

Tomorrow
Is a
Holiday!

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Will Soon
Be Ready

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TECH BATMEN FACE STIFF 16 GAME SEASON

U. of C., Mich. State Normal,
Offer Competition On
1929 Schedule

The addition of three more games to the list of thirteen reported two weeks ago, completes Armour's 1929 baseball schedule. The latest bookings were made with "Y" College, Northwestern College, Watertown, Wisconsin, and the Alumni.

This year's schedule is regarded as one of the hardest ever drawn up by Armour. One big ten contest is in store when Armour meets the University of Chicago on April 16, and the games with Northwestern College, Lake Forest, Luther College, and Michigan State Normal will provide Armour with as much competition as any big ten team could offer.

Ten Wins Sufficient
If Armour can repeat last year's performance by winning ten games they will solve an almost impossibility, for this year's contestants represent the pick of the middle-west.

When Kraft issued his call for talent last week, he was stormed with a collection of some forty baseball enthusiasts. Kraft immediately ordered the men to display their wares out on the field while he observed their tactics and skillfulness. At present he is undecided as to which men will make the grade but he hopes to eliminate a good portion of the less qualified before the week is up.

Four Regulars Absent
All but four of last year's men have reported and are ready to resume activities with the 1929 team. But the four men who are staying away were among the best representatives in the 1928 squad. These men are Augustine, Isenberg, Jarvis, and Rossetti.

If Kraft cannot fill the vacancies left by these men, with upper classmen he will turn his thoughts to discovering the talent among the freshmen, for there are some fifteen fresh to select from.

The men that are making their bids for the baseball toggery are: Mueller, '32; A. Gent, '29, captain; S. M. Lind, '32; C. J. Griffin, '30; Hromada, '32; Wierzbowski, '32; Robin, '31; Buck, '32; Anderson, '31; Yount, '29; Klein, '29; V. Taylor, '32; Barnett, '32; Mago, '31; Grundstrom, '32; Johnston, '30; Goldman, '31; Simpson, '30; Garen, '30; Owen, '32; Stehno, '31; Fischer, '32; Cannell, '32; Pepe, '32; Ackerman, '32; Reichle, '31; Kutteruff, '31; Carlson, '32; Weldon, '31; Link, '31; Edstrand, '29; Jennings, '29; Hauser, '31.

COMPLETE SCHEDULE
April 11—Crane Junior College at Armour.
April 16—University of Chicago at Midway Field.
April 18—Chicago Normal College at Armour.
April 22—Lake Forest College at Armour.
April 26—Luther College of Decorah Iowa at Armour.
April 27—"Y" College at Chicago U. Field.
May 2—DeKalb Normal College at Armour.
May 4—DeKalb Normal at DeKalb.
May 8—Northwestern College of Watertown at Armour.
May 10—Michigan State Normal at Ypsilanti, Michigan.
May 14—Lake Forest College at Lake Forest.
May 15—Armour vs. Alumni.
May 17—Michigan State Normal at Armour.
May 24—Luther College at Decorah, Iowa.
May 25—Northwestern College at Watertown, Wisconsin.
May 29—"Y" College at Armour.

CARLSON, '19, VISITS SCHOOL.
C. I. Carlson, president of the newly formed Aurora Armour Club, composed of alumni, students and friends of Armour, visited the school last Monday.
Mr. Carlson is a graduate of the Chemical engineering department, in the class of 1919.

FIRE DRILL DIRECTIONS MUST BE LEARNED BY STUDENTS AND FACULTY

The following letter distributed to the faculty by Dr. Raymond contains instructions regarding fire drills. Students are also requested to make note of and observe these instructions in all future fire drills.

March 25, 1929

To the Members of the Faculty,
Armour Institute of Technology,
Chicago, Illinois.

Gentlemen:

Fire Drills are now required in all schools and colleges. The ultimate penalty for their non-observance is the closing of the buildings. On the sounding of a fire signal the building MUST be vacated at once.

The fire alarm is a prolonged blast of the siren in the Main Building, and three rings of the bells in the other buildings. On hearing the alarm proceed as follows:

- (1) In Main Building, vacate the building at once.
- (2) In Machinery Hall, vacate the building at once.
- (3) In Chapin Hall, give attention to the next signal. If it is one ring, use the front stairways; if it is two rings, use the rear stairways.
- (4) In the Mission Building, vacate the building at once, using any stairway.

"Safety First" is most important, and therefore all should remember to proceed in an orderly manner in vacating the buildings. In all cases go some distance from the exit, say across the street, so that there will be no interference with the operations of the fire department.

It is necessary that all members of the faculty should be familiar with the signals so that they may at once inform the students as to the proper exits.

Each member of the faculty will please read this communication to each of his classes.

Your full co-operation in the above duties will be deeply appreciated.

H. M. RAYMOND, President.

MR. HENDERSON WILL HEAD NEW CANADIAN FIRM

Roy M. Henderson, '02, trustee, according to a letter received by president Raymond, plans to move to Canada in the near future. Mr. Henderson for the past several years has been connected with Dwight P. Robinson Co., in the position of Vice-President. This concern has merged with several other engineering companies to form a concern known as the United Engineers & Constructors. Mr. Henderson will take charge of the Canadian subsidiary known as the United Engineers and Constructors, Ltd., of Canada, as managing director. He will have complete charge of the Canadian concern.

He recently spent seven months in Europe, most of the time in Italy, but also visiting Switzerland, France and England. Before going to Europe, he spent several months in South America on business. He has been a member of the Board of Trustees from the Alumni since 1924. His present residence is in New York City.

Eight Juniors Now Wear Tau Beta Pins

Eight members of the junior class were pledged to the Tau Beta Pi National Honorary Engineering fraternity at a smoker held last night in the fraternity rooms in Chapin Hall. Refreshments and bridge were on the program. The following are the new members who were honored: Carl G. Anderson, M. E., '30; Edmund H. Chun, C. E., '30; Henry W. Faulstick, M. E., '30; Alfred C. Gunther, F. P. E., '30; Arthur T. Martin, Ch. E., '30; Roland M. Spencer, M. E., '30; Marvin A. Tennyson, E. E., '30; Frank O. Zimmerman, E. E., '30.

Fire Protects Held Meeting Yesterday

The Fire Protection Engineering Society held a meeting in Science Hall at 9:30 yesterday morning. The speaker for the morning was David W. Shand, from Marsh and McLennan, Insurance Brokers, who spoke on the subject, "Casualty Insurance, What Is It?"

