Racquetmen Face Hard Schedule, One Starter Returns to Squad

This year's squash team is slated to play the toughest schedule of any team in the Institute. Their opponents include schools from the Ivy League, the Little Three, and other formidable squash powers, such as Army and Navy. The roughest games are expected to come against Harvard, Princeton, and Yale.

The 1962-63 season will be a period of revolving for Coach Ed Crocker. Out of the top nine men of last year's team only Matt Lind '63 is returning. Lind, who is the captain of the team was on the co-operative program in course V1 last year and is eligible to play another season. He holds down the number one position this year.

Giving him ample support are George Ashkin '61, Bob Blum berg '61 and Paul Bagl '61, all of whom have had varsity experience. These three should figure prominently in the success of the team.

Among those who have been members of the team in the past are Fred Hunter '64, John Greiner '64, Jim Taylor '63, Ron Friedman '63, Albertus Solis '63, Farid Taw- bek '64, Marty Eisenberg '62 and Ronald Weissmann '63. Out of this group Cruise is the leading candidate for one of the top berths on the squad.

Squads To Fill Key Posts

Several outstanding members of last year's fresh team are not to try to fill some of the vacancies in the varsity roster. These include Ken Canedy '63, Don Ward '64, Wayne Wilmer '62, Lewis Green '63, Phil Strauss '60 and Ed Strauss '63. Consey is the best prospect in this group and should win one of the top positions on the team.

Altogether there are thirty-one candidates out for the varsity squad and approximately the same number out for the Frosh team.

Rutharveth December 1st is the first contest of the season.

Icemen Open With UMass, 5 Varsity Lettermen Return

The 1963 varsity hockey season will get under way starting with an away game with the University of Massachusetts on the fifths of December. The schedule this year includes a game with Army and a trip to Pennsylvania to play Rutgers and University of Pennsyl- vania.

The team has 5 lettermen re- turning this year, four forwards and one defensemen. It appears that this will be a building year for the Beaver slaters. There are several sophomores this year who should provide very good material for the team. Don Wiener, from Winthrop, Massachusetts, seems to be the most promising. He was a switch on the freshman team on the defense. Also his defensive partner, Bob Newell should pro- vide the material necessary to fill the defensive gap left by the graduation of three of the four de- fense regulars this year.

The forward line includes re- turning lettermen Mike Denny, Jim Holcroft, Tony Weikel, and captain, Bill Varshon. The nets will be minded by Joe Kirk, a transfer student from the University of Colorado. The Frosh last year, and Roger Cole, who gained experience play- ing for the freshmen last year.

Practices for the team began November 1. The team skates everyday except Thursday at Harvard until the home ice freezes.

Coach Bob Frink's freshman will also start practice and any freshmen interested in playing for the team should watch the notices to appear on the bulletin boards around school. Upperclassmen may contact Ron Brinkerhoff at X152 for information.

Tech Sailors Downed In Year's Final Meet, Marred By Mishaps

MIT's varsity sailing team closed out its season this past weekend, sailing on the ThENCES in New York City. Tech's Jack Klare, Ker, Lifschitz and Weil sailed together this year in a team racing competition against Coast Guard. Being dogged by bad breaks, the Techmen won one race, lost two by a tie score, and lost two others as a result of a capsize and a foul-out.

This competition was part of the team racing eliminations for the Frosh trophy, and hence M.I.T. was eliminated from fur- ther competition, as high winds on Sunday made even a consolation round impossible. Coast Guard, Harvard, and two other teams will go on to the finals next weekend on the Charles.

Brown, Wesson Place As Tech Closes Third

MIT finished third to Northeas- tern and Tufts in a triangular cross country meet Wednesday in the only track action of the week. Runner Brown and Bob Wesson were the only Engineers to finish in the top ten as Northeastern re- ceived 20 points to M.I.T. for Tufts and 27 for Tech. Joe Read, Billy Friedmann, and Scott Kene were the other Techmen to place. The race, run over the 2.8 mile Franklin Park course, was the final outing of the year for the barriers.

Monday, Brown and Wesson compete in the ICAAA College Division Championships at Ym Portland Park in the Bronx, New York.

Highlanders In Boston Gardens

Two Highland bands, the Royal Scots Greys and the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, will appear together at the Boston Gar- dens, November 24 at 3 p.m.

Both bands have been an integ- ral part of their regiments for generations. Highlanders have led Scots into battle and been on hand to celebrate victories for centur- ies. Thus, the traditional High- land dancing and tunes have be- come part of the band's proced- ures.

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