Men's track hurdles over Bates; streak continues

By Robert Zak

The men's indoor track squad extended its winning streak against Division III opponents to seven games as the Engineers placed first and third, and Sean Schubert '88 placed second in the 4 x 800 races. Bates' challenge to Holterman swerving off the track was turned high jumper Brian Callaghan '87 scored third for the Engineers with a jump of 5'10".

Deering '89 threw the 30-lb. shot, and O'Leary placed first and third, respectively, in the shot put as well.

In the jumping events, Glen Holterman led a leap to second place in the high jump by clearing 6'7 1/2". Middle distance runner turned high jumper Brian Callaghan '87 scored third for the Engineers in 6.93 seconds.

Hilman and Callaghan found themselves in their second events of the meet, as they were paired against a frustrated Mark Hatch -- in the 1000-meter race. Although Hatch started slow, he finished strong to place second in 2:40.32 and Callaghan in 2:41.07.

In the last individual running event of the meet, Sean Schubert '88 ran to second place in the 55-meter dash in 6.38 seconds, and Mike Donohue '87 scored a third for the Engineers in 6.93 seconds.

The fish have been squished, and New England Patriots will advance to the Superbowl to wrestle the Chicago Bears. The Bears' offense has pounced humbly on this Cinderella team.

The Chicagoans displacement in this city is a special problem: the conflict of their army.

The Superbowl is like a symbol of a greater state-state conflict. The NFC and AFC pit brother against brother. The Bears are Lincoln, only the referees, and the fans are civilians in this great battle. Safe from personal danger, they flaunt their immunity by bragging about the superiority of their army.

The cold war has begun. All is left to the final, decisive battle by the opposing armies. The Superbowl is like a symbol of a greater state-state conflict.

By Allison C. Morgan

In a come-from-behind victory, the women's basketball team sunk visiting Coast Guard, 55-51, Monday night in Packard Cage. The Engineers' 14-point Coast Guard lead to win the game in the final minute. After scoring only six points in the first nine minutes of the game, the Engineers continued to sleepwalk through the rest of the half, going 32-10 at halftime.

An MIT steal coming off the opening lap of the second half was a prelude of things to come. In the following three minutes, MIT pulled to within nine at 32- 34. Coast Guard then scored and converted a foul shot to open their lead to 14. Unbeknownst to the scoreboard, Martha Beverage '87 swished a jumper. A Darlene Dewilde '88 steal, followed by consecutive rebounds by Brie Williamson '86 resulted in eight straight points for the Engineers. Williamson led MIT in rebounds with 12 on the night.

After four minutes of silence, the Coast Guard offense spoke up and scored two points. Grace Saccaro '86 answered quickly with a three, but Coast Guard jumped from the side, followed by a three-point play by Beverage, slicing Coast Guard's lead to two points, 40-38.

Coast Guard's scoring threat, Phyllis Blantney, momentarily broke free of suffocating defense by Irene Gregory '88 with two points, but turned the ball over on the next play. MIT converted the turnover and the score was 42-40. Coast Guard. Stacey Thompson '86 then scored two for Tech, tying the game at 42- 42. Beverage gave the Engineers the lead for the first time in the game when she scored and drew a foul for a three-point play.

With 1:02 left in the game, MIT led 51-44. Coast Guard made a last-minute run, narrowing MIT's lead to just two with less than a minute left in the game. At the 29-second mark, Coast Guard's Chris McGill drove the length of the court for a layup, cutting MIT's lead to two. With 10 seconds remaining, Saccaro made the final points of the game on the foul line, and MIT won 55-51.

Beverage finished with a game-high seventeen points; she and Dewilde had seven rebounds apiece. MIT's bright advantage wasn't evident until 5'11". Dewilde came off the bench to tower over Coast Guard for the inside "points in the paint."

An elated Coach Jean Heiney said afterwards that she was proud of the team for coming back after such a "demoralizing" start and that game was "a good team win."