



## M.I.T. Sailors Win Regattas, Take 2 Events Last Sunday

M.I.T. sailors took a major inter-sectional regatta Sunday by capturing the Sharpe Trophy at Brown University. The regatta which was sailed against some of the toughest competition in the East was held in the tidal water of the Sekonk River.

The first few races were sailed in strong tide with a very light wind. In spite of the fluky conditions Tech skipper, Horatio Garcia '54 and Peter Felsenthal '54, managed to hold their own for the first three races taking second position in the totals, four points behind the Coast Guard. However due to the equalizing conditions Brown and Harvard were close behind the Engineers.

### Tides and Winds

The afternoon brought a tide shift and fresh winds. The Tech boys took full advantage of the wind to move into first position by one point at the end of the sixth race. Second place Coast Guard couldn't keep up with the Engineers in the last race as they opened their lead to 8 points.

Sailing for M.I.T. in A Division, was regatta high point man Garcia and crew Paul Golden '55. Sailing in B Division was skipper Felsenthal and crew Alain de Berc '55. Final standings gave M.I.T. 84; Brown and the Coast Guard 76; Harvard 75; University of Rhode Island 72; Princeton 54, and Yale 47.

## Fort Devens Visited By R.O.T.C. Seniors

In line with the Department of Military Sciences expanding, get-acquainted program, thirty Army Security Agency ROTC Seniors made an extensive tour of Fort Devens, Massachusetts last Thursday. The group comprised those Seniors who have expressed a preference for active military service rather than graduate study, and was designed to familiarize them with a Military Post's accommodations and facilities.

The all day tour included bus transportation from the Institute to Fort Devens and return. An informal meeting was held with the staff and faculty of the school to which this year's commissioned class will be assigned upon entering active duty. The officers' schooling program was outlined in detail including a review of the research, testing and laboratory facilities. After lunch in the Officers' Club, the seniors were taken on a tour of the new Bachelor Officers' Quarters and other Post accommodations.

### Help In Transition

Colonel Charles F. Baish, Professor of Military Science and Tactics at the Institute pointed out that tours such as this assist the Army ROTC Seniors, who have elected active duty, in becoming acquainted with the operation of a Military Post and provide an excellent opportunity to meet informally those officers who will supervise their future schooling. Tours of this type are but a part of the overall program of assistance to all Army ROTC Seniors making the transition to a military environment.

## Course IV Smoker This Wednesday

A descriptive program of the Course in Architecture at the Institute will be presented, and representative examples of students' work will be shown at the Department of Architecture Freshman Smoker this week.

The smoker will be held tomorrow, Wednesday, April 15 from 4:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m. in the Exhibition Room on the fourth floor of Building 7. Refreshments will be served.

The M.I.T. Sailing team, led by John Rieman '54 ran away with an Octagonal regatta held on the Charles, on Sunday, April 12. During the morning's moderate breeze Tech gained a nine point lead a point at a time over their nearest competitor, Maine. In the early afternoon the wind freshened and Tech increased their lead ten more points to be cut short when the regatta was called two races short of completion, due to rain.

Final standings showed Tech's John Rieman and crew Edward Melaika '53 high point in "A" division after winning five races and taking a second in the other. Adam Bincer '53 and crew Bibi Bincer '53 also managed to top "B" division to give Tech a total of 97 points. Rhode Island ended with 78, St. Michaels 78, Maine 76, Williams 59, and W.P.I. 45.

## Liberal Union Has Policy Discussion

Dean E. Francis Bowditch, Dean of Students, has accepted the invitation of the M.I.T. Liberal Union to speak at its next meeting Thursday, April 16, 5:00 p.m. in the Student Faculty Lounge, Room 2-270. Dean Bowditch will discuss the nature of the proposals that appeared on the dormitory bulletin boards and in THE TECH last week. He will also touch on the matter of general Institute Policy. The Dean has consented to answer questions raised by the students at the meeting. The public is invited to attend.

Thursday's meeting will be the first of a series of meetings dealing with current campus issues, to be sponsored by the Liberal Union. In the future, such matters as the student government reform and the discriminatory clauses in living group charters will be discussed in great detail by the men who are in a position to know the facts.

## Institute Staff Players Plan Spring Presentation Of Shaw's "Heartbreak House" In Huntington Hall

"Heartbreak House," the early World War I play by George Bernard Shaw, is to be presented by the Staff Players of M. I. T. at Huntington Hall on the evenings of April 23, 24, and 25. Norman Ashton, well known to local theatre goers from previous productions at the Institute, the Tufts Summer Arena Theatre, and the Wellesley Drama Group, is the director. Players, all affiliated with the Institute, have had a great deal of experience in amateur and professional theatrical groups.

Mrs. Judson Baron, who works in the Documents Room of the Hood Bldg. Instrumentation Laboratory, will play Mrs. Hushabye. She was the lead in last year's production of Antigone by Staff Players and acted with the N. Y. U. drama group and the N. Y. U. radio station, before coming to the Institute. Her husband is a research assistant in the Aero Engineering Lab.

