

ARMOUR LOSES TO DE KALB TEACHERS BY SINGLE POINT

Tech Leads 14-13 at Half; Rough Play Feature of the Game

ROBIN HIGH SCORER

Armour Tech lost a heart-breaker to the De Kalb red jackets last Thursday at De Kalb, 24-23. A rough and tumble basketball game began with the opening whistle and did not subside until the final gun.

Close guarding and constant driving for the ball resulted in many spills. Late in the first half Miran crashed into the wall after a wild dash for the elusive ball. Rutkowski was dumped several times, once alighting on his chin.

A crowd of 200 spectators watched Tech gather 14 points to De Kalb's 13 in the first half. The single point difference was a signal for the rough play that followed. Rossing plunked in a free shot. Ott with a single basket and Robin with two increased Tech's score to 21 markers. Then Jeff Rowley sunk a short push up basket for Armour's last score. Six and one half minutes from the final gun De Kalb hooped a long shot for the last point of the game; the score stood, Armour 23, De Kalb 24. The final minutes saw frequent jump ups, long basket shooting and more fouling. In the last second of play, Miran was fouled. His charity shot hit the hoop, rolled around several times, then decided to fall outside the hoop, thus preventing a tie game with the subsequent overtime period of play.

Armour Tech to Meet Augustana

The Armour Tech basketball team will meet the Augustana team on the Armory floor next Friday at 3:30 p. m. The Eighth Regiment Armory, 35th and Giles Ave., is to be the scene of this important battle.

Augustana, which is conceded to be one of the strongest basketball teams in the Little Nineteen, will travel to Chicago from Rock Island on Friday to engage Armour for the second time this year. In the last encounter the Rock Islanders collected a large portion of the Tech scalp by virtue of a 40-29 victory.

With nearly a week's rest, Coach Krafft expects his team to present the best performance of the year. The list of casualties has been reduced to the lowest that it has been at any time this season.

Probable lineups:

Armour

- Robin, r. f.
- Simpson, l. f.
- Rossing, c.
- Miran, g.
- Rowley, g.
- Rutkowski, g.

Augustana

- Thomas, r. f.
- Chelstrom, l. f.
- Corry, c.
- Jones, g.
- Lindberg, g.

When Tech traveled to Rock Island in January a victory was insured until Robin was removed from the game with an injured shoulder. At half time the score stood 22-11 in favor of Augustana. A wild scoring orgy in the second half in which both teams scored 18 points gave the Rock Islanders the game by 11 pointers.

PHI PI PHI WIN CAGE TITLE FOR TWELFTH TIME

Defeat Delta Tau Delta in Overtime Thriller 19-18

DELTS LEAD AT HALF

Phi Pi Phi fraternity won the interfraternity basketball championship for 1930 last week in the Armour gymnasium by defeating Delta Tau Delta in the championship game 19-18. The victor of the contest was not determined until an overtime period of five minutes had been played. The score at the end of the regulation time stood at 16 all. The Delts were able to score a single basket while the more fortunate Phi Pi's rung up a basket and a free toss in the overtime period to give them the game and the championship.

This is the twelfth time in succession that Phi Pi Phi has won the interfraternity basketball trophy. The traveling cup which is awarded to the victor each year will remain in the permanent possession of the Phi Pi's because they have already won two legs on the trophy.

Delts Lead 11-6

Confident of an easy victory, the unsuspecting Phi Pi's met an eager, fighting Delt team. The opening minutes indicated an overwhelming Delt superiority but the fast breaking Phi Pi attack could not be denied. At half time the score stood 11-6 in favor of the Delts. The final period opened with a fast and furious rushing attack. Frequent fouling and subsequent free

Baseball Announcement

Coach Krafft announces that all pitchers and catchers who intend to try out for the 1930 Tech Varsity Baseball team are to report to Room A, 4th floor of the main building today at 11:30 a. m. Infielders and outfielders are to report at this time also.

basket shooting ultimately determined the winner of the game. As the time approached for the conclusion of the game the score was knotted at 16-16. Using offensive plays only, both teams attempted to make the score that would win the game. The final gun found the score tied, necessitating an overtime period of five minutes. A basket and a successful charity shot scored by the Phi Pi's overshadowed their opponents single basket by one point. The final score was Phi Pi Phi 19, Delta Tau Delta 18.

