

Quintet Wins 4; Loses 14

Smart High Scorer of Season with 165 Points

The Techawk eagles wound up the '46-'47 season with a record of four victories and 14 losses, for a season average of .222. This is the first time since the '41-'42 season that a Tech basketball team has dropped below the .500 mark.

High scorer for the team, with 165 points, was forward Bill Smart, who is the captain elect of the '47-'48 team. Jim Oldshue came in second with 139 points.

Carl Bergstrom, captain of the quintet, hit a mark never equalled for 10 seasons previously when he dropped in 25 points against Lawrence. Bergstrom and Ned Grable tied for the top honors in average points per game with 15.

One of the few highlights of the season was the Great Lakes game when Tech came from being behind at the half by 17 points to win the game, 73 to 70. In beating Chicago Techers, the eagles established a new IIT scoring record as they piled up 88 points.

The battlers on the team, if fouls are any indication, were Oldshue and Smart, who had 47 and 46 fouls respectively.

INDIVIDUAL TECHAWK Basketball Scoring Records 46-47 Season

Player	Games	PG	FT	FTM	PF	TP
Smart	18	68	29	24	46	165
Oldshue	18	57	25	46	47	139
Grable	9	51	32	19	35	135
Melch	11	50	31	25	30	131
Bergstrom	7	39	27	11	8	106
Neiswander	8	29	13	10	11	71
Malak	10	17	11	10	11	45
O'Geary	17	13	6	6	21	32
Futterer	7	10	5	7	19	26
Fleck	13	7	4	6	11	18
Sommers	7	7	3	5	11	17
Behrens	11	6	4	5	6	16
Cohn	7	5	5	3	7	15
Swanson	13	5	2	6	17	12
Dalley	15	1	3	5	8	5
Schlimmelpfenig	14	1	0	1	3	2
Carlson	3	0	0	0	1	0
O'Connell	2	0	0	1	2	0

Totals 365 201 198 284 981

Sports Personality of the week

Bill Smart

High point man for Illinois Tech's eagles this year and captain-elect for the '47-'48 Squad is Bill Smart, seventh term M.E. Bill played football at Lyons Township high school in La La Grange, won a letter but didn't play basketball until he came to IIT in January of 1941.



Since then he's been awarded four letters for his cage efforts.

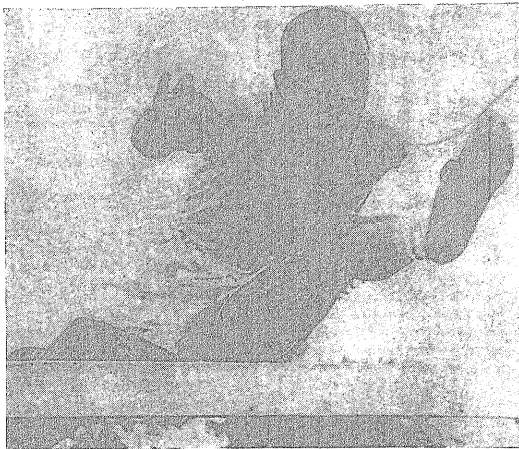
During the war, Bill took flight training with the Navy, was discharged a Lt. (j.g.) after having served as a fighter pilot with the CV, USS Randolph in the Pacific.

Smart takes part in many of the intramural sports, wishes more students would do the same. The lack of school spirit at IIT has long been a sore spot to him, for it's definitely not conducive to winning teams.

During his stay here, Bill has found time to join ASME, be president of his freshman class, past president of Honor I, and has been a freshman adviser. He would like to join more activities and clubs at IIT but claims the long hike between the school and where he parks his car consumes all his extra time.

By Art Ballou

Threatens Indoor Mark



AMERICA'S TOP HURDLER—Harrison Dillard, Baldwin-Wallace's spectacular hurdler, warms up for a try at breaking the American indoor mark. Dillard held the National AAU indoor and outdoor championships and the National Collegiate crown in both the low and high hurdles.

ILLINOIS TECH RELAY GAMES ROLE OF CHAMPIONS					
College Division	Record	Event	Record	University Division	
70 YARD DASH					
Randall Herman (Carleton)	107.1		107.1	Eugene Littler (Nebraska)	
James Johnson (Ill. Normal)				Walter Shelton (Marquette)	
70 YARD HIGH HURDLES					
Harrison Dillard (Baldwin-Wallace)	198.8		198.8	Edward Smith (Wisconsin)	
Charles Rind (Michigan Normal)					
Allan Tolmich (Wayne)					
70 YARD LOW HURDLES					
Allan Tolmich (Wayne)	107.9		107.9	Robert Kahler (Nebraska)	
Orville Wagner (North Central)	49.4		49.3	Eugene Littler (Nebraska)	
880 YARD RUN					
Ralph Cobb (Yankton)	1:55.0		1:55.5	Calvin Beckett (Marquette)	
ONE MILE RUN					
Dave Clutterham (Cornell)	4:22.9		4:28.9	Charles Fenske (Wisconsin)	
POLY WALT					
Lloyd Siebert (North Central)	12' 8 1/2"		13' 11 1/2"	Edward Thistlethwaite (N.W.)	
HIGH JUMP 6' 6 1/2"					
Norman Bechel (N. Ill. Teachers)				Dwight Eddleman (Illinois)	
SHOT PUT 5' 6 1/2"					
Frank Davis (Hillsdale)	48' 4"		51' 9 1/2"	Elmer Hackney (Kan. State)	
BROAD JUMP					
(New Event)			23' 10 1/2"	John Brooks (Chicago)	
ONE MILE RELAY					
North Central	3:56.0		3:51.9	Pittsburgh	
TWO MILE RELAY					
Miami (Ohio)	8:04.8		7:56.7	Notre Dame	
SPRINT MEDLEY RELAY					
Illinois State Normal	5:23.1		5:31.6	Michigan State	
DISTANCE MEDLEY RELAY					
(New Event)			18:54.5	Michigan State	

Triangle Victorious In IF Paddle Opener

Triangle eked out a 3-2 victory over Theta Xi in the IF Table Tennis opener last Tuesday in the Alpha Sigma Phi house.

