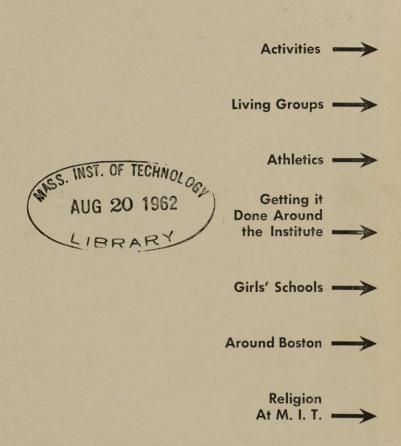


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#### Welcome from the President

To the Class of 1966

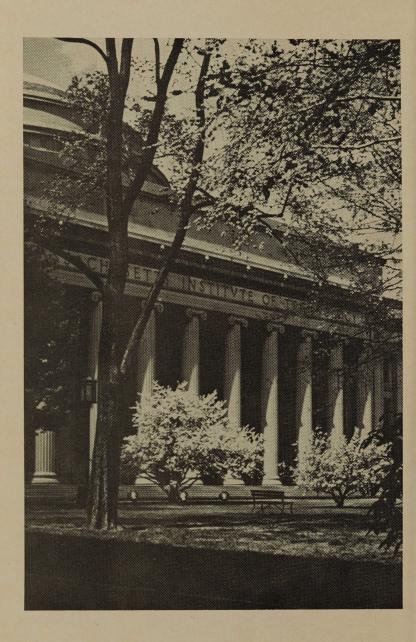
To you of the class of 1966 who are about to embark upon your college careers, and to all undergraduates who join us for the first time this year, I extend on behalf of the entire M. I. T. community our warmest welcome.

You have arrived here, perhaps, with some misgivings about the rigors of academic life at the Institute. Indeed, for some of you the going may be a little hard for a while. Yet difficulties have a way of dissolving as you meet them. There lies before you the challenge of a priceless opportunity. Whatever your course in later life, the knowledge and power to use it that you may acquire here in your undergraduate years will serve you well. It is your task to draw upon the wonderful resources of M. I. T. to your advantage. It is our aim and desire to help you as best we can along the way.

But there is a great deal more to a good education — and to M. I. T. — than hard work in classroom and laboratory. From life on the campus, from association with other students and the whole range of extracurricular activities, will come some of the richest and most rewarding experiences of your college years. We hope that you will make the most of them and that you will take advantage, too, of the countless cultural opportunities afforded by this great metropolitan city of Boston.

The "Social Beaver" has been prepared through student initiative and with the student point of view. I know that you will find it an invaluable guide to the wealth of new opportunities that await you at M. I. T. I commend it to you most heartily.

J. A. STRATTON President



#### **Preface**

To many of you M. I. T. will propose a different situation than that to which you were previously accustomed. M. I. T. is not an easy school to get used to. It is hard, but you can survive. You will have to work, and that is one thing that certainly most of you have not really done before. However, don't let us scare you. Sure you'll have to work, but you'll make it, just as all the rest of us have. Don't fall behind; it's disastrous.

The freshman subjects may seem unimportant at the time you take them, because you get the feeling that you are working at elementary problems far from your goal and relegated to the bottom of the heap. However, this much is certain: to contribute creatively in engineering and science, you have to have a good background in fundamentals, and this only comes through solid work which might not be entirely engrossing or stimulating. Keep this point in mind.

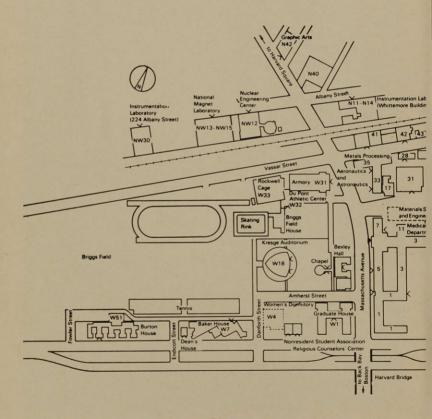
M. I. T. is the type of school where you get out of it as much as you put in—both academically and otherwise. There is a lot to be gained here at Tech, and all too few take advantage of its offer. It does one good to get away from the books, to get together with people and do something enjoyable in one field or another. Whether your tastes run from those of Klaus Liepmann's Choral Society to the M. I. T. crew under Coach Frailey, or even to the publishing of the *Social Beaver*, M. I. T. has a spot for you. At Freshman Weekend be sure to go to the Activities Midway; get a start in an activity — you owe it to yourself.

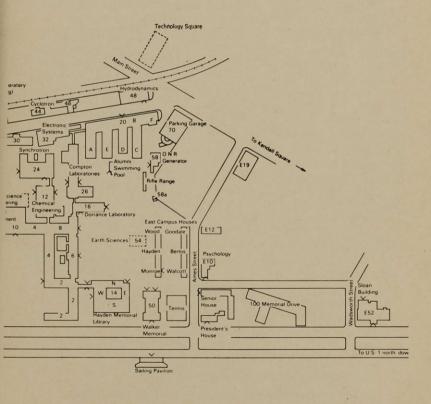
Socially M. I. T. is in a unique situation. It is a well-known fact that the female of the Boston area is much more preponderant than the male. This is not confined to the little old ladies of Back Bay. There are a myriad of girls' schools here, and if you have the wanderlust you can even venture afield.

One last thought. When you arrive you will be introduced to the concept of "the whole man." He is the lucky soul who is wellrounded and successful in every endeavor; his antithesis is the "tool." The "tool" lives in his own world, and his range of amusement ranges from functions of a complex variable to the stress analysis of reinforced concrete, or quantum mechanics. Happiness in life is not found in an integral sign alone—life at Tech has many opportunities and advantages to offer its students. These too are part of your education — use them.

The map on these two pages will help you find your way around the Institute. Remember that buildings and rooms are all identified by number — the building numbers being shown on the map. A single number identifies both building and room; Room 7-111 is in Building 7, on the first floor; Room 7-311 is on the third floor, directly above.

Good luck in September!







#### TECHNOLOGY STORE

THE OBJECT OF the Technology Store is to reduce the cost of living at Technology. No stockholder receives a dividend; the only distribution of profits is made to the members by a patronage refund in this true consumers' cooperative.

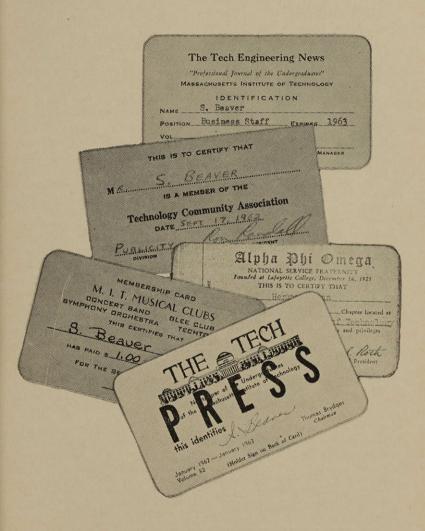
The membership costs \$1.00 and after joining you will be given a card, the number of which should be given to the clerk every time your cash purchases amount to twenty-five cents or more. This card also is your charge card. You should consult your parents as to its use and limits. Patronage refunds cannot be made on purchases made before joining, so one of the first things you should do is sign for your membership. The Tech Store is directly across from the Building of Naval Architecture.

Each year as the Freshman Class enters Tech, the men require instruments and supplies, textbooks, notebooks and other items. Money may be easily wasted by obtaining unnecessary materials which will not exactly fit your needs. It is advisable that you obtain none of these items until you have had the advice of your instructors. The Tech Co-op has served Technology for many years. It is in close touch with the faculty and will supply the items required and recommended by them.

Besides text books and other technical materials which are needed in many courses, the Tech Store provides a modern general book department featuring science fiction, biography, history, fiction and recommended reading. Also included are haberdashery, tobaccos, stationery, records and many other items. The Harvard Square store, where your membership card is also honored, carries a large assortment of all men's ready to wear clothing and furniture.

40 Massachusetts Avenue—Opposite M. I. T. 1400 Massachusetts Avenue—in Harvard Square

## JOINS ACTIVITIES



#### The Social Beaver Joins Activities

The activities at M. I. T. are generally divided into two classes: student government and "regular activities." Generally speaking, there isn't too much opportunity for freshmen to participate in student government. But you will be affected by it and should know about it. The principal officers are members of Institute Committee.

#### FRESHMAN COUNCIL

The Freshman Council is the student governing body for the freshman class and is made up of men elected from each one of the freshmen sections. This body plans class activities—in particular, participation in "hazing" competition with the sophomore class through Field Day. Elections of members of this body take place in the fall and are usually held in the humanities classes. Anyone may run for a position.

#### INSTITUTE COMMITTEE

The Institute Committee, commonly called InsComm, is the legislative body of M. I. T. student government.

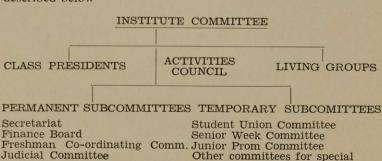
As a small group of twenty-one members, its main function is the debate and endorsement of various projects. The actual work

of the Committee is carried out by the subcommittees.

The subcommittees are either standing, special, or temporary. The chairmen of the standing subcommittees are non-voting members of the Institute Committee elected by the Committee and have such responsibilities as finance, student-faculty relations, freshman coordination, judiciary, etc.

The special and temporary subcommittees are created for a specific project or projects and differ only in the method of selection of members. The most important of the subcommittees are

described below



investigations and projects

Educational Policy Public Relations Committee International Program Comm.

Student Committee on

#### Principal Institute Committee Officers, 1962-63

Undergraduate Association President
I. F. C. Chairman
I. F. C. Representative
I. F. C. Representative
East Campus Representative
Baker House Representative
Burton House Representative
Senior House Representative
Association of Women Students Representative
Non-Resident Students' Association President
Athletic Association President
Activities Council Chairman
Junior Class President

Henry W. Bowman
James Champy
James Holcroft
Steve Colburn
James Dailey
Ira Blumenthal
Mike Morrisey
Larry Erdmann
Juanita Tonso
Allen Clark
James Evans
Steve Wanner
Ronald Gilman
Marshall Fisher

## Sophomore Class President Subcommittee Chairmen:

Secretariat
Finance Board
Judicial Committee
Student Committee on Educational Policy
Freshman Coordinating Committee
Public Relations Committee
International Program Committee

Paul Shapiro Peter Van Aken Robert Morse Allan Kessler William Pinkerson Robert Johnson Juan Calvo

#### **SUBCOMMITTEES**

Secretariat—The specific duties of the Secretariat—a standing secretariat subcommittee of the Institute Committee—are: 1) to act as the secretarial arm of the Institute Committee, 2) to supervise the use of the undergraduate bulletin boards and the booths in the lobby of Building 10, 3) to check and ratify the constitutions of the different activities. and 4) to run the undergraduate elections. In addition, the Secretariat carries on projects of an information-gathering nature to determine the facts on problems of concern to the student body.

At the end of each year the Secretariat chooses fifteen to twenty freshmen as members for the following year. The Secretariat provides the opportunity for its members to work in close contact with the people directly responsible for many of the undergraduate activities.

Finance Board—Each year roughly \$13 is taken out of each student's tuition and given to Finance Board for support of undergraduate activities. The Finance Board decides how this money is to be apportioned among the activities, and supervises the financial affairs of all undergraduate activities.

Judicial Committee—The Judicial Committee is a subcommittee of the Institute Committee organized to give student government a means of handling the legal and disciplinary problems of stu-

dents and activities whenever they conflict with the best interests of the Institute community. Action may be initiated by the Committee on request of the Dean's Office, the Faculty Committee on Discipline, a student activity, or any other interested group.

The Committee is composed of five members. The chairman and the secretary are both elected by the outgoing Institute Committee. The other three members of the Committee are representatives of the three living groups. Thy are elected by the Dormitory Committe, the Inter-fraternity Conference, and the Non-Resident Student Association.

International Program Committee (IPC)—The International Program Committee tries to promote cultural and social exchange between M. I. T.'s large foreign student group and the American students as well as helping foreign students adjust to M. I. T. life. It presents many programs, smokers, and seminars to further this cause.

Public Relations Committee (PRC)—The Public Relations Committee, a subcommittee of the Institute Committee, is responsible for communications between Inscomm, its other subcommittees, and the student body. It performs this function through a byweekly newsletter, a special interactivity bulletin, a question-answer radio program, and press releases. It publishes the Freshman Picture Book and handles, or directs, all publicity campaigns for events sponsored by Inscomm or one of its subcommittees. The P.R.C. also cooperates with the Institute Public Relations Office in its relations with the general public.

Freshman Coordinating Committee (FCC)—It is the job of the Freshman Coordinating Committee to plan and supervise freshman activities from the end of Rush Week until the time when the Freshman Council and freshman officers are selected. After this period, the Committee provides advice and assistance to the Freshman Council for the planning of Field Day, the Freshman Dance, and other activities, and it also represents the freshmen to Institute Committee.

The main function directly under the aegis of the Committee is Freshman Weekend. While many organizations contribute to the success of the Weekend — among them Q-Club, the Faculty Advisory Council, the living groups, and Alpha Phi Omega—the ultimate responsibility for planning and coordinating a successful Weekend rests with the Freshman Coordinating Committee.

**Student Committee on Educational Policy (SCEP)**—It is the job of the Student Committee on Educational Policy to study the policies of the school, not with the idea of finding something wrong, but looking for areas where some improvement might

be made or where a problem could be solved. Some of the topics that have been discussed in the past are: methods of improving the freshman advisory system, the planning of social events among the freshman sections to make the incoming students feel more at home, and bringing to the student's mind his responsibility to the school and society. Under consideration now is a study of ways in which the school might help students scholastically.

The committee meets regularly, discussing the current topic and bringing in faculty members when additional help is needed. Working with the committee provides an excellent opportunity for learning about the operation of the school and possible methods

of improving the fine education M. I. T. offers.

#### **ACTIVITIES COUNCIL**

To the Activities Council falls the responsibility for the coordination of the multifarious student activities at M. I. T. The Council meets regularly throughout the year in business and discussion meetings aimed at developing the highest standards in the student activities.

Through its voting member on the Institute Committee, the Council represents the interests of the student activities at Tech. By mutual understanding and an effective exchange of ideas, the various activities are better able to function smoothly and efficiently.

A very important function of the Council is the recognition of new activities. Before any organization can use the name of M. I. T. or use any of the school facilities, the Activities Council must have approved its constitution and granted it recognition as a legitimate activity.

Officers and members of the Activities Council for 1962-63 are:
President Steve Wanner
Treasurer Lee Davis
Secretary Ray Leanza

#### Permanent Members

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Alpha Phi Omega Jack Solomon
Athletic Association Jim Evans
Debate Society John Castle
Lecture Series Committee Lee Davis
Musical Clubs Alan Rickets
Nautical Association Mike Lifschitz
Outing Club Theodore Zehnpfennig
Tech Engineering News Michael Chessman
Tech Show Michael Platt
Technique
Technology Community Association Ron Randall

The Tech	 Tom Brydges
Voo Doo	 Frank Ansuini
WTBS	 Bill Mohn

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Rocket Research Society Scabbard and Blade Science Fiction Society Sports Car Club Student Metallurgical Society of M.I.T. The Swim Club Table Tennis Club Tangent Tech Boat Club Tech Flying Club Tech Model Aircrafters Tech Model Railroad Club The Young Republicans W1MX Radio Society Zeamer Squadron

Alpha Phi Omega—Leadership, friendship and service: these are the by-words of Alpha Phi Omega, America's largest service fraternity, with 75,000 men in more than 350 chapters across the nation. About 50 of these men are members of the M. I. T. chapter, Alpha Chi.

Dedicated to service to school, community, and nation, Alpha Chi works closely with campus organizations and local scout groups. Each fall, Alpha Chi publishes the M. I. T. Student Telephone Directory, listing addresses and telephone numbers for all students at the Institute. Each spring, Alpha Chi sponsors the Spring Carnival, an event encompassing all of the activities and living groups at M. I. T. Throughout the year, Alpha Chi provides instruction in swimming for Cambridge Scouts in the Alumni Pool; holds a Christmas party, complete with Santa Claus, for underprivileged children; provides ushers for many campus functions, such as Tech Show; maintains the Institute ride service; distributes *Career* books; and undertakes several scouting projects.

Even before classes begin in the fall, A.P.O. men are on campus, assisting with freshman orientation and freshman registration. In recent years, Alpha Chi has also published a list of helpful hints for incoming freshmen. After finals it is not unusual for the entire chapter to spend a weekend of work and recreation at a local scout camp, performing some much-needed service (last year we built a dock).

Membership in Alpha Phi Omega is open to anyone who has been, or would like to be affiliated with scouting and who has a capacity for work, a sense of responsibility, and a desire for fellowship. Potential members must first serve a period of pledgeship, but there is no hazing in A.P.O. Prospective pledges should watch for notices of pledge smokers.

**Debate Society**—The M. I. T. Debate Society offers an excellent opportunity for those who are interested in participating in debate and public speaking. Very active and successful, the M. I. T. Debate Society participates in many tournaments each year, ranging in locale from the Midwest to New England and the Mid-Atlantic states. All travel and hotel expenses are paid by the Society. In the past years, M. I. T. teams have been among those

chosen to represent New England at the National Tournament at West

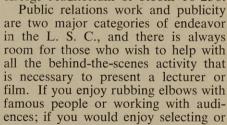
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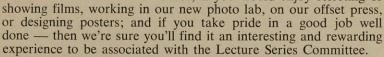
Each year the Samuel W. Stratton Prize is awarded to the outstanding freshman debator. Open to members of the Society is the M. I. T. chapter of Tau Kappa Alpha, a national forensic honor fraternity.

Lecture Series Committee—The real mainstay of L. S. C.'s work is its free lecture program which has brought to M. I. T. such notables as Senator Barry Goldwater, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, Pete Seeger, Bennett Cerf, T. S. Eliot, Dr. Wernher von Braun, Dr. Arnold Toynbee, Ayn Rand, and a host of others.

Also sponsored by the L. S. C. are two weekly film series. For a nominal fee, the Techman can avail himself of an entertainment film every Saturday night or a classic film every Friday night in

Kresge Auditorium or Room 10-250.





M. I. T. Outing Club—The M. I. T. Outing Club provides students, members of the staff, faculty, and their immediate families a chance to participate actively in such recreation as rock climbing, mountaineering, square dancing, hiking, biking, folk singing, skiing, canoeing, spelunking, etc. This participation is in the form of organized trips. Members with cars provide transportation for people at M. I. T., Wellesley, Simmons, etc., to go to such places as Quincy Quarry or the Shawnagunks in New York State



for rockclimbing, the Outing Club cabin in New Hampshire for skiing or winter mountaineering, or to one of the local schools for a square dance or songfest. In addition, there are regular trips each year with the Intercollegiate Outing Club Association. A few of these trips are College Week, spring and fall Lake George, and Mt. Katahdin Thanksgiving Day trip.

Founded in 1935, the Club is now an incorporated organization, maintaining an office in Room 306, Walker, open for several hours each weekday and every Monday from 5 to 6 p.m. for the weekly meeting. The many activities of this office include publishing the MITOC News, or "Gnarmpfsk," for all members and renting of such equipment as skis, packboards, snowshoes, tents, etc., to members and others in the Institute community. The MITOC cabin, open to all members of the M. I. T. community at very low rates, is located on a tract of wooded land in Intervale, New Hampshire, in the center of an extensive skiing and climbing region.

**Musical Clubs**—The Institute has an active and full musical program. The Musical Clubs, in which many students and staff members enthusiastically participate, provides entertainment not only for the M. I. T. community but also for citizens of greater Boston.

The Glee Club, of about 75 members, has a busy season of music-making, combining its talents with those of the glee clubs of many women's colleges and with other Musical Clubs groups. Topping off each season is an appearance at Symphony Hall dur-

ing "Tech Night at the Pops."

The Concert Band, having about 65 players, is in constant demand both at M. I. T. and other colleges and in recent years has played at such places as Smith, Wellesley, and Vassar. In addition, the group has combined with both the Tufts and Harvard Bands and appears regularly in the Hatch Shell on Boston's Esplanade. The Concert Band is unique in that it plays only music originally written for band, and is renowned for having one of the finest repetoires of contemporary band music in the country.

The Symphony Orchestra, consisting of some 80 players, gives frequent concerts throughout the year, both at M. I. T. and for other colleges and civic groups. A number of these concerts feature M. I. T. students as soloists. Also the M. I. T. Symphony Orchestra combines with those of various women's colleges, and often joins either the Glee Club or Choral Society to perform some major choral work.

The Techtonians, a concert jazz band, play at M. I. T. and for

other functions around Boston.

Aside from the Musical Clubs, and very worthy of note, is the Choral Society, a mixed group whose area of musical concentration is in cantatas, oratorios, and other large-scale choral pieces. This group has achieved a very high reputation for its performances of these works, and in the summer of 1962 completed its third European summer tour.

Nautical Association—Unique among colleges and universities and one of the chief sources of diversion for Tech students is sailing on the Charles River Basin directly opposite the school. At the disposal of the undergraduate body, as well as other Institute personnel, is a fleet of forty Fiberglas dinghies and four 110-



class sloops. The sailing season opens in March and runs well into November. Out of the yearly membership of about 1,000, a large number are learning to sail for the first time under the freshman athletic program and the shore school program for other students and personnel.

