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**The Tech**

**Announcements**

- There is a blood emergency in Boston. Blood is urgently needed by the Red Cross. If you would like to donate, call 341-7800 or 731-2380. (Those who donated blood in the MIT November blood drive will be eligible again sometime during this week.) Please help—it doesn't hurt.

- The Commission on MIT Education will hold an open meeting on Wednesday, January 13 (today) at 3 PM to discuss CEP Reorganization, and on January 27 at 3 PM to discuss the Institute Council. Both meetings will be in the Bush Room, 10-105.

- The Nature of Student Government: Open Discussion meetings to be held January 18 and at 8 PM in Room 240, the Student Center. Students, faculty, and administrators are invited for information. Call MIT Photo Clifton x2969, x140.

- The Graduate Record Examinations will be administered on January 16. For more information about the GRE, drop by 109-435.

- The MIT Baton Society announces that the 1971 All Tech Sing will take place on May 1 of this new year. The master of ceremonies will be Howard Johnson.

- All Tech Sing is MIT's traditional singing competition between living groups. In addition to entries from living groups, the society may admit contenders from the community in general. Auditions will be announced at a later date. For further information, contact Brian Short, x2551 or 625-1409, or Steve Hazzard, x345-549.

- Dr. David Ruskin, Ridley Watts Professor of Preventive Medicine at the Harvard Medical School is visiting Institute Lecturer this year. Professor Ruskin has given four lectures in his series of the Future of Medicine and will conclude with four lectures in February. He can be contacted in the MIT Health Service.

- The United Church of Christ in Cambridge and the YWCA is now registering for new classes at their 140 Clarendon Street studios in Boston. A wide variety of courses are offered including intensive weaving and ceramics, weekend sessions in pottery, stickley sculpture, tie-dye, and new courses in "Light, Form, and Space" under the direction of "Visual Explorations." For further information, please call 536-7940, x96.

- The Beacon Hill Support Group is an "apolitical" activity concerned with peace in Southeast Asia. Meetings are held on Wednesday nights at 8:30 PM at 70 Charles St. For further information call 522-9164.

- The Cambridge Public Library presents Dick Roddy with color motion pictures on Russia on Sunday, January 17 at 4 PM in Rindge Auditorium, 459 Massachusetts Avenue. The Tech policy regarding Announcements: Only those announcements which are of general interest to the MIT Community will be run. In general, announcements must come from the MIT Community and must be short, approximately 50 words or less. Announcements of events for which there is an admission charge will not be included. The deadlines for receipt of announcements are 5 PM Sunday for a Monday edition, 1 PM Monday for a Wednesday edition, and 5 PM Wednesday for a Friday edition.

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**Johnson warns MIT of fiscal difficulties**

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context. The crisis was referred to in the introduction was a "plunge." The report said it to meet MIT should concentrate on being "positively oriented, and oriented toward graduate education, the commission saw the need for a "greater focus" on the student. The chapter on graduate education and research called for the development of what faculty responsibility is in policy development. He added that the Commission also foresees a need to address "how we use the human resources of MIT." The, Commission, he suggested, significant regional changes in the line of authority. However, it did recommend that other groups in the community play a "greater role" in governance.

*Problems*

- Concluding his address, Hoffman turned to the issue of knowledge and values. Concern with these issues, he said, must validate the Institute. Aspects of the problem MIT must face, he listed: 1) failure to communicate what science and technology contribute to the public, 2) uncertainty about what to do about emergence of "critical problems" (separation of science and technology), (3) separation of humanities into the soul of MIT, 4) social needs for the social context of science.

- In the discussion that followed, Johnson promised to attempt to schedule discussions of the report during January.

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