

# Southern Methodist Attack Centers On Sophomore Tailback Doak Walker

By Tom Morgan

Spearheaded by pass-sliding Doak Walker, Southern Methodist's Mustangs will charge into a staunch Penn State grid eleven on New Year's with the razzle-dazzle brand of football typical of the Southwest's cow country.

As with the Nittany Lions, it will be the Ponies' initial appearance in the Cotton Bowl classic (worth \$40,000 to the host school) even though the Bowl is located in their Dallas back yard.

Mustang fans and Coach Matty Bell have waited impatiently for the return of their topflight tailback, Walker, who, as a freshman fireball in 1945, entered the SMU lineup in the last four games and made the all-Southwest Conference team.

Returning this year to Mentor Bell's fold after missing the 1946 season, Walker has paced the Mustangs to an undefeated record and has crashed a flock of All-American teams in the process. Associated Press, International News Service and Newspaper Enterprise Association awarded him a first team berth in their selections.

### PASSES, TOO

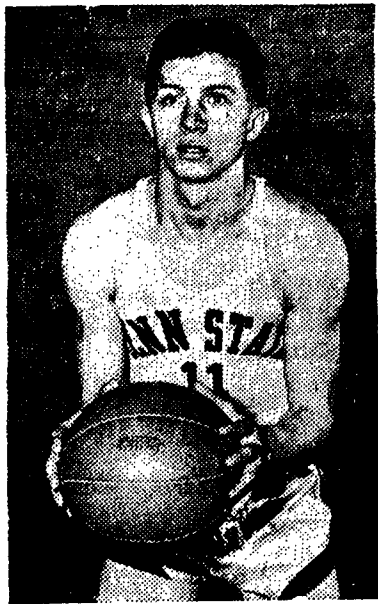
Walker's passing ability has spearheaded the Mustang attack throughout the 1947 campaign. At 175 pounds, the sophomore tailback is the lightest man in SMU's starting backfield, which also includes Dick McKissack, 195 pounds, at fullback; Paul Page, 180 pounds, at right half; and Bob Ramsey, 195 pounds, at quarterback.

On the line, veteran coach Bell has four stalwarts who hit the scales beyond the two-century mark. Right tackle John Hamberger tops the forwards at 220 pounds, while right guard Earl Cook, at 217; left tackle Joe Ethridge, at 210, and left guard Floyd Lewis, at 202, follow. Bracketed at 195 pounds is right end Sid Halliday, while left end Dick Reinking scales 180 pounds and center Cecil Sutphin 175.

The Nittany Lions will hold only a 3-pound edge in average weight per man when the two teams clash in Dallas. State's powerhouse averages 203 pounds, compared with SMU's mark of an even 200 pounds.

# Diminutive Milton Simon Cuts 'Giants' to His Size

By Elliot Krane



MILT SIMON

When the basketball team makes its debut Saturday night against Washington and Jefferson, many of the "soph-freshmen" students will say, "What's that little blond haired kid doing on the floor with all of those tall basketball players?" But right after the opening whistle when the "little kid" explodes into a jumping, racing, play-making forward, the fans will understand why Milton Simon deserves a place on the Penn State squad.

Ever since his grade school days, Milt was plagued by jeers and taunts whenever he wanted to play in a neighborhood game. Once he started to play, the jeers changed to cheers as he out-jumped even the tallest of the opponents.

Starting on the courts when he was ten, Simon and Wally Hatkevich, who transferred to Temple last year, swept the 90 to 140 pound league championship and later played on a winning inter-club team in Erie.

### WINS HIS LETTER

When he found that he couldn't make the high school team, Milt played with an Erie city league team that took the city championship in 1942. Trying to earn a high school letter, Milt signed up for the football team, but when the coach saw the 102-pound candidate he just laughed and wouldn't give the flyweight athlete a uni-

form. The lake city boy finally earned a letter, but it was awarded to him for being manager of the basketball team.

After finishing high school, Milt, under the guiding hand of Uncle Sam, decided that a sailor suit was in the vogue, so he joined the Navy and was sent to Selfridge Field in Detroit. Even while in the service the electrician's mate third class played basketball. When he was moved to the Pacific area, Simon played in the Central Pacific League against such top performers as Dale Closs, All-American from Rice; Jim Pollard, now a professional cager, and Dan Krauss, of Georgetown, who played with the winning team in this league.

Just three months after his discharge he enrolled at the College, and when his running mate, Hatkevich, was discharged, Milt persuaded Wally to enroll with him.

Both Milt and Wally made the squad in their freshman year, but the following winter Temple U. lured Hatkevich to Philadelphia while Simon stayed with the Blue and White team to score 146 points.

### TEMPLE GAME

"Which game do I remember most vividly?" said the College junior. "Why, last year's Temple game when they were heavy favorites and we beat them by more than 15 points."

"Although I scored only four

points in the entire game, I feel that I never played such an all-around floor game in my life. In fact," he continued, "after that game I was so keyed up that I couldn't sleep for two nights."

