

TECH TRACKSTERS TO MEET LOYOLA SATURDAY, MAR. 19

This Saturday evening, March 19, the Armour Tech track team engages Loyola University in a dual indoor track meet to be held in the new University of Chicago fieldhouse. The time set for the starting of the first event of the evening is 7:30 P. M. At the same time that Armour is competing with Loyola, the Chicago University track team will stage a meet of its own with Illinois State Normal. Originally, this meet was expected to be a quadrangular affair with the same four teams involved, but because of a misunderstanding in the arrangements Armour will run against Loyola and Chicago University will meet Illinois Normal.

Last Indoor Meet

The meet with Loyola will probably be the last indoor meet of the season for the Armour tracksters until the Armour Relay Carnival rolls around on April 2, unless a return meet with North Central is arranged in the meantime. If another meet with North Central is arranged, Armour will be out to get revenge for that meet at North Central a week ago last Saturday which Armour lost.

Every student who can possibly do so is urged to come over to the fieldhouse at Fifty-sixth and University Avenue this Saturday evening. Besides all the excitement and thrills you will get out of the events, you are wanted as moral support for the team, which has been going "great" this year.

Just as a forecast, we predict that Chicago will defeat Illinois Normal and Armour will triumph over Loyola. Chicago has such stars as Brooks in the sprints, Hayden and Black in the hurdles, and Birney in the pole vault, who should prove too much for the downstaters' team.

Although the absence of Nelson will somewhat handicap the team, Armour's chances for victories will not be diminished, because of the wealth of good material on the squad this year.

Swimmers Lose Meet at De Pauw

In a dual meet held on March 4 De Pauw defeated the Tech swimming team by a score of 45 to 30 at the latter's pool in Greencastle, Indiana.

This year De Pauw has developed a very strong team. Among others she has been able to defeat the teams of the University of Indiana and the University of Cincinnati.

Contrary to what the score would lead you to think, the meet was very close. In some of the events very fast time was made and it can be said that Armour lost by a nose. In the relay and the 40 yard races Byanskas was nosed out of a better place by a very short distance.

There were eight events, two of which were relays. Armour captured the title to the 300 yard medley and lost the 160 yard. In the six other events only one first was made by an Armour man. This was by Cavanagh, who won the 200 yard breast stroke. However, by capturing a good number of seconds and thirds Tech kept in the running until near the bitter end.

The meet was very exciting, the neck to neck races keeping the spectators upon their toes. About the only race which wasn't close was the 200 yard breast stroke in which Armour took both first and second places and the De Pauw man trailed in about a yard behind.

St. Viator Boxers Defeat Armour

Armour Tech boxers were defeated in a return engagement with St. Viator College last Friday evening. The wrestling team represented by Frank Talaber won the last match on the card when he threw his opponent against the ropes so hard that he took a 4x4 support with him, thus making further competition impossible, much to the joy of his opponent.

McDonald won the opening match for Armour when he easily defeated Zarza in a three round engagement.

The first round was comparatively slow with just a few jabs thrown in with much clinching. The second saw a furious exchange of punches, and McDonald drew the first blood when he connected with a powerful sock right to the nose which had his opponent groggy. During the third round McDonald just piled up more points and when the gong sounded his St. Viator opponent was very much out.

In the second bout of the evening Marcus lost a decision to Noonan. Both took and gave all that they had and it should have been a draw, but according to the rules, a decision must be made and it went to the home team.

Captain Sandstrom and Core put up an exhibition bout for the third match of the evening, and judged by each round the crowd certainly enjoyed and appreciated it. No decision was rendered.

Balde won a decision over Heckmiller, of Armour, to put St. Viator ahead by a score of 2 to 1. Although Heckmiller was the aggressor throughout the bout he lost the decision.

Fenske, fighting his first fight for Armour, also lost a decision to St. Viator. They wasted no time in getting to blows, and traded punch for punch throughout the first and second rounds, but slowed up later.

Schavilje was defeated by O'Connor of St. Viator in the last boxing bout of the evening. O'Connor took the lead in the second round when he scored a partial knockdown. Schavilje came back strongly but failed to get the decision.

Frank Talaber agreed to meet Dexter of St. Viator, despite the fact that he was outweighed 35 pounds and was a head shorter than his opponent. After about one minute of wrestling, Frank, with a crotch and half-nelson, tossed his opponent for a forty-yard loss and broke a 4x4 post which supported the ropes, thus terminating the meet with St. Viator.

