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Secret is out—Aggies romp by Tech

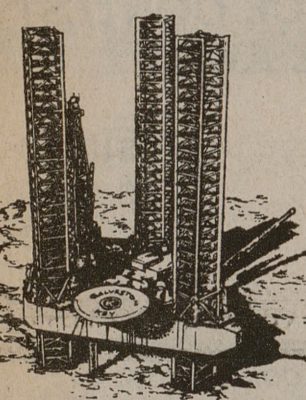


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Texas A&M unveiled a new look Saturday afternoon in G. Rollie White, a two-guard lineup, and the result was a convincing 65-52 victory over Texas Tech.

Gone from the A&M playbook is the lineup which Head Coach Shelby Metcalf termed as "the four big ones and Tyrone." The former lineup worked well early in the year as the Aggies reeled off seven straight wins; but a horrendous slump, the loss of Rudy Woods, and the development of Reggie Roberts and Milton Woodley into an effective guard combination prompted Metcalf to make the change.

"We are now pushing the ball up the floor faster," Metcalf said about the two-guard lineup, "and defensively both Roberts and Woodley are looking for steals."

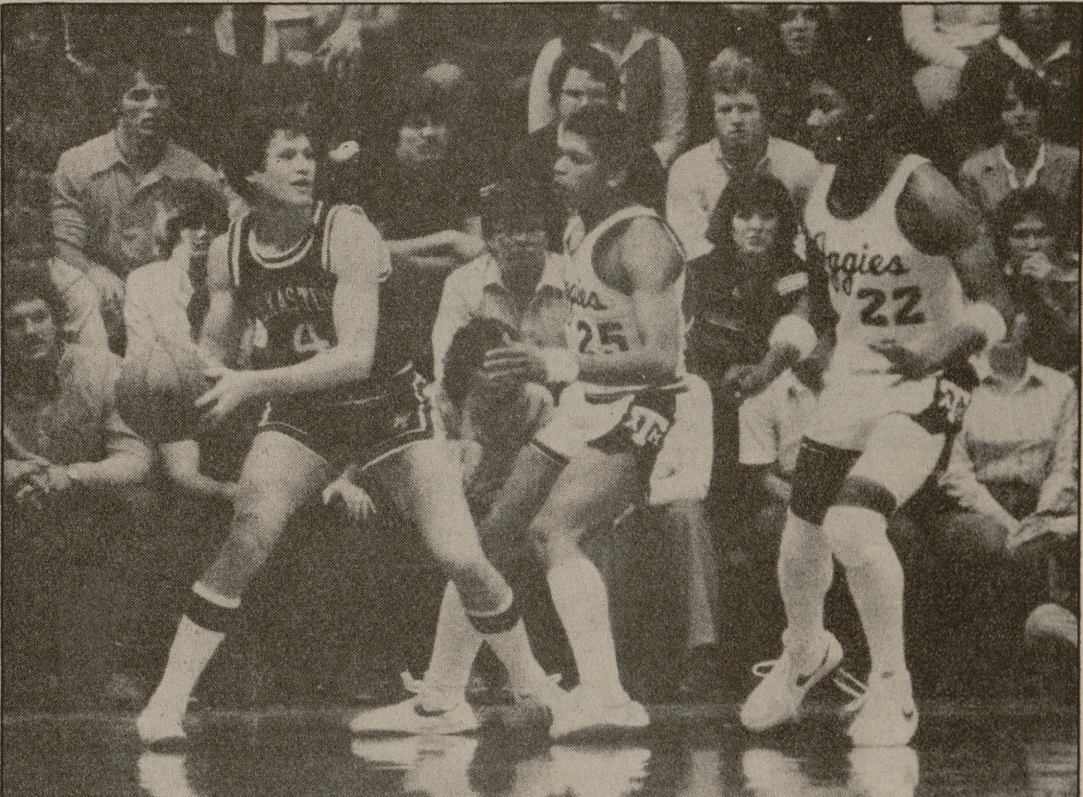
Roberts and Woodley made their presence felt immediately after the opening tip-off when Woodley stole a Tech inbound pass and fired it to Roberts who converted it into a three-point play giving A&M a 3-0 lead.

The Aggies led the first seven minutes, but a long jumper by Bubba Jennings gave Tech its first lead at 12-10. From then on in, the lead changed hands nine times the first half until Woodley and Roberts combined for seven straight points in a two-minute stretch and turned a 28-27 Tech lead into a 34-28 A&M advantage.

Both teams managed one more bucket during the period and A&M lead at the half 36-30.

Texas A&M's 3-2 zone defense was extremely effective throughout the ball game and during the first 20 minutes limited Tech's inside game consisting of 6-8 Ralph Brewster, 6-6 Clarence Swannegan and 6-6 Ben Hill to a combined total of 10 shots, of which they hit four.

