Women's Fencing Undefeated

By Mark Hurst

The varsity fencing teams captured six wins in eight NCAA meets at Vassar College Saturday. The women's team, led by captains Kathryn Fricks '93 and Sara Ontiveros '93, went undefeated for the day, while the men won 2-2.

The women defeated Hunter, Brand, and Vassar colleges with decisive scores of 15-1, 16-0, and 13-3 respectively. In the final and toughest meet of the day, the women fencers destroyed NYU with a score of 12-3.

Fricks ended the day with a perfect 16-0 record, while Ontiveros and Heather Klapper '94 went home with records of 13-1 and 14-2 respectively. Ronke Olubisi '93, Yi Chen '95, and Kristine McCarthy '96 also achieved winning records for the day.

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Muelhoefer and Walpole Ranked First in U.S.

By Roger Crosley

Men's Tennis

The Intercollegiate Tennis Coaches Association (ITCA) ranked the MIT doubles team of Jay Muelhoefer '94 and Alan Walpole '95 first in the nation in men's Division III. The two athletes earned this ranking based on their performances in last year's NCAA Division III National Championships and by winning the national Division III Rolex Championship this fall. Muelhoefer and Walpole are the only players from MIT to ever be ranked first nationally. As a team, the Engineers are ranked 15th in the country.

Walpole is also ranked 13th nationally in singles play, while teammate Manish Bhatia '93 is ranked 25th in singles play.

Women's Volleyball

Kamilah Alexander '96, a middle hitter for the women's volleyball team, has been distinguished as the New England Women's & Women's Conference Rookie of the Year and named to the NEW 8 All-Conference Team. These honors come only a week after she was named to the New England Women's Volleyball Association (NEWVA) All-New England first team for Division III and also named NEWVA Rookie of the Year.