In addition, there is a sailing team which offers unparalleled opportunities for experienced sailors, for those who

wish to learn to race under the training system, and for those interested in managerial positions. For those who do not wish to sail on the varsity, an intramural racing program is maintained. This involves competition between living groups, as well as individual competition.

Membership in the Nautical Association is obtained by paying a small fee, which entitles members to free use of the boats.

**Tech Engineering News**—Among the undergraduate publications at M. I. T., the *Tech Engineering News* has the hard-earned reputation of being a serious magazine aimed at readers whose present profession is that of being students at Tech. It is the policy of TEN to print material representing a cross-section of thought at M. I. T., and the editorial staff of the magazine is organized with that consideration in mind.

M. I. T.'s students, from freshmen to seniors, are the authors of most of the articles, with occasional subjects turned in by professors or reprinted from other journals. Although most of the authors are members of the staff, articles written by non-staff members may be considered by the TEN editorial board and are frequently published.

Freshmen form an important part of the staff, and there are



many interesting positions open to them. From positions on the various staffs (make-up, silk screen poster making, advertising, sales, circulation, and business) the freshmen have many opportunities for advancement. The literary staff, naturally being some-

opportunity to learn technical writing and reporting, by taking an assignment and working on it until it is in a condition to be

printed.

On the social side, TEN holds monthly dinners for staff members and an occasional party or dance. New members are recruited in its office, Room 302, Walker Memorial. Interested freshmen are invited to stop by. Office hours are from 5 to 6 weekdays.

**Tech Show**—Tech Show was established in 1898, when a group of M. I. T. students created the first all-Tech musical. In its first year, the show grew from a scheduled three performances in old Rogers Hall to a week's stand in a Boston theater, and Tech Show has been growing ever since. At present it is one of the foremost college musicals in the country, involving more than 150 students.

Producing a show with the size and smoothness of a Tech Show requires the coordinated effort of many departments. Newcomers to the show work on one of the staffs and move up into the managerial positions as they gain experience. For those who want to get into the limelight, there are, of course, the cast and chorus, numbering about fifty people, gleaned from the Tech campus and the nearby girls' schools. A smoker and auditions will be held during the beginning of the fall term, and rehearsals begin within the month following. Many months of activity culminate in its presentation for two consecutive weekends in late February. Creative minds and hands find expression in scenery and costume design, lighting, composing, orchestration, writing, poster design, and program layout. The list of performers also includes the orchestra, whose work is concentrated more towards the end of the season. The business staff, publicity staff, sales staff, office staff, social staff, and program advertising staff round out the company of Tech Show.

**Technique**—Technique, the M. I. T. yearbook, is an activity almost as old as Tech. The book, which has been published every spring for the past 75 years, is more than just an annual history of M. I. T.'s academic and social activities. It conveys something of the life here. As such, *Technique* becomes a valuable keepsake on a graduate's as well as an undergraduate's bookshelf.

The production of the book is started far in advance of publication. Planning begins in the spring as soon as the newly elected boards take office. During the summer more ideas are hatched by the staffs, and by fall work starts in earnest. Literary, art, photography, and business staffs are seen in action, building up the yearbook. Comes spring, the volume is sent to press, and a new book is again created. Any student interested in joining in the work on this publication is welcomed to come to the fall smoker.

(The picture on the cover of this book is by a Technique staff

photographer.)

Technology Community Association—Perhaps the most diversified student activity on campus, the Technology Community Association is active in virtually all spheres of extra-curricular endeavor. Primarily a service organization, the T. C. A. administers a wide variety of programs designed for the students' benefit and conducts a number of community projects in which M. I. T. students participate in conjunction with students from other colleges in the Boston area. Through a network of T. C. A. Living Group Representatives, the student body is kept well-informed of goings-on around Boston and of T. C. A. activities of a general or special interest.

The office in Tyler Lounge on the first floor of Walker Memorial remains open all year round, as many of our services continue during the summer. Connie and Sheila, T. C. A.'s two paid secretaries, are known to just about everyone on campus and are always happy to lend a helping hand to anyone wishing to take advantage of the facilities in our office.

A brief description of some of the programs sponsored by the T. C. A. may serve to convey some appreciation of the scope of

our activity.

**Duplication Facilities:** The T. C. A. maintains in its office hectograph, mimeograph, and addressograph machines available for general use. The T. C. A. is ordinarily the only place that a mass duplication job may be performed by a student. Typewriters and an adding machine are also available. Sheila is the gal to speak to when interested in learning how to use this equipment.

**Book Exchange:** The T. C. A. Book Exchange is also housed in the office, where shelves of used books are constantly on display. A great deal of money may be diverted to more interesting uses

through buying and selling your textbooks here.

**Ticket Service:** Tickets for the wide variety of cultural events for which Boston is renowned may be obtained through this service. The T. C. A. can reserve tickets at Boston theatres (which cannot be done by private individuals), thereby saving the bother of a trip downtown to get seats in advance. Simply call the T. C. A. at extension 4886 and ask for Connie. Tickets for Harvard home football games may also be arranged by the T. C. A.

**Travel Service:** A travel folder rack replete with plane, train and bus schedules is maintained in the T. C. A. office. Students may arrange travel reservations through M. I. T.'s regular travel agents, the Raymond and Whitcomb Company, by calling extension 4438; tickets will be sent to the T. C. A. office where they may be picked up.

**Hotel Service:** Reservations for parents or other guests at Boston hotels may be obtained at reasonable rates through the T. C. A. Information about local hotels is posted in the office, and further queries should be directed to Connie. Reservations at hotels in the larger chains throughout the country may also be made at the office.

**Publications:** The M. I. T. Social Beaver, of which this is the sixty-sixth edition is annually revised and published by the T. C. A. and sent to all incoming freshmen. Intended as a guide to extra-curricular life both on and off campus, the *Beaver* is constantly referred to by every student during his full four-year stay at M. I. T.

The T. C. A. Blotter is a large desk blotter annually printed by the T. C. A. and distributed to all living groups at the beginning of each term. It is a favorite with many students, for it contains

in handy form much useful information.

The weekly newsletter distributed to the Living Group Representatives is the most frequent publication of the T. C. A. and the least formal. It provides a very important information link between the T. C. A. and the student body.

**Publicity Division:** The Institute is presently building new head-quarters for the T. C. A. Publicity Center in the basement of Walker Memorial. This facility long awaited by student activities and politicians, is expected to be ready for operation this fall. A complete silk-screen poster duplication system will be the main feature, while other facilities for producing advertising will be made available.

Of course no service organization such as the T. C. A. could operate efficiently without an active publicity campaign of its own. The T. C. A. publicity staff makes certain that our services are well-advertised on the Institute bulletin boards, while our public relations manager writes up T. C. A. activities for on-campus and Boston publications. A project to make our publicity more

effective on campus through motivational research is presently in the planning stage.

**Projector Service:** The T. C. A. owns and maintains two 16-mm. sound movie projectors, two 8-mm projectors, and two 35-mm slide projectors, which are loaned free of charge to student groups. This service has stimulated the use of educational films by student professional societies and broadened the range of possibilities for social functions at the living groups.

Typing Classes: The T. C. A. sponsors a semester-long typing course each term, which meets once or twice weekly during the evening. Available to all for a nominal charge which includes the text, the classes are taught by qualified Techretaries (M. I. T. secretaries) and provide a very useful complement to the academic education at M. I. T.

**Baker Memorial Prints:** The T. C. A. maintains a library of nearly two hundred framed reproductions of paintings which students may rent by the term to hang in their rooms. The collection includes both modern artists and old masters as well as original etchings and silk-screen prints. To obtain a print, come to the

T. C. A. at the beginning of the term.

**Blood Drive:** Each spring, the T. C. A., in conjunction with the Institute and the American Red Cross, sponsors an Institute-wide blood drive to replenish the M. I. T. account at the Red Cross blood bank. This account, by the way, may be drawn from free of charge by anyone affiliated with M. I. T. Last year the T. C. A. Blood Drive set an all-time record — over 1,150 pints were donated by the M. I. T. community.

Charities Drive: Each fall the T. C. A. sponsors the only recognized on-campus solicitation for charity. Charities of national or international scope are generally publicized, while contributions to

any recognized charity are accepted.

**Tech House:** For over twenty years the T. C. A. has maintained a house in the country to provide a place where student groups could go for a weekend of relaxation. The present building is located on M. I. T. property on the shore of Buzzards Bay near New Bedford.

This fourteen-room duplex house has been remodeled by the

T. C. A. and is ideally suited for coed groups.

**Board of T. C. A. Living Group Representatives:** The T. C. A. annually asks each living group on campus to select a member to informed of T. C. A. activities and, in turn, provide a source of ideas for improvement in, or additions to our program of services. ideas for improvement in, or additions to, our program of services. **Social Services Division:** The T. C. A.'s activities are by no means limited to on-campus projects. A large part of its work is devoted to fulfilling college students' responsibilities to the surrounding

community.

One program deserving of particular recognition is a summer school for high school students interested in M. I. T. freshman courses as taught by M. I. T. students. Response from the high schools has been overwhelming, while participation as an instruc-

tor provides excellent training for prospective teachers.

During the school year, teaching experience may be obtained by working on the T. C. A. tutoring program for high school students or by giving instruction in hobbies and arts and crafts to underprivileged children in the T. C. A. Settlement House Program. In our Mental Hospital Program, volunteers do muchneeded work to help rehabilitate mental patients, especially children in nearby hospitals. In fact, the T. C. A. maintains a list of openings for a large variety of volunteer work in many Boston hospitals and will be glad to assist anyone wishing to obtain some experience along these lines.

This year, the T. C. A. will sponsor a series of lectures to be delivered by prominent people in the Boston area concerning problems of local or national scope of special interest here.

While most of the work in the social services division is truly volunteer work and should not be attempted by those lacking a genuine interest in children, the work is made all the more popular through our program of intercollegiate coordination. Many of our projects are undertaken with assistance from students in other colleges, particularly girls having a special interest in such work.

As may be seen, the T. C. A. has an unusually broad basis of operation, so that many openings are available each year for students interested in doing serious, responsible work. Many of our general services operate in the fashion of small businesses, so that their administration provides very worthwhile experience in management, accounting, and publicity. Since many T. C. A. projects are undertaken with the close cooperation of the Institute, many T. C. A. members find themselves in close contact with prominent individuals on campus, while other important people are often met in the course of work on public relations or the speakers program. The Social Beaver requires the talents of skilled writers and artists, while the latter are also much needed for work on our publicity staff. Devising effective advertising techniques on this campus remains a challenge. And for work in our social services division, a genuine interest and some social skill should enable students to derive a great deal of personal benefit.

But while the work of the T. C. A. is very serious and responsible work, the organization has an alter ego which appears in the pleasure members take in working together on important projects and the friendships that naturally arise. Social events and other functions planned for the membership provide a pleasant contrast to the responsibility shouldered by the Association.



#### NEWSPAPER OF THE UNDERGRADUATES OF M. I. T.

If it happens at M. I. T., *The Tech* is there. *The Tech* reporters were the first students to hear of the 1962 tuition rise and were among the first to see the plans for the proposed student union. *The Tech* reporters had free front row seats to lectures by such well-known people as T. S. Eliot, Prime Minister Harold Macmillan, Dr. Werner Von Braun, and many others. *The Tech* reviewers receive free tickets to all important plays and movies in Boston. *The Tech's* dynamic editorials mold student opinion.

Writers are only a part of the diverse organization needed to publish a weekly newspaper, however. The

THE TECH

publish a weekly newspaper, however. The Tech's business board is completely responsible for running this \$35,000 a year business, the largest at M. I. T. It offers practical experience in administration, business, and finance.

The Tech's photographers are on the scene for all important events, and have traveled to such places at Washington, D. C., (to cover a peace march) and New Hamp-

shire (with the ski team). Furthermore, staff photographers may use the new, completely modern darkroom for personal work. The final appearance of the newspaper is the responsibility of the managing board, whose members follow the paper from its initial stages to the finished product.

This fall, The Tech is expanding to publish the largest issues in its history. Many more people will be needed, and new staff

members will be given most challenging assignments.

**Voo Doo**—*Voo Doo* is an incredibly funny magazine that is published once a month during the school year by an enthusiastic following of devotees. It brings, we modestly hope, a bubbling measure of cheer and joy into the life of the mentally cowed and undermined engineer. It has been known to evoke responses slightly less enthusiastic from some quarters, but it remains the only organization on campus dedicated exclusively to that rare and elusive element, laughter.

The Voo Doo staff offers opportunities for all manner of talent, and we use the word loosely. If you have aspirations to write



sentences as polished and urbane as these that we are here tossing off effortlessly (and, with application, who knows that some day you may not!); if you have artistic pretensions; if you have a large collection of jokes or own a razor

biade keen enough to slice them from other sources; if you fancy yourself a publicity agent or an advertising man; if you are of such sterling character as to be entrusted the safe keeping of our soaring bank account; if, on sales day, you can shout convincingly in a great stentorian basso, "Get your Voo Doo before they're all gone," while four thousand unsold copies moulder at your feet; if you can wield a broom with sufficient vigor to keep the rats out of the beer closet; if you enjoy wild, wild parties, several of which Voo Doo sponsors each year for its staff and their dates; if you can, or would like to do any of these things, then there is room for you on the Voo Doo staff.

But hark; Voo Doo is more than just another extra-curricular activity whose roles are filled with disinterested "joiners." Rather, it is a satisfying way of life, suitable to all those of stout heart and good cheer who enjoy nothing better than a good laugh and who desire to make the whole world (or at least the considerable

portion that reads Voo Doo) laugh with them.

WTBS—WTBS is the campus radio station, constructed, programmed, and maintained by students. It broadcasts 69 hours each week over its FM facilities at 88.1 Mc and within the dormitories over its carrier-current AM equipment operating at 640 Kc.

and over high-fidelity audio lines.

Broadcasting from facilities comparable to most commercial stations, WTBS presents a more varied schedule of programs than any of its fifteen FM competitors in Boston. Within the general framework of popular music, jazz, folk music, classical music, news, and special features, we present not only commercial recordings drawn from both our extensive library and local record stores but also live performances by artists of interest to the M. I. T. community. These programs originate both on campus and at various entertainment centers in Greater Boston. Home basketball and hockey games are broadcast during their respective seasons as well.

WTBS is completely student-run, requiring a large and varied staff. All areas of activity within the station are open to prospective members. In addition to those normally associated with being "on the air," large maintenance, business, advertising, and publicity departments must be maintained. While persons al-

ready familiar with commercial radio will find many points of similarity in WTBS, no previous experience is expected on the part of new members. Most staff training is begun immediately following Activities Midway in preparation for a full schedule of broadcasts shortly thereafter, but prospective members as well as visitors are welcome at our Walker Memorial studios any time.

We believe WTBS offers its members a truly absorbing activity. This applies to those able to devote only one or two hours a week as well as to those who find more time available. The enthusiasm of its members comes from their participation in a group activity not only entertaining to its members but appreciated by the com-

munity it serves.

#### **ROTATING MEMBERS**

L'Amitié—L'Amitié is the French society of M. I. T. Open to all interested persons, the group's main activity is the showing each year of several well-known French films (usually centering around one theme) in connection with the Colonie Française of Boston. Discussions with noted Frenchmen often follow the films. Bi-weekly business meetings are held, and parties with the French Club of Simmons College are arranged twice a year.

Arab Club—The aim of the Arab Club is two-fold. Primarily, it is designed to bring the Arab members of the M. I. T. community into close association with one another and thus render a strange and perhaps lonely environment somewhat less foreboding. Secondly, the organization attempts to create a better understanding of Arab peoples by sponsoring lecturers who present the Arab viewpoint of various world problems. The club, formed quite recently, welcomes all interested persons to join. Occasional dinners for members are held.

**Baton Society**—Baton Society is the honorary musical organization at Tech, its members being selected from those undergraduates who have shown unusual initiative and ability in their participation in the musical activities of the Institute. Honorary members are chosen from the alumni, faculty, and others who are interested

in the musical activities of the M. I. T. student body.

The Society's purpose is to further musical activities of all kinds at the Institute, and in the past few years performances by Ella Fitzgerald, the Boston Woodwind Quintet, the New England Intercollegiate Band, and the New England Opera Theater, as well as two annual events — the All-Tech Sing and the Tech Night at the Pops — have been sponsored by the Society. The All-Tech Sing, which features performances by M. I. T. living groups, is highlighted by the presentation of "Egbert."

In addition to these activities, the Baton Society has a weekly radio program — "Baton Society Presents" — and its members write a weekly music column — "Half Notes" — in *The Tech*.

Beaver Key—Beaver Key is the junior class honorary society which selects as members men who have been outstanding in campus activities by the end of their sophomore year.

The "Key" functions both as an honorary society and as a service organization with its primary purpose being to act as host to visiting athletic teams. It also sponsors Field Day, the culmination of the rivalry between the freshman and sophomore classes, and contributes to other Institute activities by doing such things as publishing an information pamphlet which is distributed to visitors to M. I. T. Probably its most pleasant task is to present the Beaver Key Trophy to that living group which has the largest percentage participation in intercollegiate sports.

Bridge Club—The M. I. T. Bridge Club is affiliated with the American Contract Bridge League. Duplicate tournaments are held every Saturday afternoon in the Walker Memorial Blue Room. A.C.B.L. masterpoints are awarded at all events; in addition, the club holds four sanctioned championship events and two special games annually. Trophies and prizes are awarded for championship events. The Bridge Club is also active in competition with other schools. The National Intercollegiate Contest provides an opportunity to compete with players across the country. In the immediate future the Club plans to schedule individual matches with nearby colleges. Whenever there is enough response an intramural bridge tournament is held.

The Club's pleasant, social atmosphere plus a chance for national recognition combine to make the M. I. T. Bridge Club a nice place to enjoy Saturday afternoon. The Club is open to all members and friends of the M. I. T. community.

Chinese Students' Club—Founded in 1916, the Chinese Students' Club strives to promote fellowship among Chinese students at M. I. T. and other colleges. Every Chinese at M. I. T. is cordially invited to join the Club.

Cultural activities, such as lectures and seminars, are sponsored by the Club whenever possible. The Club also sponsors social functions, such as parties and dances, and participates in intramural sports events as well as in athletic meets with similar organizations in other colleges. Club publications include an annual directory of Chinese students at M. I. T. and notices and progress reports to keep members informed of current activities of the Club. These are mailed to every Chinese student at M. I. T. during the term.

Club Latino—The Club Latino is an organization of Spanishspeaking students. Its purpose is not only to draw its members into closer contact with one another but to generate a better understanding between Spanish-speaking students and their North American fellows. It accomplishes this dual purpose by sponsoring occasional conferences, exhibitions, Spanish language movies, and a monthly fiesta dance party, complete with Latin American music and atmosphere, which is open to everyone at a modest price.

Club Latino holds a business meeting once a month and publishes a newspaper, El Mensajero Latino, several times a year.

DeMolay—DeMolay is a national service fraternity sponsored in an advisory manner by the Masonic Lodges. Open to all interested male students, its members perform such services as selling tickets, ushering at campus events, soliciting blood for the Red Cross, and raising funds for various charities.

DeMolay is not all work, however. Social functions such as the Christmas and Halloween parties, the Sweetheart Ball, and occasional picnics brighten considerably the DeMolay member's life at Tech. Bowling and table tennis teams under the DeMolay banner regularly participate in the intramural sports program.

Anyone presently affiliated with another chapter of DeMolay may join the M. I. T. chapter and still hold membership in the

former.

The Dramashop—Since its reorganization when Professor Joseph D. Everingham became M. I. T. Director of Drama, Dramashop has become one of the most active and popular of all undergraduate activities. The group presents one major production and two evenings of one-act plays each term. The major productions have included such plays as "Six Characters in Search of an Author" by Luigi Pirandello, "The Country Wife" by William Wycherley, and "Richard II" by William Shakespeare. The evenings of oneact plays are entirely directed and produced by students, and one evening a year is devoted to original plays written by M. I. T. students. In addition to these activities, Dramashop sponsors a Celebrities Series which presents events of major dramatic in-Such speakers as Robert Graves, Robert Anderson (author of "Tea and Sympathy"), and Richard Wilbur, winner of the 1957 National Book Award and Pulitzer Prize for Poetry, have appeared under its banner.

Casts are chosen at open try-outs for M. I. T. students and co-eds from surrounding girls' schools, such as Simmons, Boston University, Emerson and Wellesley. A booth at the Activities Midway proclaims the opening of each new season. The gathering place of the group is the Little Theatre of Kresge Auditorium. Posters announce casting and other activities, but the door is always open to anyone who has become fascinated by the idea of the theatre. Meetings are held regularly and anyone, no matter

what his degree of experience, is invited.

Eulenspiegel Verein—The German language club of M. I. T., Eulenspiegel Verein, is a youngster as far as Class B activities go, being only two years old. It is a full-fledged and active organization, however, intent on bringing interested students into contact with many facets of German culture. The Club presents German language films and lectures and developes close ties with M. I. T. personnel who hail from Germanic lands. On the social side, several parties are given, highlighted by the Masquerade Carnival Ball.

Eulenspiegel Verein is a member of the International Program Committee and actively participates in International Week.

**Glider Club**—The M. I. T. Glider Club, more formally known as the Aeronautical Engineering Society, is a non-profit club dedicated to the promotion and practice of the art of motorless flight (gliding and soaring).

The A. E. S., the oldest club of its type in the western hemisphere, owns a Schweizer 2-22 two-place training glider which it flies on spring, summer and fall weekends at a privately owned airport about 40 minutes from Tech. Flight instruction is pro-

vided free of charge by certified club instructors.