Glamorous Lady Utterwood will be played by Louise Licklider who is well known to M. I. T. audiences who have seen her in major roles in "Squaring The Circle," "Twelfth Night," "Light Up the Sky," and the "Animal Kingdom." Professional experience in radio, (Station WFOY, St. Augustine, Fla.), leading parts in plays with Tufts Summer Arena Theatre and the Belmont Dramatic Club, attest to her fine acting ability. She is past president of Staff Players and has held several executive offices with the group. Her husband, J. C. R. Licklider, is Associate Professor of Psychology at the Institute.

## Senior Week Set For June 5 To 9; Year's Last Event

This year's Senior Week has been scheduled to run from Friday, June 5 to Tuesday, June 9. The week is open to all Institute graduate and undergraduate students although it is sponsored by the Senior Class. It is the last social event planned for this school year.

### Banquet in Cage

On Friday, June 5, the week will start with a Banquet in Rockwell Cage. At this affair the Class of '53 mugs will be presented. Saturday will see an informal dance in Walker Memorial, including a carnival. Sunday is the day of the Annual Outing, the site of which has not yet been announced. Monday night will feature a boat cruise from Boston Harbor to Nantasket and return. On Tuesday night, the week-end will wind up with a formal in the Sheraton Plaza Hotel.

At the formal the "Texas Fifth" will be awarded to the holder of the lucky option. The "Texas Fifth" an enormous bottle of Kentucky Bourbon, is now on display in the lobby of Building 10. The date for the final sale of options has been set for April 17.

## Formal, Cocktails Featured By I. F. C. As Spirits Run High

By Symoss '56

Last Friday saw the beginning of another memorable interfraternity weekend. The affairs got underway at 9:00 p. m. with the formal held at the Sheraton Plaza Hotel. Ruby Newman presided over the dancing while Vic Dickerson and his Mahogany Hall all stars provided entertainment on the dixieland side during intermission. A crowd of about 425 to 430 couples attended the ball. Chaperoning for the evening were Deans Bowditch and Brooks, Provost Stratton, Doctor Chamberlain, and Professor...

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## Dietz Will Head Reorganized Building Construction Course

Appointment of Dr. Albert G. H. Dietz as Acting Head of the Course in Building Engineering and Construction has been announced by President James R. Killian, Jr. Dr. Dietz will succeed Professor Walter C. Voss, who retires next June but who will remain at the Institute as Professor Emeritus and Lecturer.

## "Meaning Of Life" For Three Faiths Conference Topic

"The Meaning of Life" will be the theme of the Technology Conference on Religion to be held this week. Three of Boston's outstanding public figures will speak at three sessions.

Swami Akhilananda will discuss Hindu beliefs on this subject today. He came to America for the specific purpose of giving the people of this country a better understanding of Hindu philosophy. He has written several books including "Mental Health and Hindu Philosophy" and "Hindu Psychology: Its Meaning for the West."

### Existentialist's View

Professor Ralph Harper of Harvard University will give the Existentialist's view of the meaning of life on Wednesday, April 15. Professor Harper although not an Existentialist, has made a thorough study of this new religion and has explained its philosophy in a book entitled "Existentialism."

Dr. Samuel H. Miller will present the Christian outlook on the meaning of life in the final lecture to be given on Thursday, April 16. Dr. Miller has a broad knowledge of Christian doctrine and tradition and has written a book entitled "Life of the Soul."

### Take Place in Library

All three lectures will take place in the Hayden Library Court at 5:00 o'clock, on the above mentioned days. Each talk will be followed by a free discussion, with questions from the audience.



STAFF PLAYERS IN ACTION  
left to right, Marjorie Hamaker as "Ellie Dunn", Harvie Hay as "Boss Mangan", and Chelly Baron as "Mrs. Hushabye"

### Other Players

Marjorie Hamaker, playing her first major role with Staff Players as Ellie Dunn in Heartbreak House is wife of Staff Player president, Richard Hamaker (Executive officer of Dynamic Analysis and Control Laboratory) and secretary in dept. of Civil and Sanitary Engineering. She has had a part in dramatic productions at B. U. and was active with the Lynchburg Little Theatre in Virginia.

Nurse Guinass will be played by Judy (Mrs. Walter) Rosenblith. It's her first major role for Staff Players, too. Mrs. Rosenblith who is a social psychologist (working for National Opinion Research Centre), acted in U. C. L. A. and Rapid City, S. D.,

Little Theatre groups. Her husband is in the Communications Biophysics section of the Electrical Engineering Department.

Captain Shotover, eccentric British Sea captain, will be played by British-born David Goldstein, who is doing graduate work towards a Ph. D. in Chemical Engineering. Mr. Goldstein, who gained much of his theatre experience by directing, acting in and producing plays in the R. A. F., was one of the major characters in "Arms and the Man" (Staff Players, Spring 1952). He is treasurer and master set-builder in Staff Players.