Theta Xi started strong with Shook beating Norlander 21-16, 21-19, 21-18. Theta Xi's Meller then whipped Leichti of Triangle 22-20, 21-10, 21-17. Art Ballou then trounced Triangle on the comeback trail trouncing Liska 21-19, 21-16, 21-17. Koditek then evened up the match beating Shermer 20-22, 21-11, 28-26, 21-15. Amstutz and Thompson took the doubles for Triangle beating Shook and Whiteman 17-21, 21-19, 21-17, 16-21, 21-18.

Pi Kappa Phi vs. Delta Tau Delta at Theta Xi

Phi Kappa Sigma vs. Sigma Alpha Mu at Pi Kappa Phi

Alpha Sigma Phi vs. Rho Delta Rho at Triangle

Practoriana vs. Deacidians at Delta Tau Delta

Track Team Places 2 in Midwest Meet

Chandler Sammons and Arnie Harrison had to let their key chains out another notch yesterday as they added new medals to their respective collections. Their latest awards were won in the Midwest Track Meet held in the North Central College field house at Naperville, Illinois. Twenty-four schools were entered in the competition and Illinois Tech garnered four points to rank twelfth.

Sammons came up with his best effort to date in the shot put. It measured 43' 2 1/4" and placed third for three points of the Techawk total. Harrison, with a leap of 21' 1 1/4" in the broad jump, placed fifth to round out the team scoring.

Next week the thinclads are entered in both the Central A.A.U. (Friday night) and the Illinois Tech Relays (Saturday).

The Techawk swimmers travelled up to Lansing, Michigan, to participate in the fifth annual Central Collegiate conference swimming meet last Saturday, but failed to place a man as Michigan State College beat the nine team field with 102 points. Michigan State scored more points than the other teams combined.

This was the last meet for the Techawks, who had won their first nine meets this season. However, the probation list at the end of the first semester crippled the team badly, and they dropped their remaining meets.

U of Illinois-Big Nine Champs To Challenge Notre Dame's Title

Michigan Normal to Defend Their Championship Against 44 Contenders in College Class Battles

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In addition to the 28 championship events, the evening program will include special relays for junior college, public high school and Catholic high school teams from the Chicago area.

The field in the Catholic high school half mile relay will include Mt. Carmel, Loyola, St. Mel, St. Rita, St. Ignatius and De Paul. The public league representatives will be nominated tomorrow night from the top qualifiers in their indoor meet.

The program will get under way Saturday afternoon immediately following the coaches' meeting, when six college teams line up for the first heat in the two mile relay at approximately 3 o'clock. At the same time, contestants in both college and university division will buckle down for the finals in the broad jump, a new event inaugurated in the relay program this year.

ENTRIES IN SIXTEENTH ANNUAL ILLINOIS TECH RELAYS	
School	Men Entered
University Division	
Drake	7
Illinois	29
Indiana	22
Iowa	1
Kansas State	23
Marquette	16
Michigan	33
Michigan State	6
Missouri	7
Northwestern	18
Notre Dame	39
Purdue	11
Wisconsin	26
College Division	
Albion	5
Anderson	6
Augustana	12
Baldwin-Wallace	22
Bradley	33
Butler	10
Carleton	13
Case	6
Central Michigan	14
Chicago	17
Coe	23
Concordia Teachers	14
DeKalb Teachers	18
Detroit	5
Dubuque	4
Earlham	6
Elmhurst	17
Evanston Jr.	6
Grinnell	14
Illinois Tech	9
Indiana Teachers	6
Iowa State Teachers	15
LaGrange Jr.	11
Lawrence	16
Loyola	16
Macalester	12
Macomb Teachers	21
Miami (Ohio)	13
Michigan Normal	27
Milwaukee Teachers	16
Monmouth	14
Morton Jr.	17
North Central	25
North Park Jr.	9
Ohio Wesleyan	4
Rose Poly	11
St. Thomas	18
South Dakota	1
Thornton Jr.	13
Virginia Union	12
Wayne	4
Western Michigan	16
Wheaton	23
Wilson Jr.	12
Wright Jr.	17
Total Entries	846

Following in rapid order will come preliminaries and semi-finals in the 70 yard dash, college and university distance medley relay finals, and preliminaries in college and university high and low hurdle events.

After a brief intermission for supper, contestants will return to the fieldhouse for the evening finals which are expected to run until nearly midnight when the last finisher in the concluding event, the university one mile relay, finally crosses the finish line.

Lending itself to the festivities will be O. Gordon Erickson's Techawk band, which will break into marches and fight songs at the slightest provocation throughout the evening from its choice location in the center of the fieldhouse floor.

This will be the sixteenth in the series of Relays, which were originated by John J. Schommer, director of athletics, and A. A. "Lonnie" Stagg, Jr., back in 1928 following a triangular meet between Chicago, Northwestern and Illinois Tech. Since that time, the meet has gradually grown to major proportions, gaining recognition as the largest indoor collegiate meet in the nation in 1943, and again winning that rating this year.

It is poetic justice that IIT, without any existing athletic facilities worthy of the term, should be the institution to sponsor a meet of this size and scope.

Students may obtain tickets in advance at the Student Union Bookstore this week. Special arrangements have been made to admit members of the student body to the east stands for fifty cents, with general admission to the west stands on sale at the Fieldhouse for \$1.00.

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