In addition to regular club business, ground school training is given and interesting films or speakers are presented. The club is happy to offer demonstration flights to all interested persons; soaring is a sport you have to experience to appreciate, and the Society can guarantee you won't be disappointed; come give it a try!

The Hobby Shop—The Hobby Shop, now located in the basement of Building 2, is for the do-it-yourself crowd, ranging from freshmen to Institute professors. It has complete facilities, including heavy equipment, for working in wood and metal, for photography, for radio and electrical projects, and for printing.

Long Island Students Association (MITLISA)—The first activity of its kind, the Long Island Students' Association tries to bring the students from the Long Island area together socially, here and at home. Last year, MITLISA initiated chartered bus rides to provide inexpensive travel between Boston and Long Island during major holidays.

MITLISA's summer plans include expansion of its "pre-freshmen orientation program" and a full social schedule ranging from

dances to beach parties.

Math Club—The Math Club welcomes all undergraduates interested in mathematics. Students and faculty give lectures on subjects which, although understandable to freshmen, are not found in the average undergraduate program. A member of the M. I. T. faculty is associated with the club.

M. I. T. Railroaders Association—The M. I. T. Railroaders Association activities are designed for anyone interested in railroads— steam, diesel and electric. Regular meetings feature speakers or films of various railroading subjects. Trips are made to visit railroad and transit shops, lines, and other facilities of interest. Plans for next year include a steam excursion out of Boston.

**Pershing Rifles**—The National Society of Pershing Rifles was established in 1894 "in order to encourage, preserve, and develop the highest ideals of the military profession." Regularly enrolled students in the first and second-year basic course of Air Force, Army, and Navy R. O. T. C., are eligible for membership in the Society. Active membership is designated by the blue and white

fourragere worn on the left shoulder of the uniform.

The unit strives to increase the military proficiency of its members through the media of intensified drill instruction by the company's officers, field maneuvers and compass problems, motion pictures and talks by members of the R. O. T. C. departments. Participation in the Regional Assemblies, the Annual Regimental Drill Meet, Company business meetings, Trick Drill Team, Rifle Team, and a wide range of social activities combine to present a broad, well-balanced program to all members of the unit.

**Quadrangle Club**—The Quadrangle Club is an honorary sophomore organization composed of 25 students who during their freshman year were outstanding either in the field of athletics or in student government. The purpose of the Club is to support sophomore class activities and stimulate a class spirit among the incoming freshmen.

Rocket Research Society—The M. I. T. Rocket Research Society is an organization of people interested in any aspect of rocket propulsion. Considerable research work with both solid and liquid propellants is done by members, and the experimental work for several theses has been carried out with Society facilities. Members have twice won a nation wide undergraduate competition sponsored by the American Rocket Society. Static test equipment ranks with the best available to amateurs anywhere, and a flight test range is at our disposal.

Members come from the M. I. T. community and other colleges in the area to attend business meetings every two weeks and to do

experimental work evenings and weekends.

**Scabbard and Blade**—The National Society of Scabbard and Blade is represented at the Institute by G Company, 5th Regiment. Students holding cadet commissions in the advanced Reserve Officer Training Corps and demonstrating outstanding character and proficiency in military science are eligible for election to the Society.

Science Fiction Society—The M. I. T. Science Fiction Society is a growing organization which reflects the widespread interest in science fiction among many Techmen (and coeds). Combined business and discussion meetings are scheduled weekly throughout the academic year.

In the past the Society has arranged lectures and/or informal talks by such noted men in the field as Asimov, Clement, Campbell, Gernsback, and Abernathy. The Society usually presents one or two outstanding science fiction movies during the year

which are open to the public.

The library of the Science Fiction Society, located in the basement of Walker Memorial, is expanding at a rapid rate. It contains over 3,000 handbacks, paperbacks, and magazine volumes and includes microfilms of early issues and a complete set of bound Astounding Science Fiction magazine.

**Sports Car Club**—The M. I. T. Sports Car Club is the oldest and one of the most active collegiate sports car clubs. Its leadership in the sports car community is evidenced by its being on the boards of directors of the Conference of Sports Cars of Eastern New England and of the Intercollegiate Sports Car Authority.

The club frequently holds and enters events such as gymkhanas, rallies, autocrosses, and ice trials (often winning annual team championships). The meetings have movies, speakers, and discussions relevant to both the owner-driver and the less mobile

enthusiast.

Benefits accrued are an increase of driving and navigational skill and safety, assistance in owner maintenance, and substantial discounts on automotive parts. Membership is open to all enthusiasts—whether or not they drive sports cars.

Student Metallurgical Society of M. I. T .- In the field of metallurgy there are three prominent professional societies: the American Society for Metals, the American Foundryman's Society, and the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers. In order to include all three at M. I. T. a composite organization, the Student Metallurgical Society, was formed. It has a threefold duty to perform, providing membership in the professional societies, administering metallurgy students' activities, and sponsoring special lectures and gatherings throughout the year. As the originator of the steak and beer parties held in the Foundry, the Society annually holds one of the best. Other activities include joint dinner meetings with the local chapters of the affiliated professional societies and the casting of aluminum beer mugs for S.M.S. members. Membership is open to any member of the M. I. T. community with an interest in the field of metallurgy or materials science.

The Swim Club—The M. I. T. Swim Club, an honorary society open only to men who have won a varsity letter in swimming, has as its purpose the promotion of swimming as a sport at M. I. T. Each November it sponsors the All-Institute Swimming Championships, which feature exciting competition among undergraduates, graduates, and faculty; and outstanding exhibitions by champion divers and water ballet groups.

**Table Tennis Club**—The Table Tennis Club is another in the expanding list of recently formed groups in which the Tech man can participate. Its purpose is simply getting people together who enjoy playing. The Club possesses a game room in the Armory basement and will soon have five tables available. The sponsor of frequent tournaments, the Table Tennis Club also organizes the M. I. T. intercollegiate team.

Tangent—In addition to soliciting poems, short stories, and sketches from one and all, Tangent, the literary magazine of M. I. T., has a considerable need for permanent staff members. This growing publication now has an office of its own and may well be on the way to becoming a Class A activity. "Coffee and criticism" sessions open to all interested persons are regularly held, and staff clinics designed to select worthwhile publication material are becoming increasingly necessary as student contribution and interest grows.

**Tech Boat Club**—The Tech Boat Club is an organization of oarsmen which is dedicated to the advancement of rowing at M. I. T. Each year it honors those oarsmen who have shown outstanding desire for improving the quality of our racing crews by electing them to membership in the Club.

Throughout the year, the Boat Club sponsors many activities for the benefit and enjoyment of all past, present, and future M. I. T. oarsmen. Among those activities are the Richard's Cup Class Day Races and Steak Fry (attended by over 200 oarsmen and their dates last year), the Pre-Season Rowing Banquet, Regatta Day advertising campaigns, the *Tech Crew Newsletter*, the Post-Season Rowing Banquet, and the Freshman Crew Newsletter.

**Tech Flying Club**—The Tech Flying Club was founded to provide for its members the best aircraft available, at very modest costs, and to aid in the aeronautical education of its members. The Club presently operates three aircraft: Cessna 150, Cessna 172 and Cessna Skylane. All the aircraft are of metal construction, have easy-to-fly tricycle landing gears, and are fun to fly. The two-place 150 has a primary panel, VHF and omni; the four-place, 160 m.p.h. Skylane is the perfect cross-country instrument plane

with dual VHF, dual omni, localizer, marked beacon, ADF, and

gyros.

The planes are popular for local hops and cross-country trips (Smith, Vassar, etc); T. F. C.'s active membership flies 200,000 miles a year in its modern equipment. The Club operates out of Hanscom Field (accessible by public transportation), where flight instruction is available for new pilots. No flying experience is required for membership — just a love of flying.

Meetings feature interesting films and talks on flying as well as a social get-together to exchange flying experiences. Additional expansion is planned in the near future for this fast growing organization because of the interest shown in flying.

**Tech Model Aircrafters**—To those who have an interest in building and flying model aircraft, the Tech Model Aircrafters can provide the facilities, to pursue this hobby. It sponsors contests and engages in scientific study of model aircraft and model aerodynamics.

Tech Model Railroad Club—Located in Room 20E-216, the Tech Model Railroad Club operates the Tech Nickle Plate Railroad (HO-NMRA standard) and its trolley and narrow gauge subsidiaries. The Club's layout is extensive and anyone who has an interest in model railroading will find this a great opportunity. Five trains may be run independently, either semi-automatically—using the 900 relay auto-advance system—or manually. Train positions are shown on a large schematic diagram of the layout. Anyone interested is invited to drop by any Saturday afternoon or evening during an operating-work session. The Club, which is a member of the N. M. R. A., holds its business meetings on Tuesdays at 5:15 p.m.

The Young Republican Club-If your political tastes run from those of Rockefeller to a few degrees to the right of Goldwater and you would like an opportunity to expound them, the Young Republican Club has a place for you. The New Frontier hasn't emptied all of Cambridge, and there is still plenty of political discussion and debate. Last year we had a debate (over WTBS, M. I. T.'s radio station) with M. I. T.'s R.A.D.P., a disarmament group, over disengagement in Europe. An article was submitted to a publication by the past president of our club against the admission of Red China to the U. N. A noteworthy opponent from the R.A.D.P. group wrote one in favor of Red China's admission. We had a fairly full program last term; we were lucky to hear Representative Walter Judd from Minnesota and other speakers. A movie, "Red China—Outlaw" was shown to the M. I. T. community. Through our affiliation with the Massachusetts Council of Y.R.C.'s, we come into contact with the clubs of Wellesley and

Radcliffe, which rounds out our social life. Next fall we have the elections coming up. The G. O. P. hopes to capture the House. A lot of work will have to be done. The present president of the club was a freshman last fall so there is plenty of opportunity. Hope to see you all at the Activities Midway in the Fall!

W1MX M. I. T. Amateur Radio Society—The Radio Society at M. I. T. was founded in 1909, making it one of the oldest college organizations of its kind in the world. Organized to further interest in amateur radio, the society today provides space where radio enthusiasts can design, construct, and operate modern radio equipment. The M. I. T. "ham" will find radio equipment in W1MX's office on the third floor of Walker Memorial capable of working most of the amateur bands. Future plans include improved equipment and experimental facilities. Another interesting phase of the society's activities is the handling of messages to and from all parts of the United States and its possessions. Person-to-person contacts have often been made between Tech students and their relatives in far parts of the world.

**Zeamer Squadron**—The Zeamer Squadron is a group of Air Force R. O. T. C. Cadets who sponsor a program designed to give them

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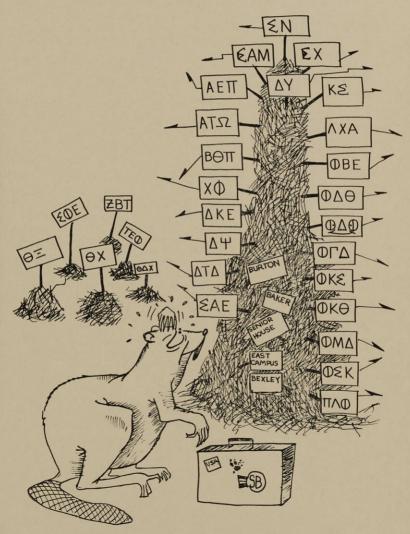
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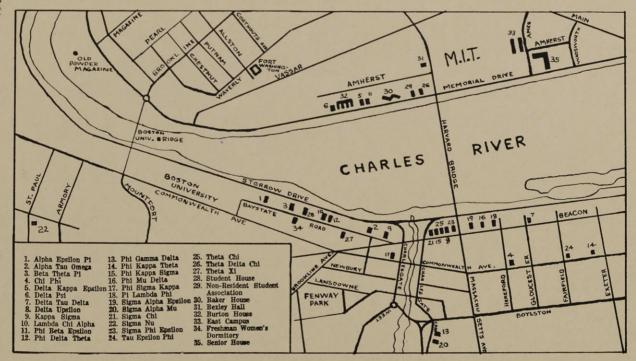
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a broad view of the Air Force and to increase their proficiency in A.F.R.O.T.C. In order to get a complete view of the Air Force the squadron sponsors several orientation flights in U.S.A.F. aircraft and field trips to operational bases. At the bi-monthly meetings Air Force speakers and movies keep the members up to date on the latest developments and opportunities in the U.S.A.F. To increase the proficiency of its members, the squadron has a trick drill team which competes in regional competitions. The squadron takes its name from Lt. Col. Jay Zeamer, Jr., a Congressional Medal of Honor winner and an M. I. T. alumnus, and it is also part of the national Arnold Air Society.

# The Social Beaver Visits

# LIVING GROUPS





#### **DORMITORIES**

The Dormitory System of M. I. T. provides an education in itself. You will meet many people from different backgrounds with a great diversification of ideas. If individuality is important to you and the experience of meeting people stimulating, the Dormitories have a lot to offer. You are under no pressures; your life in the dormitory system is as you want to make it. The results that you achieve living in the dormitory system are a reflection of your own personality and maturity. The dormitories are in the proximity of the Institute and the many opportunities that it offers. They consist of four groups: Burton House, Baker House, East Campus and Senior House. Together these dorms house about half of M. I. T.'s undergraduates.

**Burton House**—Burton House is the largest dorm. Yet it has none of the impersonality that you might associate with its size. Burton has the reputation of being a rather closely knit group of men. Burton men are found in a wide variety of student activities at the Institute and within the House.

**Baker House**—Baker House, the newest dormitory on campus, is also very popular. The many facilities of Baker provide an opportunity for all to enjoy Baker life. Its proximity to the Institute makes it convenient for its residents. Most freshmen who aspire to live in Baker end up in a Burton double. To avoid complete disappointment, choose reasonably. Remember, upperclassmen have the first choice.

East Campus—East Campus, near Walker Memorial and the Library, is the most convenient dormitory. The most distinguishing feature is the large number of single rooms. These foster a high degree of personal freedom. A wide range of athletic and social events are sponsored each year by the house's student government. Also, many physical improvements have recently been made to provide more opportunities to the residents for activity.

Senior House—Senior House is the smallest dorm. With a healthy mixture of singles and large doubles, and the limit of eight to twelve men to a floor, Senior House offers a congenial atmosphere for both work and socializing. Residents of Senior House tend to form a closely knit group, different from the other dorms.

**Dining Facilities**—Burton and Baker House residents are required to take commons meals in their respective dining halls. East Campus and Senior House residents have the option of eating out if they so choose. Walker Memorial and the Graduate House provide regular service for these students.

Government—The House Committees of the various Houses take care of the needs of student life in these houses. They provide

for the athletic, social, cultural, and physical benefits of the dorm. Serving on House committees provides an excellent opportunity for those interested in the various aspects of student government.

Social Program—The Social Committees of the Houses hold quite a few social activities each term. Coupled with the activities of the Dormitory Council, these programs make the social activity in the dormitories quite successful and varied. Again, your social life is as full as you wish to have it.

**Sports Program**—For those who enjoy athletics, the Houses offer a unique opportunity in intramural athletics and competition between sections of each House. This allows many who are not very proficient to enjoy themselves and helps foster a spirit of camaraderie in each living group.

#### **FRATERNITIES**

Fraternities at M. I. T. are unique in enjoying freedom from external authority. In response to this privilege, fraternity men have developed a keen sense of responsibility for their actions as individuals and as living groups. Government among the fraternities is handled by collective action through the Interfraternity Conference. This group represents the fraternities in formal relations with the rest of the Institute community.

Fraternity men comprise more than a third of all undergraduates at M. I. T. Because the fraternity program is designed to stimulate and develop qualities of leadership, it is not surprising to find fraternity members playing an important role in student life, student government, music and drama, athletics, and other field of

student interest.

Scholarship—Scholarship is of great importance at M. I. T. Fraternity scholarship programs assure that entering freshmen will develop sound study habits and learn quickly to adapt to the rigorous way of life at Tech. In all chapters, upperclassmen work together as a team in an effort to get the new men started properly with supervised study periods and suggested study procedures. Keen competition exists among individual houses in achieving a high scholastic average for the school year.

**Social Environment**—All M. I. T. chapters have well-planned and varied programs of social activities which provide many pleasant interludes throughout the college year. These social gatherings develop in the individual a sense of social adaptability. In a broad sense, fraternities are the greatest socializing force on the Tech campus.

Rushing—Here at Tech the fraternities try to meet prospective members mainly during Rush Week, the week prior to Freshman Weekend. This week offers freshmen an excellent opportunity to

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view fraternity life. We heartily recommend that each interested person attend this Rush Week. It will offer a chance to meet the men from the various fraternities, as well as an opportunity to see Boston before school starts. In general it is difficult to join a fraternity once Rush Week is over. For a more complete explanation of rushing and the fraternity system we refer you to the booklet Fraternities at M. I. T., sent to all freshmen by the I. F. C.

**General Stimulation**—Many fraternities have started collections of classical and semi-classical records and libraries of current books and publications. The chapters occasionally go in large groups to symphonies, plays, and the like. In many houses, there is the practice of having interesting people from the Institute come to dinner

By nature, the fraternity is an organization which can assist tremendously in one particular phase of education unattainable through formal classroom study: the development of the individual. The closeness and small size of the living groups provides deep and lasting friendships and eases the abrupt transition from home to college life. Through regular organized social activity and through living within a close and harmonious atmosphere, a sense of adaptability, poise, and social grace is developed in the individual.

#### INTERFRATERNITY CONFERENCE

during the week.

The Interfraternity Conference is the organization which binds together the twenty-eight fraternities at M. I. T. Its purposes are three-fold:

1. To promote the interests of M. I. T. and its fraternities.

2. To formulate policies designed to:

- Raise the scholastic, social, and physical standards of the Institute fraternities.
- b. Further social contact and closer acquaintances among fraternity members.
- Encourage cooperation and solidarity in the fraternity body as a whole.
- 3. To represent a fraternity body and assume appropriate responsibility for it in its relations with the administration of the Institute and all other groups.

Among the most important activities of the Conference is the annual I. F. C. Dance, one of the biggest proms of the year, which is held at a large Boston hotel with music provided by a name band.

The business of the I. F. C. is conducted at monthly dinner meetings attended by the president and one elected representative of each fraternity. Technology's I. F. C. sends two representatives to the annual meeting of the National Interfraternity Conference.

#### **WOMEN STUDENTS**

Many a freshman, on meeting his section for the first time, is surprised to discover there's a girl in the group. Yes, there are coeds at M. I. T.! While there may be only one in your own section, you'll be seeing quite a few of them walking through the halls and attending lectures since there are altogether some one hundred girls studying here. In spite of being able to chatter freely about physics and chemistry, they are pretty much like girls at any college—and can be mighty pleasant to have around. Find out for yourself by talking to one!

The girls are active in most organizations throughout the Institute. Their formal organization is the Association of Women Students which sponsors exclusively coed projects, as well as teas

and open houses for the whole school.

Center for all this activity is the Margaret Cheney Room, a suite including kitchen, bedroom, study, lounge and locker facilities. Set aside as a feminine retreat, it becomes a second home for the girls.

Women's Dormitories—The Freshman Dormitory at 120 Bay State Road houses the freshman girls plus several upper-class counselors. The seventeen girls share in the work and fun typical of any girls'

dorm. The girls can be reached here at CI 7-8646.

For the upperclass girls, Bexley Hall at 52 Massachusetts Avenue was opened in 1957. Bexley Hall is a section of an apartment building set aside for the women students. Here the girls live in double and triple apartments, do their own cooking and house-keeping, and all in all manage to achieve a dorm-like atmosphere with the help of the faculty residents, Professor and Mrs. William Bottiglia. A new Women's Dormitory will open in September, 1963, providing more accommodations for more women students.

#### M. I. T. STUDENT HOUSE

Student House is a cooperative living group, established at Tech more than twenty years ago. Located in a large house in Boston (within easy walking distance of classes), it has ample room for our thirty-odd members. The House affords a beautiful view of the Esplanade and the Charles River and is the scene of several dances and parties during the year.

As the name cooperative implies, we keep our living expenses low by performing household tasks ourselves — everything in fact, but the cooking. Student House is ideal for the student who

genuinely needs financial help.

All inquiries should be addressed to the House President at 111 Bay State Road, Boston. Phone CI 7-8407.

### NON-RESIDENT STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Any undergraduate student not living in the dormitories and not affiliated with a fraternity is by virtue of his residence with parents, relatives, or guardians or his residence is an apartment a member of the N. R. S. A.

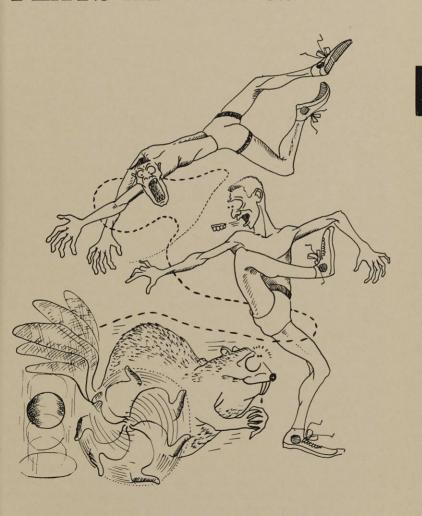
The organization maintains its facilities in the newly acquired, fully furnished building at 318 Memorial Drive. Lounge areas for relaxation are complete with a television, hi-fi radio phonograph, piano and soft furniture. Fully equipped study areas, eating and kitchen conveniences, showers, and bunk room for overnight contingencies are some of the prominent features provided in the N. R. S. A. center. A graduate student is full-time house Resident.