LeMessurier Plays Hushabye  
Dashing Hector Hushabye is to be  
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Beginning July 1, it was also announced, the course will operate as part of the Department of Civil and Sanitary Engineering and its instructing staff will be included in this department.

"Because the building construction industry occupies such a vital place in the social and economic structure of our country, it is important that this phase of the Institute's activities be developed to the fullest extent possible," said President Killian. "Related as it is to both Civil Engineering and Architecture, it is nevertheless essentially engineering in character. For this reason the course will become affiliated with Civil Engineering, but a close liaison with Architecture will be maintained."

### Educated at Miami

Dr. Dietz was educated at Miami University and The Institute, where he was awarded his doctorate in 1941. Appointed instructor in 1938, he was promoted to assistant professor of structural engineering in 1941, associate professor in 1946, and full professor in 1950.

During World War II he was on leave of absence from M. I. T. for special work with the Office of Field Service, Office of Scientific Research and Development. For his outstanding service in this connection, Dr. Dietz was awarded a certificate of appreciation from the Army and Navy in 1948. In 1950, he was appointed to the Civilian Defense Organization Committee and the Governor's Advisory Council on Civil Defense in Massachusetts.

In June, 1951, Dr. Dietz was appointed to a commission on engineering education to go to Japan for consultation with the Japanese Ministry of Education, a project sponsored by the American Society for Engineering Education and the Unitarian Service Committee.

Dr. Dietz is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the American Society for Testing Materials. He has lectured extensively and is editor of a book entitled "Engineering Laminates." He is also the author of "Dwelling House Construction," and of "Materials: Wood, Plastics, Fabrics."

In 1936 he was married to Ruth Avery of Lorain, Ohio. Dr. and Mrs. Dietz make their home in Winchester (Mass.) with their two children, Margaret, 14, and Henry, 11.

### Joined Staff in 1928

Professor Voss joined the staff of the Department of Building Engineering and Construction as an associate  
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## Governor's Codfish Disappears; Scent Leads To Institute

A grave charge was lodged against the Institute last week. According to several of the Boston newspapers, M. I. T. students are under strong suspicion as the hi-jackers of the coat of arms (a metal cod) which hangs in Governor Herter's office.

"Those so-called budding atomic scientists at M. I. T. are just soft enough to do such a thing," said an unidentified State official. "You know, they start working around those atom-smashers and pretty soon some of that uranium gets into their brains" he added.

Harvard, Boston College, Northeastern and Boston University were also under suspicion.

This same emblem disappeared just 20 years ago but was later found at an institution of higher learning on

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### APRIL 15 TO APRIL 21, 1953

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15

Seabury Society. Episcopal Holy Communion Service. Tyler Lounge, Walker Memorial, 7:45 a.m.  
 School of Architecture and Planning. Films from India. Room 7-403, 3:30 p.m.  
 Architecture Department. Orientation meeting for freshmen. Room 7-437, 4:00-6:00 p.m.  
 Electrical Engineering Department. Social meeting for Course VI-A students, staff, and company representatives. Hayden Library Lounge, 4:00 p.m.  
 Mathematics Department. Lecture: "An Analogue in the Plane of Hilbert's Transform." Professor Arne Beurling, Institute for Advanced Study, Room 2-229, 4:00 p.m.  
 Catholic Club. Annual Spring Social Meeting. Room 2-290, 4:30-6:30 p.m.  
 Technology Christian Association. Conference on Religion. Lecture: "The Meaning of Life—II." Professor Ralph Harper, Harvard University. Library Court, 5:00 p.m.  
 Motor Sports Enthusiasts Club. Film: "1952 Le Mans 24-Hour Road Race." Room 31-161, 5:15 p.m.  
 Optical Society of America—New England Section. Lecture: "Some Observations on Electron Optical Properties of Biological Materials." Professor Robley C. Williams, University of California. Room 50, Physics Department, Boston University, 8:00 p.m.

#### THURSDAY, APRIL 16

School of Architecture and Planning. Lecture: "Innovation in Housing—An Economist's View." Mr. Frederick E. Balderston, Room 7-437, 4:00 p.m.  
 Physics Department. Colloquium: "Photoconductivity and the Trapping of Minority Carriers in Silicon." Dr. J. A. Hornbeck, Bell Telephone Laboratories, Murray Hill, N. J. Room 6-120, 4:15 p.m.  
 AIEE-IRE—Student Branch. Lecture: "Communications Techniques." Dr. H. S. Osborne, (ret.), American Telephone & Telegraph Company. Room 10-250, 5:00 p.m.  
 Lecture Series Committee. Film: "Anna Christie." Room 1-190, 5:00, 7:30, 9:30 p.m.  
 Technology Christian Association. Conference on Religion. Lecture: "The Meaning of Life—III." Rev. Samuel Miller, Professor of Theology, Andover-Newton Theological School. Library Court, 5:00 p.m.

