

ggies win conference

be denied. After the Aggies had set-tled back down into their dugout, the final game of the series began, With the score tied 5-5 in the bot-

with David Pieczynski and Jim tom of the ninth, Arkansas' Mike

McWilliams on the mound for the Martin hit his second homerun of

The Aggies' offensive attack was give the Razorbacks a 6-5 victory.

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By DAVID BOGGAN

On their way to their second uthwest Conference chamonship in as many years, the Texas gies would have liked to sweep three-game series with the Ar-

t did not happen to turn out that , however, as the Hogs managed t game of the elated Aggies in the t game of the series. The Aggies d already sewn up the conference by winning the first two games.

Friday afternoon Mark Ross led sas A&M past the Razorbacks. th the help of strong bats and exlent defensive work on the part of teammates, Ross was able to inse his season record to 8-3.

"Those guys just did great out here on the double plays," Ross and of his teammates. "I allowed en hits, but Randy Woodruff and bert Bonner really made the day ne with their double plays

On the strength of a four-run rally the fifth inning, the Aggies took advantage in the important seits with a 6-1 victory.

turday's opening game promd to be a showdown between two the conference's best pitchers, n Lollar of Arkansas and Mark urmond of Texas A&M. Unfortuely, Lollar, who was suffering om a shoulder injury, had to leave

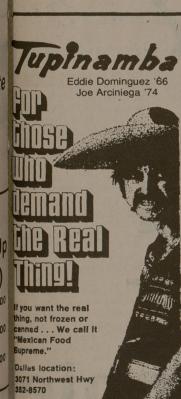
Thurmond ran into trouble in the inning when the Razorbacks ded the bases with one out. Once n, however, teammates proved be valuable commodities to a

Aggie third baseman Robert lerde scooped up a bouncing rounder and threw the ball to er Buster Turner, waiting at plate for the force. Turner, in threw the ball to first baseman Hawthorne to complete a douplay that may have been the key series, according to Texas M coach Tom Chandler

A&M's scoring drive was highhted by a two-run homerun by wthorne, his 14th of the season. ogs wrapped up the SWC title for was A&M. Aggies 5-0 victory over the

"I believe it feels better to win it is year than it did last year," urmond said after he had pitched fifth shutout in conference play season. "I kept getting into ble out there, but fortunately, always came up with the big

buble plays."
But the Razorbacks were not to



Women's team places third

team placed third with 88 points in the Texas Association of Intercol-legiate Athletics for Women's State Track and Field Championships held this Friday and Saturday at Kyle Field. Texas Women's University ran away from the field, how-ever, with 167 points, while the University of Texas placed second

The highlight of the meet came Saturday when a new American record was set in the high jump. Louise Ritter of TWU easily cleared the bar set at 6-3. The old American record was set in 1975 by Joni Huntley of Oregon State with a jump of 6-2 3/4. The women of Texas A&M took

home four first place medals.

In the pentathlon, Sande Lambert of Texas A&M took the lead from Jane Phillips of Baylor in the fourth event, the long jump, with a leap of 18-5. That left her with a 23 point lead going into the 800-meter run. Phillips never threatened Lambert in the 800 however, giving Lambert the gold medal with 3,649 points. Included in the pentathlon were the 100-meter hurdles, the shot put, the high jump, the long jump, and the 800-meter run. Texas A&M's Linda Cornelius

won the long jump with a leap of 19-7 ½, out-distancing her closest competitor, Hazel Williams of TWU, by a full five inches. Also, Cornelius ran a fast 14.10 in the 100-meter hurdles to take fourth place. The winning time in the 100-meter hurdles was a 13.37 run by Lena Gibbs of TWU.

It was a close race in the 800meter run with Texas A&M's Ileana Hocking breaking the tape just eight hundredths of a second in front of

time of 2:14.77. Also, Hocking took third place in the 1500-meter run

with a time of 4:38.03.

The javelin-throwing contest was decided by a mere three inches when Texas A&M's Donna Branch out threw TWU's Gena Breedlove with a throw of 148-2.

Other good performances came from Martha Sartain, Texas A&M's top long-distance runner. Sartain's three-lap kick in the 5000-meter run against the University of Texas' Julia Campbell made the race a favorite with the fans Friday evening. Sartain took second in that race behind Campbell with a time of 17:40.81. Saturday, Sartain took third place in the 3,000 meter run behind Campbell and Nancy Scardina of the University of Texas with a time of

Honors for the outstanding individual competitor went to Campbell. She won the 1500-meter the 3000-meter run, the 5000-meter run, and anchored the University of Texas' winning twomile relay team

The Texas A&M women's track team will journey to Denton on May 13 for the Texas Women's University Invitational.

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Texas A&M's Ileana Hocking crosses the finish line first in the 800-meter run. The women's track team finished third in the TAIAW state meet at Kyle Field last weekend. They will compete in Denton on May 13.

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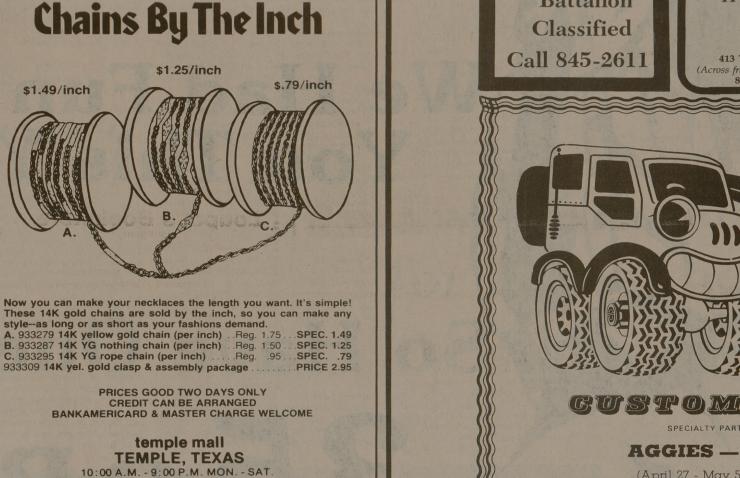
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