

Three Tech Touchball Tournaments Turn To Their Topnotch Tussles

Warriors Gird For Week's Battles

Darkness is coming over Ogden Field, the weather is getting chilly, yass even cold, but the touchball tourney goes on. It's a long and hard schedule that the winners will have faced but at least they will know that they have really seen some action to come out on top. This week features some highlight games which should keep the boys going all the time.

Touchball Schedule

(Referees in parentheses)

Week of October 27

Tues.

9-10 Sr. chems v. Sr. mechs.
(Fitch, Pleva)

Wed.

9-10 5A Co-ops v. 2A Co-ops.
(Sundstrom, Bechtolt)

2-3 Soph civils v. Soph FPE
(Bechtolt, Schilling)

Thurs.

12-1 3A Co-op. v. Jr. mechs.
(Heidenreich, Bay)

1-2 Sr. FPE v. Jr. chems.
(Heidenreich, Peterson)

Fri.

10-11 Soph mechs v. Sr. mechs
(Gow, Goluska)

11-12 Jr. civils v. Sr. civils
(Ratner, O'Connell)

2-3 Jr. FPE v. Screwballs
(Sundstrom, Pleva)

Mon.

2-3 Soph mechs v. Jr. FPE
(Fitch, Peterson)

Thus far, the most fiercely contested touchball games have been those between various classes of the same department. To wit: The Sr. civil, Soph civil game of last Friday which was won by the Sophs 6-0 as they scored in the last minute of the game. Also, the Sr. chem, Jr. chem game which ended in a 13-13 tie as the juniors came back in the last half with two touchdowns to tie the score.

Last Week's Scores

Soph FPE 19—Ques. Marks 22
Protest Allowed for FPE.
Sr. chems 13—Jr. chems 13
Sr. mechs 21—Sr. FPE 0
5A Co-op 25—Jr. CE 6
Jr. mechs 1—Sr. EE 0—(forfeit)
Soph mechs. 39—Soph chem. 8
Soph CE 6—Sr. CE 0
Jr. FPE 44—Wildcats 6

West Campus Game Opens Sleepy Eyes

In opening the touchball season at the west campus the "Jerks" scored an overwhelming victory over the "Tools" to the tune of 41 to 12.

Paced by the brilliant broken-field running of Roger "George McAfee" Friewer and the passing of Len "Sid Luckman" Wasielewski the "Jerks" proved to be too much for the "Tools." A pass in the first three minutes of play from Wasielewski to Len Marrese scored the first of six touchdowns for the "Jerks." Runs of 50 and 40 yards by Friewer gave them a lead of 21 to 0 at half time.

A pass that was almost intercepted by the "Jerks" bounced into the outstretched hands of Dick Veenstra who ran the remaining 30 yards for "Tools" first touchdown. Their second and last touchdown was scored on a pass from Kevin Quinlan to Joe Dalton which covered 40 yards.

New Cagers Fear Varsity Players; Few Turn Out For Practice Sessions

I'M GONNA GETCHA'



Ivo Buddeke, soph chem, attempts to outrun the soph mechs, but is stopped, as was his team in the touch tourney.

Staff Photo by Bob Shank

DELTA LAMBDI XI WINS FRAT UPSET

Alpha Sigma Phi featuring a fast rushing line and shifty backfield ran roughshod over Rho Delta Rho last Wednesday, 18-4. Led by Al Dambros and Bill Hackbarth the Alpha Sigs showed ver-

Last Week's Games

Alpha Sigma Phi 18 Rho Delta Rho 4.

Phi Kappa Sigma 13 Sigma Alpha Mu 0.

Delta Lambda Xi 13 Delta Tau Delta 0.

satility in every department. Their running attack is powerful, their blocking is smooth and they capitalize on their opponents' errors. The Rho Deltas had several opportunities to score but each time they were within scoring distance a stiff Alpha Sig resistance tightened and held.

Phi Kaps Win

Bunce, Lease, and company, otherwise known as the Phi Kap six defeated a scrapping Sigma Alpha Mu team 13-0 in Ogden field last Thursday. Harry Devine and Bob Lease scored for the PK's who feature a pretty fair aerial attack and good groundwork.

Upset!!!

The upset of the week was the Delta Lambda Xi defeat of Delta Tau Delta 13-0. The Delta Lambs turned out to be lions as the Delta Tau Delta attack backfired. Sparenberg, Suthers, and Creagan were handcuffed by a sweet pass defense and cautious line.

Pi Kappa Phi and Theta Xi will meet this week in the first frat

This Week's Pairings

1. Alpha Sigs vs. Phi Kaps
2. Pi Kaps vs. Theta Xi
3. Winner Game No. 2 vs. Delta Lambda Xi

battle for both teams. Sparks should fly when Harry Heidenreich opens up against Frank Jencius. The Pi Kaps, last year's champs, have a very good chance to cop the trophy for the second successive year.

A funeral will be held Friday night for the members of the feature staff who die in the touch duel with your sports department.

Hockey Hopefuls Shine Up Skates

Heading into their second full season the hockey team is making plans for a much more successful season. Last year the team showed promise but could never quite hit their stride.

This season will be the third year for many of the stars of the team. This nucleus includes Bill Natson, George Martinek, Morgan Fitch, Bill Crawford, Dick Metcalfe, and Reford Croon. These boys will graduate as a group in another year.