#### FRIDAY, APRIL 17

Mechanical Engineering Department. Lecture: "Economic Problems in Nuclear Power." Mr. Philip Sporn, President, American Gas & Electric Service Corporation. Room 3-270, 11:00 a.m.  
 Mechanical Engineering Department. Lecture: "Measurements of Recovery Factors and Heat Transfer Coefficients for Supersonic Flow Over Flat Plates." Mr. R. H. Shoulberg, Room 3-270, 4:00 p.m. Coffee in Room 3-174 from 3:30-4:00 p.m.  
 School of Architecture and Planning. Lecture: "The Development of the Modern Movement in Architecture—IV." Professor Kay Fisker, Royal Academy, Copenhagen, Denmark. Room 7-437, 4:00 p.m.

#### TUESDAY, APRIL 21

Committee on Machine Methods of Computation. Seminar: "An Economic Computer Proposal." Major Paul Baldwin, Project Lincoln. Room 4-231, 4:00 p.m.  
 Mathematics Department. Lecture: "The Topology of Lie Groups." Professor Armand Borel, The Institute for Advanced Study. Room 2-229, 4:00 p.m.  
 AIEE-IRE—Student Branch. Lecture: "Loudspeakers, Amplifiers, and Baffles." Dr. Leo L. Beranek. Room 6-120, 5:00 p.m.  
 Christian Science Organization. Subject: "Brotherhood." Tyler Lounge, Walker Memorial, 5:15 p.m.

### EXHIBITIONS

Photographic Salon prints from Photography Magazine will be on display in the Photo Service Gallery, Basement of Building 11, through April 19.  
 The Sixth Annual Members Exhibition of Boston Printmakers will be on display in the New Gallery of the Charles Hayden Memorial Library through April 24.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The Calendar of Events will be omitted next week, April 22-28. Material for the Calendar of April 29 to May 5 is due in the Office of the Editor, Room 7-204, not later than noon on Thursday, April 23.

## through the mail

We have received a great many letters in answer to our editorial of April 10 concerning dormitory policies. We will endeavor to print as many of these comments in the next few issues of THE TECH so long as space will permit. We feel that it is this expression of opinion by all parties concerned that a most satisfactory conclusion will be reached on the question of dormitory regulations. May we suggest that all letters be limited to 400 words in length.—Ed.

### To the Editor of THE TECH:

In last Friday's issue two examples of thoughtless and irresponsible immaturity appear glaringly evident. The first involves the paper's handling of the "Dormitory Regulations" question; the second is concerned with a letter to you in which the writer berates the campus politicians and their handling of the proposed All Tech Dance.

Your treatment of the Dorm regulations affair demonstrates an evil of which many of the nation's newspapers have been accused, that is—letting your editorial policy color your choice of news items as well as the reporting of these items. Your printing of the original draft of the Dean's statement could serve no other purpose than to arouse resentment in all quarters. You knew, or should have known, that major elements of the statement had been changed and that others were in a state of flux as a result of consultation with dormitory student leaders.

The whole tenor (I do not say your intent) of the article reporting the April 8 meeting seemed to be one of sly contempt for the Dean's sayings and ideas. The article seemed to glorify the attitude of the youngster who "smartly" interrogated, "if no unstable students are admitted, why are you (Bowditch) trying to regulate them with these rules?"

"Your editorial speaks of student freedom and liberties. I agree with

the substance of it, but I feel however that the degree of freedom should be commensurate with the individual's degree of maturity and his ability to accept responsibility. Until one demonstrates through maturity (which incommensurate with the individual's includes an ability to give fair treatment to ideas at variance with his own) that he is capable of accepting responsibility, it is not wise to overburden him with too much freedom or too many responsibilities.

To pass on to the nameless gentleman who appears to have an abhorrence for "campus politicians." He seems to be afflicted with a disease common to many; that of being perfectly able to condemn policies and their makers, but not possessing the gumption or interest to offer constructive suggestion. I know and have worked with the men on the committee, and am sure that they are not only competent, but that they also would be extremely receptive to ideas offered in a constructive and amicable fashion.

With regard to the anonymous nature of the letter, I condemn no one for honest convictions, but I have little respect for one who does not have the backbone to pen his signature at the foot of his convictions.

VINSON W. BRONSON Jr. '53  
April 12, 1953.

Editor's note: Mr. Bronson implies that we have not given "fair treatment to an idea at variance with (our) own." If we were guilty of this, Mr. Bronson's letter would never have appeared in this newspaper. "Fair treatment," in our interpretation, does not mean that we must refrain from expressing an opinion af-

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## Course II To Have Three Room Lounge By Next September

Plans to provide a gathering place for Mechanical Engineering students and a professional and social center for the Course II staff have been completed. It is expected that they will be ready for use next fall depending upon the success of an appeal to the alumni for funds.

