Lacrosse team prepares for spring; hopes high for successful season

By Neel Giiman

Scrimmaging for the last few weeks in preparation for warmer months, the MIT lacrosse team, coached by Ben Martin, promises to have an extremely successful season next Spring. Led by Most Valuable Player, Co-Captain Peter Kirkwood '66 and high scorer Steve Schroeder '67, the team has all but letter men returning this year. Since last year's squad had the most successful season in four years with a 7-8-1 record, the present team with the experience behind it, should do even better, with the New England Championship as its goal.

Team wins scrimmage

The team recently had a scrimmage with the Boston Lacrosse Club and at times showed its potential that may carry it to the championship. Although the squad "played ineptly at times, failing at some basic fundamentals, it controlled the ball the majority of the time, outscoring B.L.C. 12 goals to 7.

Schroeder shifted

In attempt to fill the gap left by the graduating Co-Captains Ron Mandle '65 and Marshall Fisher '65, Coach Martin has switched Schroeder, originally a midfielder, to attack, joining Kirkwood and Dick Nygren '66. The midfield had good depth with the returning lettermen, Art Von Waldenburg '67, Greg Wheeler '67, Terry Vande Werff '66, Loren Wood '66, David Avery '66, and Neel Giiman '67. The defense, centered around Co-Captain Bill Kosinav '66 and Ralph Schmidt '66, will have its gaps filled by Bob Smith '67 and Herb Finger '68. Bob Macdonald '66 and Garland Taylor '67 remain as the team's first string goalies.

The team with its depth and maturity should produce one of the most successful records MIT has had in years.

Alloy stress ordering topic of Cahn lecture

Robert Cahn, professor of Materials Science at Sussex, lectured last Friday in the Vannevar Bush Room on "Stress Ordering in Copper-Gold Alloys." The lecture was presented in a joint session of the Materials Center Colloquium and the Metallurgy Colloquium.

Press to deliver Sigma Xi lecture

Professor Frank Press, head of Department of Geology and Geophysics MIT, will speak at the second annual lecture of the MIT chapter of Sigma Xi, the research honorary. Topic of his talk will be "The Earth's Interior: Recent Advances and Implications." The lecture is scheduled for Thursday, October 28, at 8:00 pm in Kresge Auditorium.

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