Around this nucleus of facilities revolve the social, athletic, and

scholastic programs offered by the N. R. S. A.

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# PLAYS ATHLETICS



## M. I. T. Physical Education Department and Athletic Association

Director of Athletics	Ross H. Smith
Intramural Adviser	
Club Adviser	
Athletic Association President	
Varsity Vice-President	Richard M. Harris
Intramural Vice-President	Thomas P. Gerrity, Jr.
T-Club President	Anthony M. Weikel
Recorder	R. Neal Harvey
Publicity Manager	John J. Lamberti, Jr.

The M. I. T. physical education, intercollegiate and intramural programs are organized under the joint cooperative leadership of students, faculty and alumni. The physical education classes are the responsibility of the teaching staff. Recreation, in the broad sense of the word, is the underlying philosophy of the program. Particular stress is given to sports activities that will carry over to enjoyment of leisure time in later life.

The intercollegiate program in 18 different sports affords competition for those men interested in developing proficiency through a team effort. M. I. T. takes pride in the accomplishments of the many teams that represent the Institute. The Institute accepts the cost of intercollegiate competition as an educational expense and does not, therefore, charge admission to any athletic contests.

The intramural program is student run and is dependent upon the student residence organization for its effectiveness. Many dormitory and fraternity men at the undergraduate and graduate levels participate throughout their careers at the Institute in the competition afforded within the intramural organization. Contests are held in touch football, softball, tennis, ice hockey, bowling, volleyball, swimming, track, basketball, squash, and table tennis.

The Athletic Association is responsible for the student administration of M. I. T. athletics through the Athletic Association Executive Committee, team captains, and intercollegiate and intramural managers. The Athletic Association Executive Committee meets weekly with the Director of Athletics to discuss policy having to do with the organization and management of the intercollegiate and intramural and athletic club programs. Overall jurisdiction of M. I. T. athletics is the responsibility of the M. I. T. Athletic Board, which is drawn from the A. A. Executive Committee, faculty and alumni.

To qualify for eventual membership in the Athletic Association, an athlete must work up to a position of team captain or manager. In either case, management ability is looked for and attention to administrative detail is requisite. The privilege of head manage-

ment positions on teams or in the Executive Committee is given to men who by their performance show the ability to assume responsibility. If you should seek one of these management posts, you should realize the difference in responsibility and participation at the secondary school and collegiate levels. At M. I. T., as a team manager you will be administering a large portion of the funds budgeted to your sport, the proper scheduling of transportation, and the effective use and maintenance of equipment. The leadership of a captain or manager is most likely to be the tie that binds the team, coach, and Athletic Association into a successful working unit.

#### BASEBALL

Coach: JOHN G. BARRY

Freshman Coach: RONALD L. KEENHOLD

Baseball ranks high in student interest from the first crack of the bat early in March until the final inning late in May. Rockwell Cage is used during the early season practice and in case of inclement weather. The varsity and the freshman teams play their home games on Briggs Field. The varsity squad participates in the strong Greater Boston Intercollegiate Baseball League. In addition, the schedule includes such teams as Bowdoin, Wesleyan, and the Coast Guard Academy. The team takes an annual southern trip during spring vacation to the Washington-Baltimore area.

#### BASKETBALL

Coach: JOHN G. BARRY

The intercollegiate season in basketball extends from early December until the end of February.

The varsity plays a 16-game schedule and the frosh average

10 to 12 games.

The schedule includes such teams as Amherst, Wesleyan, Harvard, Bowdoin, and the Coast Guard Academy.

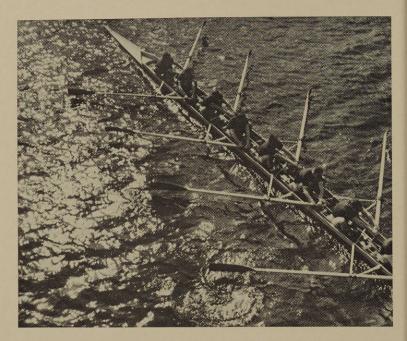
Annual vacation trips to Canada, the Midwest, and the South

feature the season.

#### **CREW**

Head Coach. JACK H. FRAILEY

Coaching Staff: R. ERICKSON, G. ZWART, R. RESCH Within the past decade M. I. T. has had many successful crews. In 1954 and 1955 the lightweight crews won the Thames Challenge Cup in England at the Henley Royal Regatta. During the 1960-61 season the varsity heavyweight crew placed third in the Intercollegiate Rowing Association Regatta at Syracuse. The freshman lightweight crew became the national champions of the Eastern Association Rowing Colleges Regatta at Lake Quinsigamond. Varsity, junior varsity, and freshman eights, both lightweight (155 pounds) and heavyweight, compete with the top rowing powers in the nation.



The crew practices during most of the academic year, providing ample opportunity for newcomers to learn this sport. The formal season opens in late April and normally includes six or seven races. The boathouse is located about a mile up the Charles River from Massachusetts Avenue, near the Boston University Bridge.

#### **CROSS COUNTRY**

## Coach. ARTHUR E. FARNHAM, JR.

Cross country is one of the leading fall sports at M. I. T. This is a team sport distinct from track and field, although many track men participate to realize the great benefit to be derived from long distance running. The cross country schedule includes competition with Tufts, Northeastern, Coast Guard, Bates, Williams, Springfield, Boston College, Wesleyan, and the University of New Hampshire for Eastern and New England championships.

#### FENCING

#### Coach: SILVIO N. VITALE

M. I. T.'s fencing teams have demanded respect in Eastern fencing circles for years. The present coach is a former international three-weapon champion. Representatives of the team compete annually in the Eastern and National Intercollegiate meets.

#### GOLF

Coach: JOHN S. MERRIMAN, JR.

The golf team is now back in the full swing of normal times, with about eighteen intercollegiate matches being scheduled. The season runs from the middle of April until the close of school in June, with M. I. T. playing most of the New England colleges. The team is chosen on the basis of elimination matches played by applicants in the early spring before the intercollegiate season begins. An effort is being made to encourage a more extensive fall golf schedule, and at present the varsity plays four dual matches plus the E. C. A. C. championship each fall.

#### HOCKEY

Coach: BENJAMIN R. MARTIN, JR. Frosh Coach: ROBERT FRINK

"The "fastest game in the world" is played on Tech's artificial ice rink on Briggs Field. Competition is furnished by a number of the leading small college sextets in the East.

#### LACROSSE

Coach: BENJAMIN R. MARTIN, JR. Frosh Coach: CHARLES BATTERMAN

Lacrosse was first introduced to the M. I. T. campus in the late 1920's and has remained a very popular sport ever since. The season runs from March until May and both the varsity and the freshman squads get to play some of the foremost teams in the nation. The highlight of the last few seasons has been a trip south during spring vacation. Lacrosse offers an excellent opportunity to learn a new sport since almost the entire team has never played before entering Tech.

#### PISTOL

Coach: ROBERT E. DURLAND

Pistol has been a varsity sport since its inception at Tech in 1939. The team competes in intercollegiate shoulder-to-shoulder matches and in the Greater Boston Pistol League, State, and National championships. The season runs from October through April, and all students are welcome at the pistol range.

#### RIFLE

Coach: LT. COL. ROBERT A. IRELAND, U. S. A.

For many years the rifle team has enjoyed outstanding success. It has won the New England championship for two successive seasons and, during its annual southern trip between semesters, has defeated some of the nation's top teams. A schedule of freshman matches insures continued replacements for the graduating members of the varsity. In addition, anyone who has an interest in the sport and little or no experience may avail himself of the competent coaching at the range.

#### SKIING

Coach: JENS E. JORGENSEN

M. I. T. is a member of the New England Intercollegiate Ski Conference. During the 1961-62 season, as a result of winning the N. E. I. S. C. championship, the M. I. T. ski team was invited to compete in the Eastern Intercollegiate Ski Association competitions. Continued participation in the latter will depend on the success of the M. I. T. ski team in the future. Freshman competition is arranged among New England prep schools and college freshman teams.

#### SOCCER

Coach: CHARLES BATTERMAN
Frosh Coach: BENJAMIN R. MARTIN, JR.

An international sport, soccer is attracting an increasing number of foreign students at Tech in addition to the local talent. Well versed in the fundamental skills, our teams have shown excellent style and ability against such powerful Eastern teams as Amherst, University of Connecticut, Springfield, etc. A season from September through November is planned for this year with practice starting immediately after school opens in the fall. All interested are invited and urged to come out for the team.

SQUASH
Coach: EDWARD A. CROCKER

Squash is a winter sport in which a newcomer can become a proficient player after a few months of experience. M. I. T. has an excellent intercollegiate schedule which consists of the Ivy League colleges, Army, Navy, and the little three (Amherst, Williams, Wesleyan) plus one or two independents, such as McGill and Trinity. In addition to regular intercollegiate competition, the varsity squad has A, B, C, and D five-man teams entered in the Massachusetts Squash Rackets Association leagues and the freshman squad has a team in the "D" league.

#### SWIMMING

Coach: CHARLES BATTERMAN
Frosh Coach: RONALD L. KEENHOLD

M. I. T. is fortunate in having one of the most modern and best equipped swimming pools in the country. It is open to students and other members of the Institute community every afternoon and most evenings. Special nights are set aside for women and mixed swimming.

There is a full intercollegiate schedule of dual meets, for both varsity and freshmen, including participation in the New England Intercollegiate Swimming Championships which are held periodically in the Alumni Pool. Anyone interested in swimming should report to one of the coaches at the Alumni Pool.

**TENNIS** 

Coach: EDWARD A. CROCKER

Tennis is a popular sport at M. I. T., and both varsity and freshman teams have traditions of winning seasons against strong opponents. Incoming freshmen are encouraged to take part in a freshman tournament which is held in the fall of each year. The varsity team has informal practices three days per week in the fall, in order to select players to make the very popular southern trip which takes place during the spring vacation period of each year. Both varsity and freshman teams are selected by means of a tennis ladder on which a player may challenge up to two above in order to move up on the individual rankings.

Six fast drying Har-True courts for varsity matches and eight Lakold courts for freshman use give M. I. T. one of the finest

tennis facilities in the East.

TRACK AND FIELD

Coach: ARTHUR E. FARNHAM, JR.

The availability of excellent indoor and outdoor facilities at M. I. T. makes track and field a very popular sport during the winter and spring seasons. Interest has grown in recent years due to the increase in intercollegiate competition with such opponents as Boston College, Bowdoin, Harvard, and Columbia, among others. In addition, M. I. T. is represented in the large indoor relay meets in Boston Garden as well as the championship meets — Greater Boston, Eastern, and New England.

WRESTLING

Coach: ALEXANDER SOTIR

One of the fastest rising and most popular winter sports at Tech is wrestling. Because of the sudden rise in popularity, Tech has been able to place an exceedingly competent squad on the mats in the past few years. Several of the Techmen, in fact, have won New England championships.

**INTRAMURALS** 

The aspect of M. I. T.'s athletic program which affects most students is the program of intramural athletics. During each year, rearly two-thirds of the undergraduates participate in at least one of the intramural contests. This high percentage of participation is due mainly to the program's expressed purpose of providing every member of the M. I. T. community, whether he lives in a dormitory, fraternity, or apartment, the opportunity to compete on an organized basis in as many of the different sports as possible.

The following fifteen sports are presently a part of the program: touch football, basketball, softball, tennis, swimming, bowling, sailing, wrestling, track, volleyball, hockey, golf, badminton, squash, and table tennis. Trophies are awarded to the champions



in each sport and are highly prized by all living groups. An All-Sports Trophy is then awarded at the end of the year for the best over-all performance.

A very unusual aspect of the intramural program is that it is

almost entirely student-run through the Intramural Council, a body composed of the individual student managers of each sport and headed by the Athletic Association Intramural Vice President. These managers control scheduling of games, arranging for referees, settling complaints, and other aspects of the program.

#### ATHLETIC CLUBS

**Cricket Club**—Cricket is as popular in England as baseball is in the U.S. M.I.T.'s Cricket Club attracts a large percentage of its members from the foreign students, both graduates and undergraduates. Occasionally games are scheduled with the Harvard club, while more informal games are arranged on Briggs Field.

Fencing Club—M. I. T.'s excellent facilities have made fencing a very popular sport, both on an intercollegiate level and on an informal basis. The Fencing Club attracts faculty members, graduate students, and undergraduates to its weekly practices. Meets with the clubs at Harvard and Brandeis are arranged every year. Pistol and Rifle Club—Pistol and Rifle Club enables those interested in these sports to continue shooting out of season. They fire three nights a week at the M.I.T. ranges, with weapons and the first case of amunition supplied free. Membership in the club, run solely by undergraduates, is open to all members of the M.I.T. community. Student coaches are available for those with little or no experience.

Rugby Club—The American game of football evolved from this popular and exciting English game. The M. I. T. Rugby Club competes each fall and spring with such schools as Harvard, Yale, and Princeton. While rugby is primarily a graduate activity at M. I. T., the club nevertheless welcomes undergraduates who are interested in the sport. As the club is not a member of the M. I. T. A. A., it attracts many men who are ineligible to compete

in other intercollegiate sports.

Water Polo—Water polo is a popular sport on the East Coast because of its fast and interesting action. Those interested meet Tuesday and Thursday nights at the Alumni Pool to practice for a schedule including St. Francis, R.P.I., Army, and Yale. Although graduate student participation is especially encouraged, the club welcomes all undergraduates regardless of experience. Weightlifting Club—The growing popularity of this sport throughout the nation has resulted in the establishment of a varsity weightlifting team which now competes in an extensive intercollegiate program. Recent Tech lifters have achieved distinction in New England. The expanded facilities in the new duPont Athletic Center have resulted in the continued growth of this sport at Tech. Again, this activity offers great opportunities to begin a new sport and the coach is always anxious to teach new men the fundamentals.

## **Tech Songs**

SONS OF M. I. T.

Arise ye sons of M. I. T.

In loyal brotherhood
The future beckons unto ye
And life is full and good.
Arise and raise your steins on high;
Tonight shall ever be
A mem'ry that will never die
Ye sons of M. I. T.

Once more thy sons, Oh M. I.T.
Return from far and wide,
And gather here once more to be
Renourished by thy side.
And as we raise our steins on high
To pledge our love for thee,
We join thy sons of days gone by
In praise of M. I. T.

Oh loyal sons of M. I. T.
When clouds of war burn red,
In foreign land, on distant sea
Your battle line is spread.
To you we raise our steins on high
Wherever you may be,
And join your voices from the sky,
Ye sons of M. I. T.

Words and Music by JOHN B. WILBUR, '26

## THE M. I. T. STEIN SCNG

(always sung standing)

Give a rouse then in the May-time
For a life that knows no fear!
Turn night-time into day-time
With the sunlight of good cheer!
For it's always fair weather,
When good fellows get together.
With a stein on the table
And a good song ringing clear.

Chorus

For it's always fair weather,
When good fellows get together,
With a stein on the table
And a good song ringing clear.

Oh, we're all frank and twenty
When the spring is in the air;
And we've faith and hope aplenty,
And we've life and love to spare;
And its birds of a feather
When good fellows get together,
With a stein on the table
And a heart without care.

#### Chorus

And it's birds of a feather When good fellows get together.

With a stein on the table
And a heart without care.
For we know the world is glorious
And the goal a golden thing,
And that God is not censorious
When his children have their fling!
And life slips its tether
When good fellows get together,
With a stein on the table
In the fellowship of spring.

#### Chorus

And life slips its tether
When good fellows get together,
With a stein on the table
In the fellowship of spring.

When the wind comes up from Cuba
And the birds are on the wing,
And our hearts are patting Juba
To the banjo of the spring
Then life slips its tether
When good fellows get together,
With a stein on the table
In the fellowship of spring.

#### Chorus

Then life slips its tether
When good fellows get together,
With a stein on the table
In the fellowship of spring.

Music by FREDERICK BULLARD Words by RICHARD HOVEY



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# PULLS THE JOB



(Or How to Get Things Done Around the Institute)

Admissions—This is one office with which every student entering M. I. T. has had some contact. For this reason many students first turn to the Admissions Office for assistance. In fact, the admissions officers welcome the opportunity to talk with M. I. T. students

about anything that is of interest to the students.

The main job of the Admissions Office goes without saying—that of acting upon first-year applications and upon college transfer applications at the undergraduate level. Secondly, the office provides a public relations service by visiting high schools, prospective students, and so on. The problems of admission and guidance of foreign students are of special importance. Professor Paul M. Chalmers is Advisor to Foreign Students. As such, he is in charge of the admissions of foreign students and acts as their counselor after they get here. Last, the Admissions Office receives and posts notices concerning opportunities for American students to study abroad. An example of this is the Fulbright Scholarships.

Professor Roland B. Greeley is the Director of Admissions. The

offices are located in Room 3-108.

Bursar's Office—One of the best known offices of the Institute is the Bursar's Office, Room 4-106. The Cashier's Office, 10-180, is where we pay all our bills, buy stamps, cash checks, and deposit up to \$1,000 for safekeeping and cash withdrawal at not more than \$50 per day. Travelers checks may be purchased in Room 4-103. The Bursar's function is finance; thus if a student has a financial problem of any kind, the Bursar is the man to see.

Dean's Office—Probably most incoming M. I. T. students figure that the Dean's Office is one of the last places with which they want to come in contact during their stay at the Institute. But take it from us who have been here for a while—the Dean's Office is one of the most friendly and helpful places around the school. The main job of the Dean's Office is to be of assistance to the student in any way possible. As such the Deans are always ready to listen to anything from home troubles to "why I hate my professors."

Dean of Student Affairs Kenneth Wadleigh is in charge of Dean's Office. Dean William Speer is in charge of counseling; as such, he is the person that most students with troubles talk to first. He has the reputation among students of being a very good listener. Dean Robert J. Holden, Associate Dean, is the one you will find most helpful this first year. Dean Frederick G. Fassett, Jr., is in charge of housing; anybody with troubles along these lines should see him.

The Dean's Office is located in Room 7-133, except Dean Fassett who can be found in 7-104. You can get there easily by turning left just after you come into Building 7 through the "electric eye" doors. May all your troubles be little ones.

Infirmary—The Homberg Infirmary containing the Medical Department is located in Building 11. In order to keep the M. I. T. student on his feet, the medical staff treats everything from ingrown toenails to cases of mononucleosis. The staff includes about 35 doctors working in the various departments. Staff physicians are on duty Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. An infirmary equipped with 21 beds is located on the third floor and is open (except in July and August) 24 hours a day for any student needs.

The Medical Department offers other services in addition to routine medical care. Psychiatric counseling is available and is free for the first four interviews in any one school year. The second floor of the Infirmary contains the Occupational Medical Service which helps to protect M. I. T. personnel from radiation.

chemical, and sanitary hazards.

No charge is made for routine ambulatory medical care, but the majority of students take out Student Health Insurance at \$65 a year. This covers infirmary, hospital, medical, surgical, consultation and nursing charges up to a total of \$1,000 and 80 per cent of additional expenses up to \$7,000.

Dr. Albert O. Seeler is the Medical Director; Dr. Harriet L. Hardy, Director of the Occupational Medical Service, acts as

advisor to premedical students at the Institute.

**Libraries**—The M. I. T. Library system is composed of several distinct units which contain a total of about 600,000 volumes, so it is good to have an idea of the general layout before you start browsing or searching in earnest for Aristotle's "Metaphysics."

The Hayden Memorial Library is Building 14 and is often referred to as the "main library." Although the room numbers seem quite confusing at first, they are really quite orderly. Building 14 has four wings, abbreviated N, S, E, and W in the room numbers. For example, Room 14-N425 is on the fourth floor of the north wing. You will no doubt be making a trip to a room near there, because the offices of the humanities instructors and professors are in that wing on the third and fourth floors.

The General Library, on the second floor of Hayden Memorial Library, is the administrative center of the library system. There you can find the collections in philosophy, religion, social sciences, history, literature, and biography; rare books; references and bibliographic resources; technical reports; and the union catalogue, with cards on every book in the library system. Facilities of special note are a map room, a projection room for 16mm pictures, and the microreproduction laboratory for making and using microfilm (Room 14S-051).

The Rotch (rhymes with "Scotch") Library, in Building 7 on the second floor, contains the collection on architecture and per-

tinent fine arts literature.

The Dewey Library, located in Building 52, Room 360, holds the principal collection of books and periodicals in economics, business administration, industrial management, industrial relations, and related fields.

The Great Dome houses the Engineering Library. This includes books on chemical, civil, electrical, and mechanical engineering, and naval architecture and marine engineering. A sub-division is the Aeronautics Library in Room 33-316.

Also in the Hayden building are the Reserve Book Room with generous study tables and the Music Library with books, scores, and records

The Science Library is also in the Hayden building. It holds both books and periodicals on subjects such as mathematics, physics, chemistry, biology, food technology, ceramics, geology, metallurgy, and meteorology.

#### LIBRARY HOURS

	Monday-Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Aeronautics and Astronautics	9-5		
Archives	9-5		
Dewey Library	9-11	9-5	2-11
Engineering Library	9-9	9-6	1-6
General Library and Humaniti	es 8-10:45	8-9	1-10:45
Music Library	9-10:45	9-6	1-9
Reserve Book Library	8-1*	8-6	1-1
Rotch Library	9-10:45	9-6	
Science Library	8-10:45	8-9	1-10:45
* Except Friday — then, 8-10:			

See posted schedules for vacation and interim periods.

