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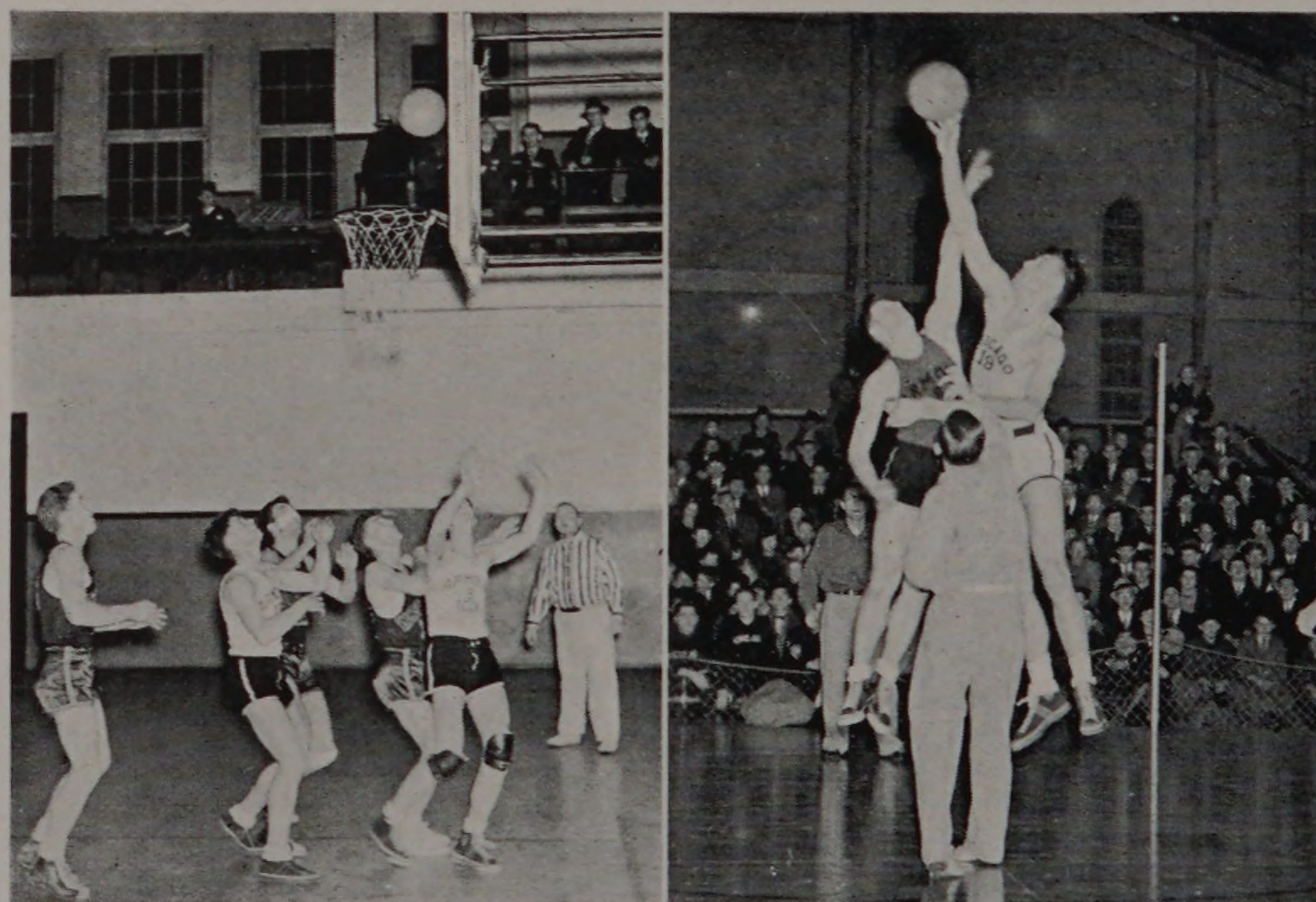
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For the last eight years North Central has beaten Armour at basketball. This year's team was no exception to the rule, falling victims to the "Red Demons" on December 14 by a score of 38-25. The playing was extremely rough, twenty free throws being issued to each side. O'Brien received a nasty cut under his left eye, and Wagner finished the game in his place. The Techawks were playing in the dark, literally as well as figuratively, when the lights went out towards the end of the game, giving an unofficial three minutes' rest period.

Wheaton College was the guest of Armour on December 17, and was treated to a 39-19 defeat. Early scoring by Heike and O'Brien, who made five and six baskets respectively, put the game "on ice." A total of thirty-two fouls indicates rather poor basketball for both teams, however. Armour had a tight defense, but Wheaton allowed them to run comparatively free, which was perhaps the reason for the large surplus of points run up by the Black and Yellow.

The annual game with Chicago, played December 21, proved to be one of the most thrilling of the year. With the score tied at 49 points apiece in the last thirty seconds of play, La Fevre of Chicago sank a pot shot from the center of the floor to win the game for Chicago. It was his only basket of the game. The entire game was fast and rough, as was evidenced by the number of free throws, 24 for Chicago and 23 for Armour. Haarlow of Chicago took the scoring honors with 25 points, while the best Heike could do was to run up 17 points.

The game with South Side Junior College on January 3 proved to be every bit as exciting as the Chicago game. With the South Siders leading, 24-23, with thirty seconds of play remaining, Heike threw a long pass to Merz, who was playing a "sleeper" under South Side's



Two Points Against Wheaton

Chicago Takes the Tip-off