Boxing Results

152 lbs. McDonald, A., defeated Zarza, St. V.

142 lbs. Noonan, St. V., defeated Marcus, A.

152 lbs. Balde, St. V., defeated Heckmiller, A.

165 lbs. Harding, St. V., defeated Fenske, A.

135 lbs. O'Connor, St. V., defeated Schavilje, A.

(Wrestling) Talaber (158 lbs.) A., defeated Dexter (185 lbs.) St. V.

Swimming Summaries

160-yd. relay—Won by De Pauw (Du Shane, Crain, Powell, Edwards); second, Armour (Gowan, Ahern, Carlstrom, Byanskas). Time—2:22.0.

200-yd. breast—Won by Cavanagh (A); second, Kolve (A); third, Krenke (DeP). Time—3:05.6.

100-yd. back—Won by Bradley (DeP); second, Weston (A); third, Oswalt (DeP). Time—1:09.3.

40-yd. F. S.—Won by Du Shane (DeP); second, Powell (DeP); third, Byanskas (A). Time—0:19.5.

220-yd. F. S.—Won by Edwards (DeP); second, Crain (DeP); third, Davison (A). Time—2:39.4.

100-yd. F. S.—Won by Du Shane (DeP); second, Carlstrom (A); third, Bradley (DeP). Time—0:59.5.

Fancy diving—Won by Powell (DeP); second, Kolve (A); third, Jung (A). Points—110.5.

300-yd. medley relay—Won by Armour (Weston, Cavanagh, Carlstrom); second, De Pauw (Oswalt, Krenke, Edwards). Time—3:41.0.

INTERCLASS TRACK RECORDS

Event	Record Held By	Time	Date
50-yd. Dash	A. Jens '31	0:05.5	1931
50-yd. Low Hurdles	Nelson '34	0:06.4	1931
50-yd. High Hurdles	Oberbeck '33	0:07.5	1931
*60-yd. Dash	Kruetzkamp '33	0:06.8	1932
*60-yd. Low Hurdles	Roberts '35	0:08.2	1932
220-yd. Dash	H. L. Fox '31	0:24.9	1930
440-yd. Dash	Sturm '30	0:54	1930
880-yd. Run	Nelson '34	2:05.0	1932
1 Mile Run	Sademan '33	4:48.2	1930
2 Mile Run	James '31	10:46.9	1931
Shot Put	Paul '30	46' 11"	1929
High Jump	Nelson '34	5' 8"	1931

*Note: 60 yard events were established this year because of competing in new University of Chicago Fieldhouse.

TECH SHORTS

Double Track Meet

Tech's tracksters will have their fifth 1932 indoor track meet next Saturday at the new University of Chicago fieldhouse. Armour will meet Loyola, and Chicago will compete with Illinois' State Normal.

The Armour track team lost its first meet this season at Naperville on March 5, 62½-41½. To date they have won three meets while losing one.

Nelson Breaks Record

George Nelson, Tech's champion runner, broke his indoor Armour record in the 60 yard low hurdles at Naperville when he won first place in 7.3 seconds. Last year he established the record of 7.4 seconds, also at Naperville.

George also equalled the indoor school record in the 880 yard run which he won in 2:05 in the interclass meet on February 13. Incidentally, this was the only interclass meet record which was broken this year. The old record of 2:09.9 was held by Ralph Timmermans '31.

Armour's swimmers ended their 1932 season against Morton last Saturday night. Tech probably won the meet, which gives them a total of five victories and three defeats.

Tech's Big Five

The five high scorers on the track team to date are: George Nelson, Captain Chuck Jens, Elmer Sademan, K. S. Hirsch, and Stan Lind.

Nelson Scores 76½ Points

Nelson has scored 76½ points of Armour's total of 1873.5 points in four meets. He has won fifteen first places in the high jump, hurdles, broad jump, and 880 yard run.

Twenty of the forty-two men out for track have won points for Tech.

Boxers At St. Viator

Tech's boxers journeyed to Bourbonnais, Illinois last Saturday to meet the St. Viator's team in a return match. They defeated them 4 to 1 in the meet at Tech several weeks ago.

Tech's baseball team had its first meeting of the 1932 season last night in Room A, Main Building.

Coach Krafft will probably now have practice every night in the Tech gymnasium until it is warm enough to play in Ogden Field.