"Mimi" (pronounced Mim), as he is called by the folks in Erie, scored his highest college mark, 17 points, in the Pittsburgh game last year. The cries of "Banzai" and "Chop-Chop" that he picked up in the Pacific keep the team on its toes throughout the game, and whenever there is a fight for the ball, Milt Simon, the sawed-off sparkplug, is sure to be in the center of it.

Although pre-season dopsters predicted Rice to cop the Southwest Conference and become host club in the Cotton Bowl, it was Southern Methodist which blasted the Owls, 14-0, in its fourth tilt of the year to assume the conference co-leadership with the Texas Longhorns.

Then Walker sparked his grid cohorts to a 14-13 win over Texas to ice the title. It was a great victory for Walker, who bested Texas' Bobby Layne, his high school chum, in a sterling performance.

Other Mustang victims this year were Santa Clara, 22-6; Missouri, 35-19; Oklahoma A&M, 21-14; UCLA, 7-0; Texas A&M, 13-0; Arkansas, 14-6, and Baylor, 10-0. In the final encounter, SMU's gridmen received a jolt when Texas Christian held them to a 19-19 tie.

Another harrier came into the spotlight recently when Gil Dodds, famous miler, named Jerry Karver as one of the three best runners in the United States. The other two are Jack Dianetti of Michigan State and Quentin Brelsford of Ohio Wesleyan.

# Hannah Victor in IM Boxing Meet

Dick Hanan, Pi Kappa Alpha 145-pounder, pulled the major surprise of the intramural boxing tournament when he defeated Lou Di Nunzio, Alpha Phi Delta—last year's 135-pound champion, in a close bout yesterday. It was a hard fight the whole way, with Hannah gaining the superior edge with a wicked right hand.

Don Roy, Sigma Nu, won by T.K.O. over Rubin Mogul, Phi Epsilon Pi, and Jim Donaway, Phi Delta Theta, decided on Charlie Shirk, Kappa Delta Rho, in the 135-pound class yesterday. In other fights, Don Myers, Sigma Nu, decided Dick Owens, Alpha Zeta; Bert Agnew, Sigma Phi Epsilon, won by decision over Art Scarazzo, Alpha Phi Delta; Jack Long, Sigma Chi, decided John Steimer, Sigma Nu; Ed Hanford, Pi Kappa Alpha, decided Bob White, Sigma Nu, and Irving Smith, Delta Upsilon, won by T.K.O. over Ray Adams, Phi Gamma Delta.

### SCHEDULE

Today's schedule: 135 pounds—Ed Loy, Alpha Gamma Rho, meets Killian, Phi Gamma Delta; Sam Greenlee, Alpha Sigma Phi, meets Jackie Ward, Delta Upsilon. 145-pounds—Bruckner, Alpha Sigma Phi, meets Dave Owen, Phi Kappa Psi; Charles Hoyt, Chi Phi, meets Eddie Belfield, Delta Upsilon. 155-pounds—Curtie Brooks, Alpha Gamma Rho, meets Graham Wilson, Phi Gamma Delta; Archie Miller, Delta Upsilon, meets Robinson, Phi Delta Theta. 165-pounds—Jack DellaIacano, Alpha Phi Delta, meets Spencer, Beta Theta Pi. Unlimited—Bill MacDonald, Sigma Nu, meets Alex Petrowski, Alpha Sigma Phi; John Lowry, Phi Kappa Sigma, meets Paul Schweitzer, Kappa Delta Rho.

**DYEING** **TAILORING**

**24 HOUR Service** **HUR'S DRY CLEANING DEPT.** **24 HOUR Service**

PERSONALIZED SERVICE by **HARTMAN CLEANERS** PRESSING — WHILE YOU WAIT **HUR'S MEN'S SHOP—Rear**

**"DELTA ZETA MUSIC BOX"**

An RCA Combination Radio Vic will be given away FREE

Funds received will be used to obtain clothing for children of Norway and Holland. You will be contacted by a "Delta Zeta."

**GO TO THE COTTON BOWL FREE!**

Ask For Your Ticket With Every \$5 Purchase at either one of the **Charles Shops**

Winning ticket will be drawn Dec. 24th. If you are not here we will mail the free prizes to you!

**PRE-CHRISTMAS SALE!**

Now Going On! (OPEN ALL DAY WED.)

**OPPORTUNITY DAYS**

\$\$\$

**MAKE MONEY IN YOUR SPARE TIME**

Having trouble making your \$65 a month stretch? Why not make MONEY in your spare time selling candy in your dorm or fraternity house?

Just buy candy wholesale at 90c a box from SALLY'S. Resell it to the men in your frat house, dorm or rooming house. You won't have any trouble selling it. Everyone likes a good candy bar. And you're the one that profits!

You can buy Wrigley's gum, too, at 65c a box. A box of Beechnut is 70c. Stop in today and get a couple boxes. Or give us a ring.

Choose from . . .

<b>MILKY WAY</b>	<b>HERSHEY</b>	<b>MOUNDS</b>
<b>POWERHOUSE</b>	<b>OH'HENRY</b>	<b>CLARK BAR</b>
	<b>5TH AVENUE</b>	

**SALLY'S**

140 South Pugh Call 2373