

NO MERE DREAM, Illinois Institute of Technology's \$15,000,000 Special Development Program is well underway. Five modern, functional academic and research structures have already been built at Technology Center and are in use by faculty, staff, and students. Two student dormitories are now under construction, and ground is soon to be broken for another new research and educational laboratory unit.

Illinois Tech is one of the nation's leading engineering and scientific colleges. Growing at a spectacular rate, enrollment increased 63 per cent since 1940, research expanded over 12 times. To keep pace with the vast requirements of American technology, the Institute must expand and modernize its Gaslight Era physical plant. If it is to best fulfill its responsibilities to community, industry, and students, Illinois Tech needs another 55 educational and housing structures to supplement—and eventually replace—the half-century-old buildings it is still using in an Atomic Era.