Fencers defeat Holy Cross 21-6 lose to CCNY for 8-8 season tally

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The MIT varsity fencers split two meets this last week, beating Holy Cross 21-6 on Wednesday and losing to CCNY Saturday afternoon by a score of 13-12.

Holy Cross loses close

During the Holy Cross meet, every man who dressed new action, many of them not finding their usual weapon. Credit must be given to the Holy Cross team, however, because it is made up of nine men who work out on their own since they have no coach. The squad scores were 8-1 in foil, 7-2 in sabre, and 6-3 in epee.

Debuote has 7-10 record

Against CCNY, epee man Tom Seddon ’64 was able at 6-3 in his second round bout when he was injured and forced to forfeit his bout. His first round win, together with two wins each by Bill Debuote ’65 and Karl Ruiz ’64 gave the epee squad a 5-3 record for the afternoon. Debuote now holds the best season record on the team, having won 27 bouts and losing 10. Ruiz, who has gone 17

Squad team edged by Wesleyan 5-4, to enter tournament

Hard-fought victories by Ted Cruise ’64, Don Ward ’65, Larry King ’66, and Fergus Gomeral ’64 were not quite enough to enable the boys to remain on top Wesleyan Saturday; as the men from Wesleyan scored a 5-4 victory.

Cruise, Jon Grober ’64, Kim Conte ’65 and Thomas Guillermo ’65 will represent MIT at the National Intercollegiate Squash Team Tournament at Dartmouth next weekend.

Skiing

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