

TECH BASEBALL TEAM TIES FOR SECOND IN NORTHERN INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE

Wheaton Wins Championship After Breaking Triple Tie

BASKETBALL SEASON REVIEWED

In this article is given a brief review of last year's sports. Basketball and baseball are discussed in this issue and summaries of other sports will be given later.

The baseball season just past is noteworthy in that Armour made a good showing in the first season in the Northern Intercollegiate Conference composed of Elmhurst, Lake Forest, Mount Morris, North Central and Wheaton in addition to Armour. Tie for second place in this league is no mean achievement when the team had only three regulars from the previous season. This lack of experienced material was evident in the games where a few bunched hits would have brought in runs. For this reason the next season is looked forward to in anticipation of a good year.

The basketball team had a hard schedule with fast teams such as Detroit City College and Michigan State Normal, but the squad did well under the tutelage of Coach Kraft.

February Ushers in Baseball

Candidates for the baseball team started practice in February, the prospective pitchers and catchers working out in the gym, while infielders and outfielders did not start until a month later. A total of sixty-five men responded to the first call, but this number was cut to a more workable size. Since only three men were back from last year's team it was a task to assemble a team from the field of aspirants.

The opening game of the season was a 7 to 4 victory over Chicago Normal. Mayer pitched this non-league game.

The first league game was a 4 to 0 defeat given by North Central. Armour's hits were too scattered to be effective.

The second practice game ended in a 6 to 6 tie with Crane College.

Defeat Wheaton and Elmhurst

By effectively halting last minute rallies by the opposing teams, the Tech squad was credited with two league victories. Wheaton returned home with the short end of a 6 to 2 score. Five runs by Armour in the first inning were the start of a lead against which Elmhurst could not cope. The final score of 10 to 8 sent the Armour team home rejoicing.

The Alumni were defeated 10 to 9 in the annual contest held at Ogden Field. "Chief" Stehno pitched a good brand of ball, but lack of practice caused errors in the infield.

North Central returned home with a 7 to 0 victory over Armour. The Armour batters found their batting eyes in a 4 to 1 victory over Mt. Morris. Ten hits at needed times put across the runs, and altho Mt. Morris batted out 6 hits, they were scattered and produced only one run.

Fourth League Victory

The fourth league victory was earned by defeating Lake Forest 6 to 2. The Kraftmen played good ball to win this game and it added to the success of Junior Week.

An eighth inning rally by Armour fell short of the mark and a 9 to 7 defeat was handed to them by Michigan State Normal.

An upset was recorded when Mt. Morris took the long end of a 9 to 2 score. Seven errors by Tech were a factor in the defeat. Elmhurst revenge a loss by winning 8 to 1 over Armour. The Techmen were powerless at bat.

Defeat Leaders

Armour defeated the league leaders, Wheaton, in a 5 to 3 game. It was as a result of Buchne allowing only four hits and striking out eleven batters that a rally fell short. The final game of the regular season resulted in Armour defeating Lake Forest, 2 to 1, in a postponed game. The result of this victory was to place Armour in a triple tie with Wheaton and Mt. Morris.

In the playoff on the morning of Memorial Day Wheaton defeated Armour, 6 to 5, in a thirteen inning game at Wheaton. In the afternoon Wheaton won the league championship by defeating Mt. Morris, 3 to 0.

A call for basketball candidates was issued by Coach Kraft in the first part of November and forty-five men responded. After a month of practice the alumni were met and defeated 43 to 25. In a practice scrimmage the U. of C. B team was defeated 27 to 19.

Three Successive Victories

The third victory of the season was recorded when Armour defeated the American College of Physical Education. The accurate passing and shooting of the Tech team resulted in a favorable 35 to 21 score. The first loss was a hard fought contest with North Central, the game being lost by a 27 to 23 score. Two days later Crane College was vanquished, and then the Tech quintet was defeated by DeKalb, the latter contest being a rough and tumble affair.

Close Game Won

A close game in which the score was repeatedly tied turned out to be a 31 to 29 victory over "Y" College. A well balanced team accounted for the victory, every member who played breaking into the starting column. Another loss was chalked up when Augustana defeated the Tech quintet at Rock Island. Although Armour had the lead most of the time, the opponents passed Tech in the last few minutes of play.

Defeat Wheaton

In a spirited game at Wheaton, Armour defeated the home team 42 to 40. It was tough and go all through the game and Wheaton's final rally fell just short of the mark.

The first home game was lost to the powerful Detroit City College aggregation. Altho Tech presented a good defense, Cornell of the opposition broke them with a total of seven baskets and a free throw to help give his team a 29 to 23 victory.

In a practice tilt with Chicago Apprentice School, Armour emerged with a 40 to 26 victory. Then Tech took to the road and were defeated by Michigan State Normal and Detroit City College.

The Kraftmen again defeated "Y" College, this time by a 25 to 22 score. The score was close throughout the game, and good playing was necessary to win.

