The TECH—OPEN HOUSE ISSUE

Friday, May 2, 1952

WELCOME FROM PRES. KILLIAN

Open House — May 3, 1952

To All Open House Guests:

On behalf of the administration, I welcome you to M.I.T. The students plan this day for your enjoyment, and I know from previous years that they can be counted on to have provided a wide variety of interesting exhibits and demonstrations. This is the eighteenth year that students of the Institute have planned such an occasion. It has proved to be one of the most delightful of our annual events.

I would like to pay tribute to the students who have made this day possible. Our students have a proud tradition of taking initiative and responsibility for enriching our college program and making it more effective. It is interesting that as long ago as 1932, M.I.T. students sponsored the first intercollegiate conference on student government and undergraduate life held in America. At that time it was reported that of the forty colleges represented at the conference, "technology proved to be far more developed in the line of student control of the undergraduate affairs and policies than any other institution." During subsequent years our students have continued to carry on unusually large amount of responsibility for campus affairs, including such an undertaking as this Open House.

I hope that you enjoy your visit to M.I.T., and that you will want to come again.

Building Construction

This department is to have two rooms with exhibits pertaining to Building Construction; one will have displays of materials and methods pertaining primarily to heavy construction, and one devoted to light housing construction. Many of the large companies in the building industry are supplying interesting exhibits on new materials of construction.

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include a map of the Institute for those unfamiliar with the building numbering system. Further details on many of the exhibits can be found on pages two and three of this issue.

All activities for the day will begin at 12 noon and will end at 7:00 p.m.

### Departments

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