

ARMOUR CAGEMEN LOSE TO "Y" AND AUGUSTANA FIVES

Free Throws Spell Tech Defeat in Close Game

RALLY FAILS

Armour's basketball team was administered its third straight defeat when Y. M. C. A. College outscored the locals 38-24 in the game played last Monday at the "Y" gym.

Wilson and Meyer, Y. M. C. A. forwards, lead the attack for Y. M. C. A. College by scoring 27 points. Their contribution of field goals and free throws was enough to give "Y" its victory.

Armour's quintet fought consistently throughout the entire game. They executed their plays in good fashion, only to lose the ball, four out of every five times that an attempt was made to ring a field goal.

First Half Tense

The game in the first half was closely contested. Shortly before the first period ended Armour came within one point of "Y" college to enjoy holding 15 points against "Y" College's 16.

The final period, enlivened by the brilliant shooting of Wilson and Meyer, gave Armour but little opportunity to make any serious threats towards attaining a score that would throw any fright into the victorious team.

BOX SCORE				
Armour—24				
	B.	FT.	P.	
Ott, f.	1	2	3	
Robin, f.	0	0	0	
Rossing, f.	2	2	1	
Moskowitz, f.	0	0	0	
Beemsterboer, c.	2	2	1	
Rutkowski, g.	2	0	2	
Miran, g.	1	2	4	
Omicemski, g.	0	0	1	
	8	8	12	
"Y" College—38				
	B.	FT.	P.	
Wilson, f.	5	2	3	
Timm, f.	0	1	0	
Meyer, f.	7	1	0	
Collins, c.	0	1	1	
Sandvig, g.	0	0	3	
McFarland, g.	0	1	2	
Showley, g.	3	2	2	
	15	8	11	

Armour's spirited rally in the last half, fell four points short of their desired quota forcing our men to submit to Augustana College, 34-30 in the game played at Rock Island last Thursday.

The score at the end of the first half stood 26-16 in favor of Augustana. Armour made a comparatively poor showing in this period and showed no promise of providing any greater amount of competition.

Tech Outplays Augustana

When action was resumed in the second half, Coach Krafft's staff showed a complete reversal of

Armour, Wheaton To Mix Thursday

The Armour Tech basketball season continues with a game against Wheaton on the Wheaton College floor, Thursday evening, January 22.

In thinking of this game, we recall the 36-33 victory which Armour attained over the Wheaton five on December 16, at the Armour. It must be remembered that the game was not "in the bag" until the final gun went off, and also, the encounter took place on the Tech floor.

Although, in the last few games, Armour has been unsuccessful in attaining a victory, all the games have been very closely contested. A lack of spirit has been shown in the games with Chicago Normal and "Y" College, Armour's early lead being wiped out in each case. If the boys come out of their slump and play with their snappy attacks and accurate shots, which typified the early season games, our chances of victory will be greatly magnified.

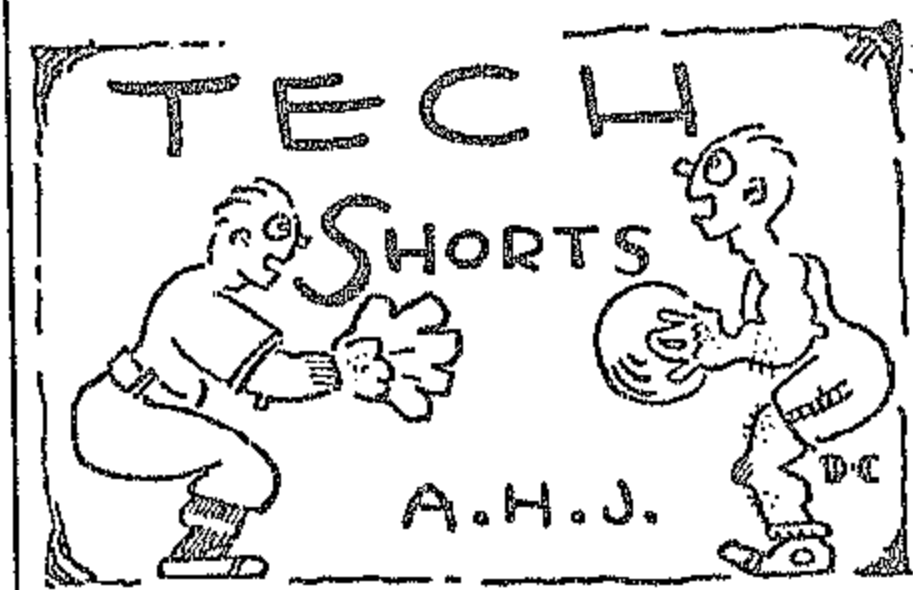
form. They executed brilliant passing plays, located the hoop from all angles of the floor and kept Augustana well guarded. Armour reigned as the superiors in the final period and displayed real basketball art in the closing minutes.

The 10 point lead, however, was too great for our men to overcome. Their offensive power although greatly intensified was not forceful enough to bring them the victory to which they were entitled. The four point margin which decided the winner of the contest was annexed on free throws. Both teams scored 13 field goals, but Augustana succeeded in sinking 8 free throws as compared with Armour's four.

