Student-Faculty Enlists New Aid

The Student-Faculty Committee held a successful dinner meeting in the Graduate House last Thursday evening, in which several problems were discussed and various important decisions were reached.

First, the committee decided that the organization of Student-Faculty committees in every department of the Institute. Several courses already have those departmental committees and they have proved to be consistent channels for transmitting criticisms and suggestions as well as excellent means to establish social contacts between students and instructors.

Investigating Committees Formed

A subcommittee has been organized which will examine Student-Faculty committees in courses where they already exist and investigate those departments which do not yet have individual committees. Further plans call for inviting groups of interested students and faculty members to form new committees.

The committee also reached to acquaint the M.I.T. faculty more fully with its activities, especially its function of investigating complaints or suggestions from any student or group of students and requesting faculty consideration of worthwhile problems.

Soderberg Awarded Honorary Doctorate by Swedish Institute

Professor C. Richard Soderberg, head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has just returned from Sweden, where he was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Technology at the Chalmers Institute of Technology, one of Europe's most distinguished technical institutions.

Chalmers Institute of Technology was founded in 1883 beginning as a school of naval architecture and expanding to become an outstanding institution of higher learning. In recent years it has become one of the world's centers of important developments in communications theory.

Dr. Soderberg was graduated from Chalmers Institute in 1915 and the honorary degree which was awarded to him was the first of its kind to be given by the Institute.

Dr. Soderberg joined the staff of M.I.T. in 1918 and is widely known as an authority on turbulence design.

Spring Elections Of Tau Beta Pi Honor 47 New Members To Society

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At the spring elections meeting held March 9, the M.I.T. Chapter of Tau Beta Pi, national honorary engineering association, elected 27 seniors and 16 juniors to his membership.

The pledges, who were chosen on the basis of distinguished scholarship, integrity, breadth of interest, and degree of unselfish activity which they have manifested, will be initiated on April 14.

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