

Freshmen Weekend Features Dance, Movie, Athletic Tests

Freshmen Weekend 1953, in many of its aspects, represents a complete change from the manner in which first year classes were formerly welcomed to the Institute. Appearing this year for the first time are such functions as the group meetings with faculty advisors, the athletic tests, and the acquaintance dance.

The various meetings of students and advisors are designed to help the two become better acquainted as early as possible. In this way, the faculty members will be better able to help the freshmen in choosing curricula and in other problems which might arise. Each student has three meetings scheduled with his advisor during the weekend. The dean's office hopes that these meetings will foster a spirit of friendship and trust between the two, which will help the freshman feel more inclined to seek advice.

Coordination Tested

Professor Ivan J. Geiger, Director of Athletics, is conducting the athletic tests tomorrow in order to determine which members of the freshmen class might derive most benefit from a special class being offered for the first time this term. The class will stress development in coordination, initiative, and general physical fitness. The tests given tomorrow are designed to rate each freshman in terms of these qualities. No one will be required to take the special course, but some will be advised to do so.

Hal Reeves and his orchestra, one of the better-known local bands, will provide the music at the acquaintance dance Saturday evening. Girls from Boston University, Wellesley, Sargent, and other schools in the area, as well as from several high schools, have been invited. The dance, which usually is held after the term has begun, has been moved up to Freshmen Weekend

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TECHNIQUE

Technique, the Institute's year-book, is being offered to freshmen at a reduced rate during Freshmen Weekend. The regular price will be \$8.00 this year, but freshmen obtaining options during the weekend will be able to purchase the book for \$6.00. Options may be obtained at the Technique booth in the Activities Midway on Saturday. The reduced price will last only until midnight Saturday.

Freshmen Advisory Council Aids Dean In Helping Frosh

By Norman Kugel, '55

"Our chief responsibility in the long run is probably to play a part in the development of M.I.T. as an educational institution, and as a corollary to this, to help the freshmen class to profit as much as possible from its first year here." These words, written by Professor Francis Bitter, bring to light the role of the Freshmen Advisory Council in the newly-established freshmen guidance program.

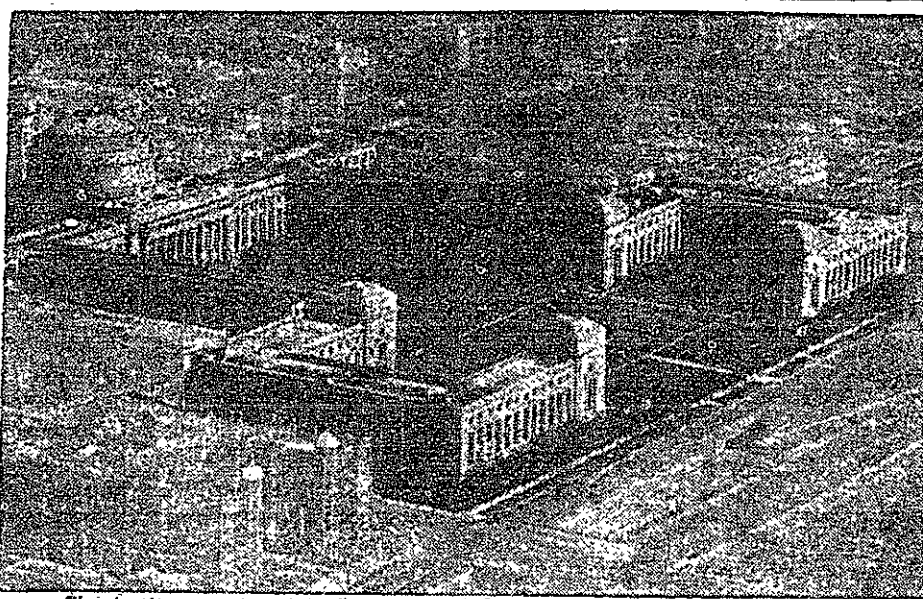
Two Advisors Per Section

The Freshmen Advisory Council, now in its second year of operation, consists of 65 members of the faculty from all departments in the Institute. The entire first year class is divided into 31 sections and, for the purpose of the Advisory Council, all of these sections have been split in half with a faculty member assigned to each half-section. In order to make the relationship between the groups of students and their advisors more beneficial, it is planned that students have the same technical interests as the advisor. Thus freshmen will find the faculty members well equipped to counsel them on their future professional careers. It should be noted that these faculty advisors are not freshmen instructors and are not directly connected with the academic administration of the first year program.