Barber and Pearson were the individual stars of the Delt team while Carlson with his 3 points was the high point artist of the Phi Pi's.

Phi Pi Phi—19	B.	F.T.	P.
Leichtenberg	1	0	1
Carlson	3	2	2
Stabovitz	2	2	3
Cassidy	0	0	0
Mead	0	1	2
Erland	1	0	3
	7	5	11

Delta Tau Delta—18	B.	F.T.	P.
Barber	2	0	3
Pearson	2	1	0
Cone	1	2	4
Griffin	1	2	3
Jackson	0	1	1
Beal	0	0	1
	6	6	12

Stagg Plans Inter-Class Track Meet

The first track meet of the season, the Annual Interclass Track Meet, will be held two weeks from tomorrow at the University of Chicago. Coach A. A. Stagg, Jr., hopes to test the ability of the new men in this meet.

The Interclass Meet last year was won by the Sophomores, Class of '31, with a total of 32 points. The Juniors trailed with 17 points, the Frosh and Seniors gathered 7 and 6 points respectively.

Although the Juniors this year, will have practically all of last year's team back, they will not be able to walk away with the meet because the other classes have developed considerably. The Freshmen, the dark horses of interclass athletics, have several star performers from high school who will give the upper classmen stiff competition.

In the past the victorious class team has been awarded some special prize such as sweaters with class numerals. This year, according to Coach Stagg, the awards will

consist of medals, to be awarded to the three place winners in each event. The Interclass Championship will be determined by the places won by each class. Places scored will have the following values: first place, five points; second place, three points; third place, one point. The team which has totaled the greatest number of points according to the above grading will be declared victor of the meet with the title, Interclass Track Champions.

Coach Stagg urges track men in all events, especially the new men, to practice at least two or three times each week from now on.

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Only Four to Be Played

Since our last issue Tech has engaged in three basketball games. Two of these were with De Kalb while the other was played with Y College. The first De Kalb game was played at the Armory during the week preceding the finals. The two other games were played last week.

Next Friday Armour will play the second game with Augustana at our home floor. This contest is scheduled to begin promptly at 3:30 p. m. Give your team just a wee bit of support and our chances for victory are increased considerably.

Casualties played havoc with the Tech first squad during the last few weeks. Sickness and injuries kept the players from their best efforts. In spite of this our boys have won more games than they have lost.

Busy Month for Athletes

Lots of things in the athletic line are slated to occur in February. Besides Lincoln's birthday which is a holiday, Tech will finish the basketball season with a pair of home games and a pair of traveling games. The interclass track meet will blow the cover off the indoor track season on February 25. The swimmers will attempt to drown the Chicago Normal team on February 21. Tech pugs will scrap with South Chicago Y twice during the month, February 15th and 25th. Basketball has its first call today. Indoor practice for battery men will continue throughout the month.

Twelve in a Row

Now that the Phi Pi's have won the interfraternity basketball championship for the twelfth time things will remain quiet along the eastern front until the fraternities play their annual indoor baseball tournament early in May.

Wanta Play Baseball?

Today Coach W. C. Krafft, mentor of the 1929 Championship Tech Baseball team, will meet all candidates for the 1930 Armour baseball

Boxers to Meet South Chicago 'Y'

Armour's boxing team will engage in two of the season's outstanding fights when they meet the South Chicago Y. M. C. A. team on February 15, and February 25.