FAMOUS MEXICAN BROTHER-IN-LAW OF YZAGUIRRE, '31

Ex-Sec. of War Comes Here
In Private Car To See
Soph Chemical

Joaquin Amaro, ex-Secretary of War of the United States of Mexico, stopped in Chicago Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 22 to 24, to visit his brother-in-law, Manual Yzaguirre, '31, Ch. E., on his way to Rochester, Minnesota, to have an operation performed on an injured eye. Yzaguirre accompanied his brother-in-law to Rochester in order to be with him during the operation, but is expected back sometime around the end of this week.

General Amara, who has been Secretary of War under the last three presidents of Mexico, is a veteran warrior and soldier. He was in charge of the Jalisco campaign in 1923, and other Mexican campaigns. He had planned personally to direct the present campaign against the rebels, but was unfortunate enough to have an eye injured while finding recreation in a jai alai game. This serious injury forced him to resign at a moment when his services were most needed by his country. Ex-President Calles, a close personal friend, was appointed to fill his place, while General Amaro was rushed north to Chicago in his private car, in the hope that expert medical aid might save his eyesight. He was here with his brother-in-law for three days; then they went on to Rochester, Minnesota, to the clinic of the Mayo brothers. Here it was decided, that for him to recover, it would be necessary to remove the eye. This operation was performed on Thursday, March 21. His condition has rapidly improved and Manual has decided that it will be possible for him to return to school at the end of this week.

As soon as the first outbreak of war occurred, Yzaguirre tried to get into communication with his relatives in (Continued on page 3)

Picture Day Proves Popular With Studes

Last Thursday, March 24, photographers stole upon the school and as silently stole away at the close of the day. It was Picture Day—and there wasn't even a rain cloud in the offing. It looked like a circus came to town, but there were no ring-masters or fakery; only photographers. Students in white pants and black ties, denoting their musical inclinations, paraded the streets and preferred standing to sitting on the campus grounds.

Cycle Pictures
The purpose of this gala occasion was to secure pictures of all the school organizations at Armour for publication in this year's Cycle. The photographer, who accomplished the task without any mishap, was Mr. Miller of the Mabel Sykes Studios.

Run on Schedule
The pictures were taken at the scheduled time and many tardy students were disappointed because of their late arrival. The place of action being the Ogden Field, in the course of the day experienced a few side-shows, among them being an uncensored one-act presentation in the form of a friendly tussle between two Civils, culminating in one actor proceeding to aid the other in the removal of his apparel, much to the pleasure of the by-standers, who at this moment circled around the contestants to shield them from public view.

W. S. E. Will Hear Talk On "Dams"

Mr. J. S. Bowman will speak today on "Dams in General" to the W. S. E. in Room B, Mission, at 11:30. Sophomore, Junior, and Senior Civils are excused from classes so that they may attend. All others not having classes are invited.

W. N. ALDERMAN GIVEN FIRST PRIZE BY SCARAB FRATERNITY IN NATIONAL TRAVELING EXHIBIT

E. Goldenburg Also Given Mention In Annual Sketch
Problem Promoted By Scarab Fraternity
To Promote Sketching

METHOD OF ENTRANCE FOR ARMOUR MEN GIVEN

1ST NEWS STAFF SMOKER DRAWS TWENTY-SEVEN

A smoker was held for members of the NEWS Staff, last Friday evening at the Beta Psi house.

About 27 active or prospective members of the staff, and Professor Hendricks, faculty adviser of the NEWS, were present.

After an hour spent in various amusements, the staff was called together for a short business meeting, the first to be held this semester.

Paper's Progress Reviewed
John Hommes, '29, editor-in-chief, gave in informal talk, starting with the first inception of the paper, and going on through to the plans for the future.

The processes through which the news goes through, from the assignment of reporters, the typewritten copy being turned in to the news-editor's desk, then galley proofs, later the dummy, and finally the printed proof sheets.

The spots in the organization where improvement is most necessary, to which are due the delays in the preparation of the paper, were pointed out. Elimination of these will relieve certain members of the staff of much work late at night, heretofore necessary for bringing the paper out on schedule.

Professor Hendricks Thanked
In closing tribute was paid to the work of various people and the support of the student body, permitting the publishing of a successful paper. Especial attention was called to the work of Prof. Hendricks, to whose influence and untiring work, it may be said the establishment of the paper became a reality in place of a suppressed desire. A vote of appreciation was tendered him by the staff.

More Smokers Planned
At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served, and the discussion broke up in to smaller groups. The smoker was a success from all views and it is planned to hold them more often, possibly monthly if the time may be secured.

Instructors To Judge Arch Sweater Designs

Messrs. R. Suter and J. Petersen, instructors in Architectural Design, will judge the architectural insignias submitted for the freshman architectural sweater on Wednesday, March 27, 1929.

Each freshman is allowed to submit two designs. The winner will receive a free sweater. As soon as the winning design is picked, the committee consisting of I. Ackerman, chairman; W. Buck, R. Fairbanks, and H. P. Richter will visit different companies and make suitable arrangements for the distribution of the sweaters.

Trognitz Will Swim In Meet At St. Louis

Trognitz, captain of the Armour swimming team, will leave today for the National Intercollegiate Swimming Meet which is to be staged at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

The preliminaries will be run on Friday and the finals Saturday. Trognitz is to perform in the 220 yd. breast stroke, and should end some place near the leaders.

In the national meet last year at Philadelphia, Trognitz placed sixth.

The Scarab Annual Traveling Sketch Exhibit, which is collected each by one of the temples of the fraternity, was on exhibition at the Art Institute for the past week.

W. N. Alderman, '30, won the Scarab Fraternity Prize, which was selected from the 150 drawings submitted by all 10 temples. The prize this year was an honorary one.

The following is the list of places awarded:

1st Prize—W. N. Alderman, Armour.

2nd Prize—Bauer, University of Southern California.

1st Mention—Penn State College.

2nd Mention—E. Goldenberg, Armour.

3rd Mention—Bauer, University of Southern California.

The purpose of the exhibit is to encourage more sketching in the various mediums, and to promote comparisons of work done along these lines at the various schools.

Anyone studying architecture at a school where there is a temple of Scarab is eligible to have his sketches shown in the exhibit.