The immediate objective of the advisors will be first to get acquainted with all the students assigned to

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Increase In Cancellations Blamed For Smaller Class of Freshmen This Semester



The Institute as it originally appeared in 1916. Other buildings have been added at various times since then.

Class Represents Over 600 Schools Despite Decrease

Registration of the class of 1957 shows that the size of this year's freshmen class is notably smaller than that of last year. This year's class, the 85th in the Institute's history, numbers 850 men and women, as compared with 930 during 1952-1953.

B. Alden Thresher, Director of Admissions, states that although more applicants were accepted in the freshmen class this year than last, the number of students cancelling their applications after acceptance was much larger this year. The unusually large size of the class of 1956 is due to an unforeseen decrease from the usual number of cancellations at this time last summer. The class of 1957 is still, however, larger than was either of the present Junior and Senior classes in its first year.

Fewer Coeds in Class

All but two of the 48 states, as well as 20 foreign countries, are represented in the new class. Five per cent of the class come from these foreign countries, a figure quite small when compared with the usual ten per cent. The number of coeds in the class, 14, also represents a decrease from the normal.

Public schools have sent about three quarters of the class, the remaining quarter coming from private institutions of many descriptions. In all, 640 different schools are represented, indicating the many varied backgrounds from which the class has come.

Institute Has Full Social Life

When and where the major social events of the year are occurring is shown below in the 1953-1954 Social Calendar. I. D. C. means Informal Dance Committee, and dates so designated are those on which this group sponsors dances in Walker Memorial. The committee spends most of its money on decorations and atmosphere, and uses recorded music, but the dances are among the most popular at the Institute.

FALL TERM

- September**
19 First Freshman Acquaintance Dance
25 Catholic Club Fall Acquaintance Dance
- October**
2 Dormitory Acquaintance Dance
16 Second Freshman Acquaintance Dance
17 I. D. C.
23 Sophomore Class Dance
30-31 Junior Prom Weekend
31 Field Day
- November**
7-8 MIT Intercollegiate Conference
13 Nautical Association Semi-Formal
14 I. D. C.
20 Technicon
- December**
4-5 Tech Show
11 Dormitory Christmas Formal
12 I.D.C., Musical Clubs Concert
- January**
16 I. D. C.
- SPRING TERM**
February
13 I. D. C.
26 Spring Acquaintance Dance

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Newspaper Offers Frosh Opportunities

"All work and no play" is the way too many in-coming freshmen visualize their days at the Institute. Some of them, when classes begin, actually put such a policy into operation. It has been shown, however, that a real education is much more than just book-learning. And, despite all the rumors, every freshman can devote part of his time to extra-curricular activities without flunking out of school.

For freshmen with any interest in journalism, from either the literary or the business point of view, no better activity could be found than *The Tech*. The paper, in its 73rd successive year of publication, provides a vast array of activities for prospective staff members. On the literary side, there are openings for freshmen on the news, the features, and the sport staffs. Camera fans would find the photographic staff work enjoyable.

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Dining, Dancing In Boston Area Is Above Average

Boston offers a wide variety of eating places to satisfy the most discriminating gourmets. For the uninitiated, we offer the following list of time-proven establishments as well as a few of the places featuring entertainment and dancing.

Famous for Food

Durgin-Park—Perhaps the most famous of the unusual dining spots in New England. Everyone eats at long tables elbowing with butchers and college professors. You have to shout to be heard, and the waitresses take no back talk. Prices have gone up here too, but you get the largest steak or roast beef that you've seen for the money. Other dishes more reasonably priced. Take trolley from Park St. to Adams Square and ask for directions from that point on.

Boraschi's—Located in the cellar of a rather dilapidated edifice at 21 Corning St., just south of the Broadway-Washington St. intersection. Excellent food with dinners in the neighborhood of \$3.00. Known for the "Grotto" and enjoyable piano player.

Newbury Steak House—There's an upstairs and downstairs to this place but the food is about the same in either. Prices in lower restaurant a bit cheaper. In our opinion, it's the best meal for the price you can find. A good steak dinner comes to less than \$2.00, and although you could probably eat more, you don't go away too hungry. A short walk from Mass. station along Newbury St. A new and bigger branch recently opened on Massachusetts Ave. just north of Newbury St.

