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THE proposed affiliation or alliance of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology with Harvard University was, as we have already reported, approved at a meeting of the corporation of the institute on June 9. Thirty-two of the forty-seven members of the corporation were present, and by a vote of 20 to 12 it was agreed to accept the terms of the agreement drawn up by the committee of the two institutions. Before the agreement can become effective the corporation and overseers of Harvard University must take action and several legal questions must be passed upon by the courts. It will be remembered that on May 5 the faculty of the institute adopted by a vote of 56 to 7 the report of the committee adverse to the affiliation. A full account of the report adopted by the faculty and of the minority report, together with an account of the meeting of the alumni on May 4 has been published in a special issue of *The Technology Review*.

In view of the great importance of the proposed merger for university development and technological education we reproduce here: (1) The agreement prepared by President H. S. Pritchett and Professor A. Lawrence Lowell on behalf of the institute and Dr. H. P. Walcott and Charles Francis Adams, 2d, Esq., on behalf of the university, now adopted by the corporation of the institute; (2) the will of the late Gordon McKay in so far as it relates to his bequest to Harvard University,

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