FOREIGN STUDENTS ATTEND
DINNER AT COPELY PLAZA

Held under the Auspices of Boston
Chamber of Commerce

Last Thursday evening, at a dinner
given by New England industrial cor-
porations, under the auspices of the Bos-
ton Chamber of Commerce, the Tufts
students from non-English speaking
countries were well represented. The
dinner was given at the Copley Plaza
for foreign students attending colleges
in the vicinity of Boston, and nearly 300
students, representing 35 nationalities
and a variety of races, were present.
President Cousins and Mr. Cheney were
guests at this unusual gathering. At the
head table with President George R.
Nutter of the Chamber of Commerce, ex-
President Georges S. Smith, who acted
as toastmaster, Mayor Peters of Boston,
President Emeritus Eliot of Harvard,
President Cousins of Tufts, L. J. Cas-
tilejo of the Philippine Islands from
Harvard, and K. C. Li of China from the
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,
was Klaas Oosterhuis of Holland from
the Crane Theological School at Tufts.

Oosterhuis was one of the speakers of
the evening, and reflected much credit
to himself and his Alma Mater. In his
speech he said that it was gratifying to
see so many students of different nations
come together in the spirit of fellow-
ship and understanding, for it was through
such meetings that this spirit (needed
more in the world today than ever be-
fore) is created.

"America has always led the world in
this respect, and, as a representative of
Holland, I think I understand that spir-
it; for no other land, except the United
States, has done more to promote inter-
national friendship than my native little
state of Holland."

Other students at the head table also
spoke.

President Emeritus Eliot likened the
United States to a great melting pot
wherein the races are fused into the solid
whole that is the ideal of America.
"What is that ideal?" he asked. "First
liberty, and second, law—the English
common law, not the Roman law—the
common law which political and social
liberty have been painfully developing
for seven centuries."