The staff room is to be named after Edward F. Miller who was head of the Department from 1912 to 1933. The student room has not been named officially. Suggestions are welcome. The space made available is the little used locker room in the basement of Building 3, directly below Department Headquarters. When built, the room will contain much needed facilities for professional activities, social meetings and study.

### Three Years in Planning

Plans for the room and estimates on the costs of construction and furnishing were completed by various student committees who also made a detailed study of rules and regulations for operating and maintaining the room. The three years of planning by the students have been aimed at stimulating a co-operative spirit between the faculty and students. The class of 1951 initiated action along those lines by inaugurating regular faculty suppers and a series of coffee hours.



## Anyone here named "Cannonball" Frobisher?

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# Track Season Opener Soon; Interclass Meet Saturday

Another Spring Outdoor Track Season officially opens with the running of the annual interclass meet this Saturday, April 18.

Later on in the season, the varsity will compete against four schools, three of them here, providing an excellent home schedule. The Frosh will play host to five clubs, while competing away once.

The season's toppers consist of two multi-school tournaments, namely: The New England Intercollegiate tourney at Brown, and the IC4A at Randalls Island. Coach Oscar Hedlund will probably choose his most worthy members of the squad to compete in these meets.

The Interclass meet this Saturday is open to any member of the student body, as was the indoor meet on March 21. It may be recalled, that the Sophs showed their superiority that day, with the Frosh a close second. This meet should be quite interesting since the few field events, not included at outdoor competitions, may give the Frosh the added strength to overcome '55's track power.

Medals will be awarded for the first three places in every event. Under-

## "Arts In America" Topic Of Program Sponsored By NSA

The New England All-College Conference, a year-old organization of students from 35 colleges and universities in this area, sponsored by the National Student Association, will present a three-day program on "The Arts in America—An Evaluation," on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, April 24, 25, and 26, at Boston University. Last year the group presented sessions on U. S. foreign policy which attracted nearly 800 students and public.

A discussion on "Censorship in the Arts," on Friday, April 24, in Hayden Hall, 685 Commonwealth ave. at 8:30 p. m., will open the 1953 conference, and the Saturday, April 25, meetings include 12 panel discussions by leaders in the fields of fine arts, mass media, literature, and art and society.

### Dylan Thomas To Lecture

One of the highlights of the Saturday sessions will be a program by Dylan Thomas, now on a one-year tour of the United States presenting readings of his and other poet's works in Jordan Hall at 8:30 p. m. Tickets may be purchased for this at the box office that night or as part of the over-all registration fee for the conference program.

Registration for students and the public for all of the conference programs is now being conducted at each of the member colleges, and by mail at the Phillips Brooks House, Harvard University.

In addition to the conference program a literary contest open to all students in New England colleges, is being sponsored and on Saturday, April 18, at Jordan Hall, five Boston music students from Harvard, Boston University, Brandeis, and the New England Conservatory of Music, will have first performances of their compositions performed by fellow students. Throughout the month of April the Boston Public Library is exhibiting painting, prints, and ceramics done by students at Boston University College of Practical Arts and Letters, Vesper George School of Art, and Museum School, and the Harvard School of Design.

## Reorganization of Course

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professor in 1928. In 1931 he was appointed professor and in 1940 he became Head of the Department. He has been a consultant in architectural, construction and materials since 1919, and is a licensed architect, master builder, and registered engineer.

Professor Voss is a graduate of the Chicago Teachers College where he was a scholarship student and from the University of Illinois where he received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering with both preliminary and final honors in 1912. He also holds the degree of Master of Science from the Institute.

classmen only, though are eligible for these.

### Track Team Schedule

Interclass Meet, April 18.  
Gov. Dummer—F.—April 22.  
Springfield—V,F—April 25.  
Tufts—V,F—May 2.  
New Hampshire\*—V,F—May 9.  
Northeastern—V,F—May 16.  
Moses Brown—F—May 21.  
New England Intercollegiate\*—  
May 22, 23.

IC4A\*, May 29, 30.

V—Varsity.

F—Freshmen.

\*Away Meet.

### WMIT Schedule Of Classical Music

#### TUESDAY

8-9:30 CONCERT HALL  
Mozart: Clarinet Concerto  
Tchaikovsky: Sleeping Beauty  
Haydn: Trumpet Concerto  
Segovia Recital  
10:15-12 MUSIC FOR MU-32  
Beethoven: Symphonies 2, 3 and part of 4

#### WEDNESDAY

8-10 CONCERT HALL  
Haydn: Symphony 99  
Grieg: Peer Gynt Suite  
Handel: Royal Fireworks Music  
10:15-12 MUSIC IMMORTAL  
Rimsky-Korsakov: Scheherazade  
Chopin: Sonata in B flat  
Borodin—others: Tati-Tati

#### THURSDAY

8-10 CONCERT HALL  
Brahms: Symphony 3  
Albinoni: Sonata for Strings  
Berlioz: Symphonie Fantastique  
10:15-12 MUSIC IMMORTAL  
Strauss: Ein Heldenleben  
Brahms: Symphony 4  
Tchaikovsky: Eugen Onegin

#### FRIDAY

8-10 CONCERT HALL  
Goeb: Symphony 3  
Mozart: Piano Concerto 20  
Weber: Invitation to the Dance  
Khatchaturian: Gayne Suites 1 and 2

## Heartbreak House

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acted by Assistant Professor of Structural Engineering William LeMessurier, who played lead roles in two previous spring productions of Staff Players (Animal Kingdom and Arms and the Man).