Average Loss

Crane College administered a defeat to Armour in a game for its previous loss, and in turn Tech made reparation for a former defeat by winning over Augustana with a 22 to 16 score.

The final game of the season was with Michigan State Normal, which ended in a 26 to 23 victory for Tech. George Baumgarten was elected captain for the coming season. Major "A's" were awarded to Captain Baumgart, Eskin, Baumgarten, Christoph, Setterberg, Dig, Carlson, and Rummel.

Of these men four will return for the coming season: Baumgarten, Christoph, Dig, and Rummel. With these men as a nucleus Coach Kraft will start to build up a team, practice commencing early in November.

Final Baseball Results

Armour	7	Chicago Nor.	4
Armour	6	Crane	6
North Central	4	Armour	6
Armour	10	Elmhurst	1
Wheaton	6	Armour	2
Armour	10	Alumni	9
North Central	7	Armour	9
Mich. Normal	1	Armour	6
Armour	4	Mt. Morris	1
Armour	5	Lake Forest	2
Mich. Normal	9	Armour	7
Mt. Morris	5	Armour	2
Elmhurst	8	Armour	1
Armour	5	Wheaton	3
Armour	2	Lake Forest	1
Wheaton	6	Armour	5

Oklahoma City College football players work their way through school by being in the city fire department.

Four Princeton polo teams had games on the same afternoon recently.

Faculty and Varsity Golf Men Play Match

In a closely contested match between two faculty members and varsity golf men at Evergreen, final results revealed the latter as victors by virtue of one match to none.

Professor Leigh was vanquished by Captain Dave Pearson while Professor Bibb made Sven Johansson work to tie their match. In order to make the matches more even, the faculty members were given a handicap of a stroke a hole, and this handicap, coupled with some subtle strategy by Professor Bibb, almost proved the undoing of Johansson.

At no time during the match was Professor Samuel Fletcher Bibb more than two down. On the last nine he put on a sport and began to draw close to Sven, who was playing a good, consistent game of golf. He finally caught Sven on the seventeenth hole and they tied off on the eighteenth all square.

In order to tie the match Johansson had to sink a fifteen footer on the eighteenth green and Professor Bibb had, on the last seventeen greens, almost convinced Sven that it was a mathematical impossibility to play such golf.

To make a tight match interesting, Sven held his put in the Professor Samuel Fletcher Bibb and thus saved himself a bright, new, golf ball.

SOME COMMENTS BY INDUSTRIALISTS ON ARMOUR PLAN

Results of the work of the Development Committee are becoming more and more evident and the helpful interest of the men who are leaders in education and industry is proved by their observations on the Armour Plan.

The Plan tends not only to help industry by providing men adapted to its needs but also to aid the graduate by fitting them with an education which will enable them to see the future needs of the industries.

This education will be broader and more general in scope. A broad humanitarian education will assist the graduates in gaining a realization of their responsibilities and teach them how to discharge those responsibilities.

Robert H. Spahr, director of instruction and curriculum development at the General Motors Institute of Technology says, "There is a growing appreciation that an engineering course may equal any other course in general educational or cultural values."

From the Eagle-Picher Lead Company, concerning the Plan, "That Plan, if consistently followed, would undoubtedly result in industry obtaining graduates who are better fitted for the particular work they will be called upon to do. The education of personality in addition to scholastic attainment is a step in the right direction, since personality is a contributing factor of great importance in the work which anyone has to do in industry."

Up to the time of the "Cram" in 1929, industrialists were doing business at such a high rate of speed that little attention was paid to the future needs of the industry as to the education of the men that were employed.

Now they are going back and trying to stabilize the foundation of industry by seeing that the graduates employed by them have educations with a basic soundness on which they can rely.

Many interesting and helpful comments have been received by the Committee. An executive of International Harvester Company says, "I think you have struck at the heart of a very important fact and am glad to see this effort made to coordinate the work of college training in industry's needs."

WRIGHT'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY

The Burnham library has acquired a copy of Frank Lloyd Wright's, "Autobiography." It should be particularly interesting to those who heard Mr. Wright speak at the Institute last year. He is as disconcertingly nonchalant in his writings about men and events as in his talks. To those interested in things historical we might mention the fact that the Burnham Library has a letter of Sir Christopher Wren's on exhibition.

TECH SHORTS

It seems that we weren't the only ones who came back to school before the official opening. Some of the grads were around, too, among them Harry Setterberg, the basketball player.

Since the lunchroom has been moved from the fieldhouse to Mission it is expected that there will be more room for the athletes. It has been too crowded for comfort in the past and more space will be appreciated by all concerned.

Coach Kraft was laid up in the hospital with appendicitis this summer.

The baseball team did well for its first season in the conference. Lefty Mayer and Bill Buchne bore the brunt of pitching activities. It looks as if next year ought to be a good one for the team.

The tennis tournament will start as soon as possible. All interested are requested to watch the bulletin board for detailed information. We hope that a champion will be declared before the courts are buried in snow. This tournament will give Coach Colvert an opportunity to look over prospective material for the Varsity. Here's your chance to show your stuff after a season of summer tennis!

