

## Over 100 Athletes Compete In First Invitational Meet

### Donald Paul Breaks Shot Put Record of Bartlett Gym

Over one hundred college and university athletes competed in the first annual Invitational Track Meet held in Bartlett Gym last Friday afternoon before a crowd of several hundred spectators. By taking eight first places out of eleven events, the University of Chicago track men easily proved their superiority to the other teams. The outstanding event of the afternoon came when Don Paul, of Armour, broke the gymnasium record for the shot-put when he heaved the 16-pound bullet a distance of 45 feet 8 5-8 inches, beating the old mark held by Buck Weaver, Chicago football star. Weaver came second in the event, followed by Libby of Chicago, who placed third. The old gymnasium record was 45 feet 3 inches.

Armour also showed up well in the two-mile run, taking three out of the five places. Smith, James, and Hodgson placed third, fourth and fifth respectively for Armour.

In the 440 yard run, Fox of Armour placed third, followed by Ransel of Armour, in the first of the quarter-mile races. In the second race, Sturm of Armour placed third. In the 880 yard run, Iverson and Timmermans of Armour placed fourth and fifth respectively.

Nelson of Butler easily defeated Sam Frey, Indoor Champion of the Big Ten, of Chicago, in the high jump. The Bulldog athlete scored on a leap of 5 feet 2 3-4 inches.

#### Summaries:

50-Yard Dash—Won by Root, Chicago; East, Chicago, 2nd; Gumm, Chicago, 3rd; Reynolds, Crane, 4th. Turner, Chicago Normal, 5th. Time, 0:05 6-10.

100-Yard Dash—Won by Letts, Chicago; Matchett, U. High, 2nd; Lawson, Joliet Junior College, 3rd. Time, 4:31.

200-Yard Dash—Won by Berndtson, Chicago; Holt, Chicago, 2nd; Goldman, Chicago, 3rd. Time, 4:36.

50-Yard High Hurdles—Won by Hayden, Chicago; Ballantine, Chicago, 2nd; Kraemer, Chicago, 3rd; Collier, Chicago, 4th. Time, 0:06 8-10.

50-Yard Low Hurdles—Won by Hayden, Chicago; Ballantine, Chicago, 2nd; Donovan, Beloit, 3rd; Kraemer, Chicago, 4th. Time, 0:06 4-10.

440-Yard Run (first race)—Won by Schulze, Chicago; Robinson, Chicago Normal, 2nd; Fox, Armour, 3rd; Ransel, Armour, 4th. Time 0:52 3-10.

440-Yard Run (second race)—Won by Livingston, Chicago; Hathaway, Chicago, 2nd; Sturm, Armour, 3rd. Time, 0:54.

Two-Mile Run—Won by Jackson, Chicago; Hayes, Lake Forest, 2nd; Smith, Armour, 3rd; James, Armour, 4th; Hodgson, Armour, 5th. Time, 10:02.

Half-Mile Run (first race)—Won by Williams, Chicago; Teitleman, Chicago, 2nd; Urist, Chicago, 3rd; Iverson, Armour, 4th; Timmermans, Armour, 5th. Time, 2:03.

Half-Mile Run (second race)—Won by Livingston, Chicago; Harlacher, Chicago, 2nd; Romin, Crane, 3rd; Muritz, Mooseheart, 4th. Time, 2:06.

220-Yard Dash—Won by Root, Chicago; Schulze, Chicago, 2nd; Brand, Chicago, 3rd; Hayden, Chicago, 4th; Cotton, Chicago, 5th. Time, 0:25 2-10.

High Jump—Won by Nelson, Butler; Lawrence, Mooseheart, Frey, Chicago, and Bedford, Chicago Normal, tied for 2nd. Height—6 feet 2 3-4 inches.

Shot Put—Won by Paul, Armour; Weaver, Chicago, 2nd; Libby, Chicago, 3rd; Cohen, Chicago, 4th; Reiwitz, Chicago, 5th. Distance, 45 ft.

