

ARMOUR ATHLETIC TEAMS EXPECT A SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Many Veterans Return For All Sport Activities

CAGERS START

At the start of another school year, sports enthusiasts at Armour (Editor's note: we hope there are many new ones among the freshmen), are looking forward to what Armour Tech will accomplish in the field of sports during the year 1933-1934. Prospect in all the sports in which Armour participates seem to be very bright, if one were to base any opinions on the amount of veteran material which is expected to return to college.

Basketball Prospects Bright

A cursory glance at the roster of the veteran basketball players who are returning shows that only one regular is missing in last year's captain, George Beemsterboer, who played center on the Techawk five. This gives Coach Kraft the following veterans around which he can build his team; Captain-elect Ray Pfum, who certainly needs no introduction to returning Armourites, Al Lauchiskis, who was high scorer of the season last year and one of last season's outstanding "finds," Harry Dollenmaier, a freshman "find" of last year, "Pop" Warner, another freshman, who made good in a big way his first year on the team, and Joe Laschober, who played several times last year although only a freshman.

Besides the four men just mentioned it is understood that Christoph, a regular on the 1931-32 team, will be in school this year. Coach Kraft will also have a wealth of new material to pick from if there is the usual number of good, experienced basketball players among the incoming freshmen. Harold Davidson, who is manager of the team this year, has promised that though the Techawk quintet will undoubtedly be strong it will be confronted by as tough a schedule as any Armour team has ever had to face.

Swimmers Lose Carlstrom

Although the swimming team lost only two men by graduation, it was certainly hit hard by the loss of these two. The men lost were ex-Captain Roy Carlstrom, who was a superlative dash man and one of the best swimmers ever to matriculate at Armour and Nick Giovan, a veteran relay swimmer. However, there are still many good veteran swimmers left on the squad who, with the new men which are sure to be found this year, will make a competent team and one that will carry on the ambitious swimming program that was started last year. Some of these reliable performers are Captain-elect Irv Kolve, R. Knaus, S. Bernstein, "Joanny" Ahern, Burson, Reed, and LaForce.

Boxing and Wrestling

Coach Weissman's boxers and wrestlers had a hard time scheduling matches with other colleges last year and it would be a shame if the same situation were to arise this year for not a man was lost from either squad. Such experienced men as ex-Captain McDonald of the boxing team, Bacci, Marcus, Schavilje, and Behmer of the same squad, and Captain Talaber, Berquist Larson, Schmidt, and Vendley of the wrestling team are back and eagerly awaiting the call to step on the mat.

Track Hopes High

The track team lost ex-Captain Sademan, Kruezkamp, Kenner, E. Cordes, and Oberbeck, but the present material should stand up well with some backing from new freshman material. Armour Tech's prestige on the track will be easily handled by George Nelson, John Roberts, Bejcek, Frateschi, Kulpak, Hanson, and others. Besides keeping tab on his track material Coach A. A. Stagg, Jr., will also be planning for that big event of the indoor track season in Chicago, the Armour Tech Invitational Relay Carnival.

Spring Sports

Although next spring's activities seem as far away as Commander Byrd's South Pole, it does no harm

TECH SHORTS

By Ray Fleissner

Getting the nose down to the old grindstone is going to be some job this season, from all evidences. Not only will we encounter difficulty in re-adjusting ourselves to the further acquirement of our education, but similar difficulty will be encountered in conditioning for participation in athletics. Howsoever, some of our men seem to be in the pink of condition. Ray Pfum, stellar captain of the Hawk cagers, claims to be in shape right now, and so does Frank Talaber, smiling Tech wrestling captain; and from the looks, or rather feel, of his handshake, his is all that.

It's really too bad that we don't have a football team at Armour. A lot of good practice was wasted up at Trout Lake this summer when the civils got together at camp to play what they called basketball. They also indulged in that famous game; "Moustache, moustache, who thinks he has a moustache?"

A Tale of Whoa!

This beginning would hardly be complete without a word or two about our mutual friend, Professor Schommer. As yet, no one has been able to tell an original story involving this great personage and true to

to think and speculate about them. The tennis future as has been noticed has a rosy hue, but the golf team was quite staggered when they lost half of their team.

