Informal ParStuFac Discussions Will Highlight Parents' Weekend

In giving informal discussions about the parents and the faculty, the Parent-Student Committee is planning this year to give the parents a realistic insight into the life of the student. The affair, which will open every two years, will be held on Saturday, April 12.

"In order to give the parents a better idea of the various aspects of the parent's life at the school," said Charles W. Holabird, Parent-Student Committee "Chairman, "we are putting on the affair on a much more informal basis than before." Instead, Latin American Firm Gives Institute Grant for Soil Research

The Institute has received a grant of $5,000 from the Inter-American Foundation of Caracas, Venezuela, to aid the program of research and extension in soil engineering, acting President William H. McPhee announced last night. The grant is the first the Inter-American Foundation has made in New England and it is the largest it has ever given to any educational institution in the United States.

The money will be used to extend the foreign aid in the soil engineering department of the School of Civil and Sanitary Engineering. As a result, students working on the problem will have the opportunity to collaborate with research workers at universities in Latin America.

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New Machine Makes Diffraction Gratings Finer Than Previously

The world's most precise engraving machine, a new type of electron-beam engraver, has been ordered by the Institute. It is the first of its kind, and is now being built at the Institute of Technology for the Spectroscopy Laboratory under the direction of Burton Habsen.

The ruling of improved diffraction gratings is important because these gratings are used for many scientific purposes, running from the study of the light from stars to the study of the structures of atoms and atomic nuclei. The more precisely engraved and the larger the diffraction gratings, the more delicate and accurate the experiments about the infinitesimal structures of atoms and nuclei.

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The Vassar Glee Club Joins MIT Group For Anniversary Concert

In their initial visit here, the Vassar Glee Club will join the MIT Glee Club in a concert celebrating the 75th anniversary of both groups. They will sing in Krane Auditorium on Saturday, April 12 at 8:30 p.m.

The MIT Glee Club, directed by Klaus Liapp, has been invited to give a group of choral works taken by Fred Thompson from the writings of Thomas Jefferson. This will be followed by works by Brahms, Piazzolla, Bach, Schubert, and Dohnanyi. Prof. Horace Poole will direct the Vassar performance of works by Bach, Purcell, J. S. Bach, and an interesting number by Handel entitled "Haste Thee Vomage." The two groups will then join forces to give encore texts from the "Purcellian Kingdom" by Randall Thompson.

The Vassar Glee Club has previously given concerts with such groups as the American, Bard and Bennett Junior College Glee Clubs, and the Boulder, California, Colgate, Columbia, Harvard, Harvard club, as well as the Vassar Musicians Club. Tickets for the performance, which is sponsored by the Vassar Club of Boston, are now available at the MIT music office, Room 16-N51. Tickets are $1.25 for students, $2.00 reserved, $1.00 unreserved. Tickets processed for the concert will also be housed at the nearby AllTech basketball game.

Eggs to Roll Saturday

Wanted - People to Dye for TCA

The Technology Community Association will stage a huge egg-dying party tonight, to which the public is invited. This will be an opening for the Post-Post-Keg Roll on the Great Court on Sunday morning.

Those interested in coloring the eggs may do so at the TCA office in Walker at eight p.m. tonight. Red and eggs will be provided, but dates will have to be supplied by the participants.

Some of the rolling play to be on stage Saturday at the All-Tech Basketball game is announced at a previous issue of the Tech. The reactor will be the only such facility in the United States and will be equipped so that surgery can be performed under a maximum of comfort and effectiveness.

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Reveal Girl Seduction Ring

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