The first match, scheduled for this Saturday, will be held at the South Chicago ring at 8 p. m. The match of February 25, will take place at our school gymnasium at 4:50 p. m.

This is the first time in Armour's history that the boxing team has scheduled a fight at the school. In one respect, the improvement in the boxing equipment and ring made possible such arrangement.

It may be recalled that our pugs experienced a 6-4 defeat in the hands of the South Chicago outfit last year. The outcome, although not entirely satisfactory, was considered successful. South Chicago had just defeated Bloomington Y. M. C. A., champions of the State, in a previous match. They, naturally, had not anticipated anything less than a clean cut victory. As the results indicated, they narrowly escaped defeat.

Coach Weissman is endeavoring to schedule 10 fights for this season. Among the probable contestants are Captain Buehling, Larkin, Taylor, Schlossberg, Mitchell, Donnelly, Ustryski, Whitfield, Morowitz and Sommers.

team in Room A of the main building at 11:30 a. m. If you have aspirations to play on the Armour team this is your chance to meet the coach and the players who made such a great record last year.

After four banner years as first string pitcher of the yellow and black baseball team King Simpson will finish his collegiate career as captain of the team.

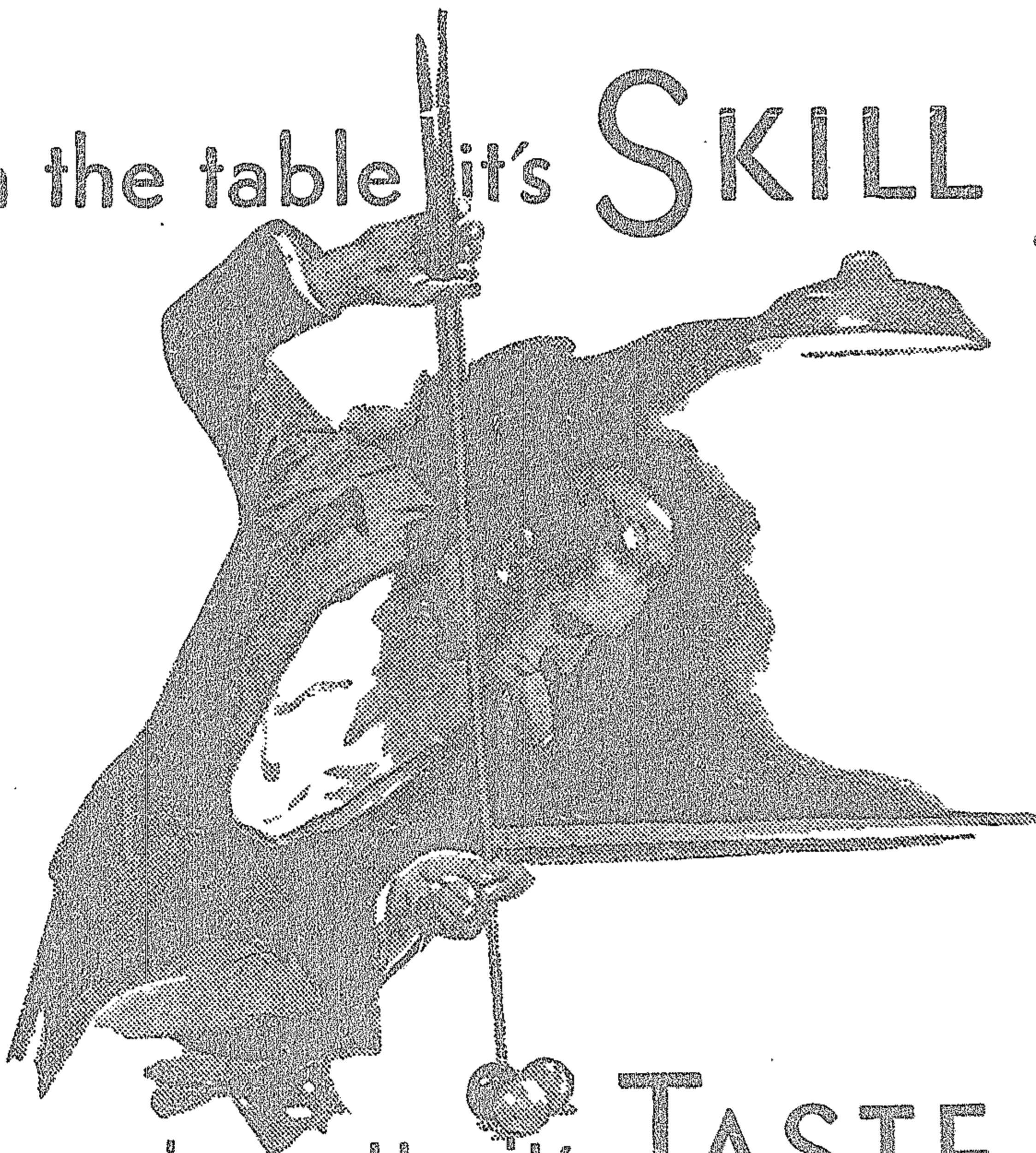
Oh To Be Famous

In the near future we will again present an exclusive article on intercollegiate athletics by John J. Schommer. Last time John wrote for us he received quite a razzing from some of the big time column conductors in the Chicago newspapers.

A. H. J.

In the Lost and Found department this week we find eight textbooks, two pairs of gloves, and, believe it or not, a pair of pants.

...on the table it's SKILL!

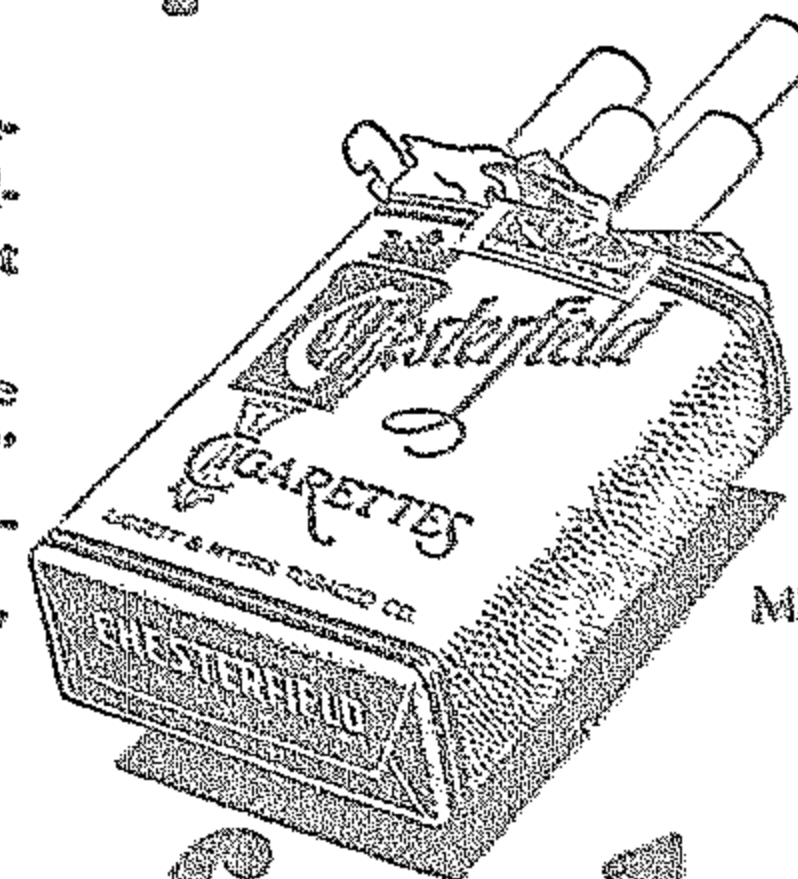


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