Hoopmen Smash Coast Guard For Season Peak

By J. M. Bues

Tech's squandering of a lead it once owned stretched to six games with wins over Westeros, Yerick, and Coast Guard last week. Tuesday night the Beavers scored a brilliant come-from-behind victory, taking an 88-62 decision at Worcester. Thursday night in their final Rockwell Cage appearance, the Engineers raced to a 96-61 win over the Coast Guard Academy.

Tech's record is now 15-7 overall with games remaining at Tutu tonight and at Trinity Saturday. The Beavers boast a 1-5 mark versus American small-college opposition and a win streak of 8 in a row. The losses, all suffered before Christmas, were to Trinity and Union in overtime, to Brandeis 27-25, to Wesleyan by 6, and Northeastern by 54-51. With the Beavers at Half Worcester Tech, previous conference winners, were no easy victims before their home crowd. WPI played disciplined ball, scoring the second highest point total against Tech this year. The Beavers led by the jump shooting of Bill Eagleson and Kent Groninger (30 points) jumped out to a 23-9 lead with 7:00 left in the half as Tech made its move with the 6'7" center Herb Schroeder doing most of the damage. The Engineers now look rather helpless. MIT maintained about a 6 point lead for 31 minutes of the second half as Bill Eagleson threw in 31 of his 29 points. Tech's offense bogged down during the next 4 minutes, however, and Worcester took a 65-61 lead with 8:00 to play. After a bucket by Groninger, WPI made two foul shots to take a 66-61 lead with 3:00 remaining. Beavers started Frank Yin and Groninger, and 2 free throws by Eagleson tied the score at 61 with 2:30 remaining, but Eagleson nailed a 74-67 advantage with 0:30 minutes left. Tech Comes Back On 21 pt. Sport After a time out, Tech went off on a two minute 21 point scoring binge. Coach East Groninger, playing the shortest half of his career scored 13 points in the run. Fast breaking brilliantly with Chen and Yin, Groninger converted 2 basket drives and was fouled 3 times. When the break failed, he calmly flipped in the soft jump shots. With WPI trying desperately to stop Groninger, things opened up inside for Bill Eagleson. Fast breakers dropped 3 short jumpers and the list of his 25 consecutive free throw shots and controlled the defensive boards during the winning spurt. Groninger has scored high with 32 points, and Eagleson had 27. MIT scored 18, and went and guard Dick Kiersted 23 for Tech. 1900 Bee Coast Guard Game A tremendous crowd, estimated at 3,500, spurred Tech on to a 71-67 victory, closed out its home schedule. They were treated to a show as the "new" Tech offense powered over a strong Coast Guard quintet. The issue was in doubt with 10 minutes left in the game, but MIT won the meet 66-47.-- Photo by Joe Baron

Frosh Futons

Friday, March 1

Basketball (F)-Trinity, Away, 4:00 P.M.

Swimming (V)-Brown, Away, 7:00 P.M.

Wrestling (V)-Brandeis, Live., Home, 6:00 P.M.

Today, February 27

Basketball (F)-Tufts, Away, 8:15 P.M.

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Technik Trackmen Down Brandeis 76-37, NH 66-47

By Bob Pilens

Fiamma Delta defeated Theta Chi 83-2 last Thursday to remain the only undefeated team in the IM hockey playoffs. Newman Smith scored a last trick to head the Fijis over previously undefeated 7 games. Theta Chi, and now added into playoff contention with 18 points on 10 goals and 4 assists. During the regular season Theta Chi scored 20 points to lead all scorers.

Seniors Win 3

Senior Home games came back to def. Sigma Chi 2-1, Lambda Chi Alpha 3-1, and Sigma Phi Epsilon 4-1 to be a dark horse for the championship in the last bracket. Graduating seniors Robert Hanlon and Tom Louis combined to lead the defense in a tie for the finals.

Frosh Beat Mar. 1

The Fijis will meet the top teams next week for possible playoff games. Friday, Mar. 1 at 7:00 P.M., another game will be played.

All Stars To Meet Freshmen

There will be an IM All-Star Freshman Team game on Wednesday March 6th at 8:00 P.M.

Fiji Defeat TX To Lead Ice Tourny

By Joe Barons

Bill Eagleson (10) goes for top against Coast Guard and the Beaversfield. Patsy succeed back, Tech reeled up the score to 66-47.

Conscientious energies in all events prove the gain the MIT trackmen and the Beaversfield in New Hampshire (66-37) and New Hampshire (66-37). The Engineers have won four straight and saw unbeaten in 2693.

Tech Wins in Field Events

The field events provided the extra push to give the Beavers a win over Coast Guard in Wednesday's meet. Dave Carrier '64 and John Amick '64 had the most to last and third, respectively, in the long jump while Carrier later scored his first in the high jump. On Lookin '64, Ken Morath '64, John Shuster '64, and Mike Koffman '65 swept the pole vault. Bill Jensen '64 and Dennis Rentz '65 placed first and second in the shot put, as the weight was won by Jim Rosentuch '64, as Bill Harper '64 and Dennis Rentz '65 finished second and third. Fink Won Record

Miler Oliver '64 and Chuck Zig- sqrt 94 took the top two spots in the mile two mile run. Captain Tom Goddard '64 placed third in the mile, backed up for Dick McMillin '65, who also took second in the 300 yard run. Forrest Green '64 took second in the 600 yard run. Jim Fink '64, supported by Rentz '65, placed second, won the 50 yard dash in 5.4 seconds. Going the Rockwell Cage record. The high hurdles was a very close race, as Terry Dorsch '64 was edged out of first place and teammate Fink '64 tied for third in the 100 yard dash. Lucy and Morath finished second and third respectively in the pole vault.

Carrier Sets New Record

Dave Carrier leaped 25 feet 6.5 inches in Saturday's meet with New Hampshire to set a new season's record. Carrier returned to take first in the event and seniors for the Engineers, Harper '64 took third in the weight throw. as Romero won first and Rentz '65 placed third in the shot put, and Morath and Rentz finished second and third respectively in the pole vault.

Fink, Tervain Win in Track

In the relay, Fink '64 shouldered the crowd record in a time of 3:50 seconds as Tervain '64 took second. Tervain followed by Donnellon '64 in second, won the 50 yard dash. Fink and Rentz '65 took first and second in the 50 yard dash. Green with a burst speed at the finish, edged past New Hampshire's pace setter for the win in the 400 yard run. Goddard sprinted the last lap of the 1000 yard run. Fink '64 took second in the mile, with Dick McMillin in the third spot. Fink '64 took third in the mile run. The relay team of Mike Parker '64, Al Zobrist '65, and Green won in 3:42.3. MIT meets Bowdoin Saturday in Rockwell Cage at 4:30. Next week's meet is the indoor track season.

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