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Illinois Tech Swimmers Lose
Close 45-39 Meet to Iowa

Final Race Decides Outcome of Meet;
Pearson Leads Scoring With 11 Points

Defeated in the final race of the meet with the University of Iowa, the Illinois Tech swimming team lost its second meet of the season by a close 45 to 39 score.

Preceding the final race, the 400 yard free-style relay, the meet was closely knotted up at 37 to 35 in favor of Iowa. With 8 points for the victors and 4 for the losers, this final event was the deciding factor.

By the time anchor man A/S Whitney Pearson hit the water, his rival, Henry Sadewater, was already several yards in the lead. With Whitney gaining, victory was in sight until a bad last turn resulted in a close finish.

A 3 to 1 decision on the part of the judges against Illinois Tech gave the race and the meet to Iowa. Previously in the season the Techawks won an overwhelming victory over Lawrence College of Appleton, Wisconsin, and lost a close meet to the University of Illinois.

High scores for the Iowa meet were Pearson with 11 points and A/S Joe Hardman with an 8 point total. First place in the 150 yard back stroke was as usual taken by team captain A/S Tom Lechner who is undefeated at this distance.

Independent Team
Seeks Competition

The Outcasts, an independent team, defeated Quarters #5 on January 20 by the score of 36 to 25. Dick Lane was high point man with 16 points.

Members of the team from various quarters include: George Martinko, (#3); Dick Thomas, (#2); and Dick Lane, (#6) as forwards; John Osborne, (#7); Glen Boston, (#6); Bill Bowman, (#2); and Earl Danielson, (#6) as guards; and Harold Guldberg, (#2) as center.

The Outcasts were leading 18 to 15 at halftime, and the last half the independent team pulled ahead, scoring 18 points as compared to Quarters #5's 10 points to give a final victory of 36 to 25.

Quarters #2A also met the Outcasts last Friday evening. The final score of the game was 40 to 20 in favor of the 2A team. Jim Auffenord scored 22 points for 2A and was obviously high point man since the Outcasts scored only 20 points. At halftime the score was 28 to 4 in 2A's favor.

George Martinko, captain of the Outcasts, will welcome challenges for games from any of the Quarters at any time. Martinko said that since the Outcasts are an independent team, other quarters teams will have a chance for some practice and also run up against some stiff competition.

Techawk Hockey Team
Shapes Up in Practice

Practicing nightly, the Illinois Tech hockey team is slowly rounding into shape under the capable guidance of Coach Hans Landay.

With such favorable results being produced the team is eager to test its mettle. To accomplish this, requests for matches have been sent to several schools in Minnesota.

They include Macalester College of St. Paul, St. Olaf's College of Northfield, the University of Minnesota in Minneapolis, and Gustavus Adolphus of St. Peters.

Replies of a negative nature have already been received from the Universities of Illinois and Michigan. Illinois does not have a team this year, while Michigan doesn't desire to compete with a school the size of Illinois Institute of Technology.

Ready to Swim



HEADS UP—Coach E. W. McGillivray is shown giving last minute instructions to members of the swimming team before their meet with Iowa State College. Swimmers in the foreground are (looking away from the camera): A/S Bernard Brille, A/S Joe Hardman, A/S Tom Lechner, and A/S Whitney Pearson.

Techawks Win Sixth in Row;
Defeat Chicago Radio 58-37

Winning their sixth game in a row and the tenth for the season, the Illinois Tech basketball team rolled over Chicago Radio 58 to 37 in a game that saw the regulars playing only half a game. Even so A/S Norm Hankins and A/S Ned Grable, leading

Four Teams Remain
In IM Tournament

No games were played in the intramural basketball tourney last week.

The only change in the standings came about when the Sophs forfeited to the Senior Civils and so dropped from the tourney, this being their second loss.

In the other game of the week, Junior Chems versus Senior Chems, an all-school assembly intervened which cancelled the game.

The four teams remaining in the tourney are the Senior Mechs, Senior Chems, and Senior Civils. The Senior Civils have one loss while the other three teams are undefeated.

These teams will be seen in action this Wednesday morning and afternoon as scheduled.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL SCHEDULE			
WEDNESDAY			
11 a.m.-12 M			
Senior Chems vs. Senior Mechs			
4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.			
Junior Chems vs. Senior Civils			

TECH SHORTS by TOM KILGARIFF

In a recent wrestling match with Wheaton, the Techawks received an 18-16 defeat. This match had an unpleasant odor about it, as many other athletic contests with this same school have had. Coach Weissman, being unable to attend the match, suspected that Wheaton was guilty of "dropping" its weights.

By "dropping" their weights is meant that each man wrestles in a lower weight bracket than his own weight allows. In this way a man would have a ten to fifteen pound weight advantage over his opponent.

Upon comparison of the first match, an overwhelming victory, with the return match with Wheaton, it is found that five men on the Wheaton squad wrestled in a lower bracket than the first match indicated. They might have been able to make weight but the chances of five doing this simultaneously are pretty slim.

