

# FOUR Senior Mechs Beat Qts. No. 1

Tom Kilgariff went all the way in pitching the Senior Mechs to a 9 to 1 victory over Quarters #1 in the only intramural softball contest played last week.

Although they collected six hits, the #1 house boys were unable to push across more than one run in the seven innings of play. Heavier hitting and more experienced base running put the Senior Mechs ahead all the way. Roy Schimmelpfennig pulled the prize play of the day for the Mechs when he pounded out a homer over the center fielder's head with a man on base. Four runs collected in the third innig made it the high spot of an otherwise slow game.

Burt Lynch and Al Migdal comprised the losing battery and Art Marcussen and C. Chambers led in the hitting for Quarters #1. Winning pitcher was Tom Kilgariff with Bill Atchison doing the receiving.

Ned Grable and Roy Schimmelpfennig sparked the Mechs in hitting.

Other games last week were cancelled because of inclement weather. The Eager Beavers, scheduled to play Quarters #1 Wednesday, failed to show up and the contest was forfeited.

Schedules for this week are below. As planned, four teams are to be eliminated out of the 8 remaining. A round robin among the remaining teams will be held next week.

Contests have been arranged to allow for the weather, so that if it rains, the game or games will be played later in the week. In any event, the intramural bulletin board will post the correct day to day schedules.

# Tennis Team



NETTERS—The game winning tennis team is made up the (left to right): top, Alan Wasserman, A/S Bill Cannon and A/S Leonard Vogt bottom, Dave Afton, Coach "Bud" Hermann and A/S Jerry Evert.

# Tennis Team On Way to One of Their Most Successful Seasons

With five straight victories to their credit, the Techawk tennis squad is currently the hottest aggregation on the IIT campus.

Prior to meeting Lawrence College at Appleton last Saturday, the Techmen had racked up 47 sets while losing only three since beginning their victory streak against Concordia Teachers College on May 9. Since that time a second win over Concordia, coupled with triumphs over Beloit, George William and Lawrence, have contributed to the Tech record.

As per custom, the Techmen got away to a slow start, losing their opener to Chicago's strong squad, 6 to 1. With only two or three nights practice behind them and the strange clay beneath them, only Dave Afton was able to salvage a singles victory for IIT's lone point.

Next the net squad met disaster at the hands of Beloit College in losing 4 to 2, although winning a majority of the games played, 68 to 67. Another loss to Chicago followed, although the team's improvement showed clearly as they won twice as many games as during their previous clash with the Maroons.

With the return of Jerry Evert and the weatherman's blessing, the squad vanquished Concordia, first 4 to 2 on Chicago's home courts, and 7 to 0 at River Forest the following Saturday. Next came a 6 to 0 revenge against the Beloit team which was accomplished in the record-breaking time of one hour and forty-five minutes. George Williams was brushed aside 6 to 0, in the Techmen's third straight shut-in win last Wednesday, followed by Saturday's victory over the Lawrence Vikings. During Tech's trio of shut-out wins over Concordia, Beloit and G.W., the Illinois Tech team won a total of 229 games while losing but 80.

Jerry Evert, former state men's champion and Notre Dame star, has been undefeated in both singles and doubles at his number one post since his return from the hospital early in May. If his rigorous scholastic schedule allows adequate time, Jerry may enter the state and National Intercollegiate meets later this month.

Surprise of the season thus far has been the play of Dave Afton, sophomore civilian, who is undefeated in singles play. His finest match was accomplished in a straight set win over Phil Glotzer, Chicago's veteran number one man, in Tech's second clash with the Maroons.

Mike Vogt, former Cincinnati Junior Davis Cupper, is the only returned letterman from last season.

# Techawk Diamond Team Defeated by W. Michigan, 8-3

Krawczak Triples Home 2 Runs in Third; Murphy Gets 3 for 4; 5 Tech Errors Costly

The Tech baseball squad dropped a thriller to Western Michigan Saturday by a score of 8 to 3. George Urquhart did not give up a walk through the 9 innings and allowed 8 hits. Gene Evers went the route for Tech allowing 8 runs on 9 hits and 5 walks.

