

INTERFRATERNITY ATHLETICS



As is always the case the fraternities had a busy year of it in the way of athletics. As the seasons progressed, event after event followed in quick succession. The spring of '37 saw track, softball, golf, and ping-pong pass in parade. With the advent of the fall semester, touchball battles held sway on Ogden field, making way as time marched on to basketball and bowling, to be followed by the interfraternity swim.

Phi Pi Phi again swept the field of entries in the interfraternity track meet with 63 points. Delta Tau Delta was second with a strong team, managing to reap 35 tallies against the Pi Kaps' 19. Vandekieft stole individual honors with 17 points. He had first in the high jump, discus, and shot-put, and a third in the broad jump.

Delta Tau Delta brought the interfraternity softball tourney to a close by overrunning the Rho Deltas 19-8 in the finals of this event.

Ping-pong, long regarded as a game fit for only the effeminate and those physically infirm, is now accepted in the best of circles, and the type of playing seen in the interfraternity games is justification of its popularity amongst the houses. Phi Kappa Sigma was victorious in this classic, after a long gruelling session on the green and white tables.

The smell of burning leaves in their nostrils and the taste of brown October ale in their mouths was all that was needed to get the fraternity men to haul out the ol' pigskin, and resume their touchball activities. As the tournament progressed, one after another of the fraternities was eliminated, until only the Deltas and Rho Deltas remained. An inspired

The Winnah! The Phi Pi Phi Champ Relay Team. Up and Over! Englethaler Skims the Lows.

Delt aggregation ran over the Rho Deltas, 12-0, to take the championship.

Held by Phi Pi Phi for nineteen years, the lease on the Armour interfraternity basketball title was broken by Phi Kappa Sigma when they won out over the Phi Pi's in the final minutes of their encounter. The Phi Kaps won undisputed right to the basketball title, when in a thrilling, hard fought contest, they downed a strong Rho Delt team in the last twenty seconds of play, 11-10.

This year's interfraternity swim was again taken by the Phi Kaps, and in a manner duplicating last year's sterling record. The Phi Kaps amassed a sum total of 48 points, the same number they garnered a year ago at this time. Six firsts in seven scheduled events were taken by the winners, not to mention two seconds and a like number of thirds.

The interfraternity bowling tournament, which was begun last year, was held again this year. Each house's five man team rolled three lines apiece and the scores totalled up. The house with the highest total was declared champion. Last year's champions came thru again this year to win the cup for the second consecutive year. Competition was closer this year and the outcome of the tournament was in doubt until the final scores were posted. When Phi Pi Phi posted a score of 2332 for the fifteen lines, eclipsing all other scores, they were declared champions. They averaged better than 155 pins per game.