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Prominent faculty members retire

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Among the members of the facul-
y and administration who re-
tired after the spring semester are:

John R. Burchard, dean of the School of Man-
agement and Social Science; Philip Franklin, se-
cretary of the faculty and professor of mathemat-
ic; and Arthur R. von Hippie, Institute Pro-
fessor.

Dean Burchard

Dean Burchard, the first head of the School of Man-
agement, will lecture on architecture and urban plan-
ing as a visiting professor at the University of Cali-
ifornia at Berkeley.

He plans to return to MIT for the spring semester to teach at the Sloan School of Management.

Before assuming the duties of dean, Professor Burchard served as the director of the Institute's libraries. Dean Burchard has also served as chairman of the board of the MIT Press.

Prof. Franklin

Professor Franklin has been named Professor of Mathematics Emeritus, and will continue to lecture some classes in undergraduate mathematics. For the past five years he has served in the elective post of Secretary of the Faculty. He is also editor of the MIT Journal of Mathematics.

Dr. Franklin joined MIT as an assistant professor in 1932 and was appointed a full professor in 1937. He is the author of some 40 articles in mathematical jour-
nals and 12 books on scientific subjects.

v. Hippie

Dr. von Hippie was the direc-
tor of the Laboratory for Instru-
cent Research, which he founded in 1949. He is known for his pio-
nert work in the field of ma-

terial science.

Coming to MIT in 1953, Dr. von Hippie served as professor of elecrophysics until 1962. At that time he was appointed to the post of Institute Professor.

Among other faculty members retiring were:

Colin Adams

Dr. Samuel C. Collins, profes-
sor of mechanical engineering,
was responsible for the creation of the Cosmic Laboratory at MIT. He will continue research on a new pump-oxygenator heart-lung machine.

Professor Frederick J. Adams, professor of city planning, joined the faculty in 1932. He organized the city planning course at MIT, which was the second of its kind in the country.

Nottingham, Norton

Professor Wayne B. Nottingham joined the physics depart-
ment in 1946. He is credited with his research in the thermionic con-
version of heat to electricity, and in 1955 founded the annual MIT conference in physical electronics.

Dr. John T. Norton, professor of the physics of metals, served on the physics faculty before joining the metallurgy depart-
ment in 1959. He served as chairman of the faculty from 1959 to 1968, and served dean of the graduate school in 1961.

Materials, Bentley

Professor Eugene Mirabelli, associate professor of civil engi-
eering, has been a member of the faculty for 44 years. He will remain on a part-time basis to teach mechanical engineering structural design subjects.

Professor Franklin K. Bently, asso-
ciate professor of aeronautics and astronautics, came to MIT in 1946 from the air force. He was responsible for teaching elec-
trical and design subjects in aeronautical engineering, and was engaged in research on supersonic and hypersonic velocity.