The game started off rather slowly with the first 3 IIT batters being retired in order. In the last of the first, a pass to Modie, a strikeout, another pass to Throop and a single by Selbo put Western Michigan in the lead, 1 to 0.

Murphy led off the second with a single to center and advanced on successive errors by Marks and Mudie. Bushelle lifted a long fly to center, scoring Murphy.

Western Michigan was retired in order in the last of the second and in the third, Ted Maciejewski singled, Gene Evers was safe as a result of George Urquhart's first error and then Sig Pyzik sacrificed the two men down. Fran Krawczak belted a triple to left center driving in Maciejewski and Evers. That was the extent of the Techawk scoring for the game.

Western Michigan scored one in the fifth frame on a hit and an error. In the seventh, three straight singles, a base on balls and an error accounted for 3 runs. Modie slammed a long triple and scored on a hit by Brown to give Western Michigan their total of 8 runs.

Leading hitter for the Techawks was Co-captain Ray Murphy with three hits in four trips to the plate. Fran Krawczak, although guilty of two misplays, drove in two for Tech.

## Tough!

Illinois Tech				Western Michigan			
	A	B	R	A	B	R	H
Pyzik, 2b	3	0	0	Modie, cf	4	4	2
Fanselow, 2b	0	0	0	Brown, ss	4	1	2
O'Geary, 1b	4	0	0	Throop, rf	4	2	2
Krawczak, ss	4	0	1	Selbo, 3b	4	1	2
Murphy, cf	4	1	3	Krupa, lf	3	0	1
Bushelle, rf	3	0	1	De Decker, 2b	4	0	0
Hausler, rf	0	0	0	Hill, 1b	4	0	0
Stidham, c	2	0	1	Marks, c	3	0	0
Lichtman, c	1	0	1	Urquhart, p	4	0	0
Holstrom, 3b	3	0	0				
Maer'J'wski, lf	4	1	1				
Evers, p	3	1	0				
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>

Illinois Tech 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—3  
Western Michigan 1 0 2 0 1 0 3 1—8  
Errors: Illinois Tech—Krawczak (2), Evers, Pyzik, Stidham; Western Michigan—Modie, Marks, Urquhart (2).

# IM Golf Tournament Finals Set for Sunday

The golf tourney is well under way. Participants are urged to turn in their score cards to Norm Schmitz by no later than Wednesday afternoon. The qualifying games can be played on any course, with the exception of midget courses, and after the scores are turned in a handicap will be assigned.

The final round will be played Sunday at Jackson Park at 12 noon. A fee of 50 cents per man is required to cover the cost of reserving the course, etc.

Due to the fact that only one entry each has been received in track and swimming, there will be no tourneys in these sports.

**INTER-FRATERNITY SOFTBALL SCHEDULE**  
**Monday, May 28—5-6 p.m.**  
 Pi Kappa Phi vs. Delta Tau Delta.  
**Wednesday, May 30—5-6 p.m.**  
 Pi Kappa Phi vs. Rho Delta Rho  
**Thursday, May 31—5-6 p.m.**  
 Pi Kappa Phi vs. Triangle.

# Tech Bows in Golf Finals With Lawrence-West. Mich.

In their last scheduled games of the season, the Techawk golfers played host to Western Michigan and Lawrence last Saturday in a triangular meet and lost by scores of 7 to 5 and 10 to 2.

Leonard Baness, team manager, was leading IIT scorer with 2 1/2 points for the two contests.

Paul Reichardt of Lawrence was medalist for the day with a low score of 73.

Wagner Larson of Tech shot a 41-41. The season record for the team now stands at 1 win and 6 losses.

According to Baness, arrangements are being made to card a game or games between the faculty and members of the team.

Golf will have its day, Sunday, when the finals in the intramural tournament will be played in Jackson Park. Players are asked to be ready to play promptly at 12 noon. Winners will be awarded medals emblematic of their achievement.

