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MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

AS we, the class of 1938, go forth into the cruel world, we will not have much use for slide rules and handbooks, but will try to secure an appointment to the W. P. A. or some bread line.

Jobs were scarce when we graduated from high school, and we laughed at our classmates who were trying to find jobs as "we were going to college" and there would be plenty of jobs when we graduated. But alas, we are in the same position as they except that we are in debt from college expenses.

Looking at the brighter side of life, we will always remember our good times and the acquaintances we have made. We will soon say goodbye, but there are certain characteristics which our fellow classmen and the professors will long remember that will distinguish us from each other.

BEN (Highpockets) **BAYLISS** was the center of attraction on the inspection trip. He thought we got credit for it as for other courses. Anyway, he can tell you the size of the bolts on the condenser in the Detroit Power Plant. He calls Columbus home.

HAROLD (Butch) **BUTCHER** of Powell is one of the quiet members of the class. He likes Machine Design and keeps all his books together in a brief case. One day the brief case leaked.

ROBERT (Brain-trust) **CLARK**, the pride and joy of Hartford, was the chief worry of the executives of the companies on the inspection trip. They had to furnish one guide for him and one for the rest of the class. Is this how he gets his grades?

PHILIP (Personality) **HUGHES**, Hillsboro's gift to the Quadrangle, is the best dressed man in the department. He was prexy of Sigma Chi. We believe he'll be the first of this year's class to go to the altar.

We wish to take this time to thank **PHILIP** (Keg-tapper) **CURTISS**, from Dennison, for his work as chairman of the Engineers' Day Float Committee. Nuf sed.

Columbus has given us **ROBERT** (Slugger) **CONKLIN**, who has been elected as the class athlete. In addition to his ability as a baseball player, he was also the "life of the party" on the inspection trip.

Another Columbus boy, **SHERWOOD** (Have you got a cigarette?) **HANGER**, is the ladies' man of the class; but he always wants somebody to fix him up with a date. Can't you behave yourself, Hanger?

Also from Columbus, **ANDREW** (Shiner) **PETERSON** has very successfully and capably handled all relations between the faculty and seniors. We hope the juniors have as efficient a man to keep the apples well buffed next year.

CARL (Briefcase) **SCHLUB** has always been so quiet we never could find out anything about him. We gather that he is an authority on obsolete street cars, since he hails from Lancaster.

GEORGE (Boy, I'm good looking) **ROWLAND** has the record for cutting the most classes. He also really proved his ability to "take it" at the M. E. dance at Neil Hall. He is Dayton's contribution.

EVERETT (Stillwaters) **BAUGH** came from Wilmington to make a big splash with the ladies here. He's pretty handy on the ivories, too. But he's such a quiet fellow.

ELBERT (Activities) **BOEBINGER** has a lot of help in making up his mind about the "Sweetheart of Beta Pi." Ask "Gash" Purdy. He says he's from Cincinnati, but it's really Mt. Healthy.