

# TRACKMEN WHIP ELMHURST 54-41 AS BARRY STARS

Illinois Tech's track squad swung into high gear last Wednesday evening to vanquish Elmhurst college. In their last meet in preparation for the Tech Relays the Scarlet and Gray turned back the Blue-Jays by a 54-41 score. The visitors were able to capture first places in only the half mile, shot put and relay out of the eleven events.

## Osborne Wins Again

Hurdler Dick Barry and dashman Bob Osborne shared scoring honors with two firsts apiece. Osborne had comparatively easy victories in the 60 and 440. But Barry, winner of both timber races, had stiff competition in Elmhurst's Winkley, former renowned high school hurdle champ.

Wayne McCullough and George Erkert turned in remarkable times in the mile and two mile event. McCullough for once concentrating on a single distance race, turned in a 4:47.2 mile that is the fastest mile run by a Techhawk in the last two seasons. Erkert, freshman mile flash, in running the first two mile of his career turned in the first under-eleven-minute two mile since the days of S. P. Finnegan '39, school record holder.

## Keigher Places Third

Among the other point-winning Techawk performers was Don Keigher's third in the high hurdles and Nat Ratner's third in the two mile. A surprise second by R. W. Sauer, sophomore find in the middle distance, in the 440 contributed to the Tech scoring column.

The pole vault was a clean sweep for the Techawks even without the services of their ace vaulter, Johnny Elwood. The high jump ended in a three way tie with 6' Parks and Harry Heidenreich failing to make the 5.8' mark. Al Sanowskis' toss in the shot was sufficient for a second. The Techawk relay team, without the help of ailing George Matthews, lost the baton race by a scant 6 yards.

## Final Indoor Meet

This marks the final dual meet of the indoor season. The squad in five meets lost by a wide margin to North Central, gave Wilson and Loyola close meets, beat Morton and Chicago Teachers decisively in a triangular meet and culminated the season by an easy victory over Elmhurst. Handicapped by lack of members and conditioning the team was slow in getting into a winning organization. But now with several new potential stars and the advent of better practicing facilities on our own Ogden Field, the Rootmen should have a team comparable to the great teams of former years.

## SUMMARIES

60-yd. Dash	Osborne (IIT), Luckhoff (E), Auten (E)	—:06.6
Mile Run	McCullough (IIT), Mauch (E), Schierhorn (E)	—4:47.2
440-yd. Dash	Osborne (IIT), Sauer (IIT), Varney (E)	—:54.6
High Hurdles	Barry (IIT), Winkley (E), Keigher (IIT)	—:09.8
2 Mile Run	Erkert (IIT), Schierhorn (E), Ratner (IIT)	—10:5.7
880-yd. Run	Mauch (E), Lichtenheld (E), Johnston (IIT)	—2:11.4
Low Hurdles	Barry (IIT), Winkley (E), Clevenger (E)	—:08.8
Shot Put	Mernitz (E), Sanowskis (IIT), Simon (E)	36'5"
High Jump	Parke (IIT) & Braun (E) & Heidenreich (IIT)	5'6"
Pole Vault	McCullough (IIT) & Heidenreich (IIT) & Barnett (IIT)	10'2"
880-yd. Relay	Elmhurst	—1:38.5

# Meet Doctor Harold W. Davey; Teacher, Coach, Sports Enthusiast

Illinois Tech's number one sports fan is, without a doubt, Doctor Harold W. Davey. This bespectacled disciplinarian, in two short years, has had a pronounced effect upon the athletic history of Armour and Illinois Tech. "Doc" Davey has created more fervent participation in intramural sports, has caused the formation of a hockey team, and has assisted in the formation of an unofficial football team, which might develop into a school effort. He has been ap-



Coach Davey

pointed to the position of coach of the tennis team, and has been number one rooter, enthusiast and cheerleader at baseball, basketball and track meets.

## Formed Hockey Team

One of Davey's most important projects was the creation of a hockey team. For over a year he lobbied for the formation of a hockey squad. Finally, his pleas were heard and an appropriation was granted for the sport. Davey has been very active in coaching this aggregation to a successful season in their first year.

Davey was given the coaching position of the tennis team last fall. This squad had been a rather sluggish outfit and had declined to the position of a very minor sport. At the very outset "Doc"

changed the entire aspect of the situation. He instigated fall practice, something new and necessary for the tennis team. He forced a group of rather lazy players to get out an really fight for team positions besides getting into condition.