**LAWRENCE**  
Abell, Lawrence, defeated Baness (IIT) 2 1/2 to 1/2. Reichardt, Lawrence, defeated Larson (IIT) 3 to 0. Smith, Lawrence, defeated Negele (IIT) 2 1/2 to 1/2. Harris, Lawrence, defeated Atchison (IIT) 2 to 1.

**WESTERN MICHIGAN**  
Baness defeated Bradley (W. Mich. 2 to 1. Larson defeated Matteson (W. Mich.) 2 to 1. Barnes (W. Mich.) defeated Negele 3 to 0. Raborn (W. Mich. defeated Milbradt 2 to 1.

**INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL STANDINGS**

	Won	Lost
Senior Chems	3	0
Senior Mechs	3	0
Soph Bums	2	0
Arx	2	1
Junior Outcasts	1	1
Soph F.O's	1	1
Quarters #5	1	1
Quarters #1	1	1

**INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL SCHEDULE**  
**Monday, 5-6**  
 Quarters #1 vs. Quarters #5  
 North Diamond, East Field  
**Tuesday, 5-6**  
 Arx vs. Senior Mechs  
 North Diamond, East Field  
 Soph Bums vs. Jr. Outcasts  
 South Diamond, East Field  
**Wednesday, 11-12**  
 Soph F.O's vs. Senior Chems  
 West Field  
**Friday, 11-12**  
 Soph Bums vs. Senior Chems  
 West Field

# Remaining Themes On "How Good I Am" By Honor I Athletes

"On this occasion we have a two fold honor—I have the honor of being in your so noble presence, and you have the honor of listening to me; so members of the Honor I, pledges gentlemen, and Mr. Weissman, my very presence here is a symbol of my distinction. I am of the understanding that every pledge to this society elangante must be of the highest moral, mental, and physical standards. All of these qualifications I meet with ease as all of you gentlemen know.

"Maybe this is the time to mention my first swim events. We always had a pair of gold fish and those were kept near my bed when I was young. All day I would watch the fish in the bowl; when it came my time to bath, my mother would have to hold me down or else I would swim out of hands and then my poor mother would spend all her morning catching me. This was my first chance at competition and I might say that it has almost been the only clean competition I have ever had."

... A/S Joe Hardman.

"As the pace set by my past is high, so is the hopes of my future. Who knows, that some day alongside John Schommer's Field House there may be a tile floor with a tiled back stop where all those who are followers of the great game of cubical marbles may come to watch the national tournaments 'neath the shadows of Illinois Tech."

... A/S Charlie Buckley



An interesting sidelight on the proposed expenditure of \$650,000 for a new field house to be erected as soon as priorities permit is that the ITSA were the pioneers in that venture. Way back in 1941 they voted that, since there was an accumulated surplus of \$10,000, a field house fund was to be established. It was specifically understood that this was to be the student body's contribution to the betterment of IIT along athletic lines. The need was as urgent then as it is at the present time. Also it was proposed that the fieldhouse would be known as the "John J. Schommer Field House" in honor of one of the grandest men ever to grace our campus.

With the passing of years, the fund changed hands and the last known fact is that the treasurer of IIT took over the administration. It would be a fitting tribute to "Uncle John" if the new sports center be named in his honor.

In spite of repeated warnings concerning the wearing of high school or other school letters on the IIT campus, it is still necessary to emphasize the rule. Honor I is the only athletic letterman organization on the campus and therefore its members should be the only men entitled to sport their achievements in monogram form. Even though some might have been four sport men in high school, until Illinois Tech letters are won, no others are to be worn. Violators have a choice of removing the letters or having them removed forcibly.

The inter-fraternity softball tournament will necessarily have to be played off within three weeks. The dark horse of the tourney seems to be the Alpha Sigs with several regulars back from last year. The Pi Kappas have won the only game played thus far and it appears that they will give the Sigs a run for their money.