

# Evers Blocks Kick to Give Senior Mechs Victory, 2 to 0

## Junior Electricals Fight Junior Mechs to a Scoreless Tie; NRO's Defeat Demons, 32-0

The Senior Mechs eked out a 2 to 0 victory over the fighting Frosh Mech-Elecs in a hard fought football game last Tuesday. It was a wild pitching duel between Roy Schimmelpfenig of the Seniors and Harry Marcado of the Frosh with Gene Evers getting his face in the path of a quick kick to score for the Seniors.

After winning the toss, the Seniors elected to receive, and Gene Evers took it deep in Senior territory, racing it back to what would be the 30 on a regulation field. Their first four plays netted the Seniors little, and the Frosh proceeded to uncork their passing game, with Marcado doing the firing. His first toss, to Kisielius over the right end, picked up several yards, but the attack bogged down as the Senior backfield spread out to cover the receivers.

Midway through the first half with the Senior attack stalled, Schimmelpfenig booted one deep into Frosh territory where Dedina took it and was stopped in his tracks by the rushing Senior linemen.

It was here that the Mech-Elecs pulled the play that nearly won the game. Marcado took the ball from center and lateraled to Reding, coming around fast from the left; Reding shot one over center to Dedina, who was in the clear except for Schimmelpfenig, playing deep. Dedina tripped, juggled the ball and dropped it.

Kicking off from his own 20, Schimmelpfenig dropped the ball in the Frosh end zone, bringing it into play from the Mech-Elecs 20. Four plays later, after three Marcado passes had failed, Gene Evers broke through the line to block Marcado's quick kick from his own end zone. It bounded back beyond the safety zone and Sonny ruled it a safety, the lone tally of the game. Evers was hurt on the play but was back in the game with a slightly bruised face.

The game ended on a short bullet pass, Schimmelpfenig to Browning, on the midfield stripe.

**Jr. Mechs and Jr. Electricals Tie**  
The Junior Mechs and the Junior Electricals clashed in a saw saw passing game on Thursday. The final score was 0-0. Leading the Electricals' attack was Danny Schaaf, with Ray Murphy starring for the Mechs.

With Jack Shore and Dick McKee playing defensive linemen for the Mechs, the Sparkies were having trouble getting passes away. Then Gary Woodward broke loose on the left sidelines and Schaaf pitched a wobbly pass that floated down to him in the clear. Woodward juggled the ball and it bounced clear to end that ray of hope for the Electricals.

The Mechs took over on downs and broke loose with four plays of the same type. Ray Murphy, playing offensive half back, cut into the clear on the right sidelines and reached for passes from McGuire, and Danny Schaaf covering the backfield for the Electricals, batted it down each time. One such play netted the Mechs several yards when Hank Pype, referee, called interference. But the Mechs failed to follow through, and the game ended in a deadlock.

**NRO's Swamp Demons**  
In one of the most lopsided contests to take place on the campus in many a day, the NRO Sophomores whipped the Demons of Quarters 3 by a score of 32 to 0.

The Sophs won the toss and elected to receive. On the opening play "Demon" Dave Hoffman, aided by some spectacular blocking, made thirty yards on a running play. The attack bogged down and the Demons took possession of the ball. Red Carter, Warren Witus, and Al Migdal advanced the ball for the Demons on the next two plays. On the third play, "G-2" Marty Givot intercept-

ed a Demon pass and raced thirty yards, before being tagged. The Sophs made it 6 to 0 as Demon Dave scored on a pass. The try for the extra point failed.

The Sophs kicked off and took the ball over on downs. On the third play, Hoffman passed in the end zone to Howard MacAdam who leaped high in the air for the ball to make the score 12 to 0. The extra point attempt failed.

With about five minutes to go, the Sophs kicked off again. An intercepted Demon pass set the stage for the third Soph score. This time it was Hoffman on a sleeper taking the pass from C. Geffken. Once again the try for the point failed as the half ended.