Lloyd's Steak House—Take trolley to Boylston and walk down Tremont to Stuart and thence to number 42. Rather high-priced but excellent food in a quiet atmosphere. Dinners start in the neighborhood of \$2.75.

Locke Ober—Famous for their high prices. If your family is in town and you want to eat a lot of the absolute best take them to 3 Winter Place. Just remember, forget the cost and start eating.

Jake Wirth's—Located a stone's throw from Lloyd's. Beer hall atmosphere, famous for good food and "Jake's Special Dark Brew." Sauerbraten, knackwurst, etc., available for around \$1.50.

Viking Restaurant—If it's Smogabord you're looking for, drop in at 442 Stuart St. Prices around \$2.50 a person for dinner.

Union Oyster House—Excellent lob-

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Dean Bowditch Revises Office Operations To Increase Efficiency In Aiding Students

"Our office is the focal point of communication between the student body and the faculty. It is our job to bring about a mutual understanding between these two groups." These words of Dean of Students, E. Francis Bowditch sum up the philosophy behind the recent changes and innovations in his office.

As Dean of Students, Mr. Bowditch is vitally concerned with the welfare of the students at the Institute. In order to better aid the students in solving their problems, he has redefined the duties of his assistants. Working with him this year, as Associate Deans of Students, are Mr. Frederick G. Fassett, Jr., Mr. Thomas P. Pitre, and Mr. William Speer. Miss Ruth Bean will serve as Assistant to the Dean of Students.

Housing Under Dean Fassett

Mr. Fassett returns from a one term leave of absence to handle the problem of housing the student body. He is in charge of all dormitory room assignments as well as being advisor to the fraternities. In addition to his duties in the Dean's Office, he is also Director of the Technology Press. Mr. Fassett's office is Room 7-108.

Formerly Dean of Freshmen, a post which has been dropped, Mr. Pitre directs the Institute's scholar-



E. Francis Bowditch, Dean of Students

ship, loan, and student aid programs. Part-time jobs during the school year are obtained through his office. Working directly with him is Mr. William H. Carlisle Jr., Manager of Student Personnel. Their office is Room 7-102.

Miss Bean Is Dean of Women

Mr. Speer, who was Acting Assistant Dean last term, will work with Mr. Bowditch in correlating all counseling activities at the Institute and will organize and coordinate discussions bearing on the development of a spiritual program. He will serve as faculty advisor to the religious department of the Technology Chris-

tian Association, and will assist in planning for the effective use of the new auditorium and chapel now under construction. As part of his duties, Mr. Speer will be in charge of student tutoring.

Miss Bean will serve as Executive Secretary of the Freshmen Advisory Council, working with Professor Francis Bitter, Director, and Professor S. Curtis Powell, Executive Officer. She will be Dean of Women for the coeds, and is in charge of the Women's Dormitory.

Offices Open to Students

Dean Bowditch will direct the operations of the various offices. He is the official representative of the students on the important faculty committees. He is responsible for the well-being of student activities, and works with Professors Ivan J. Geiger and Klaus Liepmann in the direction of the sports and music programs, respectively. The offices of Mr. Bowditch, Mr. Speer and Miss Bean are in Room 7-133.

Despite the many duties handled there, the deans' offices are always open to students. As Mr. Bowditch said when he first took over his job two years ago, "I want the students to feel free to drop in and chat, and to regard our office not as a place of punishment, but as a place of help."

Frosh-Soph Rivalry To End With Traditional Field Day

To the Class of 1957:

By Phil Bryden '56

No doubt you have already heard much of Field Day and the freshman-sophomore rivalry; shortly you will be exposed to it for the first time. There are tales of water battles, midnight rides, and other strange escapades, and soon you will find that even the most terrifying of these stories is only too true.

For the first six weeks or so of school there is virtually open warfare between freshmen and sophomores, and, because of their better organization and superior knowledge, the sophomores usually get the better of it. Being left sans clothes on the Wellesley campus may seem a bit harsh, but there is some sense to these strange shenanigans. After a few weeks of disorganization, the frosh begin to knit themselves together into some sort of a team.



Typical pre-Field Day scene on campus as Sophs catch an unwary freshman and deprive him of his trousers.

The pre-Field Day riots simply bring the freshmen closer together and prepare them for the coming Field Day events.

