AU women s lacrosse team drops 18-1 decision at Fisher 3/29/08

PITTSFORD, NY - The Alfred University women's lacrosse team lost 18-1 at St. John Fisher Saturday afternoon in the Lady Saxons' 2008 Empire 8 Conference opener. Fisher (4-2, 1-0 Empire 8) led 8-1 after one half before outscoring Alfred 10-0 after intermission. The host Cardinals outshot AU 38-12 and held a 30-16 advantage in groundballs. Saturday's game had been scheduled to be played at AU, but heavy snow Thursday night made Merrill Field unplayable and forced officials to move the contest to Fisher. Laurie Quackenbush led Fisher with four goals and an assist, while Jill Lockwood had three groundballs and was among five Fisher players who scored two goals. Freshman attack Michelle Adams (Horseheads, NY/Horseheads) scored Alfred's lone goal. Freshman Kate Baughman (Rush, NY/Rush-Henrietta) made six saves in goal and added three groundballs for Alfred. Fisher netminder Vicki Sahm stopped six shots. Alfred (1-3, 0-1 Empire 8) is in action next on Sunday, March 30, at 1 p.m. at Nazareth. That game, too, had originally been scheduled to be played at Alfred.