James Aitken, as Mazzini Durn, has wide variety of experience in and out of the theatre. Born and brought up in Scotland, he served his apprenticeship for draftsman work in Glasgow, working in his spare time with a professional acting company which put on one night shows. After sojourns in Vancouver, the Yukon, and Washington State he came to this area of the U. S. He is now head of the drafting section of the Dynamic Analysis and Control Laboratory; lectures on Robert Burns, and the Yukon locally, and wrote, directed and produced a play, "Meeting the Budget," which was given—entirely in verse form—at the Old Cambridge Baptist Church last year.

### Players Have Experience

Harvie Hay, completing graduate work in Industrial Relations, is Boss Mangan; William Bohmert '54, undergraduate president of Drama Shop, is

## 200 People Watch MIT, Harvard Play To 0-0 Tie In Rugby

About 200 spectators saw the Harvard and Tech rugby teams play to a 0-0 tie last Saturday afternoon.

The game was even all the way through, and turned out to be quite uneventful. Both teams failed to take advantage of the few breaks during the contest. Tech had beaten Harvard during a scrimmage previously, but Harvard played without the aid of their graduate students.

The rugby team travels to oppose Princeton and the New York Rugby Club this week. The following week will see Dartmouth and the West Mt. Rugby Club of Montreal tangle with Tech here. Harvard and perhaps Yale, will be scheduled later in the season.

Randall Utterwood; and Lamar Washington, also an undergraduate at the Institute (working part time at the Research Laboratory for Electronics), is the Burglar. Hay appeared in Antigone, Bohmert in Light Up The Sky.

## Junior Muglift Set For May 8 In Cage

Rockwell Cage will be the scene of the Class of '54 Muglift on Friday, May 8. Tickets, which will be priced 99c (tax free), will be on sale the last week before the event.

Mugs will be available with the tickets at the booth in Building 10, and will be priced at \$1.50. The committee in charge advises everyone that those who do not buy mugs will be forced to drink from paper cups, a much slower process. There will be pretzels, potato chips, cokes, and all the beer the customer can carry away (internally).

### Teams to Compete

Royal C. Riedinger, Secretary-Treasurer of '54, is taking applications for entries in the crew races. Living groups and clubs are organizing drinking teams to compete on a capacity-time basis for liquid prizes.

Tickets for Heartbreak House may be obtained at the TCA office in Walker Memorial.

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# THE DU PONT DIGEST

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## Instrumentation

Modern manufacturing trends at Du Pont bring ever-increasing opportunities for technical men

Do you think of instrumentation as applying only to work in electricity and electronics?

Or would you also include problems in chemical processing, materials of construction and materials handling, as well as application of equipment—both mechanical and hydraulic—for measurement and control systems?

At Du Pont, instrumentation is applied to widely diverse areas of manufacturing operations. It calls for many different technical backgrounds. In a typical instrument group there may be men whose formal training has been in mechanical, chemical, electrical or metallurgical engineering, or in physics, etc.

Instrumentation is becoming more and more important in the chemical industry. In fact, many of today's processes and products would not be possible without modern measurement and control systems. The trend toward continuous processes means challenging and constantly increasing opportunities for instrumentation men.

Du Pont's instrument program includes research, development, design, and supervising installation of process control equipment. Some of the work is done in the central Engineering Department at Wilmington. However, most of the major plants across the country now have their own organized instrument groups.



Paul D. Kohl (left), B.S. in M.E., Purdue '46, checks the assembly of an experimental control instrument.

So you may visualize the scope and diversity of the work, here are examples of instrumentation recently developed and designed by Du Pont technical men:

1. A device to measure flow of approximately 30,000 lbs. per hour of gas at more than 10,000 p.s.i. To give 1.2% accuracy and be responsive to flow-changes of five cycles per second.
2. A device to monitor continuously 1200 similar temperatures. Equipment to record temperature and sound alarm at a deviation of 1°C. from desired point.
3. An automatic control system to maintain a predetermined pressure-temperature relation in a large-batch autoclave during spontaneous reaction between two chemicals.