After weeks of raids, riots, and zany escapades, the freshman-sophomore rivalry reaches its peak with Field Day, which will come this year on October 31. On Field Day, the freshmen and sophomores meet on the athletic field to decide supremacy. This year the Field Day events will include crew, swimming, football, track, a tug-of-war, and the glove fight.

Glove Fight

The Glove Fight, final event of Field Day, needs a little explaining. This event is really nothing more than organized mayhem. The rival classes line up on opposite ends of the football field, each contestant wearing a glove. The object of the fray is to capture as many of the opposition's gloves as possible. Of course there is no rule against capturing the rest of his clothes as well. In the glove fight anything goes, and the strangest things usually happen.

Field Day, as a traditionally annual event at the Institute, is now fifty-two years old, but is much the same as when it was inaugurated in 1901. Previously underclassmen found an outlet to their rivalry in the annual Cane Rush which was sometimes literally a fight to the death. The freshmen were given possession of the cane and attempted to defend

their ownership from the sophomores who contested it. The fight was supposed to end with a pistol shot, fired fifteen minutes after the contest began, but it usually served only to increase the battle tempo. When scrimmage was finally halted, the number of men from each class having a hand on the cane was compared, and the class having the highest number won. The traditional Purple Shaft commemorates this event.

The night before Field Day is traditionally one of open rivalry between the freshman and sophomore classes. Until 1923 this night was known as Tech Night, a night when the student body met to make merry, usually at a local theatre production. A gang fight was a customary part of the proceedings and festivities usually ended with a parade through the streets of Boston or Cambridge. It was brought to an end when complaints were raised over the loud

Supply Of Girls In Boston Almost Unlimited Trick Is Knowing How And When To Meet Them

rumpus Tech Night caused.

With myriads of posters beaming down on him in September, the freshman of 1951 may well be surprised at the intensity of the social scene so early in the season. While all pre-matriculation literary matter urges freshmen to be well-rounded individuals through taking an active part in social activities, these previews do little to indicate the rich, varied and mature program to which these advertisements preview.

Technology is ideally suited with regard to sources of feminine companionship. There's Boston University with its urban, big-city atmosphere; and its physical education subdivision, Sargent; there's Radcliffe with its Harvard influence and reputation for plain, bookish women, although a cursory glance reveals that they're not all that way; there's Wellesley with its traditions, teas, and spring hooprolling and tree-planting rites; there's Simmons with its professional courses and career-minded young women; there's Katherine Gibbs with its chic young secretarial students; there's Lasell, Brandeis, Regis, Emmanuel, Emerson, Endicott, Pine Manor, Garland School, Wheelock, Bouve, several large nursing schools, and probably a good many more.

Meeting these women does, of course, pose a problem. There are always a large number of acquaintance dances at Tech and at the girl's schools at the beginning of the fall and spring terms; and while the statisticians are wont to point out the tremendous probability of a mis-match, a good many friendships and romances have had their start at these functions. Cutting-in is usually allowed at acquaintance dances, and the man whose eyesight deceives him and gets "stuck" can get unstuck with a simple "thank you" and smile. Information on these dances can be found weekly in the "After Hours" column of *The Tech*. Blind dates, as everyone knows, can be sources of hope, desire, and



have written permission.

Emerson—Best way to get to the dorms on either Beacon St. or Commonwealth Ave. is by walking. Freshmen have to be in by 11:00 p.m., on Friday nights, and 1:00 a.m. is the deadline Saturday evening.

Radcliffe—Can be reached by subway or bus to Harvard Square. It's a short walk from there although trolleys do run from the Square to the Harvard annex. Freshmen are allowed fifteen one o'clock's during the first term. If she wants to stay out later than that, the Cliffedweller must obtain permission from the head resident. Debutantes have no trouble here.

Lasell—The best way to get to this two-year junior college is to take the MTA's Boston College-Commonwealth trolley to the end of the line; then take the Middlesex and Boston's Audubon bus to Washington St. Girls are allowed two nights out a week.

Coeds aren't the only representatives of the distaff side at the Institute. Secretaries like Joan O'Brien of the Admissions Office help cheer our hallowed halls.

The usual deadline on Friday is 11:30 p.m., with 12:45 a.m., the time on Saturdays. The school allows two one o'clock's a term and twelve overnights a year. Overnights must be at approved Boston hotels.

