

Announce twenty-three major letter awards

Quintet season record shows Cagers win ten; lose seven Wagner coaches his first team to best IIT record in years

Smashing through to their finest season since 1935 Tech's quintet has comprised a record of ten wins and seven defeats for a .588 percentage. A great deal of this success is due to the coaching of Ed Wagner who was a star player himself from 1935 to 1939.

Tech's scarlet and grey had a hard time getting started this season and as a result lost four of their first six games. Then with that experience behind them they soon piled up an impressive record of six straight victories.

This string of victories was kept intact until the last game of the season when Tech was beaten by Wheaton College. Tech's hardwood artists gained double victories over Concordia Teacher's, Lake Forest and American College of Physical Ed. during the season

while losing twice to Glenview Naval Base and Wheaton. Probably their best game of the year was played against North Central College. Tech went down in defeat by only five points in that game. North Central won the Illinois College Conference title and piled up 14 wins in 15 games, losing one game to Illinois Wesleyan by one point.

The main factor in Tech's victories was Captain Jack Byrne who took the season's scoring honors with a total of 142 points. "Jackson" was followed by Tom Kilgariff who in his first year at Tech piled up a total of 91 points. Tom also had the distinction of having the most personal fouls called on him, but this is indicative of his all-around aggressiveness on the basketball floor. While we are still on the highlights of the season we should mention that Tom Gavin made 8 out of 9 free throws attempted, for the best percentage of the varsity players.



Reading from left to right—Jack Byrne, Captain; Ed Wagner, Coach, and Marvin Larson, Manager—the brains of the Techawk basketball team.

TEAM'S SEASON RECORD

Opponent	Score	Result
Illinois Tech	37-24	W
U. of Illinois Dental School	24	W
31-North Central	36	W
56-Lake Forest	36	W
38-U. of Illinois Dental School	39	W
32-Chicago Teachers	34	W
36-Glenview Naval Base	62	W
32-Lake Forest	30	W
27-Wheaton	41	W
63-Concordia	53	W
24-Glenview Naval Base	46	W
38-U. of Chicago Code School	31	W
44-Concordia Teachers	42	W
34-Chicago Teacher	30	W
84-American College of Physical Ed.	47	W
64- " " " "	41	W
43-George Williams	34	L
39-Wheaton	54	L

TEN WINS—SEVEN DEFEATS
SEASON'S AVERAGE .588

PLAYERS' RECORD

Player	F.G.	F.T.	Fouls	Total Points
BYRNE	53	36	16	142
KILGARIFF	37	17	30	91
SMART	42	5	18	89
LAGODNEY	33	10	17	76
FLEISCHER	24	13	17	61
KIDD	16	7	17	39
FUTTERER	15	4	10	34
GAVIN	13	8	10	34
PUCHALSKI	16	0	10	32
SHEPHERD	10	4	21	24
BERGSTROM	9	4	4	22
FRANKS	5	2	3	12
PETERSON	5	2	5	12
DAMBROSE	3	1	1	7
OLDSHUE	3	0	5	6
HAUGHNEY	2	2	3	6
MICHELS	2	2	0	6
KOZIAK	1	2	3	4
TUBERGEN	2	0	1	5
SWANSON	1	0	7	2

Director of athletics, John Schommer today approved the suggestions for athletic awards in basketball, wrestling and boxing that were given to him by Coaches Sonny Weissman and Ed Wagner.

Having completed their seasons schedule these Techawk teams are awarding their highest awards to these following honored athletes:

Basketball Major Awards: Wally Futterer (jacket), Jackson Byrne (jacket), Ray Lagodney (jacket), Bill Smart, Bob Kidd, George Fleischer, Casey Puchalski, Jack Shepherd, Tom Kilgariff, Tom Gavin, Al Dambros, R. C. Peterson and Larry Nadel manager.

Basketball Minor Awards: Carl Bergstrom, Ed Swanson, Jim Oldshue, Ray Tubergen, Jim Gibbons, T. Michaels, Vince Haughey, George Konkol and Marvin Larson, manager.

Wrestling Major Awards: Bill Dunlap, Jack Euliff, Harold Hurvitz, Don Maihook, Ed Ozimek, Ted Stein, Pete Zemaitis, Ernie Harrison, and Wally Gow, manager.

Wrestling Minor Awards: Ronald Ailara, Al Glassgen, and Claude Anderson.

Boxing Awards: LeRoy Simpson, Major and Bob La Civita, Jim Ladd, Ed Dunat and Max Sage, Minor Awards.

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Techmen split in season finale

Rambling on, the Techawk cagers scored their tenth victory of the season by downing George Williams by a score of 43-34. Later in the week they closed their campaign, the best since '36, by losing to Wheaton 54-39.

In the Williams encounter, the Techawks were closely pressed until late in the game. The score at half time read IIT 16, George Williams 15. Handicapped under the backboards somewhat due to the height of two six-foot six men on the Williams team, the team barely stayed in the lead. Buster Heller of Williams led his team in scoring, with ten points while Ed Boaz was able to account for seven before he was ejected on personal fouls.

High scorers of Tech were Tom Kilgariff and Gordie Fleischer with thirteen and ten points respectively. Peterson and Fleischer played exceptionally well on defense and under the backboards and had much to do in holding Williams' score to a minimum.

In their first home court defeat of the season, the Techawks met Wheaton, who led by Dave Paynter, pulled away from the Techawks in the second half after holding only a three point lead at half time. The score at this point was Wheaton 22, IIT 19. Paynter threw in seven field goals and two free throws to account for two-thirds of their total. In the second half he garnered nine more points for a game total of twenty-three.

Tech's squad was led by Jackie Byrne who accounted for eleven points on four buckets and three free throws. Tom Gavin and Kilgariff each threw in three baskets and Gavin added on charity toss to his total.