## Armour Mermen Lose To "Y" College

Last Thursday the Armour mermen travelled to Y. M. C. A. College only to meet defeat by a score of 41-19. Three Records Broken by "Y"

The "Y" swimmers seemed to be in prime by breaking three of their school records in downing the Tech team. The results of the meet are as follows:

Relay—Smart, Mackie, Hipwell, Collett (Y), defeated McInerney, Vander Velde, Davidson and Cavanaugh (A).

100-yd. breast stroke—Won by Trognitz (A); Cavanaugh (A), second; Helen (Y), third.

40-yd. free style—Collett (Y), first; Smart (Y), second; Chapman (A), third.

100-yd. free style—Knox (A), first; Hipwell (Y), second; Loerch (Y), third.

40-yd. back stroke—Won by Mackie (Y); Chapman (A), second; Hipwell (Y), third.

220 ft. free style—Won by Collett (Y); Loerch (Y), second; Davidson (A), third.

Diving—Won by McNabb (Y); Kennedy (Y), second; Strauch (A), third.

### Quadrangular Meet On Today's Swim Schedule

Armour, "Y" College, Crane, and Chicago Normal swimmers will meet today in a quadrangular meet at "Y" College, the first event due to run off at 2:30 P. M., according to J. J. Zolad, '30, Mgr.

All are evenly matched with the probable result that the winner will not be known until the last event is run off. The Armour swimmers this season are experiencing a hard luck campaign in that some of the members of the team have been at some time laid up with injuries or sickness—but those who are out are displaying the spirit which is always good for the extra yards.

### Blaze Destroys Naperville Gym

A fire of unknown origin last week razed Nichols hall, which housed the gymnasium of the North Central college at Naperville and caused a loss estimated at \$80,000.

A men's dormitory, a wooden structure adjoining the gymnasium building escaped unscathed as did the main college building about 100 feet from Nichols hall.

The gymnasium building is familiar to the members of the A. I. T. basketball team, since that is where the regular games with North Central college are held.

The alarm was raised by students in the dormitory, who were awakened by the smell of smoke. Naperville fire companies rushed to the scene, but were unable to make any headway against the flames.

The ruined structure, which had stood for nearly twenty-two years, was the gift of a prominent Naperville citizen after whom it was named.

E. E. Rall, president of the college, announced that plans had been under way before the first to erect a new fieldhouse to cost \$300,000, to replace the old gym.

8 5-8 inches. (New gym record). Pole Vault—Won by Johns, Lombard; Bangert, Chicago Normal, 2nd; Cowley, Chicago, 3rd; Klass, Crane, 4th; Huck, Lake Forest, 5th. Height, 11 feet 2 inches.

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## Augustana Wins In Return Tilt, 36-22

Last Saturday night Augustana outpointed Armour in the second tilt staged between the two teams this season. The verdict was handed at the Augustana Gym by a 36-22 score.

Apple, right forward of the opposing team, kept his teammates spurred with a fighting spirit during the entire conflict. His consistent volley of shots that netted his team thirteen points, gave Augustana the edge over Armour that added impetus to their joyous struggle.

Augustana's cheerfulness brought on Armour's gloom and as a result the cagemen failed to function at par. At no time did they threaten to oust their hosts from the lead and the only serious stabs came in when either Augustine or Rossing located the basket from mid floor.

This game unlike the last game with Augustana featured no scoring ace. It will be remembered that Augustana scarcely avoided defeat in that game when Armour crept up from behind and came within two points of winning the game in the final two minutes of play.

Augustine, right guard, played the stellar game by contributing six points and by aiding the Manz-Rossing-Simpson combination to score the 16 points that brought Armour's total to 22.

AUGUSTANA			ARMOUR		
Appl. rf.	B. F. P.		Manz, rf.	B. F. P.	
Corey, lf.	3	0	Ott, rf.	0	0
Thoman, c.	4	2	Simpson, lf.	1	0
Mason, c.	0	0	Ewing, lf.	0	0
Coan'n, rg.	2	3	Rossing, c.	3	0
Alvine, lg.	0	0	Robin, c.	1	0
	15	6	Aug'e, rg.	2	3
			Goodk't, lg.	0	2
			Rutk'ski, lg.	0	1
				8	6

#### FLASK AND BEAKER

Flask and Beaker, chemical club, held a smoker at the Phi Kappa Sigma House last Thursday. Five Sophomores as well as many of the alumni attended. Entertainment and smokes were plentifully supplied.