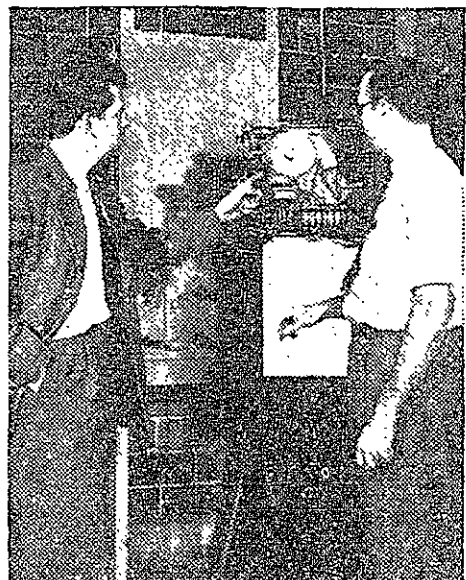
Thus it can be seen that Du Pont instrumentation is limited to no single avenue of engineering. Men with an aptitude for the work get experience in many phases of the Company's technical activities—and an excellent background for positions in management and administration.

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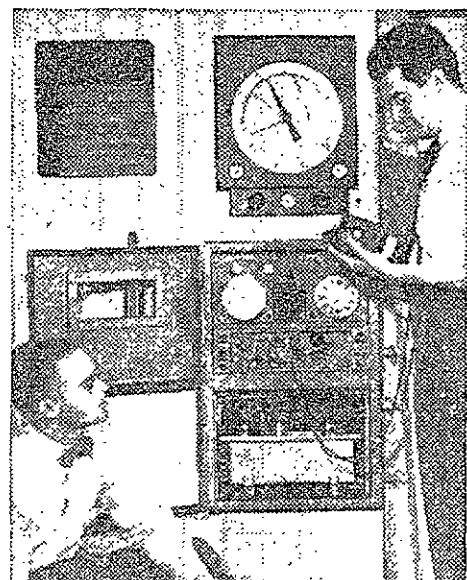


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Fred R. Struder, B. Metal W., Rensselaer P.I. '50, examines a pressure strain recorder with Allen R. Furbeck, E.E., Princeton '39.



Richard G. Jackson, B.S. in Ch.E., Columbia '42, and Gregory L. Laserson, Ph.D. in M.E., Columbia '49, test an infrared gas analyzer.

# U. N. Charter Revision Conf. Begins Friday

The first conference on United Nations Charter revision in the United States, will be held at Harvard University April 17-18-19, and is open to the public. Registration will begin at Phillips Brooks House, Harvard, from 4 to 8 p. m., Friday, April 17th. Conference sponsors are the National Student Association, United World Federalists, and Students for Democratic Action.

William Agar of the U.N. Department of Public Information will open the conference. Other speakers will include Vernon Nash, author of "It Must Be Done Again"; Gordon Hall, famed researcher of fascist and isolationist activities; William Fraser of the Quaker Team to the U.N.; and H. Donald Wilson of N. E. United World Federalists. The agenda will include discussion panels, a buffet supper, an international folk dance, and organizational workshops.

### Students Can Attend

Adults and students throughout New England are invited to attend the three day conference. The \$2.00 registration fee will also include the Saturday buffet supper. Sleeping accommodations will be provided to conference guests without charge.

Concerning United Nations Charter revision, John Foster Dulles stated on December 12, 1952 that, "There will probably be a general meeting of the members to review the United Nations Charter in 1955."

"That meeting corresponds in importance with the original San Francisco Conference of 1945. The free people of this country should take the lead in making the United Nations

# Dean Burchard Will Speak This Friday At MIT Oneg Shabbat

Dean John E. Burchard, Dean of the School of Humanities and Social Studies at M.I.T., will be the guest speaker at the Friday evening services and Oneg Shabbat that will be held in the Hayden Library Lounge, on April 17, at 8:30 o'clock. Dean Burchard will speak on THE WALL by John Hersey.

The service and cultural program, sponsored by the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation at M.I.T., Simmons, Tufts and Jackson, will be conducted by Richard Bienenfeld, Benjamin Hayem, and Melvin Weiner.

into a more effective instrument for achieving international order and justice."

### Letter

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ter consideration of the question, viewing both arguments. We have not disregarded those opinions in reaching our own conclusion. One tolerates an opposing opinion only if there is an opportunity to combat it. If resentment is being aroused due to our printing of the full text of the Dean's "memorandum" it is perhaps due more to the contents of the report rather than our printing of it. What Mr. Bronson fails to see is that if a news item is worthy of editorial comment it is certainly worthy of being written as a news story. We honestly consider the story on page one of Friday's issue of THE TECH a fair and objective one. It was not printed at the expense of any other news story which was deleted to make room for it. It's author was well aware that certain items were subject to alteration and clearly indicated the changes

