**MIT Observer revived to emphasize student life**

By Gary Goldstein

The MIT Observer, a monthly publication featuring the human side of campus life, returned to MIT on Dec. 20, after an eight-year absence. The Observer was formerly published by the Public Relations Office until May 1958, when publication was ceased due to the decrease in demand for the newsletter.

The Observer is intended for interviews and articles that reflect the life of the Institute.

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**Killian speaks to alumni**

By Paul Johnston

Dr. James R. Killian, Jr. and Dr. John E. Burdick delivered the first two of six addresses at the MIT Northwest Regional Alumni Conference, held Saturday in the Opera House at the Seattle Center, Seattle, Washington.

Dr. Killian, Chairman of the MIT Corporation, and Chairman of the Board of Educational Services Incorporated, spoke on 'The Role of Technology in Education.' His talk concerned itself primarily with "intellectual content," with the art of teaching, and with the organization that runs the educational institution.

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**New 53-foot light towers erected; spotlights illuminate Student Center**

By Bill Ingram

Four 750-watt spotlights, atop each of two aluminum towers, were turned on for the first time it is working towards physical improvements in housing, industry commerce and transportation.

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**Student Center Committee gains sites for conference**

Representatives of the Student Center Committee attended a conference on student government at the University of Rhode Island this weekend and secured permission for next year's conference to be held at MIT.

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**YP tickets on sale**

Tickets for the Junior Prom, the 'Complete Weekend,' are now on sale in the lobby of Building 16.

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