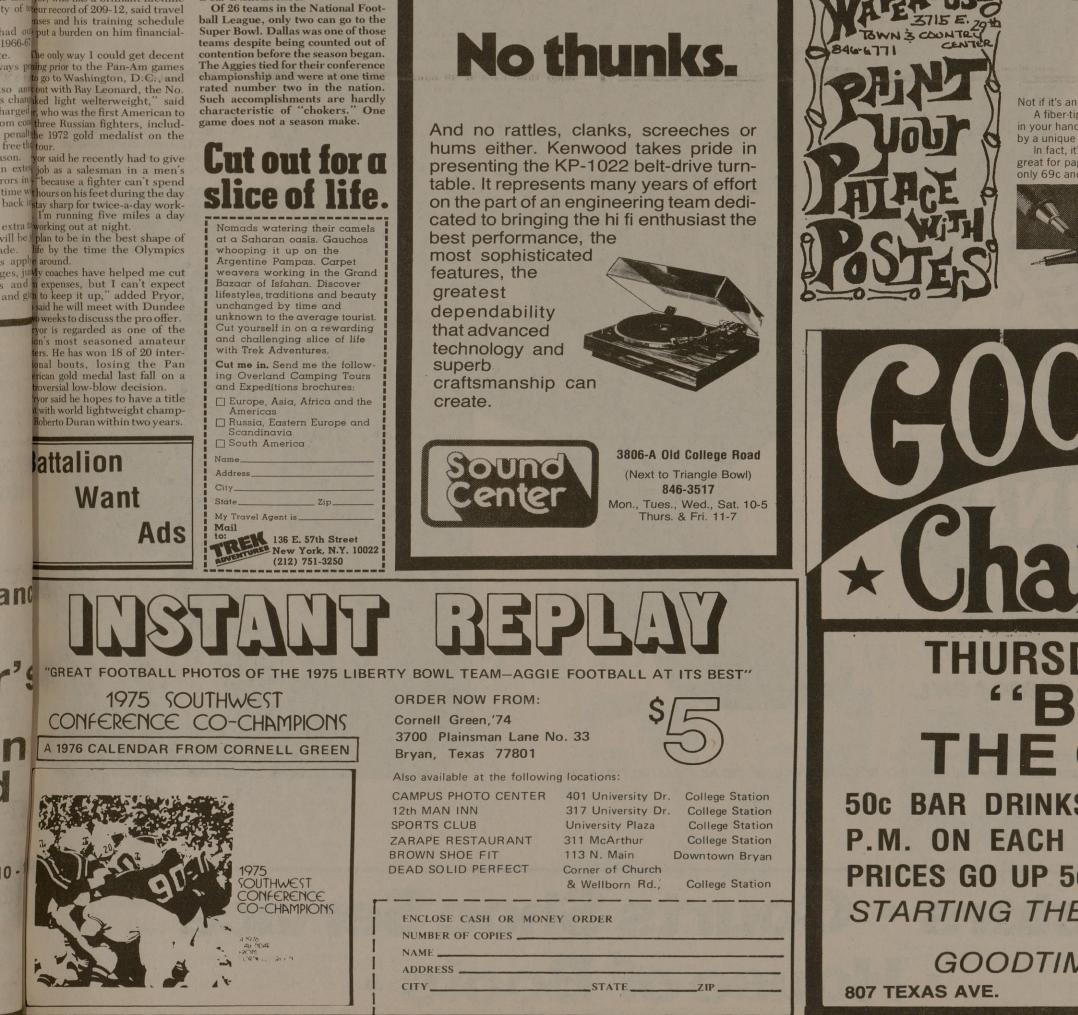
its second annual awards banquet Saturday, voting Blair Monhollon as the team's Most Valuable Player.

state meet where the Aggies finished second overall. Tim Caulton was voted Most Improved Wrestler after fishing second in the 150 pound division at state. Bob Hines received awards for the fastest pin of the sea-son (28 seconds) and for accumulat-

Receiving varsity letters were Jerry Rasmussen, John Manning and



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The Texas A&M Wrestling held Monhollon won his division at the

ing the most team points (52).

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