The method of selecting the sketches at various schools differs. At Armour they are sketched as follows:

Next fall there will be a judgment of all water color and life sketches which have received an award or mention or higher in the regular school judgments. Twelve sketches will be selected from this group to represent Armour in the Scarab Annual Sketch Exhibit of '29-'30. From these twelve sketches the best one will be picked at a local judgment, and the author will receive an architectural book of the Pencil Points Library as a prize.

The twelve sketches selected in this preliminary competition will then be sent to the University of Minnesota, where they will be judged with similar sketches from other schools.

In this final competition two prizes of \$25.00 each will be awarded, one for the best water color sketch and the other for the best sketch in any other medium. After the judgment, the entire collection will be on exhibit at each competing school for a definite length of time. This year the sketches were collected by the George Washington University of Washington, D. C.

5 Year Old Son of Prof. Griffith Hurt

The five year old son of James R. Griffith, Assistant Professor of Hydraulics and Sanitary Engineering in the Civil Department, received a fractured skull when he fell some distance into the boiler room of the apartment building where Professor Griffith resides with his family. The accident occurred last Saturday. The boy was rushed to a hospital, where at first his condition was believed to be serious. However, later Professor Griffith was assured that his son would recover.

Firestone Man Has Good Word For A.I.T.

A letter was received in the Alumni Office by Mr. Warren G. MacCaffery from Robert A. Krantz, from the office of the vice-president of the Firestone Rubber Co. Mr. Krantz stated that he was very favorably impressed with several of the members of the Senior class which he interviewed last week, concerning employment.

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Assemblies Are Worth Attending

Student assemblies at Armour Tech have long been occasions of extreme interest to the majority of the student body. One of the important reasons for their popularity is the fact that in nearly all cases the speaker is a man of undoubted prominence who never fails to have a message of interest for the students, and who usually tells it in an interesting manner.

The assemblies are ordinarily arranged through the personal efforts of President Raymond. Some of the speakers consent to speak without pay, though in a good many cases Dr. Raymond incurs considerable expense in securing a speaker, a fact not generally realized by the students. The speakers, being prominent men, are very busy, and hence considerable difficulty is often experienced in arranging a time suitable for both the students and the speaker. Once the speaker is secured, the assembly is considered by the office as being of greater value than the regular classes, and hence classes are excused in its favor.

Such are the facts regarding the assemblies. But as with everything else, the deplorable action of a few will always take away the joy of a good thing. In the case of the assemblies, it is the few who find the assembly hour an occasion to do as they please, that require reprimanding.

Just as the speakers is arriving these disinterested students can be seen walking up the street, headed for the "house," downtown, home, or anywhere but the assembly. A certain percentage regularly absents itself, and since they go so seldom, they never realize what they are missing.

We do not believe it is because these students are willfully unmannerly that they fail to attend. We rather attribute it to thoughtlessness on their part. But after Dr. Raymond has gone to such effort and expense to secure speakers who are interesting, and after the speaker puts himself out to meet his engagement, it is the least the students can do simply to attend.

Let's Hear Your Opinion

A suggestion has been received from one of the readers of the NEWS who is enjoying the faculty sketches and biographies that instead of taking them in rotation, as has been the plan until now, we throw he names into a hat and pick the next one at random.

The argument favoring this method was that in so doing we would add an element of suspense to the series, since no one would know from week to week who was going to be the next professor put on the carpet. Another side in favor of such a plan would be the fact that some of the newer and lesser-known men would very likely get their turn along with those known to everyone in the school.

The idea sounds like a good one. We're willing to carry it out if we can find a few more of the same opinion. We wonder what some of the faculty members themselves think about the idea. Some contributions to the LETTER-BOX on this subject would certainly be welcomed. Articles dropped in the large box hanging from the side of the elevator in the Main Building will reach the NEWS staff.

Our grand business undoubtedly is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what clearly lies at hand. —Carlyle.

Animals are such agreeable friends—they ask no questions, they pass no criticisms. —George Eliot.

THE SLIPSTICK
Cleave to "The Slipstick"; let the Slipstick fly where it may.

Immortal Poetry

The call of spring is lurking Beneath yon skies of blue. I do not feel like working, In fact, I never do. —Phil J.

Did She Love Him?
He: Do you pet?
She: Sure—animals.
He: Go ahead, I'll be the goat. —Freddie.

A certain chap indignantly denied that he was drunk when the policeman found him sleeping in the street. The judge fined him twenty and costs for parking more than a foot from the curb.

All Things Come to Him Who Waits
Soph: Will your parents be surprised when you graduate?
Senior: No, they've been expecting it for years. —F. B. A.

For those who desire extra credit, we offer this experiment—(Object)—To determine the co-efficient of viscosity of an aspirin tablet when the expansion is given in terms of the fourth dimension, and using sodium sodiate as the dogalizer.

(Procedure)—The sodium sodiate (the sodiate will not ionize) is put into solution with a pair of insulated frog's legs to see if they will change into pig's feet. If they do, after homogeneity has been reached by rapid stirring, being careful not to move any molecules of the liquid, we may immediately conclude the experimenter is inebriated.

When the solution is in equilibrium, and the resultant has been transformed into its components, then, and not before are the rheostats turned off. If the solution is the color of the borealis (latitude 45 degree 62 feet) we conclude the solution has a chemical factor of—750 micromhos. But if the resulting compound explodes, killing the experimenter, we then conclude that an accident has occurred. —The Bongineer.

The fact that his big and supposedly adored brother was home from college had been concealed from Tommy. "Son," said his mother, "I have a big surprise for you." "Aw, I know what it is" he said, "brother's home." "Why, how did you guess that?" "Cause my bank won't rattle any more."

Real Sensitive!
I caught a bad cold last night.
How come?
I slept out in the yard and left the gate open. —Phil J.

Ain't Civilis Rude?
She: Don't you think that the water rushing over the spillway is beautiful?
He: Yes, isn't that dam pretty.

Just to Show That Chemistry Is Useful
"What you need, Madam," said the physician to his fashionable patient, "is oxygen. Come every afternoon for your inhalations. They will cost you five dollars each." "There," said the lady, "I just knew the other doctor didn't know his business. He told me all I needed was plain fresh air."

One of the very clever architects was going in the Art Institute the other day and he felt like having some fun with the attendant. "How often do you feed those two big lions," he asked the fellow. "Oh, we feed them every time they roar."

