

## ATHLETICS

### LAWRENCE E. BURKE, '25

(Left Fielder)

Burke in the field was just like building a high wall around the diamond—nothing could get by him. Burke played left field and on one occasion, ran, climbed a fence, and pulled down a hot fly which ordinarily would have been a home run. As a hitter Burke was no piker. Never did he go through a game without getting a mark in the hit column. Last year was his first at Armour and we are glad to know that he has three more with us. Some day we'll see Burke in the big leagues.

### JOHN W. McCAFFERY, '22

(Short Stop)

McCaffery was the life of the team. He, to the team, was like a court jester to the king. In the most serious conditions "Mac" found the greatest cause for mirth. His great sense of humor seemed to instill in him a keen spirit of sportsmanship. In spite of all this, he played baseball like a professional. The hottest liners were as easy as flies for him and his eye at the bat was always reliable. Our one regret is that we won't see "Mac" in an Armour suit this spring due to his having graduated last year.

### CHARLES J. PLOCAR, '25

(Catcher)

"Chuck" played his first year of baseball with Armour and boy! he sure played some game of ball. "Chuck" was the life of the team behind the plate. On every infield play "Chuck" was down to first almost as fast as the runner. Many an opponent hitter he would talk into striking out. Due to injuries he received while playing football last fall, he will not be seen in an Armour suit during the first of the season, but we hope that later his sunny face will again be seen behind the plate.

