

# Trackmen Lose Close Meet to Wheaton, 69-62

## Dunbar Breaks School Record in Winning 220-yard Dash RELAY DECIDES IT

A trio of Wheaton quarter milers with a smooth running track meet to aid, nosed out the Tech Cinder-men by seven points, 69-62 at Staggs Field Saturday afternoon. The meet was won in the final relay, when Patterson, Peterson, and Peterson, the same three who had previously swept the 440 event, ran just as fine quarter miles.

**Dunbar Breaks Record in 220**  
Armour took nine blue ribbons against six for Wheaton, one of the former being Dunbar's record breaking win in the 220 dash in :22.5, replacing the old Armour record of :22.7 set by Sturm in 1930. Bingham took a pair of firsts in the century dash and the broad jump, while Dunbar duplicated in the 220 straight away and the 220 hurdles. Vandekieft, per usual, copped the shot put but dropped the discus by a scant seven inches. Faust paced the mile and two mile against strong competition, taking seconds in both.

Duncan was high point man for Wheaton with first places in the mile and two mile. The Patterson brothers amassed a total of 16 1/2 points in the 440, 880, javelin and relay.

**Field in Ideal Condition**  
In spite of the heavy rain Friday, the track was fast, the weather ideal, and the wind behind the sprinters, which accounted for good times in all the dashes. Bingham got away for a good start in the hundred to turn in the fast time of :10.1. Rothenberg's start was slow in the 120 high hurdles, but he took the event in 17 seconds flat with Siegfried of Wheaton close behind.

In addition to his fine showing in the 100 dash, Bingham came within four inches of a new Armour record in the broad jump with a distance of 21 feet 4 1/2 inches. After a perfect takeoff he fell back on landing to lose the necessary distance. Simeon was first again in the high jump.

**Finnegan Wins Half Mile**  
Finnegan, in good form, won the 880 yard run with time of 2:04.7 well ahead of his competition. Armour took a hard jolt by failing to even tally in the javelin. L. Patterson of Wheaton threw the javelin 156 feet 8 inches, with Reihmer eight inches behind. Vandekieft was six feet in front of his competition with a heave of 40 feet 6 inches in the shot. Dixon had little trouble in winning the pole vault at 10 feet 6 inches.

While Bingham was threatening the broad jump record the running tally stood at Wheaton 61, Armour 56, and at the conclusion of this event Armour was but two points from a tie, 62-64. Victory or defeat depended on the relay team.

**Wheaton Wins Relay**  
Ryan, initial runner, led the third turn when Peterson forged ahead to trade the baton three yards ahead. Faust, running hard, but tired from the three miles of previous competition dropped about 15 yards but Deuter picked up ten against Wellman. Finnegan running anchor held the pace but couldn't gain enough against L. Patterson.

### SUMMARIES

- ONE MILE RUN—Won by Duncan (W); Faust (A), second; McShane (W), third. Time—4:47.6.
- 440 YARD RUN—D. Patterson (W), first; Peterson (W), second; L. Patterson (W), third. Time—:53.0.
- 100 YARD DASH—Won by Bingham (A); Dunbar (A), second; Wellman (W), third. Time—:10.1.
- 120 YARD HIGH HURDLES—Won by Rothenberg (A); Siegfried (W), second; Victors (W), third. Time—:17.8.
- SHOT PUT—Won by Vandekieft (A); Reihmer (W), second; Gavin (W), third. Distance—40 feet 6 inches.
- POLE VAULT—Won by Dixon (A); Dunkin (W), second; Braun (A), third. Height—10 feet 6 inches.
- 880 YARD RUN—Won by Finnegan (A); D. Patterson (W), second; Deuter (A), third. Time—2:04.7.
- HIGH JUMP—Won by Simeon (A); Lee (W), second; Rothenberg (A), third. Height—5 feet 8 inches.
- 220 YARD DASH—Won by Dunbar (A); Wellman (W), second; Peterson (W), third. Time—:22.5.
- TWO MILE RUN—Won by Duncan (W); Faust (A), second; McShane (W), third. Time—10:46.2.
- DISCUS THROW—Won by Gavin (W); Vandekieft (A), second; Reihmer (W), third. Distance—115 feet 3 inches.
- 220 YARD LOW HURDLES—Won by Dunbar (A); Victors (W), second; Rothenberg (A), third. Time—:26.7.
- JAVELIN THROW—Won by L. Patterson (W); Reihmer (W), second; Thomas (W), third. Distance—156 feet 8 inches.
- BROAD JUMP—Won by Bingham (A); Siegfried (W), second; Simeon (A), third. Distance—21 feet 4 1/2 inches.
- MILE RELAY—Won by Wheaton (Peterson, D. Patterson, Wellman, L. Patterson). Time—3:36.7.



