Dartmouth avenges last year's loss to gymnasts

By Ron Case

The vanities gymnasts lost their first match of the season to a Dartmouth squad that was obviously out to avenge last year's 134-107 loss to the engineers. The tables were almost exactly reversed in Tech suffered a 123.5 to 109.9 defeat to the Indians. This was the first match under the direction of the gymnasts' new coach, James Hutt, who is facing the apparent problem of lack of depth on the team.

The engineers iterate brightest in the still ring where Ken Gerber '71, Tom Hafner, '70, and Dick Hood '70 scored respectively 7.75, 7.75 and 7.5 points respectively, outperforming the engineers by a score of 21.5 to 18.4.

Both teams were closely matched in the parallel bars, with Dartmouth edging out Tech 23.5 to 22.5. Raising for the engineers were Hafner (7.75), Gerber (7.75) and John Schaefer (7.15). Hafner tied Dartmouth's Chris Cane for the event's first-place spot.

Milt Dervinis '69 executed a clear victory in the bridge side as his 8.1 total safely insured him from Dartmouth's second place Tom Weigle (7.35). But Indian depth squandered a 20-19 event victory for the home team.

In the high bar Captain Hood tied with opponent Jeff Pena for individual honors with 6.7 points. But support from teammates Gerber and Hafner was not strong enough to top Dartmouth's Weigle and Rogers for the team victory.

In the floor exercise and the parallel bars, Dartmouth dominated the top performances, as all three Indian competitors outscored the engineers in each event.

The gymnasts next face Lowell Tech in an away match Friday night. This is the last match scheduled before Christmas, and the young squad will be eagerly for its first victory.

Wilson wins two
Runners top Bates

By Joseph Edwards

MIT's vanity and track team was victorious in a home encounter with Bates Saturday. The upsetters were to view their 39 to 43 triumph by Ben Wilson '70; Wilson won the one mile run handily in a time of 4:18.5 and then came back to be the only double winner of the day with a 9:40.0 distance in the two mile. The meet was led soon after Wilson's second victory

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Trinity ices pucksters, Rhodes nets two goals

By Ray Kwas

Last Saturday night the hockey squad visited Trinity and came away on the short end of a 7-3 count. With this victory Trinity continued a two-year mini reign of the Tech six. Last year the Connecticut squad skated out a 6-5 overtime win.

The loss evened the engineers' record at one up and one down. The puckers don't play again until Saturday when they host the Redmen of the University of Massachusetts.

Trinity put on a strong display of forechecking and thereby effectively prevented MIT from clearing its defensive zone. This not only hindered the garnet in generating an attack, it also provided Trinity with some scoring opportunities.

Trinity capitalized on these errors with four goals in the opening stanza, put the islanders on the rocks in the last period. Tech could by rights light the goal hamp only once in each session.

Mike Nochella '69 accounted for one of the three Tech tallies. He picked up the rebound of a hard shot and slipped it wide for the eventual game winner.

Scott Rhodes '69 netted MIT's other scores on unassisted efforts.

Trinity's goalie Bob Staley gave up a goal at 1:06, 27" into the game. The winner was a late shot by Rhodes. Nochella tied the game at 4:42, 26" into the second period.

Right behind Lautenschlager in the shot put was Bill Stewart '69. For Bates, the only man to score twice was Kent Tyson, who won the 600 yard run at 1:17.6 and ran the anchor leg of their winning one mile relay team. Paul Williams won the 45 yard high hurdles, and Steve Edickson completed their list of victory, as he won the pole vault at 12'16".

Other point sources for the Institute were Henry Hall '70 in the 440 yard hurdles, Larry Peters '70 in the two mile run; Jim Gledenitsa '71 and Richard Brooks '70 second and third in the pole vault. The team has bounced back well after its opening loss to '80, and prospects appear good for another win in the away meet at Tufts, Tuesday.