

SANTA HARD ON CAGEMEN; GIVES GAME TO NORMAL

Yet Team Gathered More Points Than They Expected

Misfortune again dogged the path of Coach Kraft's cagemen. On Thursday, Dec. 20, our engineers were administered the season's third setback when they dropped a 25-22 encounter to the Chicago Normal College at the Armory Gym.

Normal Trails in Second Half

It was a rather heartbraking tilt to sacrifice to the visitors for the Armourites were the proud possessors of a 19-12 lead when only eleven minutes of playing time remained. Yet despite their unfaltering spirit and team work, slowly and steadily their margin over the school teachers decreased in dimensions until Armour was forced to relinquish the lead.

N. C. Minus A.I.T. Equals 3

The score in the fourth quarter bra which our studious engineers were unable to solve. Their score, during a few of the most precious minutes remained constant, while Normal's figure acted as the variable. Mathematically speaking the variable approached the constant, then equalled it and finally surpassed it; the difference was 3.

Armour Loses No Prestige in Defeat

Figuring on the basis of the pre-game prophecies, Armour can at least claim a moral victory. Chicago Normal's veteran line-up consisting of last year's conquerors of the Northern Illinois League championship entered the fracas with a grim determination to way-lay the engineers by a lop sided score—and few doubted the school teachers' ability to succeed in fulfilling their desires.

Thus they not only prevented Chicago Normal from presenting them with an insignificant score, but they nearly conquered them instead. This being the case our cagemen have occasioned but little worry over the final results of that game. The main object in advancing, is to show improvement and the gold and black hardwood performers were no failures from that standpoint of view.

Farber, Bangert Star for Teachers

The bulk of Normal's attack was handled by Farber and Bangert. These aggressive basketballers featured in the fracas in floor work and scoring.

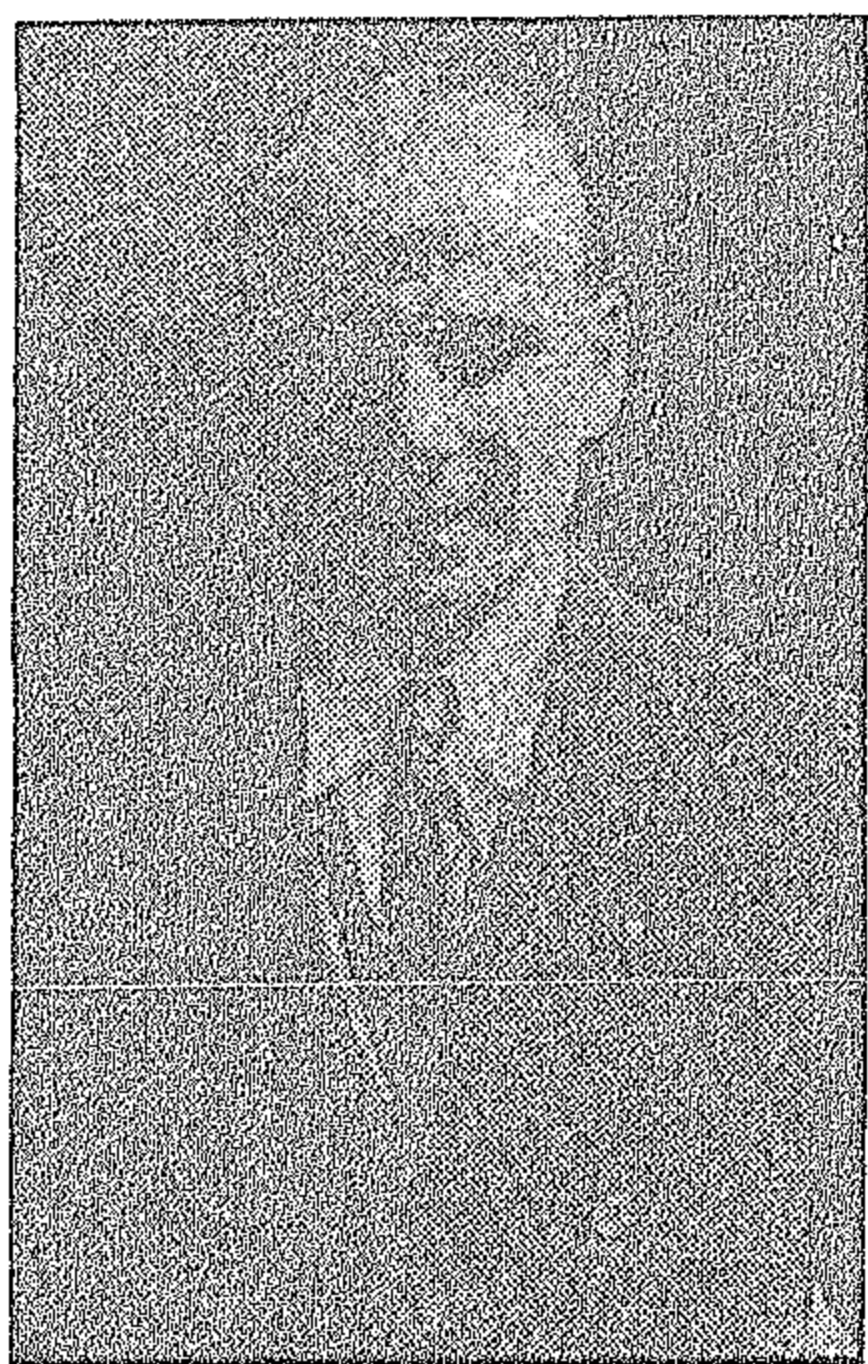
Bangert, reputed as being one of the foremost athletes in the college lived up to his reputation by contributing 3 points and aiding others to score. Besides utilizing his keen cage eye he was constantly in the thick of the mix-ups. Farber like Bangert assumed an important roll in the game. He led the team with four field goals.