This match, though lost, has a brighter side to it. Because of it the Illinois Tech wrestling team will be able to wrestle a Big Ten school, the University of Illinois. Previous to their loss to Wheaton, Weissman received two notices from Illinois saying that it would be impossible for them to wrestle the Techawks.

Because of Tech's previous good showing this was a wise move on the part of the University of Illinois. It was no mere coincidence that immediately after IIT lost a match, a letter was received from Illinois asking Illinois Tech for a match which was immediately accepted.

Upon listening to some of the talk around IIT, I was surprised to hear of the number of students who have false ideas about the position of the student intramural manager. Some believed him to be in the pay of the physical education department or something similar.

The well known truth is that the intramural manager is appointed by the ITSA to organize intramural affairs and to see to it that they are carried out. This is one of the biggest offices filled by a student in the extra-curricular activities at IIT.

The job is a tedious one and keeps the person in charge on the go continually. To effectively carry out the duties of this position, it is necessary that the student be interested in athletics.

This is borne out by the long line of intramural managers up to the present Henry Koci. His successor who is to take over in March will no doubt bear the same athletic characteristics.

It is with such self-sacrificing students as these that our lot here at IIT is made more enjoyable.

Thriller Opens
Navy Tourney

Marini Scores Deciding
Goal in Final Seconds

In the opening round of the navy intramural basketball tournament, Quarters #5 nosed out Quarters #2B on a close 32 to 30 score.

The deciding basket was thrown in on a long shot by Bud Marini of #5 in the final seconds of the game. Just before the final gun the score had been tied up for several minutes.

In the opening minutes of play #2B drove to an early 8 to 2 lead. This was soon cut down until halftime when #5 emerged in the lead by a 12-12 score.

This lead was increased to 6 points by the end of the third quarter when #2B arose to the attack led by Walter Breisch. With five minutes to go the score was tied up at 26 all.

Thereupon baskets were equally exchanged until the final seconds when Marini tossed in the deciding points.

Leading scorer was Breisch for the losers with 12 points followed by Ed Bald and Sam Lloyd of the victors with 10 points apiece.

Wednesday night will see the unbeaten overwhelming favorites, Quarters #4, meeting Quarters #7 at 7 p.m. Two days later on Friday night at the same time Quarters #1 will play Quarters #6 to see who will remain in the tourney.

Quarters #2B (30)				Quarters #5 (23)			
FG	FT	P		FG	FT	P	
Gaynor	0	0	1	McCarthy	0	0	0
Malolan	3	1	0	Bald	5	0	0
Breisch	6	0	0	Lloyd	5	0	3
Kane	0	0	0	Rompot	0	0	0
Schim'lpfen'g	4	1	2	Bruening	0	1	0
Matthews	1	0	2	Marini	4	0	1
Muchy	0	0	0	Bodor	1	1	0
				Petroski	0	0	0
				Wright	0	0	0
Totals	14	2	5	Totals	15	2	4

FREE THROWS MISSED—Breisch (2), Schimmelpennig, Lloyd (2), Marini.

IIT Rifle Team Wins One
From Ohio State ROTC;
Loses One to U of ND

The Illinois Tech rifle team split a three way postal match with Ohio State University ROTC and the University of Notre Dame NROTC. This match consisted of five record shots fired in each of the prone, sitting, kneeling and standing positions. Thus 200 would constitute a team member's perfect score and 1000 a team's perfect score.

The Tech rifle team lost to Notre Dame by 30 points, and this was their worst defeat of the season. However, Ohio State was beaten by 36 points.

The win against Ohio State and the loss to Notre Dame brings the team's average to 8 wins and 3 losses or a percentage of .727. Jack Schmidt turned in the highest score he has ever made in competition; and he should be congratulated, as 186 of a possible 200 is a very good score. John Burns also shot a very good score with 181.

ILLINOIS TECH				
	P	S	K	S Total
Schmidt	48	47	44	47 186
Burns	48	47	43	43 181
Brown	49	42	45	42 178
Loomis	48	49	45	36 178
Ransom	50	46	48	30 174
Total				

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME NROTC				
	P	S	K	S Total
Lamb	50	47	47	46 190
Daiker	49	49	48	43 189
Moore	49	48	47	44 188
Hanolan	48	46	46	42 182
Grosscup	47	46	43	42 178
Total				

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY ROTC				
	P	S	K	S Total
Babb	48	49	45	43 185
Lewis	48	47	39	42 176
Roeger	50	47	47	30 174
Seerer	49	48	45	30 167
Peterson	48	45	42	24 159
Total				

Pi Kappa Phi Loses to
Alpha Sigma Phi 40-21

Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity defeated Pi Kappa Phi in an interfraternity basketball game last Tuesday by the score of 40 to 21. Although the score appears large the Pi Kapps played heads up ball. A/S Don Hedeon was high point man for the Alpha Sigs.

On Thursday evening, February 1, Triangle will meet Delta Tau Delta at 6:45 p.m. in the gym. Following this game Pi Kappa Phi will meet Sigma Alpha Mu in the other 15 game.