

Armour Institute Branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers

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The American Institute of Electrical Engineers is the national organization of the electrical engineering profession. It was founded in 1884 and has from that day to this been one of the leading factors in the rapid advance of electrical development. The objects of the Institute are the advancement of the theory and practice of electrical engineering and of the allied arts and sciences, the maintenance of high professional standing among its members, and the development of the individual engineer.

The branch at the Armour Institute of Technology was installed in 1903, and since that time it has been one of the foremost societies at the Institute. The purpose of the branch is to give the student of electrical engineering an opportunity to hear and to meet men who are prominent in the profession, and to enable him to discuss, or even prepare, papers upon subjects of a technical or electrical nature. The ability to present a technical subject to an audience in such a manner as to be forceful and convincing is a difficult matter and it has been the aim of the branch to help its members in this direction.

During the past year we have had many speakers of both national and local importance. Their lectures and papers have not only helped us in a technical way but have been a means for a study of proper delivery of such subjects.

At this time we wish to express our thanks to the Professors of the Electrical Department for their interest and help which they have so willingly given us.