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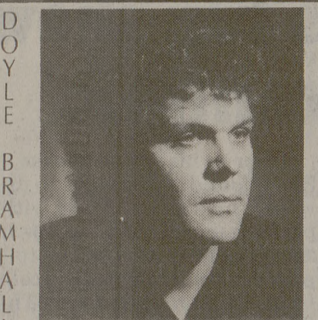
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Book celebrates 100 years of the Aggie Band

Interviews, photos reflect band history

By Karen Broyles
THE BATTALION

One hundred years of history have finally been put to paper. "The Fightin' Texas Aggie Band," an historical account of the Texas Aggie Band, is now on bookstore shelves.

Donald B. Powell, director of Business Services for Texas A&M and president of the Texas Aggie Band Association, co-wrote the book with wife Mary Jo, the associate director of University Relations, to commemorate the band's 100th anniversary.

"This is the first book ever written solely about the Aggie Band," Powell said.

Powell also wanted to record the band's history before the people who were part of the history were gone. Any book written later might be less accurate without the people he and Mary Jo interviewed, he said.

The Powells started their research two years ago by interviewing dozens of former band members, relatives of members, and former and current directors.

After looking through almost 900 photographs, all donated, they selected 121 for



1899 The Fightin' Texas Aggie Band

the book, Mary Jo Powell said.

"We picked photos that would represent all the eras and the aspects of life in the Aggie Band," she said, "which was almost as hard as compiling the list of band members since 1894, which had 7,000 names on it," she said.

Records weren't always kept carefully in past years, and people didn't always spell their last names the same way. The Powells had to determine if similar names but different spellings belonged to two people or just one person.

Keeping track of people coming and going during both world wars and the Great Depression made compiling the list harder, because of the research required to verify whether the same people had re-

turned, or if they were different people with similar names.

Powell said that the thread of continuity between the directors of the Texas Aggie Band was the most fascinating discovery made during the research.

"All the band directors since 1894 have been named Holick, the founder of the band, had the next director at some point in his life," Donald B. Powell said. "Later, the person would take over the band when the director retired."

Mary Jo Powell, a Wisconsin native who learned about Aggie traditions from her husband, said she's amazed at the long lifetime friendships that he formed with the band.

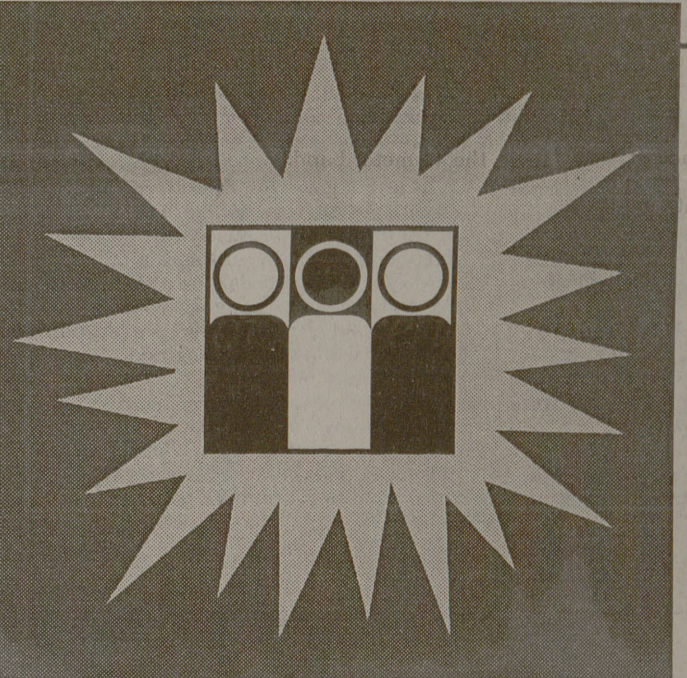
"I learned how true that is for so many of the former band members," she said. "Powell said he is pleased at the positive response that advanced orders of the book have received.

"One man called me and said that he had to stop reading the book," Powell said. "When he finished, he ordered two more copies."

Proceeds from sales of the book will go to the Texas Aggie Band for operational expenses, and the Powells will sign copies of the book on Sept. 10 in the MSC Bookstore.







The Fightin' Texas Aggie Band marched to Bryan on Armistice Day in 1919.

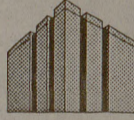


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