

CAGERS LOSE TO FORESTERS 50-41 AS BYRNE STARS

Last Thursday, Lake Forest College's basketball team defeated Illinois Tech 50-41, thus marking the Techawks' sixth defeat in seven starts, and their second at the hands of the Foresters.

Lake Forest got off to a 7 point lead in the first half, but the Techmen rallied to make four buckets in a row and take the lead 8-7 for the first and only time during the game.

"Pretty Boy" Harrison, the Jaybirds' star forward was unstoppable as he made every shot in the book for a total of twenty-one points. Harrison employed both left and right hand hook shots as well as pivots, and long pot shots. His twenty-one points included eight field goals, and five charity tosses. Bell, the Jaybirds' lanky center also gave a good account of himself as he made sixteen points to help sink the Techmen.

Jack Byrne, the sophomore sensation, again led the Techmen in scoring as he made eleven points. Schmidt, a senior co-op, and John Brierly, a senior chemical played inspiring defensive ball besides making six and seven points respectively.

Tech Leads, 8-7

In the first half, Harrison stole the ball twice from the Tech guards, and scored each time. He then proceeded to make a free throw and another field goal to put Lake Forest ahead 7-0.

Baskets by Byrne, Carey, Sliwa, and Brierly put the Techmen ahead 8-7. Harrison and Bell then put on a scoring spurt which almost overwhelmed the Techawks. However, the Gray and Scarlet kept their heads above for a short time by showing some real fight, and kept the score within reasonable limits. At the half the score was Lake Forest 25, Illinois Tech 15.

Free Throws Miss Again

In the second half, the Techmen put on a real exhibition of basketball team work as they matched Lake Forest basket for basket. However, this was not enough; although they maintained the Jaybirds' pace they could not overcome the eight point lead.

The victors made good on fourteen out of nineteen charity shots while the Techawks made only 5 to 11.

Mike Carey was ejected from the game in the second half due to the fact that he had 4 fouls called on him. The free throws provided the margin of victory for the Jaybirds.

Colonels Here Today

Illinois Tech's fighting basketball team will play two games in the next eight days against rivals of long standing. Today the Techawks meet the Chicago Teachers team and next Monday the lads will battle with Elmhurst. The squad has done fairly well this year and can be looked upon to do a good job against the respective opponents.

The Techawks opened the season against the Teachers. In this battle the Meyermen came out on the short end of a 34-20 score.

Last year against Elmhurst the quintet fared about the same, winning one and dropping one. In the first of the season's games with Elmhurst Tech was nosed out 28-26. However, they bounced back the next time they met Elmhurst and licked them 53-49.

There will be a meeting of all candidates for the baseball team today at 5 o'clock in U2W, Armour campus.

SENIOR MECHS WIN IN "DUST BOWL" TILT



Bill Krause lugs the ball for the Mechcs in one of the many devastating power plays the champions pulled in their 25-12 triumph over the Senior Civils. At the right is Frank Pfeffer, shown laying a block on Art Hauswald, while Ed Knorring, chief engineer of the Mech powerhouse, gets set to knock off another Civil. Bill Bauch, Civil, is shown at the extreme left. To the right of Krause are Mechcs Ozimek and Russanowski. The gridman with the bandana is Bob Olsen, speedy Civil. Bob Anderson, Staff Photographer

TECH SHORTS

By Fred DeMoney

"What will the development plan of Technology Center mean to the athlete," is a proper question for all participants in Tech's organized athletics to ask. We will attempt to answer it here.

Several statements regarding this question can be made with reasonable assuredness. First, there will be no great change in the athletic policy of the Institute. This means that eleven-man football will not be inaugurated as a recognized sport of Illinois Tech next fall; and that all sports will continue in the same vein as they have been in the past few years.

It is expected, of course, that the addition of a field house to the campus will magnify beyond imagination the present athletic activity of the average student. No longer will the courage and determination of the would-be athlete be withered by the advent of a long and tedious journey to the University of Chicago. Instead, these prime character necessities will be reduced to a minimum by the close proximity of the future field house.

For the ordinary student, one who has no great athletic talents in any particular sport but has an interest in all, the field house will prove to be a great boon. Swimming, gymnastics, tennis, wrestling, boxing — those sports of the "individual" type which can be readily taken up by the student in his odd moments of the day will be available. It has long been the desire of Athletic Director John J. Schommer that every graduating student be able to swim a couple of lengths of a swimming pool. With the completion of the field house Mr. Schommer's desire, which is an extremely justifiable one, will be fulfilled.

The field house, however important, is not the only unit to be constructed with the idea of serving the athletic side of Technology students. Tennis courts and an athletic field are planned also. These, together with the field house, will widen the scope of the Institute's athletic outlook not only in providing much needed space for the athlete, but also in providing home grounds for the Gray and Scarlet. For the first time in history, the mighty Techawks will be able to boast of meeting opponents on the "home grounds".

JOHN GIVES RULE MAKERS A JOLT

Vacation time did not mean rest for Illinois Tech's renowned Director of Athletics, John Schommer. During the period from January 1-4, Mr. Schommer attended a meeting of the Football Rules Advisory Committee of the National Collegiate Athletic Association held in Clementon, New Jersey. This was the first time that the famous Big Ten Official has been honored by the Association in this capacity. His presence at the conference helped to make it the most energetic and forceful discussion of football rules that has taken place in college circles.

