



The Netmen



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split the doubles. Swanson took a two set win over Groom, 6-1, 6-4, but Hoser in turn evened up matters for North Central by outhitting Natinchek, 6-3, 6-2. The visitors took a short-lived lead when Eksteron brought in his three set victory over Boehme, 6-3, 1-6, 6-4. Kubik took his match with little effort, 7-5, 6-4, while Wagner's victory over Shissler gave Tech a 3-2 lead. With a split in the doubles the score moved to its final standing at 4-3, Armour.

Armour's netmen overpowered George Williams in all but one match, when they met on the latter's courts in the first of a two-game series. Swanson and Natinchek, of Armour, and Khadder won their matches with two straight sets apiece, and both of the doubles victories were taken by Tech in a like manner. Kubik put up a strong fight in his first set, holding out for a 7-5 loss, but weakened to a six-love tally in the second set. Ed Swanson, number one man, defeated Bob Christie of Williams with wins of 6-1, 6-3. Natinchek followed up to trim Hansas with a love set and a 6-2 tally. Then Boehme defeated Miller two out of three before Khadder had a chance to down Kubik. Wagner defeated Hable after losing a tough 11-9 set, coming back to take him 6-1, 6-2. Natinchek and Boehme defeated Christie and Khadder, 6-2, 7-5, and the final win was grabbed by Swanson and Kubik against Hansas and Hable.

Illinois Wesleyan was duck soup for the Armour boys, who, blazing across the Bloomington courts, took six out of six matches. Armour took four love sets, whereas Wesleyan took but one such set in all of the matches. Swanson fought a hard 9-7 win over Hartsouth and then coasted to take an easy 6-3. Natinchek won 6-1 easily, but yielded a 3-6 set to Crossman before coming back to win the match with a 6-2 count. Boehme gained second of the four love sets when he clinched the third point for Tech from Hartman with two 6-0 wins. Natinchek and Boehme paired off against Hartsouth and Crossman and easily downed them with a 6-2 count in the first set. The second was a bit harder, however, and took eight wins to cinch the point. Swan-

son and Kubik snappily defeated the other Bloomington twosome with a love set and finally a 6-2 count to complete the victory.

In their third meeting of the year with that mystic fivesome from Loyola, Armour again took the rap, this time by the not-too-bad score of 4-3. Of course the first encounter of these two teams is off the record, for it was a practice meet. The singles play saw Natinchek and Wagner triumph, while Swanson, Boehme, and Kubik lost hard-fought matches. The doubles resulted in a win and a loss with Kubik and Swanson teamed to avenge their defeats in the singles. Natinchek and Boehme dropped a well-played 6-4, 6-4 match. Swanson was upset by Beresky of Loyola in the singles, after a see-saw match. It took a 9-7 count to take the first set from him. The second set resulted in a 6-1 loss, following which Natinchek took up the fight to trim Dubay 7-5, 6-3. Swafford, of Loyola, took Boehme in straight sets, 6-3, 6-4; however, Dubay did not have an easy time of it. After running the count to 8-6 in the first set Kubik lost to Kruby of Loyola in the fourth singles match. The second set also went to Loyola with a 6-3 count. In the final singles match Wagner defeated Sierks, his opponent from Loyola, after losing the first set 4-6.

The third and last defeat came from Wheaton, who had been held down to a three to three tie earlier in the season. This time they triumphed by the tidy score of 5-1. Wheaton took both doubles matches, and all but one of the singles. Swanson was the lone Tech victor, taking Fischer two straight sets at 6-3 apiece. Natinchek lost to H. Moffett, while Kubik fell before the other Moffett brother.

A successful year was wound up by defeating George Williams, 5-1, when they journeyed up here to repay Armour's call a little earlier in the year. Again the doubles were split, this accounting for Williams' only win of the meet. Swanson, with his customary calm, took two out of three sets from Christie, 3-6, 8-6, 6-1. Natinchek and Kubik took their men in two sets each, the former 7-5, 6-3 and the latter 6-4, 6-4. Wagner walked away from Hable in two love sets.

A Scene From the Fall Tennis Tournament