Despite this situation the plans for the future are bright. Many freshmen and sophomores, who expect to star, are planning to turn out for the team.

Coach Davey has announced that the schedule will include many top notch teams such as Notre Dame. The only team Davey will not try to play is Illinois, who furnish competition for the Chicago Blackhawks.

At present the team will practice their hockey on the football field until the outside rinks freeze over. This practice is expected to build up the stamina and power of the players.

Swimmers Make Seasons Plans; Tough Schedule Faced By Mermen

By Don Keigher

At a meeting called by senior manager Howard Bunce last Monday night, the Illinois Tech swimming team made preparations for its coming season. The addition of fifteen new candidates bolstered the turnout of veterans.

Manager Bunce, acting in the absence of Coach "Mac" McGillivray, outlined the probable dual meet schedule. Although not definitely drawn up, the dual schedule will include some of the strongest aquatic college squads in the Midwest. Among these are Loyola, DePauw, Beloit, North Central, Illinois Wesleyan, Chicago Teachers and the very strong University of Kentucky team.

Although the season will include a number of traveling meets, the finest trip of the year will be a five-day 1000 mile tour during mid-semester holidays. It will include

No Positions Set; Good Men Needed

At the end of the first week of basketball practice, about the only cheerful note is the spirit shown by the few men that have reported for practice. Only twenty-odd men have reported thus far and most of these, were on either the varsity or frosh squad last year. However, despite the small number out for the quintet, they certainly look sharp for so early in the season.

Peppy Workout

Last Tuesday night, these hopefuls were introduced to a backboard and basket for the first time this year, and yet they showed a lot of pep and not a few sharp eyes. Stepins and passes were the main topic of the first evening of practice. During the second workout of the season, a light scrimmage was held and the men are now really started on the long training grind. Coach Meyers intends to get his team ready and in the best possible condition in the shortest time possible, as the season is only four weeks away, and the toughest and most desirable game is only five weeks away. This year, Illinois Tech will play Chicago on the Midway, a bit earlier than last year, and Coach Meyers is really pointing his men for that game. Last year, U. of C. defeated the Techmen 29-25 in a bitterly contested battle. The inability of the Techmen to stop Capt. Joe Stampf of Chicago was the chief factor in this loss, and due to the fact that the Maroons have lost Stampf through graduation, things look pretty good.

New Offense

"Coach Meyers' Boys" will probably be equipped with two very effective offenses much the same as last year, one of these offenses being the fast break up the floor. The Tech offense has purposely been designed by Coach Meyers so that they can play a hard fast game with no breaking spells. Therefore, a lot of good stalwart reserve strength will be necessary. If this year's Techawk team will, or can show the spirit, speed, and team play that marked the efforts of last year's squad, there can be no doubt but that IIT will have a winning team this year despite the apparent lack of competent reserve strength.

TECH SHORTS

By "Ritchie" Guetzow

Athletic prospects at Illinois Tech are certainly looking up this year. Among the four hundred odd freshmen enrolled at Armour college over ninety men are high school letter-winners. These men are certainly welcome and are especially invited to come out for athletics at their earliest possible convenience.

One man that stands out among his fellow frosh is Bob McNerny, who is a state champion swimmer. McNerny hails from Lane Tech, where he specialized in free-style events. He looks to be one of the most outstanding swimmers to hit Tech in a decade.

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Despite predictions of a winning basketball team at Illinois Tech this year, Coach Meyers is very disappointed in the turnout for the squad. He is very fearful that lack of reserve strength may cause serious complications as the season progresses. Only twenty-five men have turned out for practice thus far. Where are all of Tech's cagers hiding? Come on out and show your stuff — remember — nothing ventured nothing gained—also, it is better to have tried and lost than never to have tried at all. . . . Come on fellows! let's show a little spirit and a few basketball players to Coach Meyers tonight. The time: 5 p.m. The place: fifth floor main.

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Whit Pearson, Tech's star swimmer, despite recent rains, definitely denies having practiced his various strokes in Ogden field last week.

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Armour's senior arx are now the proud possessors of a football borrowed from the intramural manager. They play every noon on a regulation 'goal post' field in Grant park. Watch out for these boys.

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Honor I takes great pleasure in announcing that the following men: Bob Neuhaus, Mike Schultz, Al Dambros, Mario Silla, Karl Koos, and Wayne McCullough have been taken into their select circle of "I" men, and will be formally initiated tomorrow night. The initiation will be held at the Pi Kappa Phi house.

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Al Sharres and Marty Mongeau, the Mutt & Jeff of the Soph mechs touchball team each snared two of versatile Johnny Cotter's passes to outwit, outmaneuver, and thoroughly bewilder Ivo Buddeke and his Soph chem outfit. Final score: Sharres & Mongeau 30, Soph chems 6. P. S. "Slingshot" Danny O'Connell made the mechs other touchdown.

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Fencing practice will be held in the gym at 4 p.m. each Tuesday and Thursday beginning on November 4. This year, Dr. Hayakawa intends to enter his fencers in intercollegiate competition. The "Doc" hereby issues a call for all men interested in this sport whether they have had previous fencing experience or not. New equipment has been procured, and there will be no dues or fees charged.

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Referees are again requested to hand their programs into the intramural manager. You can not expect to work games unless Milt Pleva knows when you can officiate.

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FEATURE DEPARTMENT BEWARE!! THE SPORTS DEPARTMENT WILL GET YOUR SCALPS WITH SOME TO SPARE