The Demons rallied momentarily in the second half with Paul Flood doing most of the pass throwing. The Sophs took the ball on downs and a short pass from Hoffman to Givot advanced the ball 10 yards. Another via the same way brought the ball to within 10 yards of the goal line. A spot pass, Geffken to MacAdam increased the Soph lead by 24 to 0. Hoffman eluded the Demon linemen and quickly passed to G-2 Givot for the extra point.

The Demons received the kick off but could not advance. On an attempted pass, Geffken intercepted and ran twenty yards aided by some terrific blocking. They scored several plays later making the score 31 to 0. The extra point was good.

The Sophs received and ran the ball back twenty yards. In what was the last play of the game, Paul Flood threw a final futile pass which went uncompleted. The final score showed the powerful Soph entry the winners 32 to 0.



The inter fraternity softball tournament windup last week brought out interesting speculations as to the actual spirit of the teams who were left on the bottom of the pile. The Triangle outfit, which wound up the play third from last, failed to show for the game with the top Sigma Alpha Mu team. Theta Xi, cellar-hole champs, forfeited twice; once to the Pi Kaps, and the second time to the next-to-last place Praetorians.

On the basis of the team records, the realization that such a team as Triangle formed could not hope to beat the crack Sammies was expected. However there is an element in all sports clashes called fighting spirit, and it has helped the poorest of teams make a fair showing against the best of them.

Triangle and Theta Xi have demonstrated their lack of this element, and the other one called "guts", in everyday language.

Theta Xi had a fair chance to wrestle the Praetorians down into a tie for last place, yet they chose to forfeit. IIT may be thankful that such a lack of spirit does not characterize its students.

The IM football tournament has been accelerated by the close of IF softball play. With two fields free, two games per evening have been scheduled by Hank Pype, intramural manager.

Monday and fair weather will bring up the once-tried NRO Sophomores against the Senior Electricals #1 team. The NRO's showed the markings of a top squad in their game with the Quarters #3 Demons last Friday. Sparked by such players as Marty Givot, Bill Geffken Howie Mac Adam and Bob Hauser, this aggregation should wear down the Electricals.

In the second clash Monday, the Junior Mechs meet the vaunted Frosh Mech-Elecs. Harry Marcado has had the freshmen drilling on the field across from the fieldhouse daily, and with receivers like Dedina and Reding to snag passes from Marcado, the Frosh stand a good chance to emerge victoriously. The Junior Mech backfield play has not been outstanding, and unless it has improved, those spot passes should click for the Frosh.

The Senior Electricals #1 meet a second power team Tuesday when they try their skill against the Senior Mechs. The Mechs, fresh from victory over the fighting Frosh, should take this one to start the climb to the top of the IM tourneys. The Electricals have been untried, however, and this may be a surprise.

### Touchball



**REACH FOR IT**—Three men (only the foot of one visible) leap for the ball as a fourth reaches out his arms expectantly in a recent intermural game.

## Interfrat Softball Tourney Winds Up

Three games resulted in forfeit in the interfraternity softball tourney this week. The Sammies won their fifth straight encounter as Triangle failed to put a team on the field. Theta Xi forfeited twice to the Pi Kaps and to the Praetorians, to clinch last place in the standings with no wins in six games.

In what was heralded to be the game of the week, Sigma Alpha Mu overwhelmed Delta Tau Delta, 13 to 0. The Sammies jumped off to a two run lead in the second frame with Gelb, Lichtmann, and Barish leading the attack. Jake Shore received great support from Woody Johns and Al Lerner who made several spectacular saves.

Triangle nosed out the Praetorians 11 to 7, in the second league encounter. Don Parker and Len Banness were standouts for the winners in the seventeen hit assault. Norb Berman, Ed Rubin, and Bern Miretsky led the Praetorian attack which faltered in the seventh.

# Sigma Alpha Mu Defeats Delt Squad to Win IF Softball Play

Sigma Alpha Mu climaxed an undefeated season of IF softball play by a decisive 13-0 win over the third place Delt last Wednesday.

The Sammies thus clinched the IF championship with a record of six wins for zero losses.

