Three faculty members featured at Authors' Day

By Gerry Banseer

Discussion ranged from proper- ties of an Activity Secretary to problem summer classes on the ver- sion of the Undergraduate Association Press at the annual As- sembly of the Association of Student Publications. In the conference, which was or- ganized by Betty Osce, Secretary. Also elected was Mrs. Jerome A. Ritala, chair- man of the MIT Art Committee. Guests of honor at the dedica- tion included Mr. and Mrs. El- gene McDermott, donors of the new court; Mr. Calder; Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Holden, University of the Green Building which stands in Mclnac Court, and Irving M. Perl '60, architect both for the Green Building and for Mclnac Court.

A time capsule was buried be- side the stately building in cer- monies attended by nearly one hundred people. The capsule was lowered by an electric hoist oper- ated by Mrs. McDermott, then symbolically sealed with a shovelful of dirt with which Mr. McDermott covered the capsule.

Special guests at the ceremonies included 50 McDermott Scholars, all MIT students from the South- west who held scholarships estab- lished by the McDermotts.

The capsule in a green glass tube, six inches in diameter and four feet long, containing some four dozen items, which range from a microfilm cookbook to a con- served bird. The contents have been applied to a discus- sion of supermassive stars and arcless gas. The glass tube contains a miniature version of the 40-foot Cal- der stabile which took place Saturday afternoon. Several hundred people attended the ceremony. A time capsule was buried be- side the stately building.

The dedication of the 40-foot Al- exander Calder stabile "The Big Bull" was held Saturday afternoon in Mclnac Court during cere- monies attended by several hun- dred people.

Dr. James R. Killian, Jr., chair- man of the Corporation, presided at the dedication. The formal pre- sentation of the stabile was made by Mrs. Jerome A. Ritala, chair- man of the MIT Art Committee.

A display of the Chrysler Cor- poration Turbine Car will contin- ue today until 5 p.m. in the Student Center. The exhibit, which began yesterday, is being sponsored by the student chapter of American Society of Mechanical Engineers. Highlights of the turbine exhibit is the car itself. Also featured is a narrated display unit which ex- plains the principle and operation of the turbine engine and comes with the Chrysler HEMI- carb-cam high performance engine. Included in the display are artists' renderings and models depicting futurist styling con- ceptualizations.

The turbine car being shown is one of 50 limited production ve- hicles specially designed and manufactured for a nationwide con- sumer evaluation program that began in August.

A film lecture on the turbine was given yesterday afternoon in the Center by George J. Hunter, Jr., Di- rector of Research for Chrysler. The center described the history and development of the turbine at Chrysler, beginning in 1954.

Gallagher paper wins Baker Prize for 1966

Dr. Robert G. Gallagher, Asso- ciate Professor of Electrical En- gineering, has been awarded the W.R.G. Baker Prize for 1966 for his paper entitled 'A Simple Deriva- tion of the Coding Theorem and Generalization of Am-Nes Equations.' The Baker Prize is awarded by the Board of Directors of the Institute of Electrical and Elec- tronic Engineers. Prof. Gal- lager paper appeared in the IEEE Transactions in Information Theory.

Perkins elected TCA president

Russell Perkins '67 was elected by the student members of the Tech- nology Community Association yesterday in a special election held Monday afternoon in the Student Center.

Other officers chosen were vice president Jay Nicholas '68, Secretar- ey Ted Nato '68, Treasurer Matt Lien '68, and John Jones '68, who was selected as TCA's representative to Activities Council.

Fixed Point lecture given by Math Club

The MIT Math Club will pre- sent a lecture by Professor Dan- nes Baker, Professor of Phys-ics at Northeastern University to be held today at 11 a.m. in room 1-21. The topic will be "Fixed Point Free Auto- morphisms of Groups."