Manz, Tell Menace Chicago Normal

There were but seven men in Armour's lineup, Simpson, Carlson, Rutkowski, Rossing, Ott, Manz, and Tell. Captain Johnny Manz and Bill Tell rivalled Farber and Bangert to the most noticeable extent. This duet of Armour cagemen led the team's scoring attack by ringing up some sixteen points. They were consistent with their attacks and cleverly executed many of the passing plays.

Simpson and Carlson, too, were by no means backward with their aggressiveness. Chicago Normal felt the sting of their onrush and always

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found them to be a pair of "butin-skies." Simpson later suffered a minor injury and was replaced by Ott who carried on the good work.

As relief center, Rossing proved to be a good find to fill Tell's shoes when the latter gasped for breath on the sidelines. Rossing showed good form at the pivot position and served as a good reinforcer in the lineup. Rutkowski, paired up with Johnny Manz at the guard position, served as a good mate for the captain and promises to be as important in the next voyage. Lineup:

Armour—	FG.	F.T.	P.
Simpson, rf.	0	1	3
Ott, rf.	0	0	1
Carlson, lg.	1	0	2
Tell, c.	3	1	3
Rossing, c.	1	0	1
Rutkowski, rg.	0	1	3
Manz, lg.	3	3	3
Chicago Normal—	FG.	F.T.	P.
Fralich, rf.	0	1	1
Bangert, rf.	1	2	1
Farber, lf.	4	2	1
Kupicenet, c.	1	0	4
Singer, rg.	2	1	4
Lind, lg.	0	0	0
O'Neil, lg.	0	3	3

Score: Armour 22, Chicago Normal 25.

ILLINI STUDENTS PROMOTE BETTER SPORTSMANSHIP

Whether or not the booing and hissing carried on by certain unsportsmanlike Illini students, during Big Ten basketball games should continue, was decided by a mass meeting of the students. The objective of this gathering was to arrive at a code whereby better sportsmanship might be shown toward officials and their opponents.

Father (exasperated): William, just what is the height of your ambition?

Willie: Since it interests you, Dad, I think she's a little over five feet.

—A. J.

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Jennings Ranks Fifth In City's Singles List, Is Second In Doubles

George Jennings, the w. k. Armour Tech net star, has been listed fifth in the Chicago City Tennis Ranking for Singles play, according to a rating published by the Ranking Committee of the Chicago Tennis Association.

Sixth Time For Lott

George Lott tops the list for the sixth successive year. Although Lott did not compete in the city and state outdoor tournaments, he returned to win easily in the indoor championships a short time ago, and so established his supremacy among local players.

It will be recalled that Jennings lost to Lott in three hard fought sets in the finals of the city indoor tournaments.

In the men's Doubles, Jennings is named second along with Ralph Rice, while J. Harris and Ellis Klingeman hold the first ranking.

The order of ranking in the singles is as follows:

- (1) George Lott, Jr.
- (2) Emmet Pare
- (3) Leroy Weir
- (4) George O'Connell
- (5) George Jennings, Jr.
- (6) Charles Lejeck
- (7) Elliss Klingeman
- (8) Jack Harris
- (9) Leo Lajack
- (10) A. Kaiser

Who Said the Scotch Aren't Liberal?

Phizz: Did you hear about the big party that Walt Healy, Izzie Klein, and Clem MacDonald threw the other night?

ICK: No, what happened?

Phizz: Oh, it seems each one had to bring something to the party, so Healy brought the wine, and Klein brought the glasses.

ICK: Yes, and what did Mac bring?

Phizz: Oh, he brought his brother!

Armour Pugs Begin 8 Meet Schedule Monday

On January 14, the Armour pugilists will open their schedule of eight meets in a contest with the West Side Prep School to be held in the home gym. Extensive preparations have been made by the candidates for the team in view of competing in the first meet, and according to Coach Garbett and Manager Briggs the keen competition makes the choice difficult as to those who should represent the engineers in the initial fray.

The men who have shown up the best to date are: Capt. Larkin, Buehling, Jammer, Whitfield, Briggs, Bryant, Nelson, Hallen, Goodheart, Landstrom, and Svardloff.

INTERFRATERNITY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Games Start January 14, 5:00 P. M.

- (1) Rho Delta Rho
- (2) Phi Kappa Sigma
- (3) Beta Psi
- (4) Kappa Delta Tau

- (4) Theta Xi
- (5) Delta Tau Delta
- (6) Phi Pi Phi
- (7) Sigma Alpha Mu
- (8) Triangle

Groups (1) and (4) play Monday, Jan. 14 at 5:00 P. M.

Groups (2) and (6) play Tuesday, Jan. 15 at 5:00 P. M.

Winners of groups (1) and (4) play (2) and (5) respectively, Jan. 21.

Semi-finalists in each bracket play Jan. 23.

Final game will be played on Jan. 24.

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