To the Editor:
The Tech of Friday, October 9 printed several letters to the editor regarding the institution of Homecoming Queen. Unfortunately, one portion of the MIT community was left unrepresented in that the brick population.
As a part of the MIT community, I have a job in the MIT Brick Pool if a brick is ill or on vacation, I take its place. I have as much school spirit as almost all of the students I have encountered. In fact, I would say that I have done more to support the school than any student ever could. These qualifications would seem to make me the ideal candidate for Homecoming Queen. Unfortunately, under the rules set forth by the UA Social Council, I am not eligible to run, simply because I am not an MIT student.

Although this rule does not overly bar bricks from the competition, brick participation is made impossible by the fact that there are no MIT students who are bricks — as inanimate objects, bricks are not legally entitled to a free public education; thus it is virtually impossible for a brick to meet MIT's admissions standards. In fact, over 90% of the bricks in the United States today are illiterate.

Faced with these seemingly overwhelming obstacles, I will follow the only course of action open to me — to run for UMOC, and then for Homecoming Queen on the UMOC ticket. I sincerely hope that the students of MIT are democratic and unprejudiced enough to support me on my quest.

Ergo not flame

(Continued from page 5)