## Davey Boosters Star

Softball, basketball, touch football, bowling and ping-pong have been Davey's chief interests in intramural sports. Last spring a freshman team sponsored by Davey, the Davey Boosters, conquered twenty-eight school teams to become the Davey champs. A year ago the Davey Boosters were undefeated in intramural basketball competition. This team broke up when the varsity claimed most of its members.

Two seasons previous the Davey Boosters ruled as kingpins in touchball. Last fall, with this team as a nucleus, an unofficial football team was formed and a promising future is expected for this group. Davey's interest in bowling and ping-pong have centered upon his own participation. His excellence in these sports has been questioned by experts.

To look at "Hal" Davey one would not assume that he is such a sports enthusiast. Knowing that Davey was an honor student at Syracuse and later received a doctor's degree at Harvard and realizing his excellence in teaching and his interest in reading and research complicate the problem. Perhaps the whole situation can be explained by "Doc" Davey's thwarted activity in sports as a student.

But now, Hal Davey is attempting to promote sports interest in most of the students attending Illinois Tech.

Davey sports activities have not gone unnoticed, let us hope they will continue.

## Lewis Frosh Defeat

### 'B' Cage Team 20-16

Playing host to an overconfident "B" team, the Lewis Frosh set their guests back on their heels, 20-16. The Armour men were continuously baffled by the outstanding floorwork of Ralph Arboe and Jim Snodgrass. Armour led at the end of the first quarter, 3-1, but Lewis was ahead at the half, 7-6.

Lewis scored first with a free throw by Sol Fishman, but Mario Silla quickly pulled the Armour men ahead with a basket and a free throw. A basket by Arboe and two by John Kastholm put Lewis in the lead again. Silla tallied a basket and Bob Klein plunked a free throw for Tech before the first half closed, but Lewis was up one point.

During the third quarter Lewis built up a lead large enough to stave off a last minute splurge by the Techawks which was led by Dick Guetzow. High point men of the game were Silla of the "B" team with seven points and Arboe of Lewis with five counters.

Lewis (20)				Armour "B" (16)			
Arboe	2	1	3	Cox	0	0	2
Janaga	0	0	0	Klein	0	1	0
Ronchro	1	0	0	Guetzow	1	1	3
Fishman	0	1	2	Gow	0	0	0
Wing	0	0	0	Yassul	0	0	0
Barnett	2	0	0	Silla	3	1	0
Galassi	0	0	0	Miller	0	0	4
DePinto	2	0	1	Sundetrom	1	1	1
Kastholm	2	0	0	Piotkin	1	0	0
Snodgrass	0	0	0				
Heap	0	0	0				
Iglitzen	0	0	0				
	9	2	6				

Tickets are priced at fifty cents per couple and may be obtained from Dr. Davey, any member of the hockey team or the book store.

## Freshman Stars

### Spark Net Team

Tennis practice has suffered because of National Defense and the Tech Relays. The army's use of the Armory and the preparation for the Relays at the U. of C. fieldhouse have removed these practice grounds from use. This may prove to be a severe loss as the team opens against Loyola on April 3.

However, the squad will have a chance to exercise this week because the army is leaving its quarters at the 103rd Engineers' Armory and this will allow the team to use the floor there.

Coach Davey has not seeded the players as yet, but three freshmen—James Ferguson, Dick B. Larson and Don Schiller will provide competition for the veterans. Also, out for the top spots are Earl Sherman, sophomore and Charles Woehri, Junior. These men plus the veterans from last year's squad makes Illinois Tech a team to watch.



# BOXERS PREPARE FOR NEXT MEET

Grunting and groaning with exertion the wrestlers and boxers are getting into trim for coming meets. Since tying with Valparaiso last week the boxing Valparaíso have been marking time till the next meet comes up. Letters have been sent to St. Joseph, Herzl Junior and several colleges in the middle west but so far nothing definite is known.

## "Y" Meet Cancelled

Last week a wrestling meet was scheduled with the Division street "Y" grapplers. This was postponed because several of the "Y" boys were unable to compete. The meet will be run off as soon as the two teams can get together on a date again.

## Practice Lags

Sonny Weissman is having trouble getting some of the boys to really get in there and work. He was overheard as saying that several of the more prominent men on the respective teams talk a good practice session but actually don't do much work. These team members seem always to have just finished their workout when the coach, none other than Weissman, himself walks upon the scene. Let's get in there and fight men!

# IT'S CHESTERFIELD WEEK

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