Janssens sets scoring mark with a 589 season total

By Steve Winner

Victories over Tufts and Lowell Tech and a loss to Northeastern in the final week kept MIT with a 5-4-1 record and Dave Janssens with a slew of season and career marks. Tech’s final count included a 10-2 won-lost count in the last six weeks while Janssens wound up with 429 career points to beat Alec Wilson’s mark by 232. He also totaled 588 assists to set a new mark, breaking the record of 580.

Wednesday and Thursday night, Tech took part in the first Colonial Basketball Tournament held at Tufts. In the opening game of the tournament, Tech handed the hosts a 65-63 defeat. That same night, the favored Northeastern quilts were defeated by Dartmouth St., the scene of the game.

Photo by Al Osinski

Captain Dave Janssens, 62, high above the Lowell Tech defenders, clears the boards. Janssens sets new season and career scoring records in the game.

Suspect’s lawyer seeks MIT witnesses

By Steve Carhart

A man charged with attempted arson in connection with one of the 60 fires which have plagued Boston since January 1 maintains that he was in Building 7 when the fire in question was set. The suspect, James J. O’Donnell, claims that he was working on “artwork” at that hour. The Department of Architecture has studios on the fourth floor of Building 7 which are in constant use.

Marianna Kivisild elected UAP over Maths write-in vote

By Carol Agnew

Miss Marianna L. Kivisild, ’69, of McCormick Hall and Ontario, Canada, was elected UAP president over four other candidates. Second in the race was Markus Mathis ’68, (FPG) from Rockville, Md.

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Miss Kivisild had no comment when contacted by the Tech about her election. According to Bob Hoppe, who informed her that she had won, her first words were, “You’ve got to be kidding!”

The distribution of votes was interesting, with Markus Mathis’ write-in campaign winning only fourth, while Jim Smith with 539 votes and Markus Mathis with 538 votes. The final results are 427 votes cast for Miss Kivisild, 425 for Markus Mathis, 348 for Jim Smith, 1457 career points. The graduate School’s distribution of votes was 107 for Miss Kivisild, 108 for Markus Mathis, 3 for Jim Smith, and 1507 career points.

UAP Candidates’ Vote Distributions

Class of 1968

Permanent President

John Kortes (SPF)

Permanent Vice Pres.

Tom Neul (FPG)

Permanent Secretary-Treasurer

Mike Enders (PGD)

Permanent Executive Committee

Steve Kester (AEP), Bill McK (FPG), Bob McCrorey (KS), Charles Polay (AEP), Steve Reimers (RSC).

Class of 1969

President

Mark Mathis (PLP)

Executive Committee

Russell Apol (BUR), Shelley Fleet (MC), Carl Weisel (DU)

Class of 1970

President

Joe Eicholtz (BKK)

Executive Committee

Ed Clark (AEP), Steve Chambers (FPG), Tom Dunfan (LOT), George Karthides (LSP), Laura Malin (PMC), Pam Whitman (MC).

Class of 1971

President

Steve Ehrmann (BUR)

Executive Committee

Maria Kivisild (McC), Lou Tsian (BTT), Ken Weisel (BH).

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Joe O’Donnell’s lawyer has appeared to be well informed concerning this case. He was seen working on “artwork” at that hour. The Department of Architecture has studios on the fourth floor of Building 7 which are in constant use. Architecture students often work at unusual hours in this area.

Police discovered that O’Donnell was a patient at Ypsilanti (Mich.) State Mental Hospital and last November, when he managed to walk away unaided. He arrived in Boston on February 13, having come via Virginia and Baltimore.

Arrested last Tuesday

O’Donnell was arrested early on the morning of February 19, 6:4 am. On February 20, O’Donnell entered the Victorian Hotel at 277 Dartmouth St., the scene of a fire on the 17th. Shortly thereafter, he came out and entered 277 Dartmouth St., where three separate fires were extinguished in the wake of the fire on February 18.

Police state that he was arrested inside 277 facing a barrel over which he was holding a lighter. When he was arrested, O’Donnell had several books of matches and was not smoking; his attorney accounts for this with the fact that he com- mitted murder.

An arrest warrant was issued for O’Donnell on February 20.

Photo by Boston Herald Traveler

Did you see this man sleeping in Building 7 on Saturday, Feb. 17, between 3 and 5:30 am? See story for details.

Grad deans meet

Kresge discusses budget draft

By Reid Ashe

In response to the recent decisions of the National Security Council on graduate school and coeducation, a group consisting of Colonel Paul Feneen, Dean of the Graduate School; Mr. Thomas W. Harrington, Jr., Director of Placement, spoke in Kresge last Wednesday afternoon.

Voting for deans was approached by Mr. Harrington. 

"Protect your interests." The first to speak was Col. Feneen, who began his remarks by stating that the Selective Service System in Massachusetts will do everything it can to protect your interests. The draft law passed last July tried to (1) limit drafts in the military, (2) end the withdrawal of students, and (3) prevent the "preamendment" of deans by college students.