

Army Upsets Wolverines Baur, Kohan top "Prophets"

By Larry Shapiro

Mighty Michigan's reign of terror over college football ended abruptly last Saturday. The Wolverines were very rudely dumped by an inspired band of West Pointers, 21-7. This "upset of the year" stopped all these—the Michiganders win streak at 25 (only one short of Cornell's all-time record); "Pigskin Prophets' bored of experts" completely; and all but two of 1,009 entrants from getting ten right.

Yep, two Tech men are geniuses! Ed Baur after placing fifth last week, topped them all by stringing along with Army, and being three points better than Len Kohan's card of ten winners. Baur collected the big Coca Cola cooler filled with Coca Cola, while Kohan smilingly pocketed the Bear-Eagle tickets.

Getting back to our "bored of experts"—they ran into a stonewall in their maiden attempt this season. Only four of our illustrious prognosticators were able to score as many as seven winners in the toughest contest to date.

The collapse of Northwestern and Stanford aided and abetted by the Michigan debacle sank the board.

Northwestern, last year's Rose Bowl winners and a strong pre-season choice for Big 10 and national honors, seemingly has folded at the seams and now has lost to Pittsburg and Minnesota in its last two outings. The future for the Wildcats looks even darker than the past as they face Michigan tomorrow and tangle with an in-and-out Iowa squad next week.

Stanford's Indians were picked as a strong darkhorse for Coast league honors after rolling up tremendous scores in their first two games. However, they were slowed to a walk by Michigan and failed their first league test against UCLA dismally!

Sonny Weisman missed only the three "toughies" and was closest on the scores to become "captain" of this week's "bored experts". Sonny is ably seconded by bucket coach Ed Glancy who also hit seven winners (but missed on the Boston Red Sox), and Technology News, frosh prophet "Steve" Saule.

The newest addition to the "bored" is Ed Baur (his picks have been good for fifth and first prizes the first two weeks).

Get those entries in!

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PIGSKIN PROPHETS JUST PICK WINNERS

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|-----------------|-----------------------|-----|
| 1. Illinois | () at Purdue | () |
| 2. Northwestern | () at Iowa | () |
| 3. Missouri | () at Iowa State | () |
| 4. SMU | () at Kentucky | () |
| 5. Minnesota | () at Michigan | () |
| 6. Penn State | () at Michigan State | () |
| 7. Mississippi | () at TCU | () |
| 8. Pennsylvania | () at Navy | () |
| 9. USC | () at Oregon | () |
| 10. Texas | () at Rice | () |

PROBABLE SCORE

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|----------------|--------------------|-----|
| 11. Wm. & Mary | () at Wake Forest | () |
| 12. Pittsburg | () at Indiana | () |

RULES

- Just check the winner of the first ten games and pick the probable score in the last two.
- Blanks must be in the Technology News Box in the North Union or in the slot in the office door in the South Union before 7 p.m. Friday, October 21.
- The entries are limited to ten (10) per person. Facsimile blanks may be used.
- Prizes include: First prize, encased, stainless steel cooler filled with COCA COLA; second prize, ticket for the Chicago Bear-Green Bay Packer game, Sunday, November 6; third prize, Zippo lighter; fourth prize, a bid to the Sophomore dance, Autumn Leaves at the Congress Hotel, November 23; fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth prizes, cartons of CHUBBIE FIELD cigarettes; ninth and tenth prizes, cases of 24 bottles of COCA COLA. Duplicate prizes will be awarded in case of ties.
- Staff members of Technology News are ineligible.

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Tech Sports



DAVID R. JOHNSON receives first prize for the October 1 edition of "Pigskin Prophets" from promotion editor Larry Shapiro.

Fencing, Cross Country teams list stiff schedules

By Sid Doppett

With only four men returning from last year's squad, the fencing team is beginning to look around for more material to help fill the gap left by graduation.

The freshman squad is expected to help fill some of the positions but Coach Bazell extended an invitation to all those with or without experience to come out and work out.

The tentative schedule for '49-'50 is a rugged one and includes:

University of Notre Dame	H
University of Wisconsin	H
Tri-State Col. of Eng.	A
University of Chicago	A
Michigan State	H & A
University of Illinois	H & A

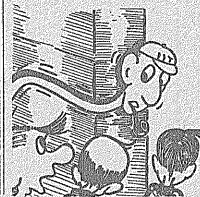
Besides this, the coach expects to send three men to the N.C.A.A. fencing championships to be held at Wayne University next Spring and has received invitations for meets in the future with Ohio State, Northwestern and others.