Where's the Birdie?
Do you know what my girl told me last night?
No.
Who told you? —Freddie.

Try This One
Prof: Can you prove the theorem of superfluous limits?
Stude: I don't have to. I admit it.

Red in the face, and breathless with excitement the suburban resident rushed into the police station and exclaimed, "They say that you've caught the man who broke into my house last night?" "Do you want to see him," asked the sergeant. "Do I want to?" replied the man. "I want to know how he got into the house without waking my wife. I've been trying to do that for years."

Sophomore: Are your manners good? How do you eat your meals?
Pledge: One at a time.

It was so warm last week we began to count. But gosh, there's nine weeks left. And the U. of C. has a whole week's vacation. Write your congressman at once. —Al.

Have you heard about the fellow in English, when asked what he knew about Sherlock Holmes, suggested that it was one of them sub-divisions? —Woopsie.

Prof. Ensz: Don't whistle when you're working.
Soph Civil: I'm not working. I just whistle.

Once a Hoosier



Prof. Geo. L. Scherger (A Biographical Sketch)

By Stephen Janiszewski, '30. Professor George Lawrence Scherger was born in Lawrenceburg, Indiana, a town on the Ohio River, October 21, 1874. After receiving his elementary and high school education, completing the latter in two years, he attended the University of Indiana. He graduated from there at the age of nineteen, receiving his A. B. degree, after completing the four year course in two years. The following three years were spent in Europe, studying at the University of Leipzig and the University of Berlin. In

Paris, he studied with Paulsen and Wundt. Returning to America in 1899, Prof. Scherger studied during that year at Cornell University, obtaining his Ph. D. degree.

At the age of twenty-five, Prof. Scherger made a notable contribution to the science by writing upon "The Evolution of Modern Liberty." In the same year his name appeared in "Who's Who."

In 1899, Dr. Scherger came as an instructor to the Armour Institute when the History Department was created for him by Dr. Gunsaulus. He is now Professor and Head of the History Department, teaching History, Political Science and Public Speaking.

Prof. Scherger does a great deal of outside lecturing, being a veteran speaker. At the age of ten he addressed his first audience. He has lectured at the Hyde Park Center and the Germania Club. At present he is a lecturer at the National Kindergarten and Elementary College and also a Professor at the Columbia College of Expression. Beside his book, Prof. Scherger has written numerous papers and reviews and, at present, is engaged in writing a series of biographical sketches for the Progressive Magazine.

Prof. Scherger has been pastor and superintendent of the Armour Mission for seventeen years. He visits Europe yearly. The cities of Rome, Paris and London are known to him like Chicago. Prof. Scherger speaks a number of foreign languages. He is fond of music and plays the piano, pipe-organ and cello. He owns a four-hundred acre farm in Michigan.

In 1899, Prof. Scherger married Bertha Mittlestaedt, of Berlin, Germany. He has three sons, one of whom graduated from the Chemical Department at the Armour Institute in 1921.

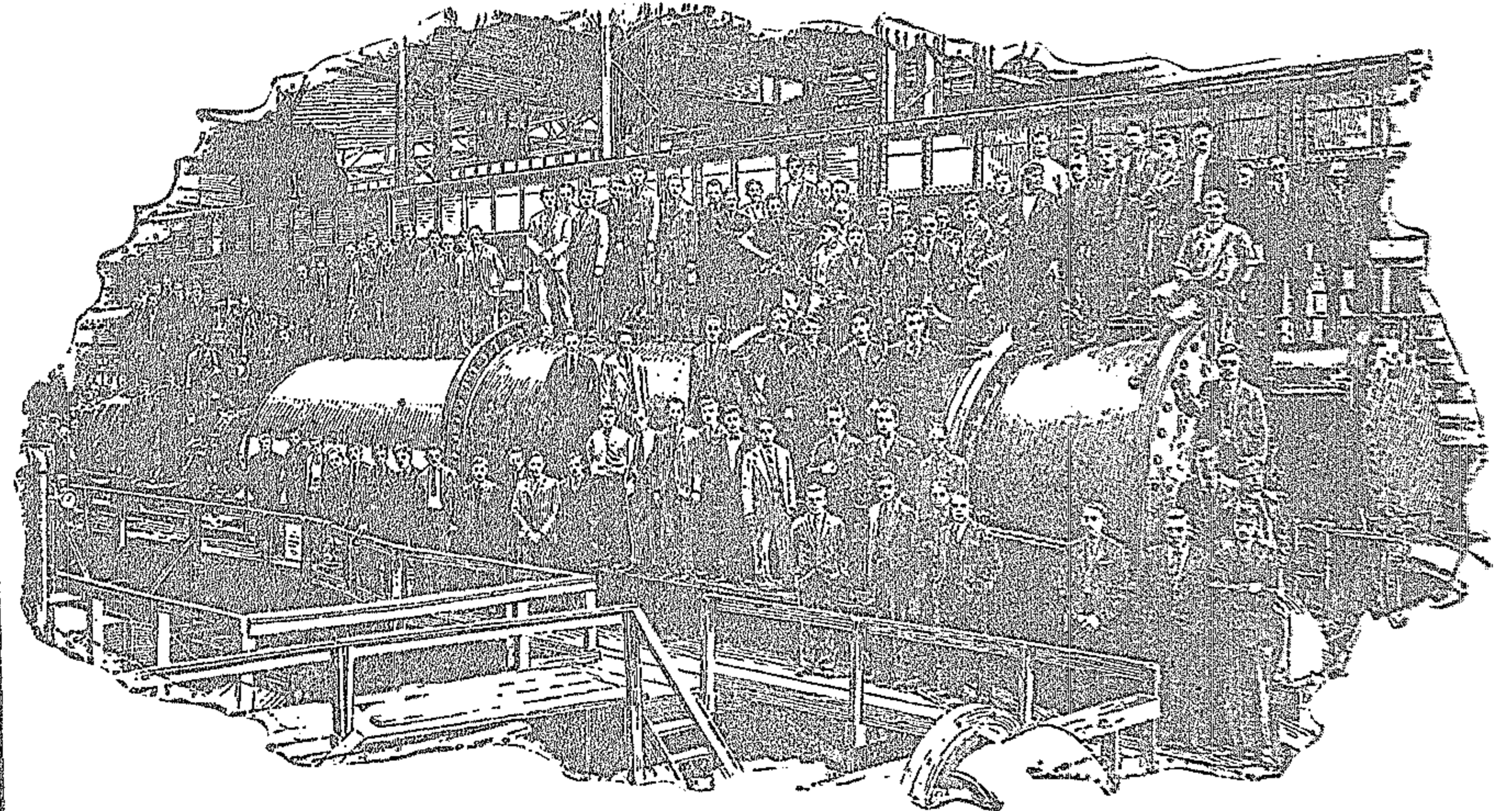
B. Dudley Leaves For Staff of QST

B. Dudley, '31, recently left Armour to take a position on the staff of QST, the official magazine of the American Radio Relay League, with headquarters in Hartford, Conn. He will have charge of the Experimenter's Section and the Technical Information Service Desk. His work will consist largely of correspondence with practical amateurs who want information on any subject closely or remotely connected with radio.