By Ray Braun

So far this season the Tech nine has had two wins against three losses, but we still think that it is one of the finest teams Coach Krafft has molded together in quite some time. His coaching staff is above par, and so far the men have done all right by themselves in the hitting department. Although a little weak on the fielding end the team is steadily improving, and before long we'll be looking for an A-1 defense.

Last week's loss against De Kalb Teachers sure was a tough game to lose. As it now stands the Techs are on even terms with the latter, who are at the present time holding a nice substantial lead in the Little Nineteen Conference. Too bad we didn't join; we'd be right up there with them.

### Tech Batting Averages

Looking over the batting averages of the Tech nine up to and including the De Kalb game, we find that pitcher "Willie" Kruse, besides doing some fine work on the mound, has taken over the leading position in the batting department. His average is .382, being closely tagged by Shewchuck with .356. In the third position is Wagner with .318, and following him is his messmate "Jimmy" Dunne with .261. Pacocha is in fifth place with .250. The other member in our "Big Six" is "Irv" Seidenberg, who hits them high,

wide and handsome, but the left field fence is too far away, and too many fielders have got in the way of the others. His is .238.

As bad as the weather has been the softball tournament is stepping right along, seven games being played during the past week, resulting in the elimination of three of the teams.

Leading the tournament are the senior civils and the junior fire protecs, each having two wins against no losses. Behind them with a win and no losses are the junior mechanicals, the senior mechanicals, the soph electricals, the junior electricals and the junior chemical. The other teams still present but with lower averages are the soph chems, the senior fire protecs, the frosh meteors, the junior civils and the senior mechs.

*Congratulations are in order for the newly pledged men to Honor A society. Those who were honored for their athletic prowess are Logullo, Dunne, and Kruse of the baseball team; O'Connell and Henricksen from basketball; Shanahan and Skuza of the golf team; Simeon for track; Ruckberg in swimming; and P. L. G. Moore in boxing.*

Looking ahead we see that four of our sports will be in action this coming week. On Wednesday, the baseball team travels to Elmhurst and the tennis squad meets North Central there. On Friday, the golf team will play Eastern Teachers at Southmoor, and the tennis team will be at Wheaton. Concluding the week will be the Saturday baseball game at North Central and the track meet at Bradley.

# Three Teams Eliminated from Softball Tourney As Seven Games Are Played

Opening the junior schedule of softball games, the junior chemical gave the junior civils a 9 to 0 trouncing. Most of their runs were made in the first bracket on a cluster of clean hits along with a few helpful errors. Six men crossed the plate for the chemical in this inning before the inning was finally over. Several times the civils threatened, but that was as far as they got, Marshall, the chemical pitcher, doing a fine job of preventing any clean binges. In the fourth the schiers added two more runs to their score to take an 8-0 lead. Their final run came in the sixth inning.

### Soph Civils Win 6-3

Despite the fancy pitching and spectacular infield play by Ed Swanson, the sophomore fire protecs lost to the sure hitting soph civils 6-3. Carl Reh held the firemen to three runs, while six of his teammates crossed the plate to score after numerous errors.

The civils grouped their hits well, pushing runs across the plate with timely socks. Ralph Tullgren and George Prawdick wielded powerful bats for the civils to drive out several good hits. Steve Finnegan drove in two of the fire protecs' three runs.

### Senior Electricals Jolted 11-10

In a game with thrills enough for any big league contest, the junior electricals beat the senior electricals last Wednesday, 11-10. Although the seniors held the edge in runs and hits until the ninth, a cluster of six runs

on five hits and two errors in that inning put the juniors ahead to win.

The juniors brought in four tallies in the first of the second on hits, errors, and a long home run by Willy Kurtz, and the seniors batted around to score five runs in the third. Although both teams were held scoreless in the fourth, each scored once in the following inning. A home run clear over the fence by George Palka was the junior contribution.

The juniors work up in ninth and scored six runs on some well placed hits before an out was made. The seniors, determined to win, put one run across the plate, but Shewchuk, trying to score from third after Johnson's fly out, was tagged out at the plate by Irv Gebel on a beautiful final play.

