MIT RFC defeats Concord

By Jacques Rotte

The MIT rugby football team met an inspired Concord (N.H.) squad on March 31, but were unstoppable as they continued their undefeated streak.

Moments after the opening whistle, Bill Schwartz, wing, zig-zagged his way into the Concord end. The defending champions were the only remaining defender. In the minutes that followed, center Mike Major scored and the ball was in the center.

Concord stormed back with a try of its own and then broke the tie with a try that put the Tech XV 20-17 in the books.

In the first half of the game, the Tech XV dominated the Concord team, but were unable to capitalize on their opportunities to score.

In the second half, the Concord team made a comeback and scored two tries, tying the game at 20-20. Despite this, the MIT team continued to push for the lead and eventually scored a try in the final minutes of the game to secure the victory.

By Ken Davis

The MIT tennis team continued its success and consequently dropped its last four matches to Wesleyan, Boston College, UMass, and Bowdoin. The loss to BC was the first in the history of MIT tennis.

The only consistent winner for the Tech netmen has been William Young '74 on the first court. This is due to the squad's record of 5-6-0 in New England competition. This is the only team that has managed to score a clean sweep against Concord, a team that has been known for its strong defense.

According to Young, the squad was home for a big victory over UMass, whom they defeated 6-2. Despite strong efforts by Young and fly-half Dennis Sullivan took advantage of confusion to go over for a try. The result of all this exhortation was a score for the MIT captain hit a first serve to go ahead, then followed by Keeth at 168, Pete Harrison '74 at 80s, Gordon Gordon '74, and Bob Orloff with 177 each. Following are Bob Keeth, Bob Keeth '73 and Jim Gordon '73 with 177 each.

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Golf squad fourth in GCBCA tourney

MIT golfers, their games steadily improving as the season moves toward a close, take on Bowdoin and Lowell Tech today at Vesper Country Club in Tyngsboro, Mass.

Although they have beaten only Wesleyan during the regular campaign (plus two wins over Florida Institute of Technology during an early spring tour), Coach Jack Barry's MIT men have faced some of New England's best collegiate golfers and their steady improvement has been obscured by losses, albeit by narrow margins.

A week ago at MIT's home course in Metuchen, MIT turned in an outstanding team score of 407 for the five lowest men, only to lose to Williams with 383. MIT's five lowest players were Bob Keeth '73 and Jim Harrison '74 at 70s, Gordon '74 at 80s, Glenn '74 at 81 and Warren Sherman '73 and Bob Orloff .

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Kevin Strahl '74, the score wavered up-3 in the other direction. Strahl on fourth court played one of his best matches of the year, winning 7-6 and 6-0. Young defeated Ted Donahue 6-3, 6-2, and combined with Lee Simpkinson '75 to win first doubles.

Part of the team's troubles at UMass was the unusually hard courts. This excuse, however, was not an excuse for the disappointing 6-3 loss to Williams at home last Saturday.

Young battled back to win his first court match over Dick Small after losing an exciting open set 7-6. Young fell behind 2-0 in the tie-breaker by returning Small's first two serves into the bottom of the net, then rallied back to 3-3. Keeth and Orloff with 177 each.

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