Dudley has done this kind of work before, having written for the Radio Section of the Post, besides answering all the questions which that newspaper received regarding radio. He continued to hold this position during his first two years at the Institute until the Post discontinued this feature. Since then he has been working nights for the A. T. and T. testing their lines. He was also Organization Editor on this year's Cycle Staff. The fact that he is still intensely interested in our publications is shown by his request that the NEWS, the Cycle, and the Engineer be forwarded to him at Hartford.

He would appreciate hearing from any of his friends and mail addressed care of the American Radio Relay League, Hartford, Conn., will reach him. His present home address is 31 South Highland St., Hartford.

Dr. Scherger was one of the founders of the National Historical Society and is a member of the American Historical Association, National Political Association, Society Education and the Chicago Council for the Promotion of Engineering (Continued on page 3)



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Post-Graduate Scholarships Are Open To Seniors

On the southern bulletin board in the Main Building are posted, from time to time, announcements of graduate scholarships which are open to Armour students. The posters state the types of scholarships offered, eligibility requirements and application details. A dozen or more such schools offer courses for the engineering professions, among these being Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the Universities of Illinois, Wisconsin, Chicago, and Cincinnati, Chicago Normal College, Columbia University, Northwestern University, the Harvard Club of Chicago and the American-Scandinavian Foundation.

The purpose of the fellowships, scholarships and assistantships is to assist students in pursuing courses of study, to conduct engineering research and to extend and strengthen the field of graduate work in engineering. The courses carry with them an annual stipend of limited amounts of money and usually freedom from certain fees, depending upon the requirements of the individual schools. The nominations are made by the Scholarship Directors from applications which are generally received with the recommendation of the Dean of the applicant's school. The awards are based primarily upon the character, scholastic attainments, and promise of success in the principal line of study or research to which the candidate proposes to devote himself. In some courses preference is given to applicants who have had some practical engineering experience following the completion of the undergraduate work.

A wide range of choice in many engineering courses is given to the undergraduate who contemplates obtaining a scholarship to do research work and to continue his graduate study, which in turn leads to Master's and Doctor's Degrees.

With the additional education and research the purpose of these advanced courses is to produce a high type of engineer trained in the humanities as well as in the fundamental of his profession.

Wherein News Office Drama Is Enacted

Late Monday night in the News office. Copy piled high on every possible flat surface. Up jumps the news editor, all out of breath from reading one of the thrilling accounts of the track meets.

Makes Whoopee
He is shouting. He is usually doing that, so no one pays much attention. Finally there is a lull in type-writer slamming; and the make-up editor stops hollering for his beloved dummy.

In the sudden stillness, his voice rings out, "Where is that NEWS Smoker write up?" Still more silence. "Who was that assigned to?" It seems that no one was assigned, but to get the last word in, he answers himself saying, "It's a wonder with 27 reporters present at an event so important some one wouldn't write it up."

Yzaguirre, '31, is Visited By Notable

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Mexico City, but the rebels had blocked all communication. When it was finally possible to get messages through, he inquired if he might come home to take part in the campaign, but received an emphatic negative answer from his brother-in-law. Yzaguirre has partaken in several campaigns, and considers himself more or less qualified to help.

General Amaro, according to word received from Yzaguirre, is very impatient to get back into action, now that he is on the road to recovery. As soon as he is physically able, he will return in his private railroad car to Mexico City.

The progress of General Calles in the direction of the Federal forces in the war has been closely followed by all of the American newspapers.

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Inquiring Reporter

Question: What is your hobby?

George Baker, '30, E. E.: Commercial motion picture operating is my hobby. I have been interested in this work for the last ten years.

Leo Striker, '31, Ch. E.: I'm a general collector of stamps. My collection of German stamps is fairly complete.

T. A. McGill, '32, E. E.: Whenever I have time I putter about my radio.

John G. Papantony, '30, E. E.: Telephones, they always seem to be on my mind.

William Egan, '29, Ch. E.: Basketball is my hobby.

Fred Rasmussen, '30, C. E.: I have no hobby, I'm sorry to say.

R. D. Courtney, '30, C. E.: Diligently applying "Bernoulli."

R. R. Williams, '30, C. E.: Women, women, and more women.

DR. GEO. L. SCHERGER

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of Foreign Relations. He is also a member of the following clubs: Executives, University, Germania and the City Club.

For the last thirty years, Prof. Scherger has come in contact with every Armour student in his delightful history classes and lectures. The enjoyment derived from his classes will be stored in the students' memories. A learned scholar, an ardent student of history, and a most popular instructor, Dr. Scherger's philosophy is carried into practice by the Armour Engineers.

The Armour Branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers will hold their bi-annual Smoker on Wednesday, April 10, at the Delta Tau Delta House.

Entertainment will be furnished by the members and Eta Kappa Nu pledges. The spring smoker is always given by the Junior Electricals in honor of the graduating Seniors and will be in charge of John Papantony, who promises an innovation to delight the Electricals and Professors.

Mr. Lamkin, of the New York office of the Union Carbide and Carbon Co., made a visit to Armour for the purpose of interviewing several Seniors. These men filled out applications, but no definite news has been received as yet concerning their acceptance.

PI TAU SIGMA

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PI TAU SIGMA

Pi Tau Sigma, honorary mechanical society, announces the pledging of the following men:
R. Johnston, '30
R. Spencer, '30
C. Voptech, '30

FRATERNITY NOTES

DELTA TAU DELTA

Delta Tau Delta is having its "Annual Ladies' Day" on Thursday, March 28, 1929, 12:30 p. m. On this day all of the ladies from the Institute are invited over to lunch.