**Endicott House**—Endicott House, the M. I. T. estate in Dedham, is available to anybody for almost any function (they do frown on beer parties) by reserving it at Extension 4898.

Student Personnel Office—Do you want a job? The Student Personnel Office in Room 1-380, directed by William H. Carlisle, is the easiest place to find one. (You have to apply for the job with your prospective employer yourself.) While they don't hire you, they have listings of part-time jobs within the Institute as well as outside M. I. T. The job openings within the Institute range from the student staffs to laboratory, libraries, and physical plant jobs. The jobs outside M. I. T., which comprise approximately half the jobs listed, include taxi driving, tutoring, drafting, and progamming.

The Student Personnel Office also has lists of summer jobs available. These include jobs within the Institute as well as in light industry, hotels, and summer camps.

Since the Student Personnel Office exists as a service to the student, the student comes here for advice on any matter pertaining to employment. Working closely with the Dean's Office and student advisors, the Personnel Office is glad to advise on job application techniques, hours, people to see for jobs they don't have listed, etc. The Office maintains a file of all students and alumni who have obtained jobs within the Institute. This file, often referred to by the student's prospective employers after his graduation, contains the jobs held as well as an evaluation of the student and his work.

While the Student Personnel Office is the first place to look for a job, some of the departments and the individual professors hire their own help. The Student Personnel Office or the head-quarters of the department are the best places to inquire about such jobs, which seem to be mostly laboratory work.

**Graphic Arts Service**—The Institute maintains a Graphic Arts Service for the benefit of all members of the M. I. T. family. Its services, many and varied, are available for personal as well as Institute work.

M. I. T.'s Graphic Arts Service does most of its work at 211 Massachusetts Avenue but maintains an order counter and copy machines for while-you-wait service in the main buildings, Room 3-003. Facilities include an Illustration Service which can produce original diagrams for reports, journals, and theses and can also prepare charts, posters, slides, and air brush renderings.

The Letter Shop division offers typing of reports, theses, papers, etc. Mimeographing, mailing, and automatic typing are done. Special mailing lists are maintained.

Other services include a portrait, passport, and identification studio; photographic studios and laboratories, photostat, ozalid

printing and an extensive offset printing plant.

The Graphic Arts Service specializes in reproductions for theses; consult them before preparing your originals.

**Laboratories and Shops**—The following is a list of some of the laboratories and shops available to students for extracurricular work. Information concerning the use of the shops or labs in a department not listed here may be obtained by inquiring in the department's headquarters.

The foundry or welding laboratories may be used only in the presence of an instructor during hours arranged by appointment. The foundry (Room 35-419) may be used after contacting Mr. Paul Hughes in Room 35-306. Mr. William Moffatt (Room 35-

439) controls the welding lab in Room 35-425.

The induction-melting facilities in Room 8-010 may be used only by metallurgy men for an approved project. The project

must be approved by either Professor Thomas B. King (Room 8-307) or Professor John F. Elliott (8-109). Work may be done only under the supervision of Mr. F. Haynes.

Metallurgy students may use the machine shop in Room 8-029 from 9 to 5. They must first demonstrate proficiency in use of the machines and then work only on a suitable project. Professor King

must approve use of the machine shop.

The Building Materials Lab (Room 5-008) and the Plastics Lab (Room 20D-004) may be used by any qualified student for an approved project in the presence of an instructor at the hours arranged by the student. Professor Albert G. H. Dietz must be contacted for using the Building Materials Lab and Professor Frederick J. McGarry for the Plastics Lab.

Physical Plant—The change has been made on paper, but it will probably be some time before "B & P" disappears from common M. I. T. usage. With reason: known as Buildings and Power since the first pillared structure took shape on this side of the Charles, the department responsible for M. I. T. plant had its first change of name less than two years ago. From now on it will be listed as Physical Plant.

Hidden in the new name is a big effort to reorganize the voluminous responsibilities for M. I. T.'s expanding campus. In the last years, Physical Plant has taken over full maintenance of eight more buildings — from the Compton Labs to Whittemore 5. Mail delivery was reputed by the Cambridge Post Office last spring

to "approach a city of 20,000."

A streamlined definition of responsibilities resulted in the organization of these major areas: power, utilities and grounds; cleaning, mail, shipping, special events; construction; and design and drafting.

The Superintendent's Office, 24-117, where the post office is

located, handles mail, keys, and lost and found.

Public Relations—The Office of Public Relations, located in Room 3-339, is responsible for the Institute's relations with newspapers, magazines, radio, and television, including participation in the educational activities of WGBH. It publishes "Calendar of Events," "The Observer," "M. I. T. Reports on Research," and "Tech Talk." The office is available for help at a counseling level on any problems that students or student organizations may have in promotional activities or relations with the press, radio, or television. Francis E. Wylie is director of the Office of Public Relations. The associated Office of Publications is available for help on preparing printed material.

Statistical Services—Statistical Services with its IBM machines and tabulating equipment exists as a service to other departments in

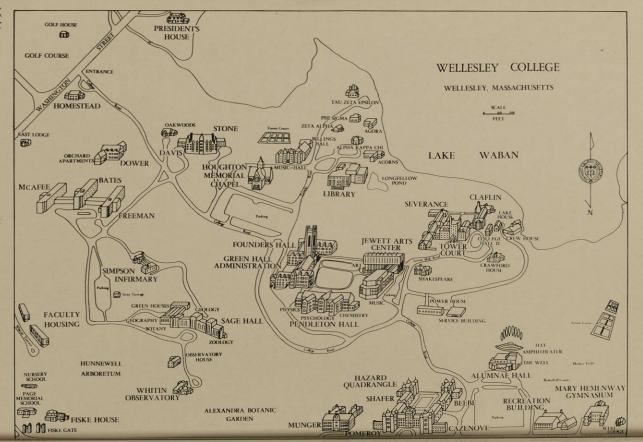
the Institute, particularly for bookkeeping and financial work. The Records Processing Section of the Registrar's Office uses similar equipment for handling student records. For the student R. P. S. can compile lists or address envelopes to students by class, course, or the entire student body.

**Audio-Visual Service**—Public address equipment, tape recorders, and projectors are available for personal use at moderate rentals from the Audio-Visual Service, Room 3-003.

Student Aid—The Student Aid Center was organized by the Institute several years ago for the administration of various forms of financial aid. The office deals with all undergraduate scholarships, including entering freshman scholarships, the allocation of grants from the Technology Loan Fund of \$100,000 which is open to all students, and the use of part-time campus jobs as financial aid. Applications for scholarship aid are issued in January of each year for the next academic year and are generally filed by late January. In general, undergraduate scholarship awards are announced early in July. Requests for aid from the Technology Loan Fund have no fixed receipt date. Students are encouraged to come to the office to discuss any financial problems at any time during the year.

Microfilm Service—The Microreproduction Service (14S-0551) produces both microfilm copies and photocopy prints for students and all others who require them. Microfilm is four cents per exposure, with a minimum order charge of \$1. Photocopy prints, ideal for reproduction drawings and graphs for papers, are 25 cents each, again with a minimum charge of \$1. Although this service normally takes three days, in cases of crisis the Service will do the work in 24 hours, charging 50 per cent for such service.

Off-Campus Housing—You do like peace and quiet! You are married! You do like landladies! You need off-campus housing. Contact the Housing Agency in Room 7-102. There are listings of accommodations from \$7.00-a-week apartments to \$30,000 homes. This service is offered at no charge to anyone from Dr. Stratton to John T. Student to the Irish Consul, who actually came in once. The rooms are generally near Harvard or in Boston and cost from \$8 to \$10 a week for single or about \$15 for double.



# The Social Beaver Inspects

# THE GIRLS' SCHOOLS



The Social Beaver welcomes you to the greatest assortment of colleges and college students anywhere. In this you have an excellent reference for hours, phone numbers, maps, etc., of the girls' schools in the area popular with Tech men.

Basically, there are about three ways to meet women — by yourself, through friends, and at mixer dances. In the fall there are an overly large number of acquaintance dances, open houses, and teas. If you want to be picturesque, you can think of October as one long mixer. We suggest you take full advantage of these opportunities, for they provide an easy and inexpensive means of meeting a large number of fun-loving young women of fine calibre. Watch the campus bulletin boards for announcements, but don't rely on them. Publicity is often nil, and frequently the dances are theoretically, but only theoretically, by private invitation; but if you can find out when they are, in all probability the gals won't even think of turning you away, and they seldom check invitations at the door anyway.

Not to be forgotten are the various youth groups connected with many religious organizations and churches (especially those around Harvard). Yet another plentiful source is the many girls from other schools who take part in the extracurricular activities at Tech, such at M. I. T. O. C., Tech Show, and Dramashop.

To those unacquainted with hours at a girls' school, a warning: the hours are the exact maximum limits and not an approximation of when to return. These hours are strictly enforced and violations are severely punished. It may seem like a bother, but it must be considered when making plans. Therefore, give yourself leeway for unexpected traffic or late buses.

For information about plays and concerts around Boston, contact the T. C. A. They offer a free service in obtaining tickets (this

can require know-how) to these functions.

Remember this FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE: GIRLS WANT TO BE MET. If you will only take a little ambition in making their acquaintance, your dateless weekends will be few. Happy hunting!

#### **RADCLIFFE**

Cambridge—See map on pages 68-69.

Although Radcliffe has the reputation in the environs of Boston as the Harvard annex, let not this discourage any ambitious Techman; accept this as a challenge. The girls may have the same educational opportunities and may be indoctrinated with the Harvard spirit, but not all of them have absorbed that awesome intellectuality. Generally speaking, a successful trip up past Harvard Square will reap great dividends. Radcliffe girls are above the average in quality.

The campus is only a ten-minute M.T.A. ride from the Institute and is very convenient for all Tech functions. Radcliffe has a full schedule of social events which lean a little to the formal side. Of special interest during the first term are the tea dances and mixers.

Radcliffe, along with Wellesley, is most notorious for not publicizing mixers. The inside dope is that Radcliffe undergrads have what they call "Jolly-Ups," i.e. mixer dances, on weekdays during the first three or four weeks of each semester, each dorm having a separate dance, though two may coincide. Best bet is to call an individual dorm and ask the girl who answers when their Jolly-Up is scheduled.

Radcliffe hours are the most liberal in the area. Freshmen, sophomores, and juniors have one o'clocks any night, with later permission for special events. There are no restrictions on seniors.

#### RADCLIFFE TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Switchboard closes at 10 p.m. weekdays, 11 p.m. on Sundays.

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Barnard Hall ELiot	4-9433	Everett House	9651	Lancaster House	9733
Bertram Hall	8374	Founders House	8947	McIntire House	9405
Briggs Hall	8760	Gilman House	8413	1653 Mass. Ave.	8999
Buckingham House	9479	Fraduate Center	8405	Moors Hall	8234
Cabot Hall	9641	Greycroft House	9685	Putnam House	9424
Coggeshall House	9158	Greycroft Annex EL	4-8219	Saville House	9801
Comstock Hall	8490	Henry House	9134	20 Walker	9157
50 Concord Ave.	9811	Holmes Hall	9267	60 Walker	9400
Edmonds House	8519	Jarvis Thirteen	9309	Warner House	9628
Eliot Hall	8314	Jarvis Thirteen A	9547	Whitman Hall	1820

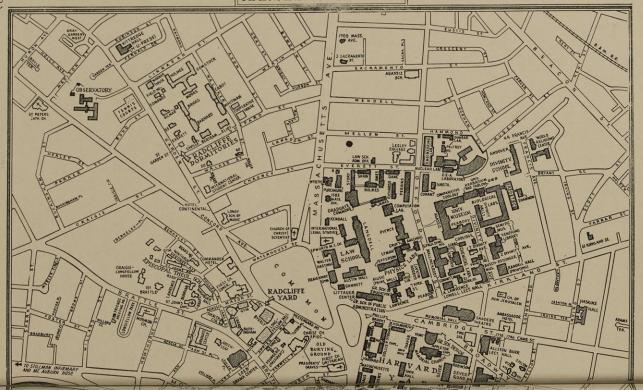
#### WELLESLEY

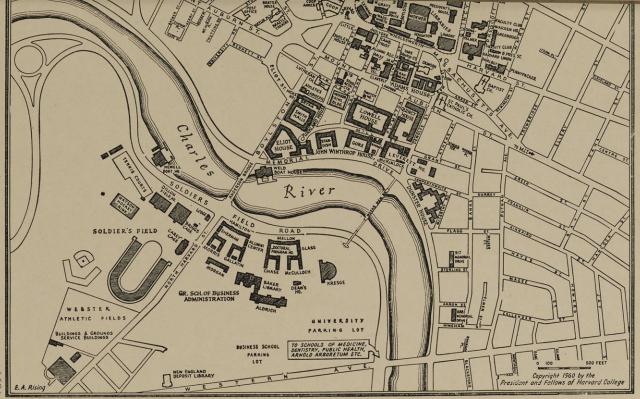
Wellesley, Mass.,—See map on page 64.

Wellesley is one of the largest girls' schools in the area and an extremely popular one with M. I. T. With 1,700 students, all types of girls may be found—whether their tastes run from Bach to rock 'n' roll, or from Faulkner to Mad, which, believe it or not, is popular at Tech too! Wellesley girls are a well balanced combination of the qualities desired by a college man, whether it be for a date or a wife.

The main drawback is that the beautiful campus is located 18 miles out on Route 9 from Boston. Trying Wellesley without a car, or a friend with a car, is like swimming the channel. It might be possible, but few succeed. Wellesley usually puts on mixers during two or three of the early Saturday afternoons or evenings of each semester. You can probably find out the dates of all these crucial, little-publicized Saturdays by calling two or three different dorms and asking whomever answers about their mixer schedule (or ask to speak to the social chairman). These mixers are a veritable rat race where "cut-ins" abound, for they are packed with "tools" and "harvies." A far more enjoyable manner is to get a date from your fraternity brother or the boy down the hall. The

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popularity of the Wellesley mixers and the girls attests to their

high calibre.

Generally, the girls are brought back to Boston for the evening; but places such as the "Rec Hall" and the "Well" are popular spots there. Ken's Steak House and the Meadows, both on Route 9 in Framingham, are nearby for dinner; but watch the check.

The hours and regulations at Wellesley are quite sensible. Freshmen and sophomores have adequate but limited 1 o'clocks and overnights, while the upperclasswomen have unlimited 1 o'clock and overnights. Special permissions are granted for the formals.

#### WELLESLEY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Bates Hall	CEdar 5-9735	Freeman Hall	9737	Shafer Hall	9642
	9679		9744	Stone Hall	9644
	9607		9795	Tower Court East	9722
Beebe Hall	9660	Homestead Hall	9615		9681
Cazenove Hall	9750	McAfee CE	5-9818	Tower Court West	9620
	9851	Munger Hall CE	5-9731		9692
Claflin Hall	9640		9645	Administration and	0001
Davis Hall	9740	Pomeroy Hall	9673	Information	0320
Dower House	9695	Severance Hall	9663	2110111111111	0020

#### SIMMONS

Boston, Mass.

A Techman's cornucopia of femininity, Simmons is only a tenminute drive or half-hour walk from the Institute or a short M. I. T. ride away. The campus is located out Brookline Avenue from Kenmore Square near the Fenway and Riverway and the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

The education at Simmons is a combination of liberal arts and such practical fields as nursing, teaching, publishing or home economics, an amalgam of training that usually manages to produce a fine girl.

Simmons holds a mixer at a better Boston hotel at the beginning of the fall term, entrance to which is by invitations which are in abundance around the Institute prior to the function. The main formals are the class dances in the fall and the All-Simmons Formal.

The curfew hours are rather liberal, with unlimited 1:30's for juniors and seniors and 8 to 12 per year for frosh and sophs. The strained underclasswomen, however, have 12:30's every weekend, with unlimited overnights and special late permissions. The major problem with Simmons is trying to call through; often they are perpetually tied up.

#### SIMMONS TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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Arnold Hall	LO	6-9318 8464	Evans Hall Hastings Hall		6-8957 6-9091	North Hall	LO	6-9403 9002
Bartol Hall Brookline House Dix Hall	LO	8459 7-6774 6-8836 6-8933	Longwood House Mesick Hall Morse Hall	LO	6-8769 6-8837	Pilgrim House Simmons Hall South Hall	RE	6-9405 4-0300 6-8506
Dix Han	LO	8937 8910	Morse Hall	LO	6-9167 9017 9252	Turner Hall	LO	8920 6-8673

#### SMITH COLLEGE

Northampton

More than 2,000 women live in the 44 scattered dorms on this beautiful but sprawling campus. For those who visit this school, the trip will repay itself by providing a very warm and collegiate atmosphere. Northampton is about 100 miles west of Boston on Route 9. A car, of course, is an advantage, but train service there isn't terrible. It is usually quite easy to hitch a ride up with someone from Tech or Harvard. There are many restaurants and night spots around the campus which cater to the Smithies and their dates; and there are frequent formals and parties right on campus. The hours are generally reasonable, with 1 o'clock permissions freely granted. Amherst College and the University of Massachusetts are only seven miles away from Smith, and the stranded Techman can usually find some hospitality there.

Telephone JUstice 4-2700; switchboard closes at 10:30 p.m. weekdays, 12 on Friday, 1 on Saturday, and 12 on Sunday.

#### MOUNT HOLYOKE

South Hadley

Only a few miles from Smith, the same description applies somewhat to both schools. Holyoke is smaller than its neighbor, and the regulations a bit stiffer, but the atmosphere is similar.

Telephone JEfferson 8-8211; switchboard closes at 10 p.m.

#### **BOSTON UNIVERSITY**

Back Bay, Boston

Boston University, a huge co-ed school across the Charles River, is a very popular spot with Tech men. The girls return the compliment by taking an active part in M.I.T. activities, including especially Tech Show. The large dormitories are Charlesgate Hall, Towers Hall, Shelton Hall, and Murlin House. For telephone and addresses, consult the Boston telephone directory, for there are too many to list here. Likewise, to attempt a description of the girls would be compared to describing all the different girls in the U. S. Hours range from 10 to 12 on weekdays and 1 to 2 on weekends, depending upon the class. At the beginning of the term, B. U. sponsors several well-publicized mixers, so keep your eyes open. No calls accepted after 11 p.m.

#### BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY

Waltham

On the dwindling stream of the Charles lies Brandeis, a co-ed school featuring a predominant number of females. The young ladies from Brandeis who frequent the Tech campus are generally better than average in looks, personality, and intelligence. Brandeis sponsors many, many open houses, teas, and acquaintance dances throughout the entire year, so watch your bulletin boards for announcements.

Hamilton Quadrangle:

#### BRANDEIS TELEPHONES

	TWinbrooks	Shapiro B-3	3-9435	Renfield 3	3-9822
Shapiro A-1	3-9494	DeRoy 1	3-9805	Roosevelt	3-9753
Shapiro A-2	3-9432	DeRoy 2	3-9806	Usen 1	3-9827
Shapiro A-3	3-9433	DeRoy 3	3-9807	Usen 2	3-9832
Shapiro B-1	3-9734	Renfield 1	3-9549	Usen 3	3-9834
Shapiro B-2	3-9434	Renfield 2	3-9657		

#### JACKSON COLLEGE

#### Medford

Jackson is the girls' liberal arts college of Tufts University. Tech men are very popular with the Jackson girls, even more so than the Tufts men (grass is greener on somebody else's campus). The girls are very fine young women who enjoy a good time dating. Occasional open houses are held. The Tufts campus offers plenty of activities, from football to theatre.

The phone numbers are listed under Tufts University.

#### WHEATON COLLEGE

#### Norton

Thirty miles south of Boston is Wheaton College, a virtual paradise of 700 beautiful, fun-loving girls. Although it is not so convenient as many other girls' schools, this spot is certainly worth the hour's drive or train ride. A car, of course, is a strong asset for the Techman going to Norton, but is not a restricting necessity. For those with wheels, take Route 1 towards Providence, then left on Route 140 to the campus. By rail, take the Providence local to Mansfield, then a \$1.25 taxi ride to Wheaton.

If you don't want to come back into Boston there is always something to do on campus or within a short drive. The Cotillion Room, Gondola Club, and Frolic Club are favorites with the girls. The King Philip in Wrentham is tops for name-band dancing. Weekend permissions include unlimited Friday and Saturday 1 o'clocks and overnights for all except the freshmen. Techmen may successfully invade the campus until 10:30 on weeknights.

Telephone: Norton, ATlas 5-7722.

#### WHEELOCK COLLEGE

#### Boston

Very close to the Simmons campus is Wheelock, a liberal and practical arts college with about 400 residents and day students. M. I. T. men have found attractive dates at Wheelock. The hours tend to be quite liberal. Saturday curfew is 1 a.m.; Friday it's 12:30. Other permissions are granted according to classes.

Pilgrim House	LOngwood 6-9260	Colchester House	6-8453
Longwood House	6-8720		6-8541
	6-9181	Kent House	6-8577
Riverway House	6-9114		6-9026

#### **BOSTON HOSPITALS**

Hidden away at Boston's many hospitals is a gold mine of dating fun. For those few that make contacts at the hospitals, there awaits a particular species of female that seems to have the same dating philosophy as the Tech men. The girls are good for any party—be it sailing, movie, or formal dance. Like most Tech men, the girls wish to forget their work and studies while on a date and really enjoy themselves.

There are disadvantages of dating the girls in white. Their duty hours are very unpredictable and sometimes the weekend schedules are not published until the first of the week. (This usually makes the nurses very excellent last-minute dates to fill in unexpected vacancies but makes long-range planning difficult.) The hours vary

with the school but are generally rather strict.

