



The Polemics was organized in the spring of 1913 as a means of filling a long-felt want at Armour, a society for literary discussion which, should be open to all members of the Institute. Incidental to practice in public speaking, parliamentary usage is taken up and each member is given a chance to preside at a meeting and to act as secretary. Visitors are invited to attend the sessions and to take part in the discussions, which cover topics introduced by the members. The president for the first semester of this year was George W. Sproesser and the secretary was Clifford D. Wight. These positions are now held by William V. Lindblom and Theodore J. Kiene respectively.



Top Row—SHAFFER, BREADY, MARX, KIENE, HANSON. Second Row—LINDBLOM, KNUEFFER, DIETENBECK, SHERMAN. Bottom Row—TRINKAUS, CHIPMAN, SPROESSER, WIGHT, SIMMONS.