### I.F.C. Weekend

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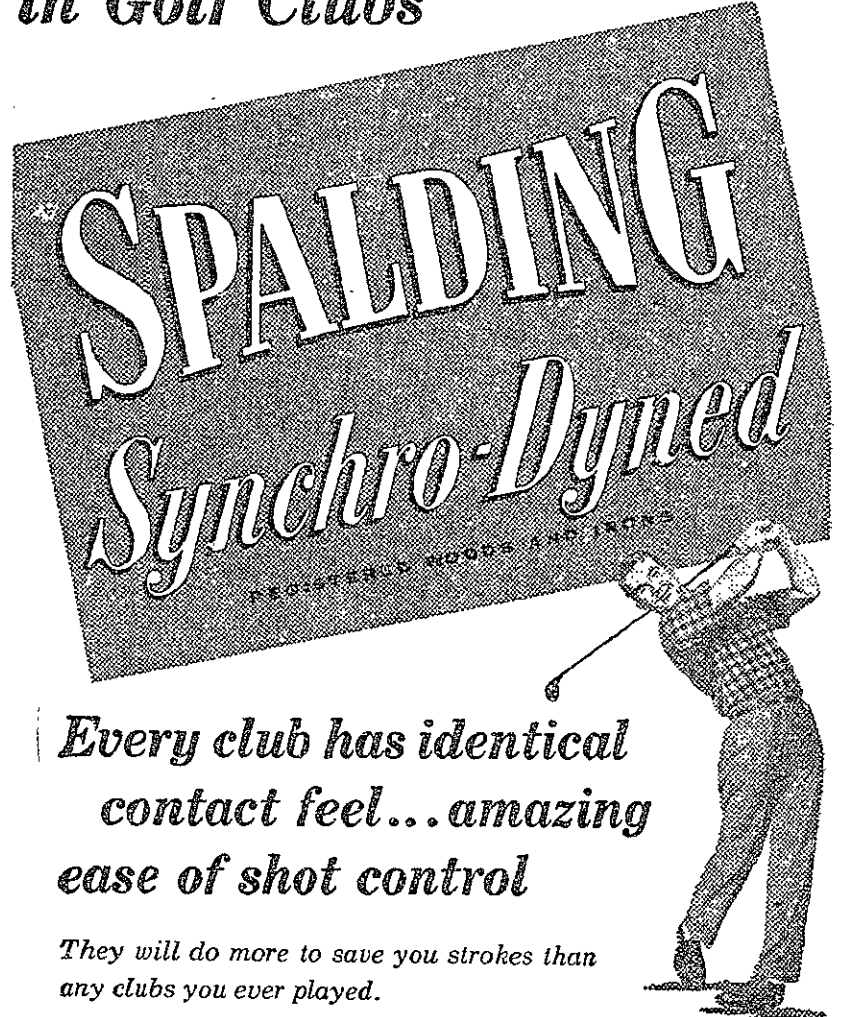
sor Geiger and their respective wives. Favors were in the form of I.F.C. leather-covered folders describing the that were being considered. The short paragraph preceding the text of the memorandum also indicated this fact. The only bias involved is that which the prejudiced reader himself supplies and reads into the story. We vehemently counter Mr. Bronson's—or any other person's—implications of our resorting to yellow journalism on the news pages of THE TECH.

weekend and naming the personalities in charge of the dance.

Four p. m. Saturday saw activities resumed when the fraternity men and their dates attended afternoon cocktail parties. The hosts were Chi Phi, Sigma Nu, and Delta Tau Delta. The cocktail parties were attended as enjoyably as was the formal.

Phi Mu Delta and Theta Chi complemented the evening schedule with their "jeans" parties while Phi Beta Epsilon ran a third party at the Cambridge Boat House, a "natural" for an informal affair.

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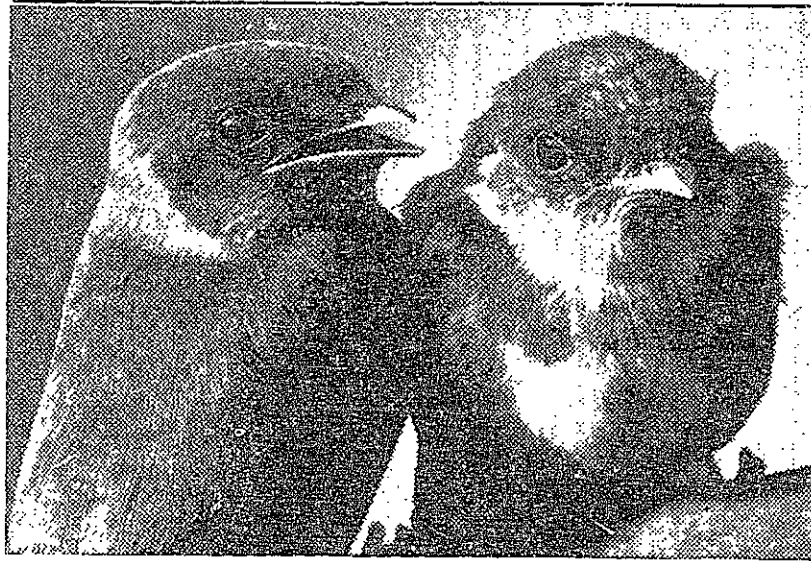
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