**Beth Israel Hospital—Brookline Avenue.**—A hospital which is on the popular list.

Information: BEacon 2-4400.

Massachusetts General Hospital—off Storrow Drive—Only a short M. T. A. ride or a 20-minute walk across the Longfellow Bridge, M. G. H. is a favorite with Techmen. Here are over 400 student nurses with whom M. I. T. men rate highly. Informal acquaintance dances are held in Walcott House each month. The students in the last six months of the senior year have unlimited hours—except when they're on night duty.

Don't call after 11 P.M.

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90 Charles	LAfayette	3-9617	Thayer House	3-9656
92 Charles		3-8912	Bartlett Hall	3-8544
4N Grove		3-8869		3-8770
Walcott House		3-9811	Fruit	3-2910
		3-8417	17 Parkman	3-9104

Massachusetts Memorial Hospital—Harrison Avenue,—Another nursing school very popular with M. I. T. men. The girls also hold occasional mixers, so watch for notices posted around campus.

Nurses' homes:

740 Harrison Ave. Circle 7-8552 10 Stoughton Ave. Commonwealth 6-1575

**New England Baptist Hospital—Parker Hill Avenue**—Situated on the top of Parker Hill, this school of 200 girls wins the award for the best view of the city. Many of the girls go home on weekends, so dating might mean a trip to the suburbs.

**New England Deaconess—Brookline Avenue—**A few blocks past Simmons, the school has 160 student nurses and holds occasional mixers. Call ASpinwall 7-4620.

**Peter Bent Brigham—Huntington Avenue**—This school of 133 nurses is sometimes frequented by Tech men. Call LOngwood 6-2270.

#### **SMALLER SCHOOLS**

**Academie Moderne—35 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston** — A really unusual school, featuring ten-week courses in modeling and poise. An acquaintance dance for each new class usually attracts a few Techmen: notices are posted around campus.

Bradford Junior College—Bradford—Still another nearly isolated spot, Bradford is a pleasant one hour's drive north of Boston. There are about 300 party-spirited girls at this school. In spite of the narrow social outlets of the local town, it is quite a popular place with many New England colleges. For those who want to stay away from the city, Bradford is quite handy to Crane's and Hampton Beaches. The Little Red Schoolhouse in Andover is good for dinner and cocktails, while a little farther afield in Danvers is the Putnam Lodge—excellent for dining and dancing. The hours at Bradford include unlimited 12 o'clocks Fridays and 1 o'clocks on Saturdays, with limited overnights.

Telephones are all in Haverhill.

Bradford Jr. College DR 4-6321 Johnson House DR 4-9669 Greenleaf House DR 4-9771 New House DR 4-9723 Hatch House DR 4-9791

Chamberlain's School of Retailing—90 Marlborough Street, Boston—This small specialty school of only about 150 girls has proved interesting to some Tech men in the past. A few are commuters, but most of the girls live in the following dorms:

Page House, 127 Commonwealth Ave.

(second year students)	CIrcle 7-9055
Alexander House, 205 Newbury St. (about 20 first year students)	CIrcle 7-7823
Blair House, 138 Marlborough St. (about 25 first year students)	CIrcle 7-8614
Fay House, 181 Commonwealth Ave.	
(about 45 first year students)	CIrcle 7-9545 or 7-7731

Hours are 1 on Friday and 1:30 on Sat.

Chamberlayne Junior College—130 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston—Often confused with Chamberlain, this school has about 150 students. There are some nice dates there, if you can meet them. Telephone: CO 7-4350.

Chandler School For Women—534 Beacon Street, Boston—Another two-year secretarial school, Chandler has about 1,200 girls, many of them commuters. Although they have no campus of their own, many have cars, and most of the commuters live close enough to Boston to make travel and entertainment problems simple. Call CO 2-9551 before 11.

Emerson College—130 Beacon Street, Boston—Emerson specializes in speech or drama, and some of the girls there are quite

talented. Many commute, but the dormitory at 373 Commonwealth Avenue is visited quite regularly by a few Techmen. Telephone CIrcle 7-8829, CIrcle 7-8727, CIrcle 7-9609.

Emmanuel College—The Fenway, Boston—Considering its size, this school of over 600 students is comparatively little known around the Tech campus. You should be able to meet the girls at the acquaintance dances early in the year, but it may mean a trip into the suburbs if you take her home.

**Endicott Junior College—Beverly Farms**—Another fine two-year school accessible to those with a car, for public transportation to Beverly (20 miles north of Boston) is difficult to say the least. There are 325 girls on this beautiful campus which overlooks Marblehead Bay.

Local social outlets are very restricted, so your best bet is to come back to Boston for the evening. But in nicer weather there are excellent facilities for an afternoon of tennis, swimming, or

picnics on campus.

Watch for announcements of informal house mixers held each fall. The regulations here are fairly liberal, generally 1 o'clock Friday and Saturday nights.

Telephones connecting all lines: WAlker 7-0585.

Fisher Junior College—118 Beacon Street, Boston—This two-year school offers all sorts of secretarial courses to many attractive girls. These future secretaries have sometimes been of real help to some Techmen who are slow at typing term papers. The hours at Fisher are fairly liberal, considering the close proximity of their dorms to most M. I. T. functions. All students have 12:30's on Friday and Saturday nights, with 10:30 permissions on Sundays and Wednesdays. Only about half of the 300 students live in the dorms, but don't ignore these commuters; most of them really appreciate a good time.

Don't phone during 7:30-9:30 study hours Mondays, Tuesdays,

and Thursdays. No calls after 11 any night.

Andrew Hall, 181 Beacon
Florence Hall, 112 Beacon
Edmund Hall, 114 Beacon
Sara Mortimer Hall, 86 Marlborough

CIrcle 7-8237
CIrcle 7-8023
CIrcle 7-8022
CIrcle 7-8238

Franklin Square House—Washington and Newton Streets, Boston—A huge boarding house for about 900 girls, quite similar to a college dormitory. Many of the residents attend day schools in Boston while the others have jobs around town. They hold occasional acquaintance dances which have led to beautiful friendships for some Tech men. The hours are liberal, especially the 2 o'clocks granted the business girls on Saturday nights.

Telephone: KEnmore 6-8300.

Garland Junior College—Commonwealth Avenue, Boston—This art and home economics school of about 300 girls holds mixers, always well attended, at the begining of each term. Hours are ironically 1:30 Friday and 12:30 Saturday, making Garland great for late Friday night dates. Call KEnmore 6-1017 before 10:30.

Katharine Gibbs School—Zero Marlborough Street, Boston—Still another of the Fisher-Chandler type. A few of the Katy Gibbs grads have become Techretaries and often are quite popular with M. I. T. men. Some girls take courses at Gibbs after graduating from college, so you may find some older students there.

**Lasell Junior College—Auburndale—**This two-year school of liberal and fine arts is located straight out Commonwealth Avenue about a half hour's drive from Tech.

The Highland Branch of the M. T. A. runs within one-quarter mile of Lasell (Woodland Station) and the Middlesex and Boston bus, which connects with the M. T. A. at Lake Street (Boston College), runs right by the back of the campus.

Lasell girls have always been popular with Tech men. The Totem Pole is only five minutes from the campus and is quite popular with the girls.

Lasell sponsors many fall mixers in the fall, so don't miss the invitations which are posted around the Institute. The hours are 12:45 for freshmen and 1 for seniors, both Friday and Saturday nights. Telephone LASalle 7-0630.

Lesley College—Everett and Oxford Streets, Cambridge—Lesley is a private teachers' college, located just beyond Harvard. The campus is shown on the Radcliffe map. You will find all types of girls here, too. Some Tech men have done quite well at Lesley.

Newton College of the Sacred Heart—Center Street, Newton—A liberal arts school, Newton contains girls of high calibre, as their popularity attests; 630 fun-loving girls live on this beautiful campus. Transportation is not a serious problem since the Watertown bus or Riverside M. T. A. run within six blocks of the school.

Hours are 1 on Friday and Saturday. For information on mixers, ask for the head of the Social Committee. Call DEcatur 2-6700 before 10 p.m.

Pine Manor Junior College—Wellesley—The campus is not too far from Wellesley College, or about a twenty minute drive from Tech. There actually is very little to do on or around campus, so it is best to head back to Boston. Most of the students have 1 o'clock permissions on Friday and Saturday nights.

Telephone CEdar 5-3010; switchboard closes at 10 p.m.

## The Social Beaver

# AFTER SIX



The following is a far-from-complete list of Boston restaurants (most of them close to M. T. A. service) which have been popular with Tech men in the past. Parking is often a problem if you go by car; so are reservations, both naturally depending on time. The Sunday gourmet must beware; many restaurants are closed Sundays, so ask before going. Restaurant specialties are noted in parentheses.

#### **OLD STANDBYS**

**Al Trager's—448 Harvard Street, Brookline**—Hot knishes and kishke are quite good; be sure your appetite is man-sized, because the portions are. \$1.50 typical if you're really hungry. Parking not too bad.

Chez Lucien—121 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston — Red and white checked tablecloths set the French cafe atmosphere of this unusual restaurant. You will find quite a few Bohemian students adding to the color, but don't be discouraged by the pseudo setting. The food is excellent, especially the more typically French dishes. You can get better steaks elsewhere. The service is reasonably good, but night school French prevails among the help. Prices run from \$2.00 to \$4.50, and they do have a wine list. Lucien was formerly with the French Line, and evidently this is really something. Chez Lucien is an informal place, great before a party or movie.

Chinatown—Beach, Tyler, and Oxford Streets, Boston—An eating experience no one should miss. Don't be fooled by the big signs and bright lights, for some of the smaller places have great Chinese dishes at very reasonable prices. Ask around, but don't be afraid to experiment. Primarily, the idea is to go with as large a group as possible. This allows additional variety at reduced expense. Chinese restaurants never seem to close, appealing particularly to early morning revelers. Chop sticks are in order; they're great sport. Your share of the check will usually run between \$1.75 and \$2.00. Parking is nearly impossible in Chinatown proper, but you usually can park a few blocks away.

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**Dubarry—159** Newbury Street west of Dartmouth—Dubarry is a quiet, informal little restaurant which offers a wide selection of French and American foods. Massive green wooden booths line the walls, and regardless of the crowd they establish a rather intimate atmosphere. Wide variety of foods and wines.

Durgin Park—30 North Market Street, Boston (near Faneuil Hall in Adams Square)—"D. P." is a Tech institution. Durgin specializes in man-sized portions of good, simple Yankee cookery. Durgin is one of Boston's most famous restaurants, and has made but grudging concessions to the twentieth century, retaining its unusual market atmosphere. You can get an epicurean's delight in a 95c meal or stuff yourself with an inch-thick juicy roast beef which hangs over a full sized plate (\$3.95).

Edelweiss Restaurant—197 Green Street, Cambridge (near Simeone's)—Italian menu, prices \$1.00 up, \$1.25 typical. Their coffee alone is worth the trip. Food is quite good, service is adequate. Of considerable interest is the fine job they've done in remodelling a cellar into an attractive restaurant.

Elsie's—71a Mt. Auburn Street, Cambridge (off Harvard Square)—A college favorite for largest sandwiches at lowest prices. Probably more customers per square foot than any other spot in Boston. No tables, and stools are always jammed. Fressers Dream for 85c is formidable, and Elsie's Roast Beef Special at 50c is known for miles.

English Room—29 Newbury Street, Boston, also Number Thirty-Nine, 39 Newbury Street, Boston—Both under the same management; known for distinctive variety of home-baked breads and rolls and outstanding salad. Highly recommended for an inexpensive and tasty dinner.

Essex Delicatessen—1 Essex Street, Boston—Low prices, good food.

F. & T. Restaurant and Diner—304 Main Street, Cambridge (back of East Campus)—Portions large, prices low. Restaurant serves liquor. Good choice for your daily bread.

Honey Bee—700 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge (just beyond Central Square)—Another favorite with the gang for good, inexpensive food. No night spot atmosphere, but they really cater to the college men who want a complete dinner, inexpensive (\$1.00 to \$1.25) and fast. Forty cent cocktails are on the dinner menu. (Lamb chops and spaghetti \$1.10, flank steak 99c).

**Jennie's North End—8 Bartlett Place, Boston**—A favorite for good Italian food at a lower price. \$1.25 to \$1.50 typical, and everything is cooked to order.

Ken's—549 Boylston Street, Boston (Copley Square) — Decent food and prices at about any time of the day.

Kendall Diner—Broadway, two blocks behind East Campus—A good place around the Institute for snacks and quick dinners. Newly rebuilt, very clean. Prices are fair, food is good, service is fast. Open from 8 to 8. Free parking for lazy people.

Cafe Marliave—11 Bosworth Street, Boston (corner Province and Bromfield, near theater district)—Dining rooms and roof garden cocktail lounge. The main dining room approaches the Amalfi for fine Italian food combined with truly professional service. Located near the old Bosworth steps since 1868, the Marliave is justly proud of its long-standing reputation. Reservations are suggested.

Mother Anna's—211 Hanover Street, Boston (next to Callahan Tunnel)—Another favorite in the Italian North End district.

Moderate prices, and food is cooked to order.

Newbury Steak House—94 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston—The food is very good for the price. The Newbury Steak House is very popular with Techmen because of coupons which can be cut out of most M. I. T. publications. You can spend from \$3.00 to \$1.50. The parking situation is usually bad.

The Nile—52 Hudson Street, Boston, off Stuart—A small restaurant serving Syrian and Egyptian food. Shishkebab (Lami-bi-Lahm) and the combination plate are both excellent. The food can range from American to the exotic. The prices range \$1.50 up. Parking conditions are usually all right.

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Le Petit Gourmet—19 Garden Street, Cambridge (opposite Commander Hotel) — Recommended. Food and service both good. Prices are only a little higher than the lowest. Service till 8 p.m. Open Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. only. Closed June till August.

**Pinto's—136 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge—**It's just past the tracks, and the food is ample, edible, and cheap. For lunch the specialty of the house is submarine sandwiches.

Simeone's—21 Brookline Street, Central Square, Cambridge—A favorite with Techmen for hearty, inexpensive weekend meals. Specialize in Italian dishes—great dinners in the \$1.00 and \$1.50 range. Usually crowded Sundays, and service rather slow when crowded. A collegiate crowd, mostly from Harvard and M. I. T., lends atmosphere. Reservations for small groups may be phoned in. A wine list is in evidence, but watch your age. Parking can be found on side streets off Massachusetts Avenue.

Smith House—500 Memorial Drive, Cambridge—Adjacent to Burton House, Smith House is convenient to West campus residents.

Smorgasbord—19 Province Street, Boston (between School and Bromfield Street)—Smorgasbord dinner, all you can eat for \$1.25. Outstanding salads, and their array includes hot foods. Complete dinners with smorgasbord are from \$1.35 to \$2.00. Luncheon smorgasbord is 90c. Open 11:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. except Sunday. No liquor.

Warner Caverly's Diner—Albany Street, next to M. I. T. reactor—Also known as the "grubby grille" to its most earnest supporters. Odds have it that this is the best breakfast around. As *Voo Doo* reported a few years back, their scrambled eggs are the best in the world. Honest. Also extra-large S. S. Pierce juice for a dime. Reasonable dinners for \$1.00 or less. Vegetables aren't outstanding, but desserts usually cut with a heavy hand. Open 24 hours, but closed 1 p.m. Saturday to 9 p.m. Sunday.

#### OTHERS, GOOD BUT REASONABLE

Acropolis—1680 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge—Delicious Greek dishes at reasonable prices.

Amalfi Cafe—10 Westland Avenue, Boston (behind Symphony Hall)—First-class Italian cuisine. The Amalfi serves a great variety

of dishes: the antipasto, ravioli, and scallops are especially good. Ideal for dining before Boston Symphony concerts. Dinner from \$2.20 to \$4.50, with \$2.20 easily adequate. Good wine list. Reservations are preferable. Expect to pay for a parking lot. Open seven days from 11:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Athens Olympia—51 Stuart Street, Boston (near Tremont Street)—Seven days, from 11 a.m. to 12 midnight. Air conditioned. Probably the most popular Greek restaurant. Excellent chicken, lamb, rice pilaf, and baklava. Not too expensive and O. K. for a date. Figure \$1.75 to \$3.00.

**Bavarian Hofbrau—100 Dartmouth Street, Boston—**Good German food, with performing waiters and waitresses (evening). Although the music is Austrian, the beer is distinctly German. Dinners \$1.35 up (sauerbraten \$3.25).

Beacon Hill Kitchen—23 Joy Street, Boston (behind State Capitol)
—From 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. except Sunday. Not the place prior to the theatre or dance. Nineteenth-century atmosphere still lingers on at this charming restaurant on Beacon Hill. Garden patio in the back for warmer days. Food is good, prices reasonable at about \$1.00 to \$3.50.

Boraschi's Grotto—21 Corning Street, Boston (off Tremont)—Very highly recommneded. Sunken "grotto" provides fine atmosphere for a date. Outstanding lasagna and spaghetti, fine chianti, excellent service. What more could we ask? Complete dinner \$2.00 to \$4.50. Reservations a good idea. Seven days, 4 p.m. to 1 a.m. (closed in summer).

Carmen's—85 Charles Street, Boston (foot of Beacon Hill)—Small and intimate, Carmen's is noted for its candlelight atmosphere and fine Italian kitchen. Carmen herself presides, her fee being in the \$2 to \$4 bracket. A reasonable choice on special occasions. Daily 5:30 to 9 p.m. Reservations after 9.

Jim Cronin's (Jim's Place)—114 Mount Auburn Street, Cambridge—Beer-hall atmosphere with appropriate decorations and bar.



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Mount Auburn 47, 107 Mount Auburn Street, Cambridge—A poor man's Storyville; they've got a live jazz band, various coffees and teas, cheese, pastry, and usually a minimum (\$1.50 per on Saturday nights). The place seems to be operated solely by and for Harvard students, but there is evident self-restraint. Location is on the M. I. T. side of Harvard Square, and you will find it hard to spend more than the minimum.

Ola's—14 Carver Street, between Boylston and Stuart, Boston—A small Scandinavian restaurant located on a side street, with a courtyard dining room used on summer evenings. Ola's serves an excellent smorgasbord featuring several especially fine seafood dishes. The rosettes, an unusual and delicate pastry, are a delightful ending to the meal.

Omonoia—164 Broadway, Boston—Typical Greek restaurant. Their a-la-carte baked lamb at 90c is of some interest, and their

Turkish coffee is well up to par. Beer and wine.

Patten's—41 Court Street, off Scollay Square, Boston—Best description is "an expensive Durgin Park." The food and atmosphere are nicer. If you go for old Boston maps on the walls and comfortable "captain's" chairs, you'll like Patten's. Specializes in New England cooking. Service is good, prices are moderate, but the

food is worth it. Parking is rather a problem in this area.

South Seas—21 Harrison Avenue, Boston—Although primarily a Polynesian atmosphere, the place names on the menu circle the globe. With an acute bent for the strange but humorous, the restaurant offers many extraordinary drinks. The Polynesian specialties are highly recommended, though the Cantonese sector of the menu is equally inviting. Entrees from \$1.25 to \$4.25 (flaming ambrosia, \$3.95).

Stella's—9 Fleet Street, Boston (off Hanover Street)—If you're looking for a dining spot for yourself and your date, or are just weary of the old subsistence diet, here's the place to go. Located in the picturesque North End Italian district, Stella's food is among the best Italian cookery to be found in Boston. The service is

usually top-notch and prices are reasonable (although not tea-room tariffs). Dinners from \$2.00 to \$3.75, unbeatable pizza \$1.25 up. Try espresso to top off a good meal, but only if you have at least three fellow imbibers, since it is made to order seven days a week, 11:30 a.m. to 1 a.m.

(Speaking of espresso, probably the best source of espresso coffee makers in Cross Hardware on Hanover Street, across from Mother Anna's. Cost is about \$4.00 up. Beware of the one-piece models in the \$5.00 bracket, because they're too hard to keep close (and we have the seem to prove it)

keep clean (and we have the scars to prove it).

Thirty-Nine Newbury Street—See English Room.

Les Tuileries—370 Commonwealth at Massachusetts, Avenue, Boston—This Parisian restaurant is operated under the same management as the more informal Au Beauchamp. The cuisine is in the best of French style, although more expensive than Maitre Jacques. Les Tuileries is well suited for a special evening. The service is attentive and subtle, and they have an excellent wine list which you should use to advantage. The walls are decorated with an unusual relief mural which, when combined with dim lighting, provides a truly inspiring atmosphere. Like Maitre Jacques, this establishment offers the food and aura which can impress your guests so easily.

Tulla's Coffee Grinder—Mount Auburn Street, Cambridge (back of Harvard Square)—The closest thing to Greenwich Village going, it's small, has well-initialed white tables, coffees and edibles, and music from the record shop next door. Ask them for their checker set—it's encouraged. Sometimes there is guitar strumming. A good place for a coffee date; open at 8 p.m.

Turk's Head—71½ Charles Street, Boston—Very popular coffee house at the foot of Beacon Hill. Live guitar on weekends, and records made by same player are heard on weekdays. Very small place, and they have one of the most interesting espresso makers in town.

Warmuth's—280 Devonshire Street, Boston—A great many people list Warmuth's as their favorite seafood restaurant, and with good reason. Salty atmosphere abounds, and the food is really excellent at moderate prices. Dinner about \$1.50 to \$3.00. Good bar. Aggressively recommended. Open 11 a.m. to 10:30 p.m., closed Sundays and also Saturday in summer.

