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In accordance to custom, the first meeting of the Society was a smoker, held in the Armour Lunch Room on Thursday, October 8, 1914.

Mr. C. W. Naylor, Chief Engineer for Marshall Field & Company, spoke on the advantages derived from active membership in an engineering society. The talk was exceedingly interesting and came from a worthy source, for Mr. Naylor attributes his success in the engineering world to his connection with engineering societies. Professors Gebhardt, Peebles, Libby, Anderson, and Roesch responded with short talks, after which refreshments were served.

At the meeting on December 2, the announcement and details were read concerning prizes offered by Henry Hess, member of the A.S.M.E., for the best technical papers presented before the Branches by student members. Mr. Frederick Purdy, engineer with the Rayfield Carburetor Co., spoke on "Carburetion," outlining the development which has taken place along this line.

Meetings:

- Oct. 8, 1914—Smoker—C. W. Naylor, Speaker.
- Nov. 4, 1914—L. D. Kiley '12 on "Patents and Patent Law."
- Dec. 2, 1914—Frederick Purdy on "Carburetion."
- Feb. 4, 1915—F. L. Faulkner '15 on "Adaptability of the 8 Cyl. V-Type Motor to the Automobile."
- Mar. 11, 1915—Mr. Abbot on "Cement Manufacture."