The only reason the Red Raiders were within six, was due to the sharp-shooting of the freshman Jen-



Staff photo by Brian Tate

The three men responsible for much of Saturday's action are shown here as Bubba Jennings (4) of Texas Tech looks for passing room while Milton Woodley (25) and Reggie Roberts (22) look on. Roberts and Woodley combined for 28 points for the Aggies while Jennings hit 16 for

the Red Raiders. Texas A&M played up to their lofty preseason expectations and won the game by the score of 65-52. The Aggies return to action Tuesday night when they will face SMU in Dallas.

nings, who hit for 12 first half points, and Jeff Taylor, who had 10. The 5-10 Jennings, who was highly recruited by A&M before opting for Tech, connected on five of six shots from the field mostly from 25 feet out over A&M's zone.

In the first half the Aggies, who hit 65 percent from the field, were led

offensively by Roberts, who hit six of seven shots for 15 points, and Claude Riley, who hit four of five for 10 points.

In the second half, Tech battled back and tied the game at 42 midway through the period. With 6:45 left in the game A&M held a slim 50-48 lead.

The Aggies had been in this position before through much of the season and had yet been able to win a conference game down the stretch. Of A&M's seven SWC losses, only Baylor beat the Aggies by more than five points.

One interesting statistic showed

that even though A&M had lost seven of nine conference games coming into the Tech game, they still outscored their opponents by an average of 1.2 points per game.

"When we won, we played real good," Metcalf said, "but when we lost, we just played well enough to get beat."

But for the first time this year, the Aggies controlled the game the final six minutes and broke it open to win by 13 points.

But things weren't as easy as they seem. For one thing the Aggies hit 13 of 14 free throws and finished the

game by hitting 19 out of 21 for a perfect 91 percent. Hardly the charity shooting team that is last in the conference at a weak 59 percent.

Vernon Smith led the free throw barrage by hitting nine of nine, including eight down the stretch. Though he didn't shoot well from the field, Smith finished with 17 points and six rebounds.

Another difference in the Aggie this game was that they eliminated costly turnovers. A&M only turned over three times during the second half and none of those led to Tech buckets.

In the second half, Metcalf said the Aggies had a slight change in the 3-2 zone to shut down the shooting Jennings. The result was that Jennings hit only two of nine shots, and the Tech offense became nonexistent.

For the game, Roberts led all scorers with 18 points. Riley finished with 12 points and a game high seven rebounds, while teammates Woodley and Rynn Wright hit for 10 and eight points respectively.

The Red Raiders were led offensively by Jennings' 16 points. Taylor's 14 points and Swannegan's 12 points. Metcalf said the team has been completely reshaped since December and is now one of the best kept secrets in Texas. "I don't want to get to excited, because something might happen, but I am encouraged," he said.

Since the Aggies have installed the two-guard lineup with the tandem of Woodley and Roberts, they have had a back-to-back impressive victories over Baylor and now Tech.

It also appears the Aggies' horrible shooting slump is over, since the team has hit better than 50 percent in its shots the last three games. Metcalf said they still have to get four more teams in the standings to get the home court advantage during the opening rounds of the SWC Tournament, but only three matches half games separates the Aggies from the fourth-place Rice Owls.

Texas A&M returns to action Tuesday night in Dallas when it takes on the cellar-dwelling Mustangs. The Aggies then travel to Rice on Saturday before returning home to challenge the Arkansas Razorbacks on Feb. 17.

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Ag women defeat Southwest

By RICK STOLLE
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The Texas A&M women's tennis team began the spring season strongly by dominating and defeating Southwest Texas State University 8-1 Saturday.

The team had jitters at first, said coach Jan Cannon, because of the crowd and format of the match. The

match was played with the men's team as the two Aggie teams alternated courts.

"It was an experiment for us," said Cannon. "But the kids and fans liked it and before the day was over, the format had become an asset for us."

Cannon said she was pleased with the fan turnout, especially since the match coincided with the Texas A&M basketball game. She also said they would think about trying to get more matches into the same format.

In singles: Lilianna Fernandez defeated Lynette Woodbridge 2-6, 6-4, 6-4; Pam Hill beat JoAnne Culley 6-2, 6-4; Maylen Hooten defeated Brenda Heimann by default (Heimann aggravated an achilles tendon injury); Amy Closs beat Jenni Bettauer 6-0, 6-0; Sonja Hutcherson

defeated Debbie Cook 6-1, 6-4; Laura Hanna beat Jennifer Hanna 6-4, 6-3.

The doubles results: Hutcherson defeated Woodbridge-Gulley 6-4, 6-4; Closs-Hanna beat Heimann-Cook 6-4, 2-6, 6-2; Hooten-Fernandez beat Bettauer-Hansell 6-0, 7-6.

"We had some super wins," Cannon. "Woodbridge is an Australian who has been in the U.S. about two weeks. She is the second best player I have seen this year."

The Ags will have a match against McClennan Community College Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Omar Tennis Center before traveling to Tempe, Ariz. for a five-way tournament Feb. 13-15.

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