Window Shop—56 Brattle Street, Cambridge—Be sure to visit this fine Viennese garden restaurant in Harvard Square. This is a really interesting summer spot, for in fine weather you can sit under gay umbrellas in the garden, under trees related to Longfellow's spreading chestnut. The menu features some of the most delicious continental food on this side of the Atlantic at comfortably moderate prices (dinner \$2.40 to \$3.80). Not luxurious nor at the

same time unimpressive, the Window Shop is recommended as the place to show parents or a date your good taste in local restaurants. (French omelet, sauerbraten, coq au vin, vienner schnitzel and French pastry.)

Jake Wirths—31 Stuart Street, Boston—Well known for their old-fashioned German cooking and Jake's Special "Dark Brew." German beer hall atmosphere, but for sauerkraut and weiners or sauerbrauten (Wednesday only) it's great. Closed Sunday. Pay to park or take the M.T.A.

Wursthaus—4 Boylston Street, Cambridge (in Harvard Square—A truly unusual combination - bar restaurant and delicatessen complete with television. They feature some most unusual dinners and special sandwiches which are worthwhile trying sometime. The prices are reasonable and the service is fair. They are very proud of the wide selection of domestic and imported beer.

#### MORE EXPENSIVE AND OUTSTANDING

Jimmy's Harbor Side—248 Northern Avenue, Boston—Apparently a great favorite with Bostonians and tourists. Seafood is the specialty, and a window table in the daytime will afford a fine view of the harbor. An impressive place to take a date. Dinner \$2.00 to \$4.50.

Joseph's—270 Dartmouth Street, Boston (corner Newbury)—One of Boston's very finest for elegant French dining. Same proprietor as Locke-Ober's. Extremely expensive, \$10.00 about par. Note the complete luncheon for \$1.50, though. Many think first of Joseph's when they can afford to pull out all the stops. 12 noon to 12 midnight, except Sunday.

Locke-Ober Cafe—3 Winter Place, Boston—Boston's most expensive restaurant, Locke-Ober's food, service, and wine are second to none. Dinner can easily run to \$12 per person, but this is clearly the ultimate in dining; 11 a.m. to 10 p.m., closed Sundays.

Oxford House—444 Stuart Street, Boston (one block from Copley Square)—Really great steaks and chops served in a delightfully quiet old New England setting. Prices a bit high, but the food and atmosphere are worth it. Full dinners run from \$2.50 to \$5.00 with very generous portions. Pleasant bar included.

Parker House—Beacon and Tremont Streets, Boston—Try the main dining room for excellent food served in the elegant "Old Boston" manner. Tariff about the same as the Ritz-Carleton.

**Polynesian Village—400 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston—**Located in the basement of the Somerset Hotel, the restaurant serves exotic cocktails with South Sea food and atmosphere.

Red Coach Grille—43 Stanhope Street, Boston (behind John Hancock)—American-style restaurant, excellent in every respect. Food, service, drinks leave little to be desired; wagon-wheel-type

atmosphere. Dinners from \$3.00 to \$6.00, and the quality is there. Open every day, 4 to 12 p.m.

Rib Room—400 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston—Also in the basement of the Somerset Hotel. The best roast prime ribs in town can be found here. Average tab runs \$5.50 a person.

**Ritz-Carleton—15 Arlington Street, Boston—**The dining room is large, elegant, and slightly roccoco. The food is simple and expensive (entrees \$1.60 to \$7.00), but service is superb. (Small tenderloin steaks, \$3.50.)

Union Oyster House—41 Union Street, Boston (Faneuil Hall section)—One of the very best in town for seafood. Always quite a few cognoscenti glued to the stools in the old oyster bar on the first floor. Complete seafood dinners run \$3.00 to \$5.00 and worth it. There are a couple of branches in other parts of the town, but their lack of atmosphere puts them pretty well out of it; 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. every day.

#### **NIGHT SPOTS**

Blinstrub's Village—308 Broadway, South Boston—Known as the largest night club in the world, featuring popular recording stars and other famous personalities. Delightful atmosphere, excellent food and drinks. There is no cover charge; minimum of \$2.00 during the week and \$3.00 on the weekends, possibly higher for big names. It is best to get reservations when a "big name" is in town.

Eliot Lounge—Massachusetts and Commonwealth Avenue, Boston—The cocktail lounge most popular with M. I. T. men. Very pleasant atmosphere and reasonable prices. All drinks are 45c before 8 p.m.

Merry-Go-Round—Sheraton-Plaza Hotel, Copley Square, Boston—A pleasant, fairly quiet cocktail lounge, complete with functioning merry-go-round in the center of the room. Very good place for a date and for the time when you may have to entertain a date's or a roommate's parents.

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Totem Pole—Norumbega Park, Newton, at Routes 128 and 30—Large dance hall with cozy atmosphere. Name band dancing at reasonable prices. Usually is \$1.75 a couple, but real big name bands will be up to \$3. Adjacent Norumbega Park is very pleasant in good weather—includes a small amusement park, canoeing and pedal-boating (pedalboats are built for two) on the Upper Charles River. Open Fridays and Saturdays only. No drinks.

We wish to thank the authors of "Beans, Beef and Bourbon," Harland and Ann Riker, for the ideas we borrowed and for the aid we have received from that publication in our own wandering about colorful Bean Town. We highly recommend this booklet as a more complete guide to "wining and dining in the Boston area." At the Coop for a piddling \$1.00 a very worthwhile investment.

We wish also to thank the M. I. T. Graduate Student Council for allowing use of parts of the Guide to Graduate Life, which incidentally has a list of Chinese restaurants. Another very useful publication is the Collegiate Guide to Greater Boston, put out by the Harvard Crimson and distributed free of charge. The fine arts and haberdashers sections are especially useful.

#### TECH AFTER HOURS

It's a little unusual to have to list the affairs that one can find on a college campus. We have felt that such a listing will be a useful guide to newcomers and will help, in some small way, to dispel the stories of the M. I. T. "tool" who never thinks of anything which is not required for a degree. The following is an attempt to list the activities that can be found on campus after the quiz rooms close and the lecturers return home.

There are few of us on campus now who remember what life at the Institute was like before the completion of the Auditorium and the Chapel. The existence of such a meeting place on campus has caused the rebirth of such organizations as "Dramashop" and the "Community Players" which find the intimate atmosphere of the Little Theater, in Kresge Auditorium, a perfect place in which to hold small experimental plays. The L. S. C. is madly in love

with the main hall, and "Tech Show" has returned to the campus after many years of nomadic existence searching for a hall in the Boston area.

Aside from the economies of on-campus affairs (see below), the extensive Institute parking lots add to the desirability of on-campus functions.

Acquaintance Dances—These affairs blossom in great numbers near the beginning of the fall term. An Acquaintance Dance is a method, invented by some great unknown genius, to aid the plot of boy meets girl. Specifically—a large number of boys are admitted (at a cost of approximately \$1.00) to a room containing girls, and may the best man win. Among the more famous of these are the Freshman Acquaintance Dance, the Baker House Acquaintance Dance, and the T. C. A.—Chandler Dance. Watch the bulletin boards.

Athletics—Besides the crew races in the spring and home basketball games in the winter, you can always find some athletic event in progress some place on campus. Admission to any M. I. T. athletic event is FREE to all students.

**Dormitory Dances**—As the school year proceeds and life begins to drag a bit, the dorms get inspired and hold dances. The East Campus' "Fiesta Del Vino" has become a tradition; in the past there have been such wonders as Baker's "Hernando's Hide-away" and Burton's "Bolshevik Bounce." The themes of these affairs are usually closely related to their titles. Admission is usually very reasonable.

**Dramashop**—Dramashop productions are an entertainment bargain of the first order. Admission to the "evening of one-act plays" is free; the full productions have an admission price of \$1.00 per

person.

I. D. C.—The Informal Dance Committee, composed of members of the Walker Memorial dining staff, has but one purpose in life—to sponsor a dance each month of the school year. The music is on records—very carefully selected to please everyone. The decorations, which are designed and constructed by the committee, help to set the mood and the theme for the dance. Candles on the tables add a great deal of class to old Walker. It is really "your best bet for an on-campus date." Admission, \$1.00 per couple.

**Open Bid Fraternity Parties**—Many of M. I. T.'s fraternities hold parties that are open to all—both dorm men and other fraternity men. They are usually mobbed, but the entire deal is "on the

house" (sorry). Watch the bulletin boards.

**Community Players**—A theatrical group composed of members of the Institute staff. They present two productions per year. Admission, \$1.00.

L. S. C. Movies and Lectures—The Lecture Series Committee (see activities) presents a movie on campus every weekend of the school year—usually on Friday and Saturday evenings in Kresge, but be sure to check the colorful posters that are to be found around the Institute. The selection of movies has always been very good, and lately it seems to be improving—always worth 30 cents a head; and a VERY cheap date for 60 cents.

Four or five times during the term the L.S.C. presents a lecture delivered by a well-known personality speaking on a subject of general interest. L.S.C. policy is that these lectures are gratis.

Musical Clubs—Through the year, many concerts are presented by the Concert Band, the M. I. T. Symphony Orchestra, the Glee Club and the Choral Society; these are always announced in advance in the "Calendar of Events." The Baton Society sponsors occasional concerts and the Humanities Department presents a Humanities Series of five concerts, from November through March, in Kresge. You may subscribe to the series or purchase single tickets. Also, there are many excellent organ recitals in both the Chapel and the Auditorium. These are announced in the "Calendar of Events."

#### LESS FREQUENT, BUT MORE PLUSH

Junior Prom—The biggest weekend for the M. I. T. undergraduate body is Junior Prom. Traditionally held on the first weekend in November, it consists of a formal dance Friday night, Field Day Saturday afternoon, and an informal dance-jazz concert Saturday night. A name band is generally on hand for the Friday night formal. On Saturday afternoon the Beaver Key sponsors Field Day, a day of freshman-sophomore competition. The competition is such as to require intelligent planning, preparation, large class participation, and endurance. Saturday evening the M. I. T. community turns out en masse to see renowned artists, like last year's Kingston Trio, provide a most enjoyable climax to the week's activities.

Assemblies Ball—This is unquestionably the most plush dance held on campus, complete with red carpet and a reception line consisting of the biggest names at M. I. T. "Dress requisite"—that means TAILS, men! Tickets for this affair cannot be purchased. A Ball is financed by the profits accrued by the Walker staff from the I. D.C.'s., and tickets are by invitation only—you have to know a Walker staff man. Held in Walker Memorial from 10 p.m. to 3 a.m.; Friday night, naturally, sometime near the end of April.

All-Tech Sing—A concert-contest sponsored by the Baton Society in which singing ensembles from the living groups compete for



prizes, one for the best singers and "Egbert" for the best comical sketch. Must be seen to be believed.

A. P. O. Spring Carnival—One Saturday night, late in April, Rockwell Cage comes alive to the noisy bustle of the Spring Carnival. Under the organizational guidance of Alpha Phi Omega, most of the activities and living groups in the M. I. T. community set up games and other amusements at the admission-free carnival. Proceeds of the booths, which in the past have included such games as Wreck-the-Car and Dunk-the U.A.P., go to charity.

**Dormitory Weekend**—Sponsored by Dormitory Council, this weekend is usually held near the middle of the Spring term. It includes a semi-formal dance Friday evening at a cost of approximately \$3.50, cocktail parties and sometimes a jazz concert on Saturday afternoon, and an informal dance Saturday evening. An answer to a real need for a spring weekend on the M. I. T. campus.

**Dormitory Christmas Semi-Formal**—This affair is also sponsored by the Dormitory Council, and as the name suggests it is held about a week or two before Christmas. The decorations are usually in a wintry vein, with pine trees and snow. As is usual it is held on a Friday night—cost also approximately \$3.50 per couple.

Freshman Class Dance—A couples dance sponsored by the freshman class every year. Held in town and specifically aimed at the freshmen.

**Tech Show**—A musical play that is student-written, student-produced and directed, with a cast of Tech men and girls from Boston University, Emerson, etc. It usually appears about the beginning of March with tickets on sale a few weeks before. Seats are

reserved, and prices vary with location in Kresge.

**Senior Week**—The grand blast to end it all after completion of four years at this glorious school, the week is climaxed by graduation day. Included in this grand week are: a stag dinner, a night at the Pops, a formal dance and a moonlight cruise. Buying tickets for the entire week usually means a saving over the individual cost per event. Undoubtedly the way to complete four years of college.

#### HISTORICAL SPOTS

**Boston Navy Yard—Near City Square, Charlestown—**Many modern battle vessels here for repair or in mothballs; of special interest is the frigate "Constitution" or "Old Ironsides," which is

open to the public.

**Bunker Hili Monument—Breed's Hill—**Located at the sight of the famous battle opened by the command "Don't fire 'til you see the whites of their eyes." There is a museum at the foot of the tower, but for a real experience climb the 221-foot staircase for a great view of Boston.

**Faneuil Hall—"The Cradle of Liberty"**—built in 1742, this building is crammed with stories of early colonial times. Today it serves

both as a museum and a busy market center.

**Old State House—Washington off State Street—**A museum of the Colonial period. Many old prints of early Boston. Admission free — open weekdays.

Paul Revere House—North Square—This oldest frame house in Boston is restored to the condition it was in when its famous

builder lived there.

**State House—On Beacon Hill.**—All sorts of historical relics of significance in American history are displayed in the beautiful marble showrooms. Open to the public.

#### BEACHES

Cape Cod—50 miles or more from Boston—There are many excellent beaches for those who don't mind a longer drive. Two of the most popular are Craigsville in Hyannis and Old Silver and New Silver in Falmouth.

Crane's Beach—Off Route 1-A in Ipswich, 25 miles northeast of Boston—A beautiful extensive beach, complete with sand dunes and surf, but the water is cold. No commercial amusements, but really great for beach parties; however, a recent ruling against

beer has reduced its popularity with the college crowd. Charge is \$1.50 per car on weekends and holidays, \$1 on weekdays. Curfew is 10 p.m.

Duxbury Beach—Off Route 3, about 30 miles southwest of Boston—This is another fine wild beach excellent for beach parties. It is never too crowded and the water is considerably warmer than the beaches on the north side of Boston. Open to the public.

Nantasket Beach—Hull, off Route 128, or take boat from Rowe's Wharf. This is similar to Revere, but being a little farther from Boston, the crowds are somewhat smaller. The Nantasket Boat is the easiest and most pleasant way to get there; round trip is \$2.20. Amusements are confined to the famous Paragon Park.

Plum Island—A little above Crane's Beach—Miles of wide open free beach. Excellent for beach parties away from all crowds and concessions, but you must bring all you need with you. No charge or regulations. The beach and surf are very good, but water is cold!

Revere Beach—Route 1-A, Revere. Can be reached by M. T. A. This is a public resort with all the fixings. Huge sand beach, large midway and amusement center with plenty to see and do. But on pleasant weekends it can really be crowded.

Wingaersheek Beach—Route 128, West Gloucester, 35 miles northeast of Boston. Beautiful beach with rolling sand dunes. Public bathhouses and some refreshment stands. Cost is \$1.00 per car.

#### PROFESSIONAL SPORTS

Boston Red Sox-Fenway Park.

Boston Garden—North Station—The Garden is the home of the Boston Celtics basketball and the Bruins hockey teams. It is also the scene of many intercollegiate contests, ice shows, circus, rodeo, wrestling, boxing, and other events.

#### GOLF

The nearest golf courses are:

George Wright Memorial-M. D. C. municipal course; can be

reached by M. T. A.

Unicorn Golf and Country Club—Stoneham, about 10 miles north of Boston. One-half mile west of Route 28 on William St., Stoneham. This course is never too crowded, but you need a car. Brookline Municipal—must have car for this one too; it is a good course but crowded on weekends.

Charles River Country Club.

Sandy Burr—Off Route 20 in Wayland. Not too crowded—need a car also.

Fresh Pond Golf Course or Cambridge Municipal—9 holes, considered quite poor.

#### SKIING

White Mountains, New Hampshire—The most popular slopes are: Mount Washington, Franconia: cog railway and several tows and lifts; Cannon Mountain, Franconia: aerial tramway, rope tows, and T-bar; Mount Cranmore, North Conway: Skimobile and poma lift; Black Mountain, Jackson: T-bar and rope tow; Wildcat, Jackson: gondola lift and T-bar.

Green Mountains, Vermont—Mostly a little further from Cambridge than the White Mountains, but the snow is often better: Mount Mansfield, Stowe: chair lift and rope tows; Hogback Mountain, Brattleboro; Mad River Glen, Fayston: chair lift and rope tow; Mount Snow, Dover: chair lifts.

Berkshires, Massachusetts—Several small slopes and tows around Adams, Great Barrington, and Williamstown.

Central Massachusetts—With good snow conditions, there can be good skiing as close to Boston as Groton, Littleton, and the Blue Hills. But this is uncommon; don't count on it by planning far ahead.

The ski season usually begins in December and extends into March; but there is good spring skiing on the higher mountains—Mount Washington and Mount Mansfield—and the season may extend into May in Tuckerman's Ravine on Mount Washington.

Be sure to consult the Boston newspapers or the Outing Club for skiing conditions. The Club sponsors ski trips every weekend during the season and during winter vacation. Watch for notices on the main bulletin boards. The Outing Club also rents skis and equipment—rates are very reasonable for members.

#### CULTURAL BOSTON

To the more intellectually minded man-about-town, Boston, once the cultural center of the United States, offers a wide variety of entertainment. For the pleasure-seeker interested in music, there is the Boston Symphony Orchestra, one of the greatest professional musical bodies in the world. Each year, the B. S. O. gives a series of twenty-four concerts on Friday afternoons and Saturday evenings. In addition, there is a series given on Sunday afternoons and Tuesday evenings, and a series at Sanders Theatre at Harvard throughout the school year. Not to be overlooked is the series of open rehearsals given on Thursday evenings. These concerts, although they are called rehearsals, are as good if not better than any of the regular series in the added advantage that tickets are available throughout the season at moderate prices. Tickets for all other concerts, with the exception of those at Harvard, are obtainable by subscription only, but the subscriptions have long since been bought up by proper Bostonians and are next to impossible to obtain.

The Boston Symphony is not, however, the only form of musical entertainment offered in the city. Each spring, usually about the third week in April, the Metropolitan Opera of New York performs a series of operas in the Music Hall (formerly the Metropolitan Theatre.) These, although somewhat expensive, are well worth seeing. Tickets may be ordered through T. C. A. starting about the first week in February. For further operatic entertainment watch for the New England Opera Association performances during the winter season.

The Boston University Celebrity Series offers still another form of musical enjoyment. Each year its manager, Aaron Richmond, brings to Boston a number of outstanding musicians and several well known orchestras. In the past we have heard the Philadelphia Orchestra, the New York Philharmonic, the Concertgebouw Orchestra of Holland, and the Vienna State Opera Orchestra also in the series have been Rudolph Serkin, Nathan Milstein, Arthur Rubenstein, and Isaac Stern. Tickets to these concerts are obtainable by subscription or at the box office starting a few weeks before each performance.

For those who enjoy chamber music, the Gardner Museum offers free concerts every Sunday afternoon. The Chorus Pro Musica, perhaps the finest choral group in America, gives concerts each season in Symphony Hall. In the past they have done the Bach B Minor Mass, the Brahms Requiem, and the Beethoven Missa Solemnis. Boston is also the home of the Handel and Hayden Society, noted for its excellent recording of classical music. Their programs are usually made from earlier composers, and are a real delight for the lover of early classic music.

In addition, there is ample opportunity to hear music in a lighter vein. Each spring the members of the Boston Symphony turn themselves to lighter tasks and become the Boston Pops Orchestra. Under the leadership of Arthur Fiedler, this group gives a series of concerts of light music in Symphony Hall; these are especially attractive because for them the stiff straight-backed chairs are replaced with tables seating five or six, and everything from beer to champagne is served. Tickets for the Pops are obtainable at the box office. In the early summer, the Pops moves outside to play in the evening in the shell on the Charles River Esplanade; for these concerts, no tickets are needed.

Still in the light vein, there are the musicals, several of which open each year in Boston before going to New York. These are usually given in the Colonial or Shubert Theatres and run for a few weeks at most. During past seasons we have seen "West Side Story," "Sound of Music," "Camelot," and "Becket."

For those more interested in drama than musicals, there are

a number of plays given yearly. The Colonial, the Shubert, and

the Wilbur, assuming the role of the Broadway theatres, usually present a number of shows destined to be hits in New York. Most of these, although somewhat expensive, are well worth the money; tickets can usually be obtained a few weeks before the opening, either at the box office or the agents. For those of us with less money to spend, the Charles Playhouse, located on Warrenton Street directly behind the Shubert, offers a number of first-rate plays, such as "Streetcar Named Desire," "Waltz of the Toreadors," and "No Exit." "Although no great names appear in the casts, the performances are excellent and provide an ideal way to spend an evening.

In addition to these more professional theatres, there is what might be called a group of experimental dramatists at Harvard called the Poets' Theatre; seating capacity is limited and the plays more unusual in nature.

There are a number of other forms of entertainment which we have called cultural in nature but which fall in a somewhat lighter category. Each winter a few ice shows are given at the Boston Garden. These usually occur in the dead of winter when everyone is busiest, but they are well worth the time and money if one is interested. There are also a number of first-rate movie houses in Boston which offer films of an unusual nature. At Harvard Square is the Brattle Theatre which specializes in foreign films; in Back Bay the Exeter Street and the Kenmore Theatres offer similar programs. In downtown Boston there are the Saxon, Gary and Beacon Hill Theatres which usually run only special movies like "Never on a Sunday," "Ben Hur," "Exodus," "Fanny," and "Around the World in Eighty Days." Finally, the Boston Theatre, on Washington Street, shows nothing but films in Cinerama.

