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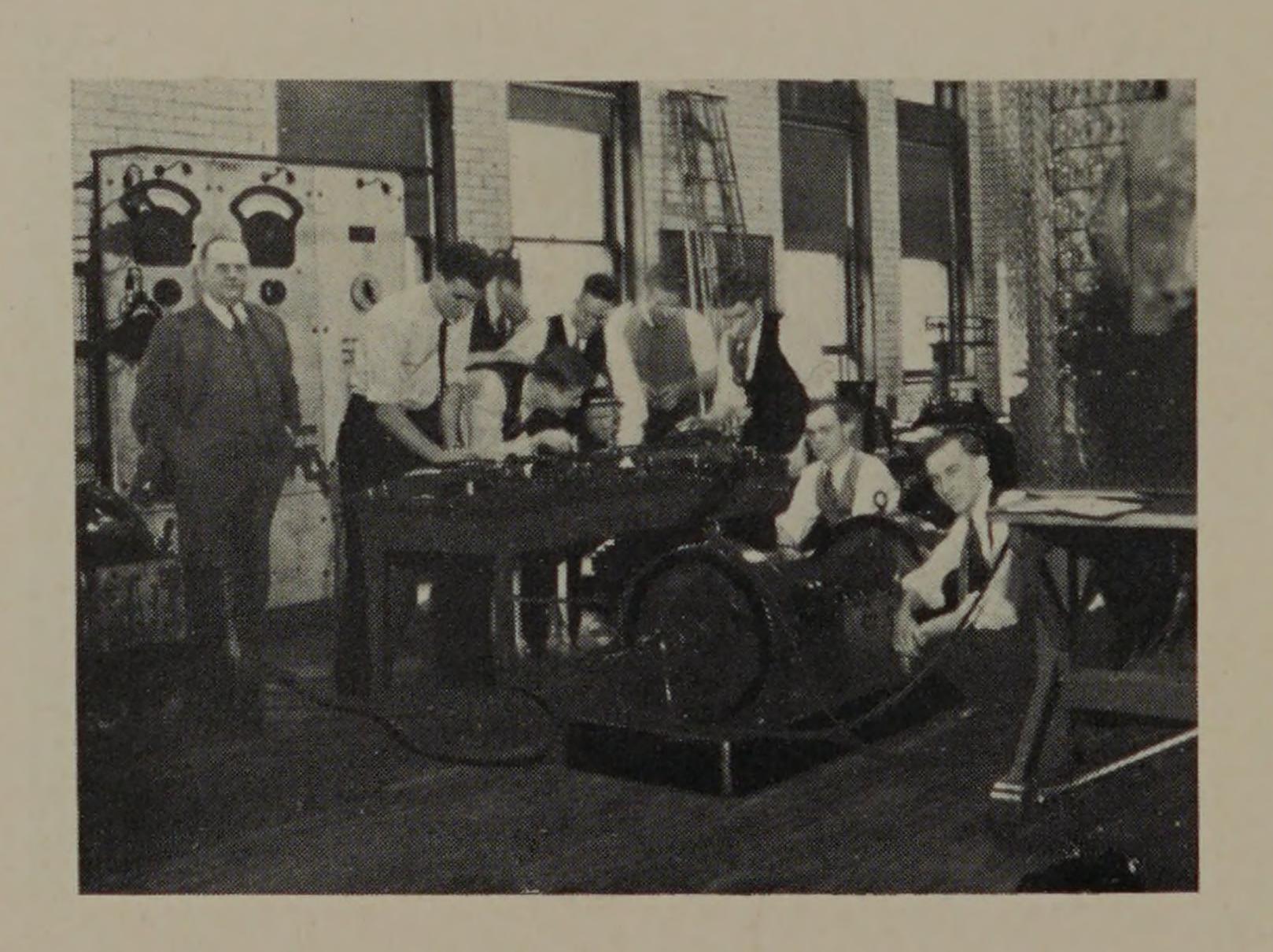
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The Armour Branch of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers this year has instituted a novel program in that the moving picture film has been used to inform its members of the latest advancements in the field of electrical engineering in connection with many interesting and well-known speakers on subjects of interest to electrical engineers.

Meetings have been held every other Friday and through the efforts of the "Meetings" chairman, every meeting has been a pronounced success.

On October 23, the first meeting of the year, Mr. C. E. Ludwigson, of the sales division of General Electric Company, spoke on



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"Electron Tubes in Industry." In his talk, Mr. Ludwigson revealed many unsuspected applications of these tubes in every field.

On November 6, Mr. Sjoberg, training supervisor of the American Telegraph and Telephone Company, spoke on the Telephoto System that is at present incorporated in the American Telegraph and Telephone System. This lecture was clearly illustrated with slides that explained the engineering problems that had been met and overcome and the many applications that the system has found in the commercial world with its rapidity of transmission of facsimiles and pictures of all descriptions.

On January 22, Mr. Glenn, Assistant District Engineer for the General Electric Company, gave an address on "Mercury Arc Rectifiers and Their Field of Usefulness," which gave an insight into the operation of this modern rectifier and the rapid expansion in the commercial use of these machines.

E. C. Chilberg, of the Chicago General Electric Company Engineering Department, was the speaker at a meeting held on February 19. His topic, "Building Network," considered the care and protection required to insure constant electrical service in large buildings where the continuity of service is absolutely essential.