Six Lettermen Back

Four major lettermen: "Vic" Omiecinski, second base; C. B. Sommer, center field; L. Lynch, pitcher; Roy Young, catcher; and two minor letter men: V. Galvani, second base; and W. Buehne, pitcher, are back from last year's championship team.

The season this year will probably open up on April 7 with Crane Junior College playing Tech at Ogden Field.

To date, fifteen games have been scheduled including the Alumni game to be played some time in May.

Armour's baseball nine will be out to win their first league championship this year in the Northern Intercollegiate Conference. The members of the winning team receive gold baseballs, and the school gets a silver loving cup.

Last year's championship was won by Lake Forest with six victories and two defeats.

Tennis and Golf

As soon as the weather clears up, Armour's tennis and golf teams will swing into action. Several men from both teams are back from last year's squads to insure Tech of a successful season.

Armour's athletic coaches are: W. C. Krafft, baseball and basketball; A. A. Stagg, Jr., track; W. W. Colvert, tennis; C. W. Leigh, golf; E. W. McGillivray, swimming; and B. Weissman, boxing.

George Nelson, '34 now has nine Armour track records to his credit in the low hurdles, high jump, 880 yard run, and broad jump. They include three interclass track records, four indoor and two outdoor school records.

H. P. R.

Nelson, Track Star, Breaks Collar Bone

George Nelson, track star has broken his collar bone again. No doubt many of you remember that he suffered a similar accident before the track season opened. This disability will keep him out of active service for about six weeks during which period the Armour Track Carnival will have occurred.

As Nelson will be out of the meet Armour will have harder work in winning the two-mile relay. He was one of the fast trio who ran in this event. Coach Stagg said that the men running the shorter relays will have to win so that Tech will not suffer.

Besides missing the Relays, Nelson will miss the rest of the indoor track season and much of the outdoor. Although the team will miss him they will keep pulling along. Coach Stagg and the rest of Nelson's teammates expressed deep regret when informed of the accident.

Nelson showed presence of mind after the accident. As soon as he found that something was wrong he went to the hospital. There a doctor discovered the trouble and set the fracture in splints.

PROFESSORS ON THE LEVEL

We understand that Professors Bibb, Moreton, Grafton, and Colvert are taking a post-graduate course in elementary surveying. Their first assignment was to determine the level of the outer room of the Faculty Club. At least this is what they were found doing last Friday afternoon. The results of the survey and the reason for it were not revealed by the professors but if there are any further developments the News will carry the full particulars.

Electricals Hold Inspection Trip

The senior electricals made a trip through the Delta Star Electric Company at 2437 Fulton street last Tuesday. Here they were shown some interesting pieces of apparatus. In the potential testing laboratories some tests were carried through for their benefit.

The high voltages required in the potential testing laboratories, are generated by two transformers, one 250,000 V. and the other 500,000 V. The two may be connected together to give over 750,000 V. They are about three stories in height.

Breakdown Tests Made

Several breakdown tests were made on a 37,000 volt insulator. From 105,000 to 120,000 volts were required to flash over this insulator. The critical spacing for a switch was also investigated. The critical spacing is the spacing at which a flash will take place from the point of high potential to the mounting or to the other insulator.

An explosion type of fuse was also examined. In this fuse the heat generated at the melting point draws gases from the fibre tube container, which explode with the blowing of the fuse. This explosion pushes out one end of the fuse wire so that the gap is larger than the 2,400 volt potential car bridge. The fuse investigated was ten or twelve inches long.

Armour Stamp Club Meets to Hear Talk

A meeting of the Philatelic Society was held yesterday afternoon in the Electrical Lecture Room. The Club is now fully organized and the members have received their registration cards. The exchange system, under direction of J. Bard, began functioning when all the collectors brought in stamp books which are to circulate among the members. Plans were discussed for the exhibition on Open House night.

E. W. Carlton, originator of the club, gave an interesting talk on the stamps of Saar. This talk was once made by him at the Carson, Pirie, Scott Company's stamp club. Saar, a little known country hemmed in between Germany, France, Belgium and Luxemburg, began its existence after the World War by decision of the League of Nations. Much fighting was done over this district and at the end of the war France tried very hard to annex it, but the other powers objected and as a compromise it was made independent. In 1935 a plebiscite is to be held and the country will make its choice between France and Germany or will continue independent.

This very beautiful country is famed for its mountainous scenery and its bountiful coal resources. The stamps issued by the government reflect this beauty and are eagerly sought for by collectors.

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