As you can see, there is a great deal of culture in Boston after six for every taste and pocketbook. If you want tickets, T. C. A. will be glad to lend a hand.

# WHAT IS MAN, THAT THOU ART MINDFUL OF HIM?

Is Christianity "higher superstition", or is the faith of Paul and Athanasius, Augustine and Francis, Luther and Calvin, Wesley and Graham the actual, scientific, and experimental truth about man's place and purpose in life? See for yourself that a rigorous, intellectually honest, biblical Christian faith gives you a place to stand in the universe and the status of a son of the eternal, omniscient, almighty God.

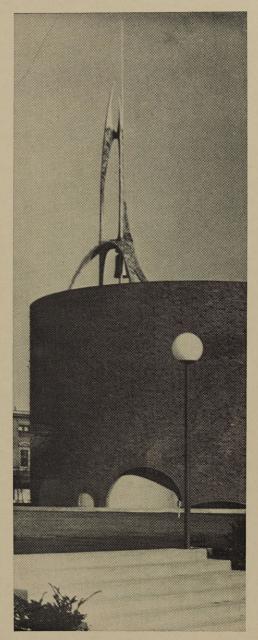
Join scores of other Greater Boston students for meaningful Bible study Sundays at 9:00 a.m. At evening meetings, Sundays at 5:30, competent scientists and scholars from M. I. T. and elsewhere speak out of the perspective of their own vital and committed Christian faith. Worship services at 10:30 a.m. and 7:20 p.m.

# Collegiate Club of HISTORIC PARK STREET CHURCH

(Congregational)

(on Boston Common by Park Street subway)

The
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RELIGION
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M.I.T.



Often the first real challenge to a student's faith occurs when he leaves home and its tradition and comes to college. Here he finds students who are quite willing to attack his beliefs with facile arguments, science that seems to need no God, and writers in his humanities courses who question the existence of a God. In order to remain intellectually honest, a person must answer these challenges or, failing in that, change his beliefs.

Through their activities on campus, student religious groups provide the means for a diligent intellectual search of a student's beliefs. In this way, they attempt to engender religious maturity in the individual.

#### M. I. T. CHAPEL

In designing M. I. T.'s cylindrical brick Chapel, Eero Saarinen sought to provide a building which could be used by all of the faiths represented among the cosmopolitan student body of M. I. T. He wished to create an atmosphere conducive to worship and contemplation by all students.

Windows were excluded from the design because Mr. Saarinen felt the Chapel should be a sanctuary from the outside world. The shallow moat surrounding the building contributes further to this feeling of seclusion.

Instead of windows, there is a ceiling port through which a shaft of light streams down upon the white marble pedestal. The brilliance of this light is enhanced by a screen, designed by the sculptor Harry Bertoia, of glittering gilt bits of metal brazed to vertical rods. These gilt reflectors are more dense in number toward the base tending to keep attention focused on the pedestal.

Additional light is admitted to the Chapel through horizontal panels of glass concealed behind oak wainscoting. Light reflected from the water in the moat passes through these panels and falls upon the walls in shimmering patterns.

The entrance to the Chapel, through a rectangular corridor with walls of gray stained glass, provides a transitional passage from the distractions of the outer world to the contemplative atmosphere of the sanctuary.

The Holtkamp organ, a Bach type, the gift of the late Redfield proctor, is situated in a loft over the entrance of the Chapel. The serpentine form of the brick walls contributes to the excellent acoustics.

The aluminum bell tower was designed by the sculptor Theodore Roszak. The bell combines the Western (flared) and the Eastern (barrel-shaped) designs. Cast of traditional bell metal at M. I. T. it also contains a touch of silver; several students representing different faiths tossed coins into the melt.

#### **RELIGIOUS COUNSELORS' CENTER**

The Religious Counselors' Center at 317 Memorial Drive, housing the offices of the Institute chaplains, provides coordinated facilities for individual religious consultation and for student religious discussions and activities.

On the first floor of the newly renovated three-story building are the office of the chaplains' secretaries, a comfortably appointed reception room, and a small seminar room. A larger seminar room is located on the second floor. The chaplains occupy large offices on the upper floors, where students may confer with them in a quiet atmosphere.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE ORGANIZATION

The Christian Science Organization at M. I. T. was formed in 1921 in accordance with the Manual of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Its purpose is to encourage Christian Scientists on the M. I. T. campus in the study and application of their religion and to promote the growth of Christian ideals in the M. I. T. community. The organization is a recognized student activity on the M. I. T. campus.

Weekly meetings similar to the testimony meetings of Christian Science churches are held each Tuesday at 5:15 p.m. in the M. I. T. chapel. These meetings give Christian Scientists on campus an opportunity to share the results of the application of the teachings of Christian Science to their everyday activities. During the fall semester there is a reception at which an experienced Christian Scientist is invited to speak. There are two lectures on Christian Science each year, one in the fall term and another in the spring, to which the entire M. I. T. community is invited. Through these and its various other activities, the organization provides excellent opportunity in preparation for future branch church membership.

#### HILLEL

The M. I. T. Hillel Society, sponsored by the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundations, strives to encourage Jewish students to live a meaningful Jewish life. There are opportunities for involvement in educational, religious, cultural, and social programs which allow one to express his own interests, convictions, and concerns. Among the goals of Hillel is the fullest spiritual and intellectual development of the individual. An understanding and appreciation of all aspects of Jewish life and thought are emphasized. Major consideration is given to the relationship of Jewish ethics, ideals, and values to modern life.

The Hillel members conceive, plan, and lead a variety of programs and activities: religious services, study groups, lectures, community service, and mixers and parties—encompassing all

areas of student interest and thought. Those who so desire are enabled to observe Shabat and Kashrut and live according to their

religious convictions.

Rabbi Herman Pollack, the Hillel director, plays a central role in the entire program as teacher, advisor, and friend. He helps students with personal problems, plans programs with the students, and leads study groups. The Rabbi is in his office daily at 317 Memorial Drive, the religious counselors' building.

The Hillel educational program includes lectures by the faculty and Rabbi Pollack after Friday evening services, as well as student-led discussions; a series of evening lectures on Jewish history and philosophy; and study groups on such topics as Judaism and science, Talmud, contemporary Jewish thought, Hebrew, Yiddish, and any topic that students desire. Through the Morris Burg Memorial Lecture a leading Jewish scholar is invited to the campus each term to speak to the general community; past lecturers have included Nelson Glueck, Mordecai Kaplan, Abraham Heschel, Meyer Waxman and Gershom Scholem. The Hillel library, recently enriched by a collection of books that was part of the late Rabbi Joshua Loth Liebman's library made available by his wife, provides reference material for these and other programs. It also provides source material for individual study and term papers.

Services are held in the M. I. T. Chapel every Friday evening and Saturday morning, on the High Holy Days, and on all festivals. All of the services and Passover Sedarim are conducted by the students, thereby preparing them for leadership positions in the

adult community.

Cultural programs are based on all phases of Jewish life: festivals, literature, music, and Jewish history and contemporary life in America and Israel. The Student Zionist Organization, associated with the Hillel Society, sponsors programs about Israel and Zionism and their impact on Jewish life in America.

Large fall and spring mixers and a mystery bus trip highlight the Hillel social calendar, which also includes dated parties and smaller social affairs with girls' schools in the area. The Shav'on, the weekly Hillel paper, carries announcements of all Hillel affairs

and also the literary and philosophic efforts of members.

Thus, by establishing a complete range of activities and programs for students of varied backgrounds and interests, the Hillel Society attempts to broaden and deepen the student's understanding of his own traditions, the relation of Judaism to modern science, and the students' relation to society.

#### ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

The activities of the M. I. T. Orthodox Christian Fellowship include a weekly vesper service in the M. I. T. Chapel, monthly meetings with speakers, acquaintance dances, and various lectures and panel discussions; the group is very fortunate to have many fine Orthodox theologians and laymen in the area who have given

very freely of their time.

What can the Orthodox Christian Fellowship do for its members? To begin with, the organization makes it possible for people who share the same religious belief to get to know each other. Each member is given the opportunity to gain greater insight into the Eastern Orthodox faith.

The social activities of the organization are designed to provide the student with a means of relaxation and entertainment through-

out the academic year.

The degree of participation of each member in the activities is left entirely up to him. Everyone, from the new freshman to the hardened senior, is encouraged to assume an office or some such responsible position in the organization. All those who have done so in the past have found it a very rewarding and satisfying experience.

The Orthodox chaplain at Tech is Rev. Arthur J. Metaxas, Saints Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church, 14 Mag-

azine Street, Cambridge, TRowbridge 6-9858.

#### PRCTESTANT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The M. I. T. Protestant Christian Association brings together Christians and those who are interested in a serious consideration of the Christian faith and life. The members of the Christian Association clearly recognize that the prevailing vision of Christian discipleship at M. I. T. is not—as elsewhere—adequate for the age in which we live and that many have never been clearly confronted with the claims of the historic Christian faith and have never committed ourselves personally to the life of Christian discipleship even though closely associated with the Church throughout their lives. The Protestant Christian Association calls Christians to acknowledge and manifest the fundamental unity that lives behind the outward division of the church and to grapple honestly with the question of how to serve God within the life of the M. I. T. campus. The aims of the Association in all its work among the members of the M. I. T. family are:

1. To call each other to faith in God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, according to the Scriptures, and to decisive involvement in

the life of the church.

2. To call each other to mutual fellowship and growth through concern for the renewal of life and manifestation of the unity of

the church by prayer, worship and study.

3. To call each other to be servants and messengers of God's kingdom in the total life of M. I. T. by responsible participation in the life of this academic community and by common involvement in the struggle for peace and justice in the world.

The Protestant Christian Association has a diversified program of worship, study, and social events. There is corporate worship in the M. I. T. chapel at 10:45 a.m. For study there are several Sunday morning forums which meet over breakfast at 9:30 a.m. and a biblical studies group at 5 p.m. on Tuesdays; these study groups meet at 317 Memorial Drive. A curriculum dealing with the relation of faith to life is followed by dormitory groups and in the residential center at 486 Beacon Street. Seminars, retreats, lectures, and occasional social events such as the freshman breakfast and an annual mountain climb are planned with the chaplains of the Protestant Ministry.

The M. I. T. Protestant Christian Association is related to the World Student Christian Federation through the National Student Christian Federation in the U. S. A. It is also related to the New England Student Christian Movement and has the active support of the Protestant Ministry at M. I. T. which includes the chaplains of the Baptist, Episcopal, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian and United Church of Christ (Congregational and Evangelical and

Reformed) denominations.

#### TECHNOLOGY CATHOLIC CLUB

The Technology Catholic Club, the Newman Club at M. I. T., is the Catholic community on the campus. Its membership in-

## CHRIST CHURCH

Episcopal

#### ZERO GARDEN STREET, CAMBRIDGE

The REV. GARDINER M. DAY, D.D., Rector
The REV. JOHN H. SNOW, Assistant
The REV. ALBERT S. LAWRENCE, Jr., Assistant
The REV. RONALD D. MAITLAND, Chaplain

#### SUNDAY SERVICES

8:00 a.m. HOLY COMMUNION 9:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. Morning Worship

Wednesdays and Holy Days 8:00 a.m. and 12:10 p.m., Holy Communion

cludes undergraduates as well as graduates, faculty members, secretaries, and staff. The Technology Catholic Club shares its educational and social program with the entire community at M. I. T.

The Catholic chaplain Reverend J. Edward Nugent, extension 2981; a member of the Paulist Fathers, offers daily Mass at the M. I. T. Chapel and hears confessions in English, Spanish, French, and Italian. The Dialogue Mass gives everyone the opportunity to participate actively in the Mass. The Catholic chaplain, whose office is at 317 Memorial Drive, is always available as a religious counselor, confessor, and friend. The religious program also includes a Mission on campus, a closed retreat, Communion Breakfasts, and Days of Recollection.

The wide spectrum of the Catholic Club's educational program attempts to fill the gap in the students' theological education. Speakers on topics which range from existentialism to Catholicism at Tech under the sponsorship of the Technology Catholic Club. Classes in philosophy and theology as well as several theology seminars are scheduled throughout the week. Every Catholic in the M. I. T. community receives "Challenge", the Catholic Club's

bulletin, which reminds members of future events.

A well-rounded life, at Tech as anywhere else, includes a social dimension. Weekly meetings offer an opportunity for Catholic students to meet each other. The Technology Catholic Club invites girls from local Newman Clubs to attend mixers, dances, parties, and picnics, which are held regularly throughout the year. Participation in the activities of the Boston Province of the National Newman Club Federation provides further opportunity to meet students from other schools.

#### UNITED CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

The M. I. T. United Christian Fellowship is the M. I. T. chapter of the Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship, an international, interdenominational Christian student organization on college and university campuses. The United Christian Fellowship itself is completely student organized and led, although it does have faculty advisers. The purpose of the U. C. F. is threefold: (1) to witness to the Lord Jesus Christ as God incarnate, and to seek to lead others to a personal faith in Him; (2) to deepen and strengthen the spiritual lives of its members by the study of the Bible, by prayer, and by Christian fellowship; and (3) to stimulate interest in and actively support foreign and home missions, and to encourage personal participation in the work of the Church of Christ and other endeavors of Christian outreach.

In order to accomplish these varied purposes the United Christian Fellowship makes use of both informal times of fellowship among its members and planned meetings at regular intervals. These latter meetings include weekly Bible studies in each of the

dormitories, weekly campus-wide meetings, and daily small-group prayer meetings. The Bible studies are student-led discussion groups. At them each person has the opportunity of discovering what Christianity teaches and its relevance to his own life as he examines the Book that is its basis. The campus-wide meetings are of many types, including among others those to which the U. C. F. invites outside speakers and those in which the students attending discuss matters relevant to their own Christian lives. The daily prayer "cell" meetings provide short periods of prayer and fellowship before the start of classes each day. The Fellowship also sponsors occasional socials and fields some intramural athletic teams. In addition, each term is highlighted by a conference held in conjunction with other Inter-Varsity chapters in the Boston area.

That Christianity has had an immense impact on the world, no one can deny. The U. C. F. believes that for this reason, if for no other, each person owes it to himself to make a personal investigation of this historic faith. Therefore, all U. C. F. activities are open to anyone, regardless of his personal convictions.

#### THE PROTESTANT MINISTRY

The Protestant Ministry at M. I. T. is sponsored by the denominations of the chaplains listed below and is devoted to a common goal, the creation of a live, wide-awake, and influential Christian community on the campus. Each of the Protestant Ministry chaplains maintains offices at 317 Memorial Drive. Here they are available for counsel and pastoral care; students are always welcome for conversations with the chaplains. The following chaplains, here to help, encourage and serve the church at M. I. T., officially represent their respective denominations:

Baptist Chaplain, Donald Ihde, ext. 2325.

Episcopal Chaplain, Myron B. Bloy, Jr., ext. 2326.

Lutheran Chaplain, Henry Horn, ext. 2328.

Methodist Chaplain, John A. Russell, ext. 2327.

Presbyterian and United Church of Christ (Congregational and

# THE CHURCH OF THE ADVENT MT. VERNON and BRIMMER STREETS, BOSTON

The Reverend Samuel J. Wylie, Rector The Reverend Peter R. Blynn, Assistant

#### SUNDAYS

8:00 A.M. Holy Communion

9:00 A.M. Family Mass and Church School

11:00 A.M. Solemn Mass and Sermon

6:00 P.M. Holy Communion

7:00 P.M. Evensong

#### WEEK DAYS

7:30 A.M.—Daily—Holy Communion

Fridays, Holy Days—12 Noon—Holy Communion

Confessions: Saturday 12:00-1, 4:30-5:30; Sunday 10:00. Also by Appointment. Evangelical and Reformed) Chaplain, Robert C. Holtzapple, Jr., ext. 2983.

#### UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST

The liberal religious tradition is represented at M. I. T. by informal activities of many kinds centering around the office of the Unitarian Universalist Chaplain, the Reverend Peter A. Baldwin. There are weekly supper meetings for undergraduate and graduate students, an annual seminar series, and occasional special lectures. The chaplain maintains office hours at 317 Memorial Drive, extension 2328.

#### RELIGIOUS SERVICES IN THE M. I. T. CHAPEL

**Roman Catholic:** Mass at 8 a.m. daily, including Sunday, and at 10 a.m. on Sunday; confessions from 12:30 to 1:30 on Thursday in Spanish, French, and Italian; confessions in English from 12:30 to 1:30 on Thursday and Friday.

Jewish Sabbath Services: 7:30 p.m. on Friday and 9:30 p.m. on

Saturday.

**Protestant:** Holy Communion and sermon according to the Episcopal Order on Sunday at 9 a.m.; service according to the Reformed Tradition on Sunday at 11 a.m.; mid-week prayers from 12:10 to 12:30 on Wednesday.

#### ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Stephen and Gainsborough Streets, Boston

Rectory: 70 St. Stephen St. CO 6-2635

Sunday Masses: 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12

REV. J. EDWARD NUGENT, C.S.P. Chaplain

M. I. T. CATHOLIC CLUB

Newman Center for Catholic Students

68 St. Stephen Street, Boston

Christian Science: Service at 5:15 p.m. Tuesday.

Eastern Orthodox Catholic: Service at 5:10 p.m. Wednesday.

Vedanta: Service at 5:15 p.m. Friday.

The Chapel is open daily for private meditation from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. To reserve the Chapel for private weddings and other services, call extension 4861.

#### **GREATER BOSTON CHURCHES**

M. I. T. students are welcomed especially at the following churches in the Greater Boston area:

**Baptist:** Old Cambridge Baptist Church, Massachusetts Avenue and Harvard Street, Cambridge—Sunday worship at 11 a.m. and Baptist Student Association meeting at 6 p.m.

Catholic: St. Ann's Church, 70 St. Stephen Street, Boston—Sunday masses at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m. and at 12 noon; St. Cecelia's Church, St. Cecelia Street, Boston—Sunday masses at 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 11:15 a.m. and at 12 noon; St. Anthony's Shrine, Arch Street, Boston—hourly masses from 1 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 4, 5 and 6 p.m.; and Sacred Heart Church, Sixth Street, Cambridge—Sunday masses at 7, 8, 9, 10:15, and 11:30 a.m.

Christian Science: The First Church of Christ, Scientist, 105 Falmouth Street, Boston.

#### MOUNT VERNON CHURCH OF BOSTON

Massachusetts Avenue and Beacon Street

(at the Boston end of Harvard Bridge)

The REV. HERBERT B. MORRELL, Minister

The REV. JAMES R. SCROGGS, Minister to Youth

Sunday Service 11:00 A.M.

Young Adults' Seminar 10:00 A.M.

The Mount Vernon Fellowship for Young Adults both students and working young people, meets Sunday evenings

Supper at 6:00 P.M.

Social Hour at 7:00 P.M.

Worship and Program at 8:00 P.M.

The Mount Vernon Fellowship will meet in the Social Hall at 6 Massachusetts Avenue Congregational: Mount Vernon Church, Massachusetts Avenue and Beacon Street, Boston—Sunday worship at 11 a.m. and Mount Vernon Fellowship at 6 p.m.; Old South Church, Copley Square, Boston—Sunday worship at 11 a.m. and Christian Student Group at 7:30 p.m.; Park Street Church, Park and Tremont Streets, Boston—Sunday worship at 10:30 a.m. and Collegiate Club at 5:30 p.m.

**Episcopal:** Trinity Church, Copley Square, Boston—Sunday morning prayer at 11 a.m. and Canterbury Club at 6 p.m.; Church of the Advent, Mount Vernon and Brimmer Streets, Boston—Sunday high mass at 11 a.m.

Orthodox Christian: Saints Constantine and Helen Church, 14 Magazine Street, Cambridge; Saint Mary Syrian Church, 8 Inman Street, Cambridge; and Greek Cathedral of the Annunciation, Parker and Ruggles Streets, Boston.

**Hindu:** The Ramakrishna Vedanta Society, Bay State Road and Deerfield Streets, Boston.

**Jewish:** Congregation Beth Israel (Orthodox), 238 Columbia Street, Cambridge; Congregation Kehillath Israel (Conservative), 370 Harvard Street, Brookline; and Temple Israel (Reform), 602 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston—Saturday service at 10:30 a.m.

Lutheran: University Lutheran Church, Dunster and Winthrop

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#### Regular Sunday Program

9:00 a.m. The Service

9:45 a.m. Student Class

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6:15 p.m. Student Supper

7:30 p.m. Student Forum with outstanding speakers

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Church Office: TR 6-3256 Pastor's Home: EL 4-6250 338 Harvard Street Streets, Cambridge—Sunday worship at 11 a.m. and Lutheran Student Association at 6:15 p.m.

**Methodist:** Harvard-Epworth Church, Massachusetts Avenue and Waterhouse Street, Cambridge—Sunday worship at 11 a.m. and Wesley Foundation at 6 p.m.; St. Mark's Church, Park and Vernon Streets, Brookline—Sunday worship at 11 a.m. and Wesley Club at 7:30 p.m.

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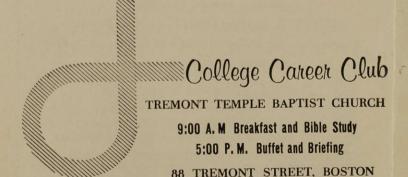
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