**Swimmers Top Springfield For First Time In History**

By Ronald Davies

Last Saturday MIT's swimming team accomplished what it had never been able to do before. For the first time since annual meets have been held between Springfield College and MIT, the Technicians were victorious. Taking first and second in four events, and winning two others, the Tech swimmers won by the margin of 56-39, to roll to their fifth straight victory. This brings their record to 8-1 in New England competition.

**Now Record Set**

Outstanding performances were turned in by nearly every one, the most notable being the lowering of the 400 yard free-style relay record by the team of Joe Schrade, Roger Cooke, Wayne Miesner, and Jack Engeler to 3:36.5.

**Somerscamp Clutches Meet**

The most exciting race of the afternoon came in the 50-yard event, the 200 yard breaststroke. At this stage of the meet a cuộc needed to take first and second in the breaststroke to win the last relay in order to to defeat Springfield. For the first time since 1969, Seb Galiano of Springfield swam together nearly stroke for stroke. In the last 25 yards Seb Galiano and Engel pulled ahead. Seb Galiano went on to win the event with Engel, clinching the meet for Tech. Thus, for the first time ever, the Engineers took the 400 yard freestyle relay in record-breaking time.

**Stein Scores In 200**

In the 200 yard freestyle, Dave Stein turned in his best time of the season to win that event. His time of 1:44.2 in this race, though nothing to be proud of, is the second best that the Engineers have developed in the New England swimming championships.

In the 50-yard freestyle race, special thanks go to Joe Schrade, for all out effort to win for MIT in a time only 0.3 second off the varsity record. Royce Coville of MIT took third in this event, losing only a narrow half second to Schrade.

**Eagles Take 400**

In the 400-yard medley relay, Captains Jed Engeler swam to victory. Gaining distance in each leg, Engeler easily showed his superiority over his Springfield opponents in this race. MIT's other victory came in the diving, Bill Basker and Al1 Musicio being the winning pair.

A crowd of about 100 people had assembled to see this meet, billed by the MIAA as the event of the week.

FRESH TUNES. Two records. Immediately preceding the varsity meet, the freshmen swimmers, to a 43-33 tie with the Springfield freshmen. Two MIT freshmen, smashed fresh records in their attempts to down Springfield. In the 100 yard backstroke, Bill Brody lowered the record from 1:03.5 to 1:00.7. Brody was Read by over a body length at the halfway mark and went on to win by about six yards. Two evening sessions, first, Frank McGinnis scored all 10 points to the 200 yard backstroke in a new record from last year's meet of 2:07.7, breaking the old mark of 2:08.5 which stood for 10 years. Other freshmen winners in this meet were Richard St. Peters in the 200 yard breaststroke, Joe Schrade in the 100 yard butterfly, and Steve Colburn in the 200 yard individual medley.

**Chinese Student Club, School of Engineering Dominate In Badminton**

Dominating play in this year's intramural badminton contests both won by the Chinese Student Club and the School of Engineering.

The Technicians, last year's runners-up, appear headed for a second straight victory. In the men's doubles, the team of Dave Santos, and Jed Engeler, and in the women's doubles, the team of Marian Ming, and Sara Grant, are again at the top of the heap. The Engineers, last year's sweep champions, in the men's singles, the team of Dave Santos, was defeated in the final against Steve Colburn. In the women's singles, the team of Sue Dwyer, and Betty Ruffin, defeated the team of Marian Ming, and Sara Grant, in the final. The Engineers meet Tufts tomorrow night at Rockwood Cage, while the University of Chicago visit Boston on Friday for the season's final.

**Frosh Fall To Andover**

By Mike Oliver

MIT's Frosh Track Team split two meets last week, overpowering Brandeis on Wednesday, and losing 60-56% to the University of New Hampshire on Thursday.

Perry Goddard '63 led the way for the Technicians in the UNH meet with the strength of a first-year coed winning the 110 yard hurdles.

In the field events Al Ramos '63 capped a first in the 20 point range, and Gary Latka '63 tied for first in the pole vault by clearing 11' 6". In the mile relay, the team of Forrest Green, Jimmy Royer, Len Parsons, and Harry Diment took a sweep in this event. The frosh also smashed frosh records.

Tech Sharpshooters Close Season With 7-1 Record

By Al Gleen

The Tech Rifle Team posted identical scores of 152 in winning a pair of shoulder-to-shoulder matches over the week-end. This brings their record to a perfect 15-0, and completed the University in a match at Commonwealth Armory against the New England Bush Shot. Though Tech defeated their high of the season, a 113, it was not enough, as Bruce Peterson '63 fired a 290, Richard Ludeman '63 a 286, and Al Gleen '63 a 284. The MIAA record for Smith '62 shot a 283 and Joe Beling '61 a 283 to round out the squad's third straight match score of 1471.

**Biphones Fire 1477**

Saturday morning the same score of 1277, was contributed by Dave Stein '63, Jed Engeler '63, and MVP Thomas '63, Michael's in a New England League match at the home of the Tech Team. David Steve Smith '62 led with a 292, followed by a pair of 285's by Ludeman and Peterson. Gleen fired a 284 and complete the scoring. MIT has now finished its regular season schedule in the New England League with a 11 record. The only loss was to Norwich, to whom Tech is now tied with for first place in the Northern Division of the League. The League Championship will be decided in a final match March 17, with the top four scores from both northern and southern branches to compete in the final.

MIT is still undefeated in the College League and needs only a victory against Northeastern and Harvard, March 9, to sweep that division. Next Saturday MIT will send three four-man teams to the General Rifle Association's Intercollegiate Sectional match at the University of New Hampshir.