Only Captain Sommer, a fine outfielder, Galvani, an infielder, and Buehne, a regular pitcher were lost to the baseball team through graduation, which facts should make the outlook for a successful baseball season very bright to Coach Kraft.

custom, he told this story about himself.

It seems that our friend John was refereeing a basketball game, quite up to standard according to himself, but not so hot, according to one of the players, who finally resorted to a nifty Bronx cheer. Upon several repetitions of the bird calls by the same aforesaid young man, Referee Schommer threatened to "knock his block off," at the next razzberry. Whereupon the lad bust into a prolonged merriment. In other words he just laughed loud and long. Something must have been funny. The game continued without further ado.

A short time after the close of the game, Referee Schommer found out that the obstinate young man was a boxing champ, well up in the heavier weights. The guy evidently had a good sense of humor.

Editor's Note: It's all right, John, we're right behind you!

Paging Joe "Popcorn" Stehno

Along with this we run across Joe Stehno, erstwhile Tech slugger, conditioning at the Fair during the summer. His location was a popcorn stand near the Electrical Building. Watch your weight, Joe!

A member of the Techawk golf team threw the Jackson Park golf course into a rumpus this summer. Bill Ahern, husky Tech pill-chaser, laid a nice spoon shot, against the wind, into the cup for an ace, on the 203 yard, 17th hole.

Join the Parade

In getting into the spirit of the thing, an attempt is being made to bring about a closer bond between the freshmen and the upper-classmen, in a shorter length of time. Running parallel to these plans, is the wearing of green caps by the newcomers, and we'll soon see more of the real college spirit here.

Golf Tournament to Be Announced Soon

All those interested in golf are invited to enter the annual Armour Tech tournament. Entries can be made when the notice is posted on the bulletin board.

There will be an eighteen hole qualifying round after which there will be arranged the tournament matches.

It is by means of this tournament that the prospects for the golf team in the spring can be brought to light. Professor Leigh is the golf coach and will conduct the tournament.

Graduation was the cause for losing Captain Johannison and Welton, two veteran golfers and left Davidson, Ahern, and Wattley as the only members to return this year.

Plan Tournament For Tennis Men

This fall, as has been the custom other years, there will be a school tennis tournament which will be open to any student at Armour except lettermen from the tennis squad. Professor Colvert will be in charge of the tournament. He has set Wednesday, September 20 at 4:00 p. m. as the deadline for entering the tournament. Anyone wishing to enter the tournament merely has to signify his intention to do so in writing on a small piece of paper, sign his name, and place it in Professor Colvert's mail box in the book store or see him personally in the Physics laboratory in the first entrance of Chapin Hall.

Since the selections for the Tech tennis team are based entirely on the showing the new men make in this tournament, it is very imperative that everyone who is interested in tennis should enter the tournament.

Registration Notice

REGISTRATION DAYS: Monday and Tuesday, September 18th and 19th, 1933, are devoted entirely to registration, enrollment in classes, making out program cards, and such other preliminaries as are necessary in order to begin the regular work on Wednesday, September 20th. A charge of one dollar is made for registration later than the dates mentioned above. September 19th: Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors will enroll as follows:

MECHANICALS with Professors Huntley and Peebles in Strength of Materials Laboratory, basement of Main Building.

ELECTRICALS with Professors Nash and Sear in Electrical Lecture Room, second floor, Main Building.

CIVILS and ARCHITECTS with Professors Stevens and Ensz in Civil Drafting Room, second floor, Mission Building.

CHEMICALS with Professors Freud and Bentley in Room A, fourth floor, Main Building.

FIRE PROTECTS with Professor Finnegan in Science Hall, third floor, Main Building.

After enrollment, students should pay their fees on the second floor, Main Building, receiving a registration receipt.

ENROLLMENT IN CLASSES: The registration receipt must be shown to the instructor, as it entitles the student to enter classes. No student is allowed to enroll in a class without this receipt. As soon as a student has enrolled in all of his classes, he should make out a permanent program card and leave it, with his class enrollment card, at the Office of the Deans. Blank program cards for this purpose may be obtained in the Office of the Deans.

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