DELTA TAU DELTA

Delta Tau Delta wishes to announce the initiation of the following men:

- C. Barber, Arch., '32
- H. Holt, F. P. E., '31
- J. Jackson, F. P. E., '32
- A. Lenke, F. P. E., '31
- J. Lunde, Arch., '32
- P. Malm, M. E., '31
- A. Mell, Arch., '31
- G. Schodde, F. P. E., '32
- R. Zane, E. E., '32

PHI PI PHI

Phi Pi Phi Fraternity wishes to announce the initiation of the following men:

- W. Buck
- G. Erland
- S. Grundstrom
- A. Mueller
- J. Owen
- V. Taylor

PI TAU SIGMA

Pi Tau Sigma, honorary mechanical engineering fraternity, wishes to announce the pledging of the following Juniors:

- Roland M. Spencer
 - Charles F. Voptech
 - Robert B. Johnston
- A smoker was held in their honor a week ago Wednesday, March 20, in the Eta Kappa Nu rooms in Chapin Hall. Professors Perry, Gebhardt and Peebles were present.

PHI KAPPA SIGMA

The Phi Kaps entertained last Saturday evening with a Bar Dance. Sad to relate, only pop could be obtained over the bar.

The chapter was very pleased to have as guests representatives of some of the other fraternities besides a good number of alumni.

RHO DELTA RHO

Rho Delta Rho announces the pledging of:
M. W. Morowitz, '32
H. F. Slavitt, '32

TRIANGLE

Chris Wiepking, the national secretary and treasurer of Triangle fraternity, visited Armour chapter last Friday. The purpose of his visit was to inspect the chapter and then rate it with the other chapters throughout the country.

Saturday, March 23, was a red letter day for Triangle. The long lost plaque, which was mysteriously removed from the front of the house, has been mysteriously returned.

PHI LAMBDA UPSILON

Phi Lambda Upsilon, honorary chemical fraternity, held a pledging smoker at its rooms Thursday, March 21. The following men were pledged:
John J. Zolad, '30
Leslie J. Ferguson, '30

Among the alumni present at a neophyte banquet held at the house on Sunday, March 24, were: A. C. Kettler, J. G. Parker, H. J. Prebensen, L. O. Castle.

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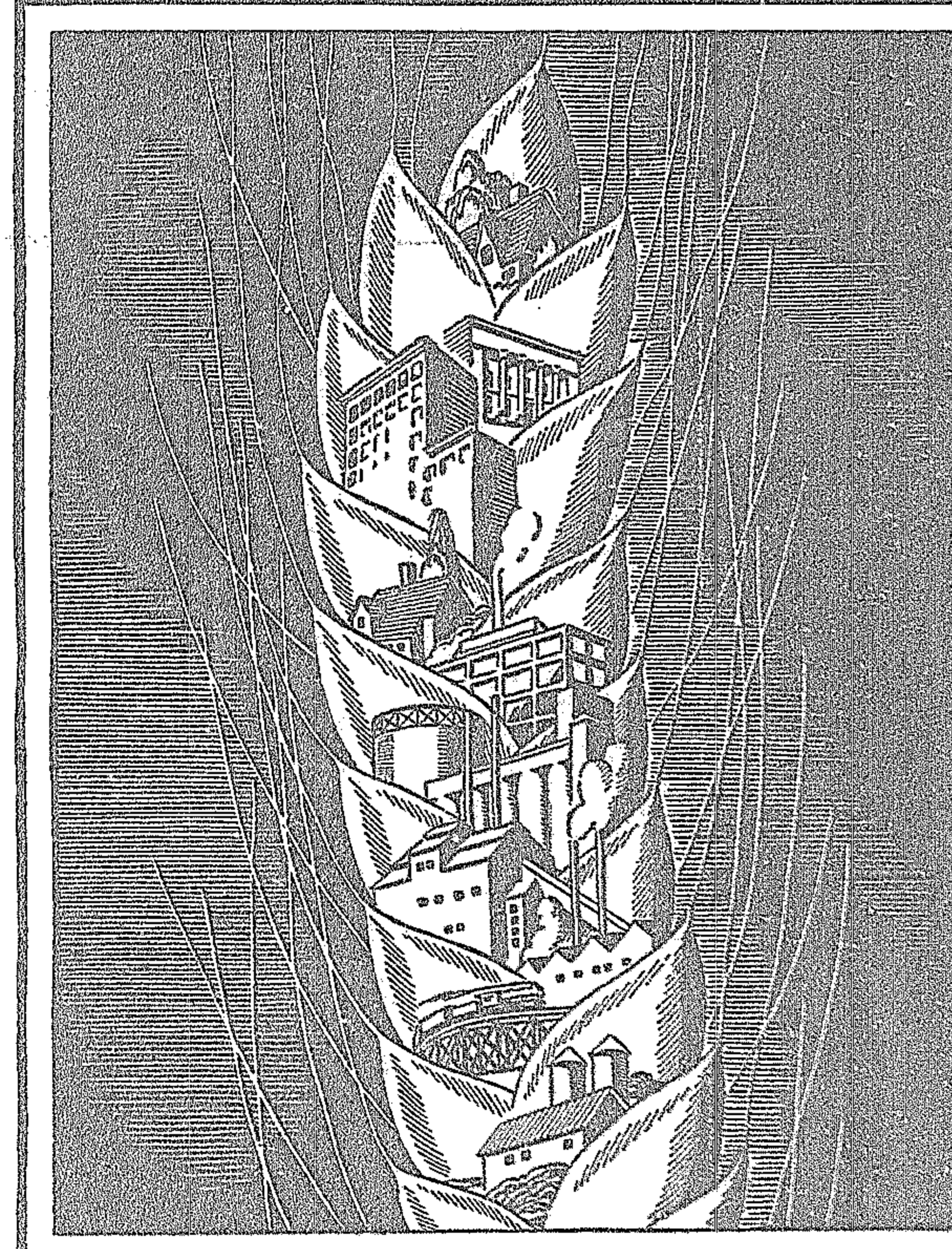
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BOXING TEAM SCARES CULVER; BUT LOSES 8-2

Two Matches Lost Because of Ignorance of C. M. A. Rules

Armour's 48 rounds of fighting, featuring ten individual fights against the Culver Military Academy last Saturday at Culver, turned out in favor of the cadets by a 8-2 decision. However one sided the score may seem it is safe to say that Armour was well represented in the meet, and it was only the case of breaks that decided th day's events.