### Sr. C.E. (7)-Sr. M.E. (5)

In one of the best games played this week the senior civils, coming through with a ninth inning rally, turned in a 7-5 victory last Wednesday over the senior mechs.

In the first inning the civils lead off with two runs, on singles by Manke and McCarthy, and a triple by Taradash. But teams remained

scoreless after this until the fifth inning, when the mechanicals got the first hit off Ikenn, the civil pitcher. It was a triple by Boehme, and being followed by Bartusek's homer to right, two runs came in to tie up the score. Another run in the seventh for the mechs put them in a 3-2 lead.

Then came the big ninth in which the civils scored their winning runs, on singles by Jaedtkke, Ikenn and Manke. Taradash's single and Riman's triple brought four of the runs in, and then on an error Taradash romped in. In their half of the inning the mechs made a stand, but fell two runs short, crossing the plate only twice, on a triple by Logullo and a homer by Harrold.

### Soph Schmiere in 15-6 Victory

The sophomore chemical, having learned a lesson in their first game, took the senior electricals down the line to the tune of 15 to 6. It was a batting spree in the first two innings which turned the trick for the sophs.

The first inning gave the sophs a six run lead, every man on the team taking his turn at bat. The second

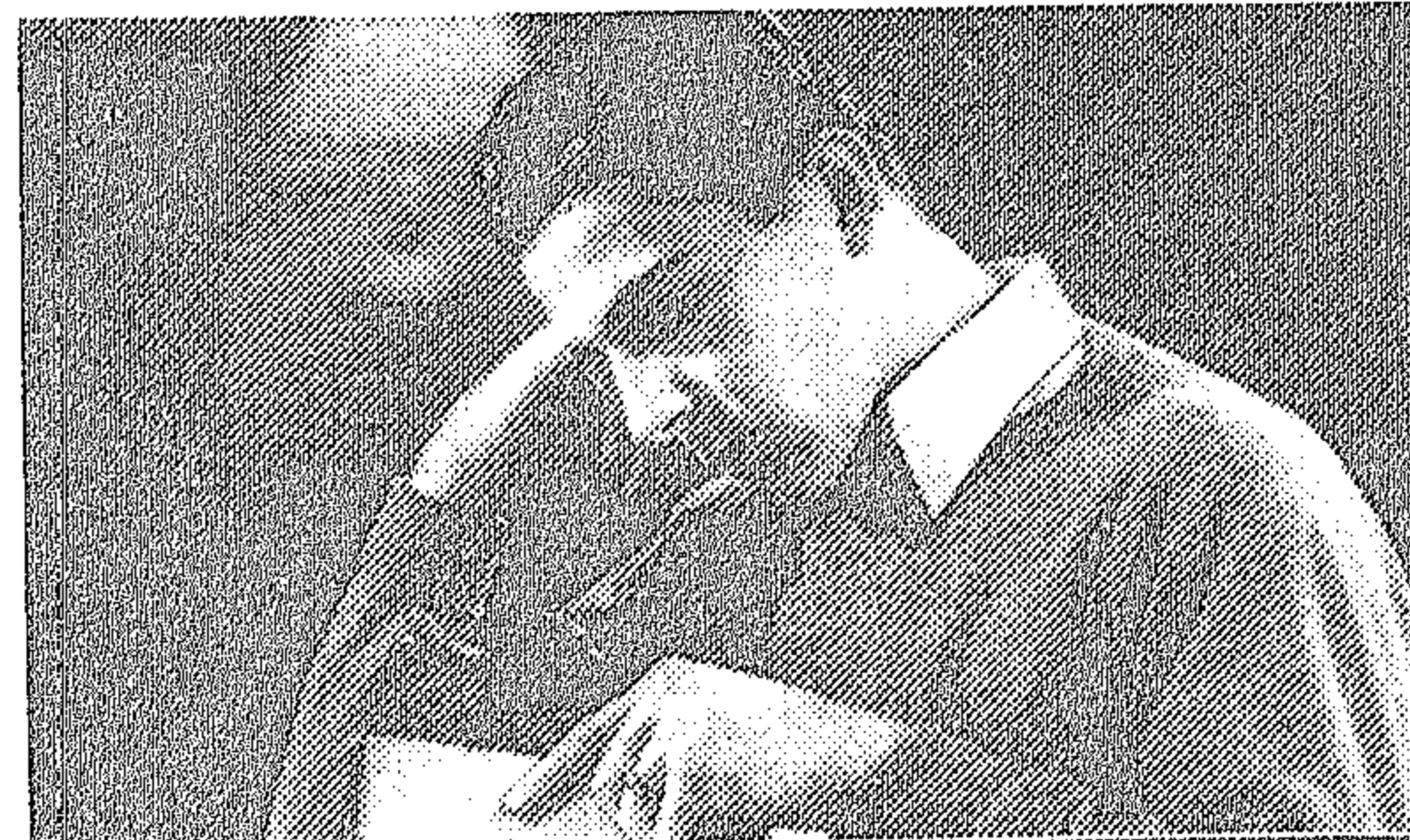
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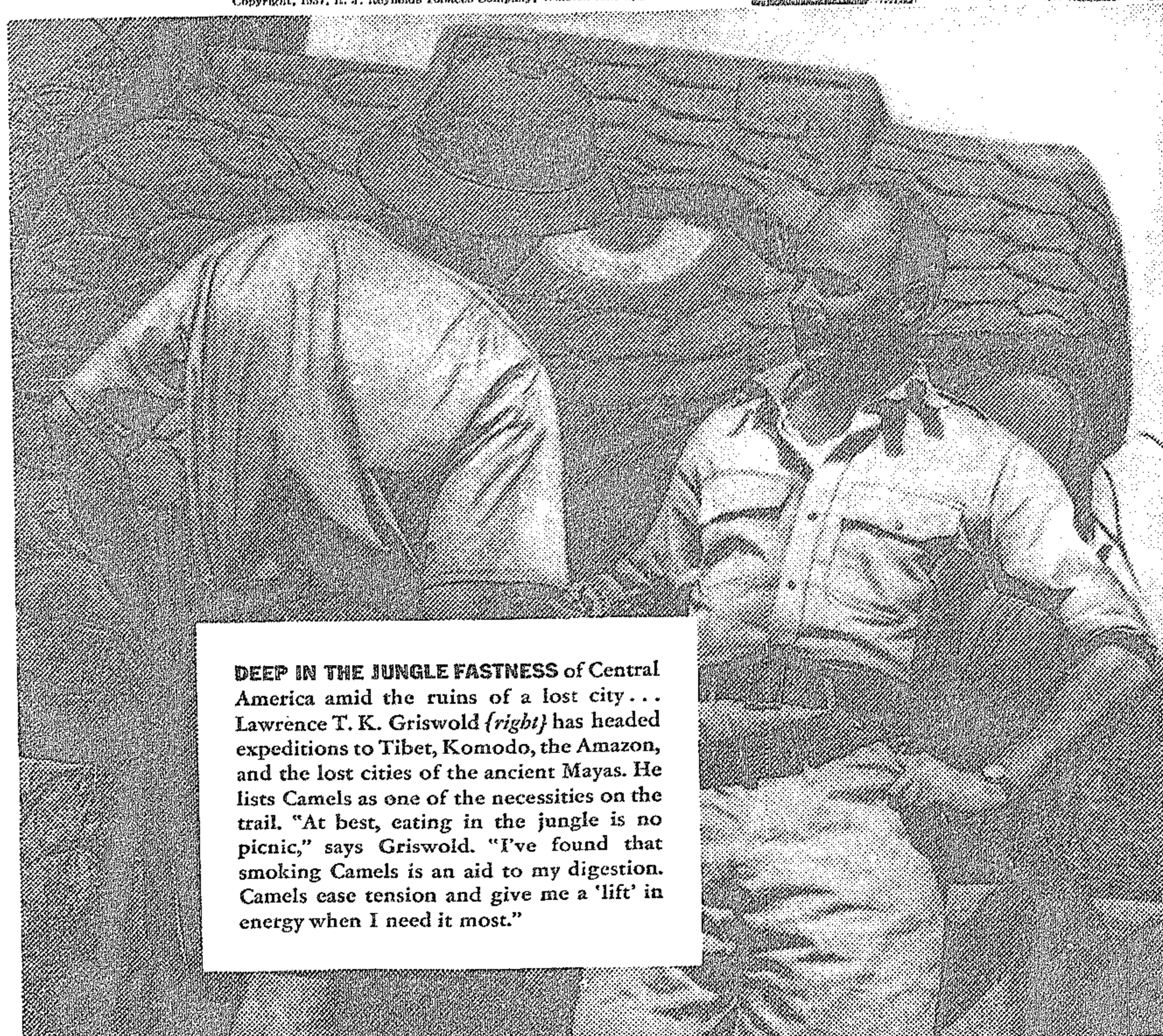
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