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Fencers Fail; Plummer Gets 6th

In an entirely unprecedented finish in the history of the meet, N.Y.U. won the Eastern Intercolle- giate championships from Navy by the narrow margin of a final victory in the saber event.

The M.I.T. squad had a very difficult time of it and finished up at the tail end of the team standings. The epee team was the most successful for Tech with a total of 131 victories. Al Zoniger won 6 bouts, Charlie Bries won 4 bouts, and Fred Bayfield won 3. In the foil event Captains Frank Kellogg and Tony de Alftera each captured 3 bouts. Tony Klei took 4 bouts and Dick Manusey added one more to Tech's score. Submames Jim Turner and Pete Noy Enthalmed with two victories apiece, while John Lowey garnered a total of 3 wins.

Plummer Breaks Record of the Three Beaver streamlined that joummedy to Annapolis to compete in the E.I.A.S. only DIA Plummer put with any success. Dick took a sixth in the 159-yard backstroke event and his time of 21.44 was good enough to shave 2.8 seconds off the old M.I.T. varisty record for this distance.

Beaver Trackmen Beaten by Brown in Close Meet

Buckstaff Wins 136 lb. Wrestling Title in N.E. Championships

Shadick Buckstaff, transfer student from the Naval Academy, who has recently returned from behind yesterday night to win the 136-pound New England A.M.A. wrestling championship, held off the Brows on the week-end. Although Buckstaff has not been able to wrestle with the Beaver squad this year, because of his recent transfer from the Naval Academy, he has been working out with the team all season, participating in independent tournaments where eligibility clause was not required.

The title bout for 151-pounders between Buckstaff and Perry, of Williams University, was the most exciting in the tournament. After a very close fight for first period with Perry leading 5-3, "Bucky" suddenly reversed his opponent, and applied the deadly guillotine headlock which quickly ended the bout.

Although ineligible this season, Buckstaff will be with the Beavers next year. His next competition will be in the National A.A.U. tournament in New York to be held at Madison Square Garden.

The only victories for the Tech Marching band came from the Boston Knights of Columbus Games at the Boston Garden. Highlights of the season were the 400-yard dash and 300-yard run, with Robert and Steve in the mile run. Thompson captured the only victory for the Tech Indoor Track Team last Saturday at Briggs Field by the narrow margin of 57-51. The Bruins from Annapolis will take the seven point advantage in the last event of the day, the broad jump to settle the issue. The Freshman Meet, the Bruins youngsters won an easy victory over the Tech frosh, 68-31.

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Dell 'Isola Takes Two

Captain Al Dell 'Isola of Tech was high scorer for his squad with 30 points in the 50-yard dash and 300-yard run, and second in the mile run. Thompson captured the only victory for the Techmen. The only victories for the Tech Froshmen were by George Granier in the 600-yard run, Howie Manso in the high jump, and Dick Elberg in the broad jump. For Segien, who seemed likely to become one of the top Froshmen weight men and broad jumpers Tech has in recent years, the win proved to be a costly one. On his winning jump he suffered a recurrence of an old shoulder separation which will put him out of competition for the remainder of this season.

Season Ends

The dual defeat closed out the indoor track season for this year. Highlights of the season were the mile victories by the Beaver mile relay team, in the Millrose Games in Madison Square Garden and the Boston Knights of Columbus Games at the Boston Garden.

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