Boxing Rules Violated

Three of the fights were prolonged for an extra round. Two of these extended battles were lost, while only one went to Armour's man. But the two fights that were lost in the fourth round were not lost because our men failed in their struggle, but because of a misunderstanding of the rules.

The inter-collegiate rulings on overtime fights provide that the extra round should last two minutes. Coach Garbett was under the impression that the rulings were adhered to in the fights, and as a result instructed his pugs to ease-up in the first minute of the fourth round and to open their slashing attack in the final minute so as to impress the judges.

Taylor was the first man that fell before his opponent in the overtime fight. Bueling followed Taylor and met a similar fate. On seeing that the time of the fourth round was comparatively short Garbett made an inquiry and to his surprise learned of Culver's procedure in handling the extended battles. When Strauch came in to settle his battle with Foster of Culver in the third overtime fight, Garbett instructed him to go heavy with his blows immediately after the gong sounded.

Strauch Won Easily

Since Strauch knew time was valuable he followed Garbett's advice and punched his way to a clean decisive victory. Larkin won the next battle in the ninth fight by defeating Nangle. Larkin's victory was a one sided affair and the judges could not help but make the decision in his favor.

Despite Culver's reputation in the boxing circles, they found themselves dangerously situated when Armour made its appearance. Sandstrom, Schlossberg, Schwartz, Jammer, Nelson and Whitfield all made excellent showings against their competitors, but since Armour was not represented on the official board they had to suffer the consequences.

Summary of the Fights

- 120 pounds—Sandstrom lost a close battle to Averhoff.
- 122 pounds—Schlossberg was slightly shaded by Beggs.
- 129 pounds—Taylor forced to fade before Davis.
- 135 pounds—Schwartz lost to Wayland.
- 148 pounds—Bueling lost in fourth to McNaughton.
- 152 pounds—Jammer lost to Recio.
- 150 pounds—Strauch defeated Fos-

Tennis Tourney Of Last Fall Resumed

The tennis tournament, inaugurated last fall, is due to be resumed March 28, on which day the remaining second roundmen will clash for the right of entrance to the third round. The matches to be played off on this day, if the weather permits, are: Stabovitz vs. Tulauskas, Eddy vs. Scirmer and Petersen vs. Nebel.

The third rounders are to go into action April 1st with Rosenquist facing Wojcieszek, Paradzinski opposing Hindman, Trognitz vs. Winkler, with Manz drawing a bye.

The two men who already reached the quarter-finals are Waindle and Ruzevich. The semi-finals are to be played off on April 8th. According to Capt. Stellar, who is in charge of the tourney, the men who prolong their match will be forced to forfeit.

The asphalt courts at Hamilton Park, located at 72nd and Stewart, are already being used by several men who are aspiring to make the Tech team. The schedule of the tourney is posted on the bulletin board.

Stellar Seeks Candidates

Freshmen from high school or academy teams, or those remaining, defeated or defaulted in the tennis tournament at Armour are urged to write a letter to R. F. Stellar telling of their experience on the courts. Considerable material will be needed for next year and the time to start in getting it is this year. So all who aspire to make the team should write or see Stellar at once.

D. L. Williams, manager of the tennis team, has been for some time dickering to get the Armory for indoor practice, but as yet has not succeeded. He is hard at work in arranging the schedule for this season, which will probably be posted next week.

Tennis Bug Bites Hard

The tennis bug has gripped Armour hard, as is evidenced by the talk in the halls, lunch-room and where not. This is the spirit which has for several years produced excellent teams for Armour, and this year, with a veteran team out, the students should come out and back the netmen.

CRANE WINS; ARMOUR THIRD AT NORMAL GYM

The supposed triangular meet between Chicago Normal, Morton and Armour at the teachers' gym last Thursday, turned out to be a quadrangular affair when Crane College entered in the last minute.

Crane's entrance to the meet severely jolted Armour and Chicago Normal for the junior engineers captured the meet with a score of 57. Chicago Normal scored 46, Armour 32, and Morton 18-3-4.

Thus Armour's share of the spoils gave them only a third place rating while Chicago Normal came second. Coach Staggs however, was not greatly interested in winning the meet for he sought to preserve a few of his valuable men for Friday's meet. For this reason Armour was not represented in several of the events.

Crane College had a margin of one first place finisher in the day's program. Four of their men came through ahead of their competitors in the respective events while Armour trailed with three.

Don Paul, out-threw the others in the shot-put event. Smith headed the mile runners and Harold Fox won his event in the 440-yard run.

Both Podlipec and Yount came through with a second; Podlipec in the 880-yard run and Yount in the shot-put. Richter, Iverson and Henry Fox finished third in their respective events. Sturm placed fourth in the 220-yard and 50-yard dashes.

RESULTS

220-yard dash: 1st, Reynold, C.; 2nd, Gralich, C. N.; 3rd, Reynold, C. N.; 4th, Peta, C.; Sturm, A.; Gray, C. N. Time, 24.8.

880-yard run: 1st, Roman, C.; 2nd, Podlipec, A.; 3rd, Iverson, A.; 4th, O'Brien, C. N.; 5th, Rooney, M. Time, 2:15.

50-yard high hurdles: 1st, Brooks, C.; 2nd, Burman, C.; 3rd, Gralich, C. N.; 4th, Jerkin, M. Time, .07.

One mile run: 1st, Smith, A.; 2nd, Grabowski, M.; 3rd, Richter, A.; 4th, Goodheart, C. N.; 5th, Goldstein, C.

Ogden Field Will Get Reconditioning

With the assignment of lockers to the baseball men and the members of the spring track team, activities have been resumed at Ogden Field. Coach Krafft says that the baseball diamond, which is not in very good condition at present, is to undergo a lot of work in the next week or so. The pitcher's mound and the paths are to be resurfaced with clay, as a baseball diamond really should be, something that should have been done a long while ago.

Several improvements have been made at the Field House, too. New globes and gas mantles have been provided for the gas lights. Some old junk, such as beds and mats, which have heretofore merely taken up a lot of space, have also been removed.

The fellows who have turned out for spring athletics are sincerely hoping that the improvements in the Field house haven't terminated already, but will continue until the floor has been swept and mopped.

