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ADMISSION REPORT

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lish grade, the principal's evaluation (required of all admissions), and, in fact, the entire personal-cumulative folder, as well as the 'Brief essay' assembly written by applicants outlining interests and objectives.'

Admissions Cancellation

Among the data presented is a figure of 42% of all applicants admitted who decide to register elsewhere. The actuarial index of those who enrolled as members of the class of 1960 is 467, and of those who declined admissions is 619.

Another section of the report deals with the "2nd marginal freshmen," those whom the Institute predicts will flunk out within the first one or two years. In the class of 1958, about a third of these freshmen were disqualified or put on probation, a third made between 2.0 and 3.5, and a third between 3.0 and 4.0. It is practically a rule on Dean's List. Mr. Throemer added to this part of the report a remark that elimination of this marginal element would eliminate a number of good students whom the Institute did not want to lose.

25 Frosh Selected

For New Members

Of Quadrangle Club

Twenty-five freshmen were elected to Q-Club Wednesday night. Most of the selections were made 'on the basis of athletic achievement. The men elected are:

**Symposium on Ceramics**

Dr. Kingery, Shain, Pilcher and Levine Win Science Prizes

Four marine and engineering awards have been made to students and faculty members in the past two weeks. On May 5, Howard Hughes Fellowships were awarded to Lewis Pilcher '53 and Paul Levine '56. They grant covers tuition and expenses for both men at California Institute of Technology. They will also work in the Hughes Aircraft Laboratories, pursuing advanced studies at Cal Tech.

Stephen A. Stein '58, a member of Phi Lambda Upsilon, electrical bounty society, received a one hundred dollar award from the Kendall Society on Monday. This is the first award in the series, which is planned to eventually cover each of the 33 national chapters of Phi Lambda Upsilon with one yearly award. The prize is "Kendall Miniature Medal".

William D. Kingery '48, Associate Professor of Ceramics in the Metallurgy Department, has received the John Jompson award from the American Ceramic Society at its Sixtieth Annual Meeting recently held in Pittsburgh.

Dr. Kingery is the recipient of the Iron Coffins Purdy Award in 1954. He is national chairman-elect of the Basic Science Division of the American Ceramic Society and was the highest chairman of the New England Section of the Society. His latest book is "Ceramic Fabrication Processes," and he is the author of numerous papers on the subject of ceramic chemistry.

Chess Team Splits With Brandeis 2-3

The M.I.T. Chess team split its first match of the season with Brandeis, ending with a 2-3 score. The matches were played at M.I.T. on Monday night, were one win, two draws, and two losses for our team. Official scoring procedure enables a point for a win and a half point for a draw, giving us a total of 2 points. Carl Wagner '56 had the only win, beating JerrySchreiber, the captain of the Brandeis team. The draws were made by Greg Hood '58 and Leonard Yousos '56. Larry Wagner '60 and Walter Boll '59 lost to the Brandeis players.

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