WE CONGRATULATE THE PRESIDENT

Dr. Samuel Straton, President of M.I.T., was the recipient Wednesday afternoon of the rank of Officer in the British Royal Navy, one of the highest degrees of service to civilization that the world can bestow.

In the name of the Republic of France, Mr. J. A. Flammond, French Consul at Boston, awarded this distinction to the President before a meeting of the Technology Faculty. It comes as a promotion from Consul Flammond, upon Dr. Straton in 1906. Mr. Flammond also presented the President with a small plaque, inscribed "To the Head of the School which in France for the first time has organized a course in Aeronautics." The presentation was made in a ceremony conducted by W. C. Balch, Chairman of the United States Board of Standards. Now, as then, this is the first presentation of a medal to an American.

THE DRAINSHAVER PLAY

Forty candidates turned out at 6 o'clock Saturday evening for the casting positions with the Drainshaver Play. The play will be presented at 8 o'clock Saturday night, at the Little Theater. The Drainshaver play is a comedy by T. W. H. Miller and was first presented by the American Actors' League. The Drainshaver is a character created by T. W. H. Miller.

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