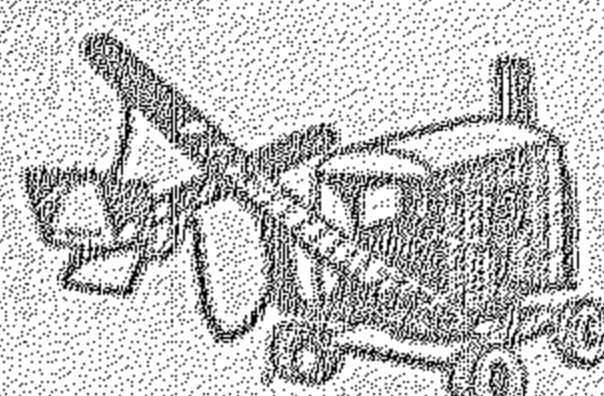
It won't be long before the air is filled with news of various sports. In about a month basketball will loom large on the horizon. Boxers will overhaul their equipment in preparation for the coming season, and the swimmers will be getting the final touches to their form acquired after a summer of practice.

Coach Kraft has ten basketball games on the schedule at this time, and more are being arranged for. Manager I. C. Johnson is assisting him in this.

Freshmen are urged to engage in some activity at school. If you are proficient in a sport, watch for bulletins and go out for it when tournaments and calls for candidates are announced. The coaches will be glad to aid you in any possible way.

The News has openings for reporters on the business and editorial staffs. This is a chance to show your literary or business inclinations.

THE STEAM SHOVEL



A brief note to the freshmen: this column is maintained by, for, and about the students (not to mention the profs). Place your contributions in the News box.

Vacation sure gets one. The eminent Jimmy Jevinsall was heard trying to calculate the number of times the sum of 20 dies would equal 100. Send in your answers.

Society Note: Joe Fernbach, Milt Prihan, and Wes Dummer, known at Armour as the unholy three recuperated from the finals at Dummer's summer home on the Fox River.

Diamond Dickey, conductor of the Elipstick has been ill the latter part of the summer and will return to school about a week late. Nevertheless the News must be printed and to Diamond writes his humor in bed.

Art Oberbeck has returned to school after a year's absence.

Sorry we can't say much about the freshmen yet since we only know Woodworth and Ormsby. But wait till next week—the Steam Shovel digs up everything.

And we can't ride that crowd of sophomore F. P. Ea any more because (darnit) they are juniors now.

Dave Moreton and Walt Spencer spent most of the summer at work on the faculty club. Various other profs also showed that they had their practical as well as theoretical sides.

ARMOUR'S ANNUAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT WILL BEGIN SOON

One of Armour's annual athletic events is the fall tennis tournament. It is especially for freshmen, new men, and all other tennis players in the Institute with the exception of lettermen from last year's tennis team. This year's tournament is to begin as soon as possible, since tournaments in former years have seldom been finished. Students interested in the tourney should watch the bulletin board for the entrance sheet and enter immediately.

During the past summer, the tennis courts have been given good care, and students who use the courts are requested to give them the care they should have while playing on them.

Professor W. W. Colvert, coach of the Tech tennis team and in charge of tennis activities at Armour, has announced that a list of the rankings of the men from last year's team and aspirants will be posted on the bulletin board. If men wish to improve their ranking, they have an opportunity to do so by challenging men within three above their own ranking. This plan is a very effective one for increasing interest in tennis and finding the true ranking of the tennis players in school.

Armour's well balanced tennis team of last spring, which closed the season with a record of five victories and four losses, is returning to school in full force this year. These men, who will be back for their second year together on the tennis team are: L. Strech, captain-elect; R. Arnabury, P. W. Paine, E. McDonough, and S. R. Cone. Besides these more experienced tennis players, it is rumored that there are some men entering this fall who were either prep stars or experienced players before coming to Armour. This should mean a highly

ELECTRICAL HEAD ATTENDS MEETING AT OREGON STATE

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concrete example, it was pointed out that graduate students had increased three hundred percent in the last five years.

Dean Kimball of Cornell University delivered an address in which he emphasized the growing demand for engineers trained along economic lines to fill executive positions. The business aspect of engineering is being emphasized and will continue to be more and more.

Armour Plan Explained

The Armour plan was presented to the convention by Mr. Robert H. Spahr, of the General Motors Institute of Technology. The program for Armour's expansion met with the whole-hearted approval of all of the delegates with whom Professor Freeman talked.

Professor Freeman combined business and pleasure by making an extended tour of the west on his return trip. Whereas it required only eight days to drive from Chicago to Oregon, Professor Freeman and his family took over seven weeks to return, visiting Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks, and several Universities throughout the west. Upon completing their western tour, they made a short eastern trip to see the total eclipse, and came back to Chicago by the way of Boston and New York, having driven twelve thousand miles.

Interesting and successful fall tournament as well as a good tennis season in the spring.

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