Cross Country

The Illinois Tech cross-country team will open their season Saturday, October 25, with a meet against Illinois (Navy Pier) in Washington Park.

The squad, coached by Roy McCauley, will have five returning lettermen from last year's team which won one of four meets and placed fifth in the State meet.

The complete schedule follows:
Oct. 15—Illinois (Navy Pier).
Oct. 22—North Central.
Oct. 29—Elmhurst and Concordia.
Nov. 5—Loyola Invitational.
Nov. 12—Illinois State Meet.
Nov. 19—Loyola.



From Where I Sit

By Ed Jennings

A WORD OF WARNING: Honor I has requested this fact to be made definitely clear. . . . Any athletic letters earned at any other school except Illinois Tech are absolutely NOT to be worn around this campus . . . this is a long standing rule and it must in the future be strictly observed.

WHAT NEXT . . . ? There's a nasty rumor going around that persons unknown are considering turning poor old Ogden Field into another parking lot. . . . Parking facilities may be a little short just now, but athletic facilities are much more scarce. . . . Let's hope that it's just a rumor and nothing more.

BASKETBALL: Took a quick peek at a couple of varsity practice sessions . . . things look mighty promising. . . . If this isn't the best crew Glancy has had to work with here then I'll eat my hat . . . or something . . . 6'7" freshman Ted Schultz is improving each day . . . right now he seems like the most likely prospect to fill "Big George" Scalamera's pivot spot next season. . . . Ted has got the ability . . . all he needs is to work a little harder on his weak points, and who knows . . . maybe we'll have another Mikan . . . !

INTO THE CRYSTAL BALL: The "Flashes" look like the best bet in the IM touch football tournament. . . . Also watch for the outcome of the Alpha Sigs-Delta game for a good idea of who the IF champs might be.

Plans revealed for IM swim competition

By Ted Spath

Plans for an Intramural swimming meet were released today by the Athletic office. The meet is tentatively scheduled to be held on October 27 at 5 p.m. in the Valentine Boys' club pool.

All students with the exception of members of last year's varsity squad and former letter winners are eligible to compete in this meet. Individual awards will be given to winners of each event and second place awards will also be given out if the number of entries warrant a second prize.

The following events will be held: 40 yd. free style, 40 yd. back stroke, 40 yd. breast stroke, 100 yd. free style, fancy diving, 60 yd. medley, (40 yd. back, 40 yd. breast, 40 yd. free style).

Entry lists are available at the gymnasium and they can be ob-

tained from either Coach Glancy or Grant Stenger.

IM Football

Last week on the IM football front the Chem. Grads downed the Frosh Archs, 19-0 while the Lugs upset the favored Tech News Tornadoes, 6-2, as the twilight fell with a loud thud.

On Monday the Ergs and the Ravens tugged and pulled over spacious Ogden field, but to no avail as the game ended in a 0-0 tie.

New mat mentor sets workout dates

Starting their 1950 season with a new coach, the Illinois Tech wrestling team began pointing toward their opening match with Bradley Tech. Coach Anthony J. Barbaro was introduced to the team at a meeting last Monday night where he announced that many positions on the team are still open and urged the members to look for new talent.

Barbaro was AAU 165 pound champion in 1939 while attending DePaul University and received his bachelor of science degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1947 where he won two letters in wrestling. He attended Tilden Tech high school here in Chicago and was runner-up in the city meet in 1937. He was awarded three letters in both football and wrestling at DePaul.

Here at Illinois Tech he is succeeding "Sonny" Weissman who was appointed athletic director last June.

Led by Captain-elect Dean Levi, the team will begin practice on October 31 and will continue every Monday, Wednesday and Friday night from four to six p. m. All interested men who were not present at the Monday meeting should see Mr. Weissman for any information regarding tryouts.

Barbaro was very pleased with the large number of men who turned out for the first meeting. He stressed the importance of top physical shape for success in competition.



NEW WRESTLING COACH Tony Barbaro is welcomed to Tech by captain elect of the squad Dean Levi. Barbaro will start immediately to whip a large turnout of candidates into shape.