The Scoop

Below is some pertinent information on some of the larger girl's schools.

Boston University—Most of the resident girls live at Charlesgate. This dorm can be reached by walking across Harvard Bridge and turning right at Beacon St. First term Freshmen have to be in at 9:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday and at 12:00 p.m., on Saturdays. The deadline is 10:00 p.m., on Sundays. Sophomores must be home at 12:00 a.m., on Fridays and Saturdays. Juniors can stay out until 1:00 a.m. Girls are allowed as many overnights as they want provided they

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Wellesley—Making fast friends

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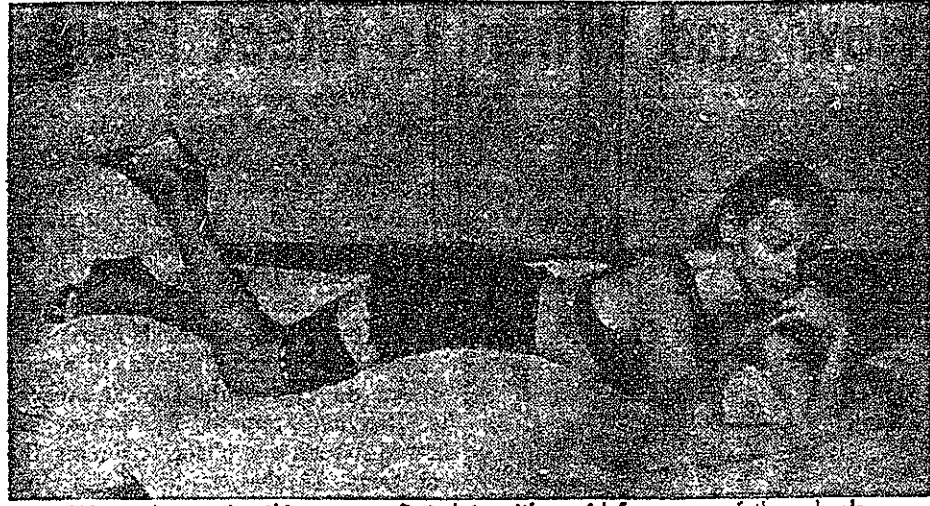
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More Dope On Girls' Schools



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with someone who has a car is about the most efficient means of transportation out to the green pastures on the shores of Lake Waban. The Middlesex and Boston runs special busses to the campus, and up-to-date information may be obtained by phoning them. Freshmen are allowed a total of fifteen one o'clock's or overnight permissions the first term and a total of eighteen the second. On week nights, the girls are allowed one 11:30 p.m., per week.

Wheelock—Brookline Ave. busses from Kenmore Station go near most of the undergraduate houses. Doors close at 12:20 a.m., on Fridays and 1:00 a.m., on Saturdays. Sunday night the deadline is 10:30 p.m.

Wrong Approach

Girls will be girls even in Boston, and here as anywhere else they rate the male populace on the basis of the usual seemingly small but very important aspects of personality. Labeled as a bore immediately is the gent who fills his conversation with class room matters such as Calculus, Physics, Chemistry, etc. Many of the girls probably know as much about these subjects as any freshman from

M.I.T., and since there are a good many men from the Institute making the rounds, it's hard to begrudge the girls a change of subject.

Also particularly obnoxious is the date who tries to engender pity in the hearts of his women by complaining of the torturous hours or the sleepless, benzedrine-filled nights. The girls have heard these stories a hundred times over. In short, success with the fair sex comes largely through personality, the sum of a man's attitudes toward life and toward others as expressed in his every action, however small. The things he's done and the honors he's received count for very little.

Social Calendar

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27 Class of '57

March

- 6 Sophomore Class Dance
- 12 Junior Class Dance
- 13 I. D. C.
- 19 Military Ball
- 20 All-Tech Sing and Dance

April

- 10 WSSF Carnival
- 23 I.F.C.; Assemblies Ball
- 24 I.F.C.; I.D.C.
- 30 Dormitory Weekend

May

- 1 Dormitory Weekend
- 8 Tech Night at Pops
- 14 All Tech Dance
- 15 I.D.C.

Food (Continued from page 1)

ster and other sea food delicacies for about \$3.00. Plenty of seafaring atmosphere with stalls and oyster bar sitting where they were in 1826. Three restaurants at 41 Union, 143 Stuart, and 124 Canal Streets.

