Men, Scientists Get New Homes In Building Boom

Plans for a third major building boom at Rice since the war are shaping up as fast as plans can be drawn and financing arranged.

Included in the multi-million dollar venture are two new colleges, a new Space Science building, the Ryon Engineering building and a new wing for Wiess college.

A new men's college is on the boards at the architectural firm of Wilson, Morris, Crain and Anderson, the architects who designed the additions to the old dormitories in 1957. Talbott Wilson, F.A.I.A., reported that his firm is making up a new master plan for future development of the men's college neighborhood in addition to immediate plans for the new men's college.

WILSON INDICATED that the new college will "probably go to the air" with a high-rise building of about the same height as the eightstory Brown College.

The Ryon Engineering Laboratory, financed by a \$760,-000 gift of professor emeritus

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(Continued from Page 1) L. B. Ryon plus an undisclosed sum of University money, will go out for bids about November 15. It is to be located behind the Chemistry Building, filling out the Engineering Quadrangle.

A NEW STRUCTURE to house the Space Science Depart- for a radical high-rise building ment is being planned by the east of Jones: same firm that designed the award-winning Geology and Biology buildings. A representative of the architectural firm of Pierce and Pierce said that the new building would be built north of the science twins adjacent to Hamman Hall, and would in gen-

eral follow the lines established by the two existing structures. The Space Science department is being housed during the interim in the Geology Building and in a Building and Grounds warehouse behind the Power Plant.

Plans for the million-dollar Margaret Root Brown College were released last week, calling