Interfraternity Standings		
	Won	Lost
Sigma Alpha Mu	6	0
Alpha Sigma Phi	4	1
Delta Tau Delta	3	2
Pi Kappa Phi	3	2
Triangle	2	4
Praetorians	1	4
Theta Xi	0	6

Delta Tau Delta nosed out the Pi Kaps 8 to 5, last Thursday. The Delt's jumped off to a two run lead in the second inning. The Delt's, with Art Strong and Craig Fenton paving the way, came back in the fourth to score two runs making the score 5 to 4 in favor of Pi Kaps. A four run barrage in the sixth pushed the Delt's ahead 8 to 5, the score at which the game ended. Power hitting for the Pi Kaps were Stan Michiewicz, Jim Brophy and Len Donarski, who banged out a triple with a man on.

The Pi Kap, Alpha Sig contest was postponed because of navy pay. The game has a direct bearing on the second and third place winners and will probably be played this week. The Delt's should figure among the first top teams, as they are now tied for third and are scheduled to meet the Praetorians in the last encounter.

With the Sammies already set to feast on the golden brown nectar of the gods, the outcome of these remaining games will not give them cause for worry.

John Shore, on the mound for the Sammies, played a tight game, allowing only two hits. It was Sigma Alpha Mu all the way, as they pushed across four runs in the first frame, followed by three tallies in the second.

Joe Geib, at shortstop for the Sammies, was the star of the infield play, throwing out at first the last five Delt batters on ground balls.

The victory gave the Sammies a safe spot on top of the league, and entitles them to a keg of beer, to be presented by the Inter Fraternity Council.

Sigma Alpha Mu's winning team consisted of the following:

- Jake Shore ..... P
- Warren Witus ..... RF
- Irving Gelb ..... SS
- Woody Johns ..... 3b
- Bob Lichtmann ..... LF
- Bill Berk ..... 2b
- Al Migdal ..... C
- Al Grant ..... 1b
- Ben Barish ..... SC
- Al Lerner ..... CF

**IM TOUCHBALL SCHEDULE**

Monday, October 8, 5-6 p.m.  
Jr. Mechs vs. Mech Elecs  
NRO Sophs vs. Sr. Elecs #1

Tuesday, October 9, 5-6 p.m.  
Sr. Elecs #1 vs. Sr. Mechs  
Qts. #3 Demons vs. Sr. Electricals #2

Wednesday, October 10,  
Jr. Elecs vs. Sr. Elecs #2

**Thursday & Friday Games  
TO BE POSTED ON IM BOARD**

## Fraternities & Sororities

### Alpha Sigs Will Hold Election of Officers

Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity will hold its monthly dinner meeting at Martin's restaurant, 120 South La Salle Street, on Wednesday, Oct. 10 at 6:30 p.m. There will be an election of officers for next term and arrangements will be made for initiation of this term's pledges early next month.

### Seven Initiated Into Pi Kap Organization

Seven men were formally initiated into Pi Kappa Phi at a ceremony held yesterday afternoon. They are Don Freeman, Joe Jallits, A/S Jim Woodling, A/S Don Gipple, A/S John Odrin, Don Black, and A/S Al Bourdon. Following the ceremony, a dinner was held at Marty's Restaurant in honor of the new actives.

At a meeting Wednesday afternoon, officers will be elected to lead the fraternity next term. The meeting will begin at 5:05 p.m. in Room 405M.

### Theta Xi Holds Pledge Dance and Initiation

Theta Xi held a pledge dance and party on September 22 in Garfield Park. A large percentage of the actives and pledges and four alumni were there and a very fine time was had by all.

An informal initiation was held on Saturday and Sunday, September 29 and 30 at a cottage on Grass

Lake. Evening excursions were made by the pledges to all parts of northern Illinois in quest of interesting articles.

A formal initiation followed by a dinner was held on the campus last Wednesday. Four navy men were initiated then and five civilian men will be initiated formally in the next few weeks.

### Midland Hotel Scene Of Party by Sammies

Sigma Alpha Mu held a party last Saturday at the Midland Hotel, Dearborn and Adams Street.

Highlights of the affair, according to A/S William Berk, were a play enacted by the pledges and a community sing led by A/S Marshall Sager.

A/S Ben Barisch, athletic director, stated that the fraternity hopes to win the intramural softball tournament by winning the rest of the games on their schedule.

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