Simeone's—The nearest decent restaurant to Tech if you like Italian-style food or steaks. Located on Brookline Ave., one block from Mass. Ave., near Central Square, Cambridge. Prices hover between \$1.00 and \$1.50, and although there is no variety from week to week, the food is good and well worth the price.

Fife and Drum Room—Located in the Hotel Vendome, near Copley Square. There's a minimum after 9.00 p.m., but it's quickly used up in a drink or two. Band is small and so is the dance floor. Usually a college crowd.

Terrace Room, Hotel Statler—An excellent band and intriguing atmosphere make this worth the \$1.00 cover charge. You can make an evening of it for less than \$5.00 a couple provided you don't eat anything.

Latin Quarter—Plushiest night club in Boston and one of the few with a floor show. At 46 Winchester St. Bring your bank account with you because the minimum is \$4.00 per person.

The Eliot Lounge—On Mass. Ave. just the other side of Commonwealth. Concentrates on soft lights and music, comfortable seats, good drinks, and fairly low prices. Before 8.00 p.m., all drinks are \$39.

The Meadows—A huge, rather antiseptic dine and dance place on the Worcester Turnpike about 17 miles from Boston. A full meal will cost plenty, but you can get by for less by sitting in the Lounge.

Blinstrub's Village—Not much on the outside, but one of the classier spots inside. \$2.00 minimum per person on weekdays, \$3.00 on Saturdays. Better known stars appear here fairly regularly, but a Patti Page or a Frankie Laine raises the minimum to \$4.50. Dinners start at \$2.25. At 304 Broadway in South Boston.

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Advisors

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them, and second to help shy students adapt themselves to the M.I.T. way of life. During the term personal help will be available to each freshman on such matters as choice of course, loans, scholarships, notices from the dean's office, and so forth. The advisory program is optional in the sense that after seeing his faculty advisor during Freshmen Week-end the required three times, the freshman is not compelled to see him again. However, the dean's office hopes that the contact will be "such a happy one that he will want to follow it throughout his freshman year." In short, the work of the Freshmen Advisory Council is distinctly informal in nature, and both the good and the poor students will have opportunities to consult with a faculty member who knows him personally and thus can offer friendly, competent advice.

Student Grows With Institute

The following, taken from a memorandum sent to all faculty members of the Council by its chairman, Professor Bitter, seems to clearly represent the goals of the program. "... we might consider that our chief responsibility is to study the relationship between the student and M.I.T., and to discover how conditions can best be established that are conducive to the growth of both. Beyond this it is our responsibility to know our students and what is happening to them."

An article explaining the role of student advisors and one describing the reaction of the freshmen to the program will appear in later editions of *The Tech*.

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Freshmen interested in working on the staff of *The Tech* should make an appointment for an interview with a member of the Managing Board. Appointments may be made at the Activities Midway in Rockwell Cage on Saturday. Staff members will be available at *The Tech's* booth to explain any aspect of the paper.

Offices of *The Tech* are in the basement of Walker Memorial. Make-up is on Sunday and Wednesday evenings, and all who are interested are invited to come to the office Sunday and watch the first issue of the term go to bed.

Frosh Weekend

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this year to start the class of 1957 off in the right direction.

Other events during the weekend are similar to those held in previous years. They are designed to acquaint the freshmen with the various facets of Institute life. The weekend will end with President and Mrs. Killian's reception on Sunday afternoon.

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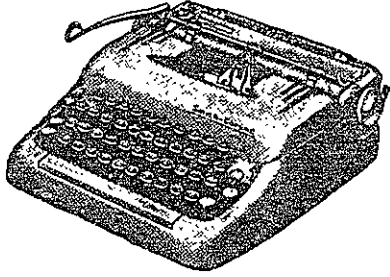
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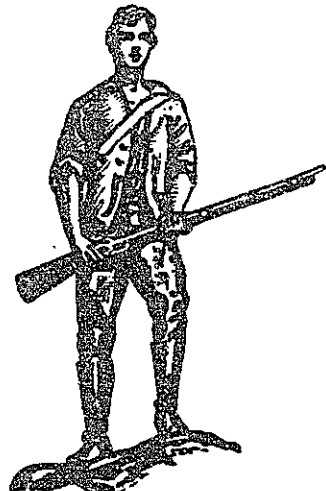
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