

## HONORARY FRATERNITIES

## Delta of Eta Kappa Nu

The scholastic fraternity or honor society has long been a recognized element of college life. One would suspect, and not without reason, that such organizations originally were devices invented by educators, to stimulate interest in learning by serving as a goal toward which the ambitious student could turn his efforts. The number of societies of this nature has rapidly increased until at the present time we find them in all branches of all professions, and their influence is both respected and appreciated by educators.

The rapid development of the engineering profession has opened up a new field wherein such organizations can and do perform important functions. In the engineering field learning is a necessity but it is, nevertheless, only one of the many qualities required of the successful engineer. The founders of Eta Kappa Nu recognized the value of high scholarship but they were not blind to the other and greater elements of the engineering profession; they knew that all engineering can be reduced to one common denominator, man. With these thoughts in mind they endowed the organization with a broader purpose than that of a strictly scholastic fraternity. The society has filled a niche which was previously vacant, and it has not entirely failed in its avowed purpose of spreading the spirit of good-fellowship among the members of the electrical engineering profession.

It is this spirit which has bound the members of Delta Chapter together and which has given to them some appreciation of the human side of engineering. Our senior year, with its problems, its close associations, and its chaotic mixture of work, play, pain and pleasure, has passed like a flash of light and we of Delta wish that we might continue our associations with the men of the Class of '27 for many years to come. We know that such a wish can never come true and that the past year can never be lived again, but we still carry with us an etching that time may tone but never erase, a remembrance of our senior year at Armour Institute of Technology.



Swanson

Ewald, Goetz, Beckman, Burkhardt, Burcky, Coole  
Madden, Anderson, Brightman, Wittgren, Kenney, Lueth, Schramm

Wahner

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