## KRAFFT GIVES BATTERY STAFF FAST WORKOUT

Despite the Alaskan weather that promises to keep the ground hog in its cozy den for a few more weeks, Coach Krafft has already taken the initial steps towards organizing the 1929 baseball team.

**Battery Workouts**  
During the past few weeks our mentor has taken command of his battery artists and is giving them a portion of the pre-season workout. The work during the practice sessions was rather light and constituted the pitching and receiving phase of the game.

**Veterans Back**  
Twelve pitchers and a half dozen catchers compose the recruiting staff of ambitious proteges who have made their bids for a regular's berth on the squad. With the return of "King" Simpson and Stehno, last year's hurling duet; and Yount and Link, the receivers, Krafft has occasioned little worry over his mound prospects.

These men performed with the team last year and served as the big cogs in the machine that annexed ten victories in the fifteen games played. Now the appearance of fourteen more candidates only brightens the outlook for another lucrative season.

**More Material Needed**  
Krafft can easily make use of two more hurlers and a pair of catchers. By reviewing the squad of baseballers, he envisages the possibilities of acquiring the other four playmates without much difficulty. He has no restriction, however, on the number he will accept and if more than four fulfill the qualifications, no partiality will be shown, for all will enjoy the right to don the baseball togery.

Judging from last year's performances, Simpson's and Stehno's arms are sure to stimulate tremendous power to Armour's attacks. Both men are in the undergraduate class; and as tradition hands it, they should prove to be even more dangerous inasmuch as they have had less than one half of their college experience

## Armour Cagemen In Season's Last Game

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Four to Graduate

The fans who attend the game will witness four of Armour's cagemen in their last game under the Gold and Black colors. Captain Johnny Manz, Augustine, Ewing, and Goodheart are the four seniors who will discard the basketball togery after this game.

There is no doubt but what these men will endeavor to stage one of the best games of their career, and the fans who attend the conflict will be treated with all the ingredients that are ever dished out on the hardwood floors.

**THETA XI**  
Theta Xi announces the pledging of R. Doubt, '32, and J. C. Hansen, '32. Initiation week will be held soon for some of the freshmen.

**BETA PSI**  
A Valentine dance was given by the Beta Psi's Feb. 9, at their house. Beta Psi entertained a number of relatives and friends of the members and pledges Sunday, Feb. 17, at an afternoon tea. In the future these functions will be held quite frequently.

when they built up a reputation last year.

**To Dodge Hard Luck**  
The only item that Krafft will have to reckon with, as far as hurlers are concerned, is old man hard luck. This season's basketball squad surely felt the sting of gloom's unappreciative efforts. If our baseball nine suffer a similar misfortune, the fault then cannot be laid to Krafft's mound selections.

If weather conditions permit, Krafft will issue out his call for the other candidates to form the component parts of the entire team, in the latter part of March. Practice will then be held at Ogden Field. The schedule for the baseball team this spring will be printed in next week's issue of the NEWS.

## SEVEN PUGS WILL REPRESENT TECH AT U. OF ST. LOUIS

Seven picked Tech boxers will leave for St. Louis tomorrow at midnight to engage in a clash with the pugilists of the University of St. Louis. The match will be held Saturday evening, March 2, at eight P. M., instead of a week from Saturday, March 9, as first announced.

**Seven Names Announced**  
The men who are to make the journey are given below. The only choice not definitely known at the time the NEWS went to press was that of the bantam-weight, which was to be decided Tuesday evening by an elimination match in the gym between Sandstrom and Schlossberg.