Time, 5.18.

440-yard run: 1st, Harold Fox, 2nd, Turner, C. N.; 3rd, Cohen, C.; 4th, Rooney, M.; 5th, Turkow, C. Time, 55.2

60-yard low hurdles: 1st, Brooks, C.; 2nd, Tiderek, C.; 3rd, Gesta, M.; 4th, Bangert, C. N. Time, .06.2

High jump: 1st, Breffort, C. N., 5 feet 10 inch; 2nd, Bangert, C. N.; Freiberg, C.; 3rd, Ericker, C. N., Henry Fox, A., Johnson, C., Jerka, M.

50-yard dash: 1st, Fralich C. N.; 2nd, Brooks, C.; 3rd, Turner, C. N.; 4th, Strum, A.; 5th, Jerka, M. Time, .05.6

Shot-put: 1st, Paul, A.; 2nd, Yount, A.; 3rd, Frieberg, C.; 4th, Robell, C., Hansen, C. N. Distance, 52 feet 4 inch. 12 pound ball.

Final Score

Crane57
Armour32
Ch. Nor.46
Morton18-3-4

Don Paul Places Second In 31st C.A.A.U. Meet

Don Paul, holder of the Bartlett Gym shot-put record, placed second in the 31st Annual C.A.A.U. championship indoor meet at the Broadway Armory. Schwarz, of the I. A. C., won the shot-put championship with a distance of 49 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

The Medley Relay Team, consisting of Sturm, one-quarter mile; Kara, 220-yards; Iverson, one-half mile; and Richter in the mile, placed third in the 1-7-8 Mile Relay Championship. The Illinois Athletic Club, with Ray Conger as its star miler, placed first; while the University of Chicago took second place.

Most of the fireworks were furnished by girls competing in invitation events.

Helen Filkey of the Illinois Women's A. C. tied her own world record of :09.6 in the 70-yard hurdles,

and Myrtle Cook of Canada equaled her Canadian championship mark of :07-1-5 in the 60 yard dash.

By winning ten firsts out of fourteen events the Illinois Athletic Club won its eighth consecutive C. A. A. U. championship with a total of points.

The University of Chicago placed second with 24 points, Butler University third with 7 points, while Armour tied for fourth place with 5 points. Fifteen teams competed in the track and field games.

Failure to bank the turns interfered greatly with the marks made by the track men. The runners were forced to slow down to a walk in negotiating them.

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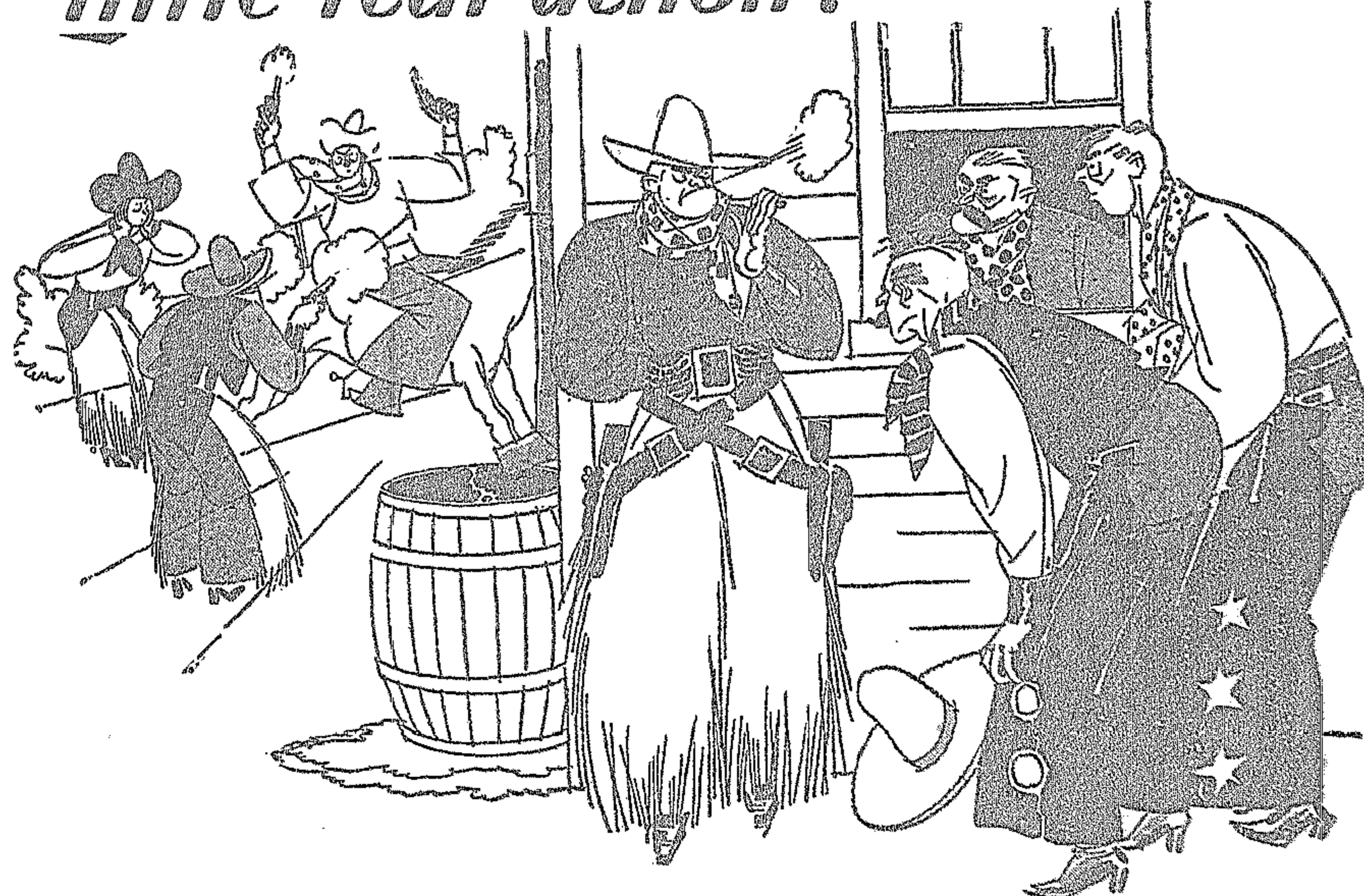
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