BOX SCORE				
Armour—30				
	B.	FT.	P.	
Robin, f.	6	0	2	
Rossing, g.	2	3	3	
Beemsterboer, g.	2	1	2	
Omicemski, g.	0	0	3	
Ott, f.	1	0	0	
Rutkowski	2	0	3	
	13	4	13	
Augustana—34				
	B.	FT.	P.	
Thoman, f.	2	2	1	
Lindberg, f.	1	2	0	
Peterson, c.	2	1	2	
Anderson, c.	6	1	2	
Jones, g.	1	0	1	
Schroeder, g.	0	0	0	
Chelstrom, g.	1	2	2	
	13	8	8	

We scrawl experience on our brain and, although we wash its memory in fresh adventure, the ink has sunk indelibly to mark our character forever.—Charles S. Brooks.

The average Russian and the average American speak a fundamental language and appreciate the same wisecracks.—Vice-president Mooney, of General Motors.



Wheaton on Thursday

Winter athletic teams are in the midst of their schedules at this writing. Basketball has plenty to look forward to, with Wheaton to be played on Thursday. Since this game is to be played away from the home floor, the outcome is much in doubt. In their last encounter with the Wheaton outfit, Tech came through in fine style with a 36-33 victory.

Two Plus Two Equals Loss

In the game played with Augustana, last Thursday, several interesting facts were revealed. Armour, although outscored in the first half by 10 points, outplayed the Rock Island team and very nearly won the game. In other words, Tech won the second half 14-8, while Augustana won the first 26-16. Adding these together we have for a final score: Augustana 34, Armour 30.

Coach Krafft was forced to start a substitute in the guard position usually occupied by Miran. Miran is again troubled with weak kidneys. It was this condition which forced him to abandon all athletics several years ago.

Boxing Tournament Soon

Captain Ustryski of the varsity boxers tells us that an all-institute boxing tournament is contemplated. Tournaments of this type are annual occasions in a large number of the Conference schools. If this idea should materialize, all of the bouts will be fought in the school ring in the gymnasium.

Indoor track has attracted a large number of new men, especially members of the freshman and sophomore classes. Coach Staggs has hopes for these men if they will continue to practice.

Hockey Team to Use Rink in Jackson Park

The A. I. T. hockey team is getting off to a good start this year although their first scheduled game has been postponed indefinitely. The first meet of the season will probably be with "Y" College.

The new hockey rink that has just been built on the baseball diamond in Jackson Park at 63rd St. and Stony Island Ave., will be the practice grounds of the Tech squad on Monday evenings from 8 to 10 and Saturday afternoons from 12 to 2.

The South Park Board cooperated to their full extent with the Armour manager in arranging a schedule for them on the rink.

The puck pushers had their first game scheduled with the Midway Rangers but were unable to play it because their rink permit was canceled in favor of league games of the Central A. A. U. hockey league.

There have been about five practice sessions so far and there is still plenty of time to grab a berth on the squad.

Anyone wishing to try out for the team see Manager O. T. Barnett.

Chemicals Nose Out Electrical Cagers

The Junior Chemicals are on a rampage. They have taken on both the Electricals and Mechanicals of the Junior Class in basketball and have emerged victorious each time. Last Wednesday the Chemicals played the Electricals and defeated them by a score of 20 to 18. Led by Goldman, who caged 4 baskets and 2 free throws, the attack of the Chemikers proved too much for the doughy Juicers. The game was nip and tuck throughout, however, and the result was always in doubt until the final whistle blew.

As can be imagined, the defeat did not rest easily upon the Elec-

Tech Pugs Meet Tough Opposition

Armour students will have the opportunity to view our fast stepping, scrappy, boxing squad in action when they tangle with the Headquarters Regiment fighters sometime during the week of Jan. 26 to 30. The definite date will be announced as soon as Colonel Reilly of the Regiment verifies the date.

This encounter will represent the squad's third meet, with each individual exerting himself to the utmost to register a victory.

The Headquarters Regiment boasts a group of picked fighters, selected from 52 possibilities. As a result a hard fought and heated argument will take place in every weight. Although these pugs rate higher than ours, their challenge was accepted so that the student body might view the Tech squad laboring under adverse conditions.

Since its inception as an accepted school sport there has been only one similar previous opportunity. The team is accustomed to performing before hostile crowds and will appreciate a large turnout of the student body.

The remaining meets will all be outside of Chicago, namely, Springfield, Ill., February 14; Bloomington, Ill., February 28 and Culver, Ind., on March 14.

tricals and they have challenged the Chemicals to a second game which will be held in the near future. This being the first time the Electricals have played together, they feel that the next game will tell a different story. If the Chemicals are again able to bring home the bacon it will be up to the Fire-Protects or the Civils or

IMPROVED TANK SQUAD TO FACE CRANE COLLEGE

Seek to Avenge Defeat In Meet With Culver

OTHERS ON SCHEDULE

The swimming meet scheduled for last Tuesday with Crane Junior College had to be postponed due to the illness of two of Armour's mainstays, Carlstrom and Davisson, and also because of program interference. The meet probably will be held next Thursday, January 22nd.

The Culver Military Academy meet, slated for Saturday, January 31st, will be an outstanding one for this season. Culver's teams are usually successful and were so last year when the Armour tankers met them. This year the worm may turn. Armour's team is practically the same as last year with a few additions in the breast-stroke.

As will be recalled from last year the Armour team won most of the meets. One of those lost went to Culver. The count 33-25 was not overwhelming and with a bit of luck Armour may emerge successful.

Other meets for this season will include schools like Normal College, American College of Physical Education, several of the Y. M. C. A.s and perhaps Wheaton College. No definite dates have yet been set but Manager Davisson is doing all to arrange these meets for the near future.

someone to take the cocky Schmier Chemikers down a peg or two.

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