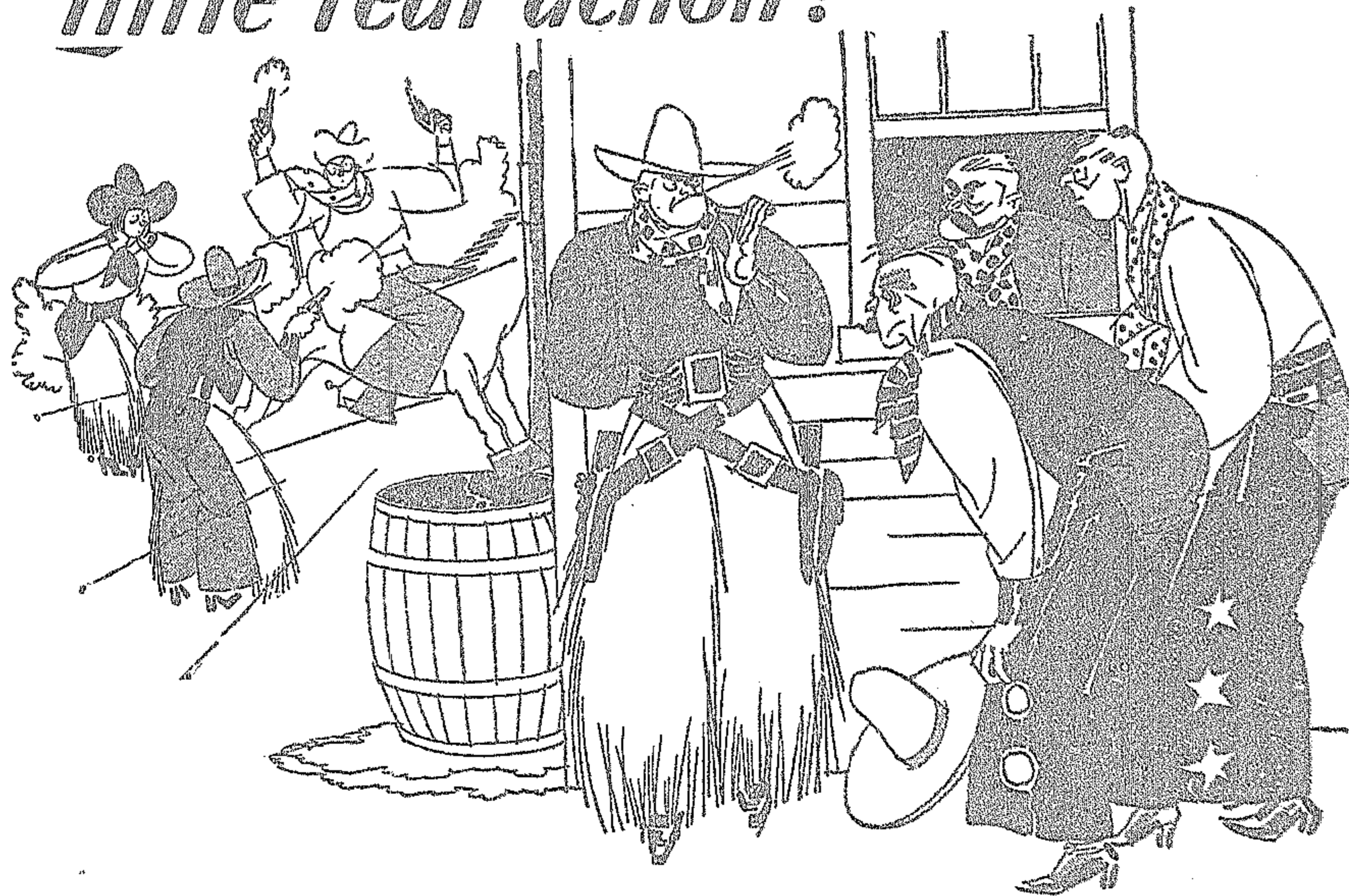
The fighters are:  
V. V. Poupitch, Heavyweight.  
W. S. Whitfield, Light Heavy.  
M. C. Larkin, Middleweight.  
N. D. Buhling, Welterweight.  
S. Schwarz, Lightweight.  
J. E. Taylor, Featherweight.  
Sandstrom or R. J. Schlossberg, Bantamweight.

The train, which leaves here Friday at midnight, is due to arrive in St. Louis at Seven A. M. in the morning. The lads will immediately be escorted by the St. Louis hosts to points of interest in that city. In the afternoon they will rest, to prepare themselves for the work waiting for them in the evening. The matches begin promptly at eight P. M. The team will catch the midnight train back to Chicago, and will arrive here early Sunday morning.

Besides the members of the team, the party will include the coach, the manager, and a faculty representative.

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