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# CAMPUS NOTES

## CERAMIC

At a meeting of the student branch of the American Ceramic Society November 13, the following officers were elected:

President—Walter B. Hayes  
 Vice-president—Ralston Russell  
 Secretary and treasurer—William Yeagley  
 Corresponding Secretary—Donald W. Armstrong  
 Representative to the Advisory Board, *The Ohio State Engineer*—Jack Trees

The senior class is contemplating developing a body and glaze and manufacturing some small objects, such as vases, for distribution at the Engineers' Roundup. This *objet d'art* will be inscribed with the class numerals and will serve as a source of pride to both '31 as well as classes to come. It is hoped that if the venture is successful, future classes will carry the custom on.

## CIVIL

John F. Coleman, national president of the American Society of Civil Engineers, was the guest of the local student chapter at their first meeting of the quarter. A combined dinner meeting with the Central Ohio Chapter of the society was held in Pomerene Hall.

## CHEMICAL

Twenty-three chemical engineering seniors and graduate students visited Findlay, Rossford, Toledo, and Fremont, Ohio. By special invitation of Colonel T. G. Gallagher they visited the Beet Sugar Industry at Fremont, Ohio. Included in the itinerary were The National Refining Company, Findlay; The Larowe Milling Company, Toledo; Larowe-Suzuki Company, Rossford; The United States Gypsum Co., Genoa; Washington Lime Company and The Ohio Hydrate and Supply Co., Woodville, Ohio.

Professor James R. Withrow has been made a member of the Advisory Committee of the Problems of Lime Manufacture and Specification, Committee C-7, American Society for Testing Materials at the Atlantic City meeting of the Society.

## ELECTRICAL

The requirements of the electrical engineering department were slightly changed at a recent meeting of the engineering faculty. From 25 to 30 hours of electives are replacing some of the technical subjects heretofore found in the junior and senior years. The M. E. lab has been made optional along with advanced mathematics. All classes have meetings under the new ruling, an innovation that could well be adopted by the other departments.

Based on a point ratio of 3.0 or above during the last quarter of residence, the following are the members of the senior electrical engineering class who, because of the excellence of their work during the winter quarter of 1930, have been placed on the honors list of the department of electrical engineering, G. F. Leydorf, R. H. Patterson, A. O. Grooms, Chas. Cancik, R. F. Miller, H. W. Hope, and P. T. Hahn.

On November 6 the Student Branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers gave a smoker and "cider-doughnut" party for the soph electricals. Everyone had a great time. There were two jugs of cider left over but Laydord and Zimmerman kindly consented to dispose of this at a later date. (We wonder how much later.)

## INDUSTRIAL

Under the leadership of Allen McKnight, the society is making rapid strides toward another successful year. Ralph Jenkinson is vice president and Patsey Difloure is treasurer.

The society held its first dinner meeting on October 15 at the Ohio Union. Mr. Cott of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad spoke on "Safety Engineering" and "The Management of Safety." About 40 members and 10 visitors attended.

About sixty members of the junior and senior class in industrial engineering visited the Monarch Marking System Company and the National Cash Register Company of Dayton on November 10. The first named plant was visited in the morning; this company is one of the few manufacturers of price tags and the equipment for producing them. The students were luncheon guests of the Engineers' Club. The afternoon was spent at the National Cash Register Company, learning something about the manufacture of cash registers. The trip was a great success and certainly had its practical value.

Among those who have visited the industrial engineering department this quarter are: Howard W. Allison of the Cincinnati Milling Machine Co.; John Riker of Proctor and Gamble, Cincinnati, Ohio; Gibson of the Goodrich Tire and Rubber Co.; William B. Gillen of the Warren plant of The General Electric Co.; Kinzler of the George Tundle Engineering Co.; Mike Hudak of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co.; John Muhleman of The U. S. Radiator Co., Cleveland; Robert Duerler of the Cincinnati Milling Machine Co.; Ernest Fuller of the Great Lakes Steel Corp., Detroit, Mich.; Leonard Dugan of The American Radiator Company; and Vic Peters of The Hobart Manufacturing Company, Troy, Ohio.

## MECHANICAL

Professors F. W. Marquis and W. T. Magruder attended the National Convention of Tau Beta Pi at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, October 9, 10, and 11. Professors Marquis, Magruder, and Ott have recently been elected as national councilors of Tau Beta Pi.

Professors K. W. Stinson and C. P. Roberts attended the Transportation Meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers held in Pittsburgh October 23-25.

## RADIO

The University Chess Club recently carried on a match with the Chess Club of the University of Chicago over short wave radio stations W9EHD and W8LT. W9EHD is the amateur station of

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the University of Chicago and W8LT is the short wave station of the Ohio State Radio Club.

Four games were carried on simultaneously. The radio stations operated on a frequency of 3,500 KC. Almost 50 messages were sent and received at the scarlet and gray station. The match lasted for four hours and then remained unfinished. The operators at W8LT were G. E. Branch, EE 2, and Wilson Leatherman, EE 4.