Three new football rules of primary importance were passed by the group. The first was to allow an unlimited number of substitutions in any one quarter of a game. This will stop any repetition of a play such as occurred in the Ohio State-Purdue game in which Char-



"Uncle John"

lie Maag of Ohio kicked a field goal and gave State a three-point victory. Maag had already been substituted in the same quarter.

Fourth Down Pass

Another change concerned the forward pass on fourth down. Formerly if the pass were incomplete in the end-zone the ball would revert to the opposition on the 20-yard line. Now the opponent will receive the ball on the line of scrimmage.

The third revision involved handing the ball behind the line of scrimmage. The pigskin may be handed to any player behind the scrimmage line.

John Schommer played an im-

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So I've Heard!

By Art Hauswald

Well, the Touchball Tourney is finally over, and the Senior Mech team becomes the first Techawks team to win two intramural touchball championships. Last year they beat the present Senior Chems in the finale.

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Sonny Weissman, who coaches baseball among other things, has scheduled some sixteen games for the baseball team next spring. The Techawks have joined the newly organized Northern Illinois College League, a baseball league, which at present consists of North Central, Wheaton, Concordia, and Elmhurst, with Lake Forest, De Kalb, and Chicago Teachers as possible members.

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Bob Patterson, former Techawks wrestling captain of 1936, won the AAU wrestling championship at 155 lb. in the Amateur Athletic Union meet held in Chicago during Christmas vacation, while Steve Wasilenko, present member of the wrestling squad, walked off with the 128 lb. crown.

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Many Techawks faculty members and former students were grieved to hear that Lieutenant Paul L. G. Moore, C.E., class of '37, former boxing captain, was killed while testing a United States Army plane at Dayton, Ohio on last December 22. Member of Tau Beta Pi, and one of the Institute's foremost students, he was on the boxing team for three years, being elected captain in his senior year.

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The bowling tournament began this week, with twelve teams being paired off in the start of a ten week schedule. Intramural Manager Chuck McAleer has announced that the teams may find their handicaps and the schedule each week on the bulletin board in the Student Union.

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Ramblings: Captain Nigrelli will be wrestling in just two more meets as a Techawks since he will be graduating with the Co-ops on January 29. . . Don Maihock, 135 lb. wrestler, will be out for the season with a dislocated shoulder received in the AAU meet. . . Congrats to Coach Hal Davey for landing Notre Dame on the hockey schedule. . . Look out for that

Senior Mechcs Whip Senior Civils 25-12 In Touchball Finale

Better late than never! After four weeks postponement, due to rain, snow, wind, ice, and what have you, the Senior Mechcs finally won their second successive Touchball championship last Friday by virtue of a 25-12 win over the Senior Civils. It was their eighth victory in a row, going through the entire tournament schedule without a defeat.

Obergfell Scores

The Civils, winning the toss, kicked off to the Mechcs who brought the ball to midfield. Two plays failed to gain much yardage, and on the third down Bill Krause spiraled a long pass to Howie Obergfell in the end zone for six points. The pass for the extra point was blocked.

Mechcs Turn on Power

Ed Knorring kicked off to the Civils, the ball going offside at midfield. Successive long passes failed to gain any ground for the Civils, and the Mechcs took over, gaining ten and fifteen yards at a time on power plays through center, and wide sweeping end runs. However, the Civils held them, Bill Bauch and Roy Jacobsen getting inside the Mech defense blocking time after time. Late in the first half Walt Russanowski went out short and then broke into the clear to take Frank Pfeffer's pass for the Mech's scored tally. The try for the extra point was again stopped. The Civils threatened only once in the first half when short passes from George Lykowski to Bob Olson brought the ball to the Mech's ten yard stripe, but the march stopped there when Krause intercepted in the end zone for a touchback. The first half ended with the Mechcs on on the long end of a 12-0 score.

Krause Scores

The second half opened with the Civils bringing Knorring's kick off to midfield. On the first play, Art Hauswald on a sleeper play, went into the end zone for Lykowski's long pass, but the pass was blocked. The Mechcs took over a few plays later, and after a series of winning plays, brought the ball to the Civil's own twenty. Pfeffer tossed a pass to Krause who connected in the end zone when the ball bounced from the hands of Hauswald. Pfeffer went through center behind fine blocking to score the extra point.

Late in the second half, the Civils scored their first touchdown when Hauswald went behind Krause and took Lykowski's pass for a touchdown. The pass for the extra point was blocked, making the score 19-6. Krause added the last Mech touchdown a few minutes later when behind good blocking, he went through the entire Civil team for six more points.

Civils Score

The Civils made it 25-12, a few plays later, when Lykowski, tossed a long pass in the end zone to Hauswald and Rockelmann who hung on to the ball simultaneously. The pass for the extra point was no good, and the game ended a few minutes later with Lykowski running the ball from his own ten to the Mech's twenty yard line.

Weissman, Davey, and Kremer outfit in the bowling tourney. . . Sophomore Jack Byrne, Techawks forward on the basketball team, has piled up 64 points in seven games. . . John Butkus is in Weissman's doghouse for missing a couple of wrestling meets. . . It must be that Lillian person.