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Works was the speaker at the next regular meeting of the Society. Mr. Boardman spoke on "Welded Steel Tanks," informing the Society of the increasing importance of welding in steel construction work. It was a very interesting mathematical discourse on the economies effected in stress analysis in this particular field of design through observance of the mathematical properties of certain curvilinear surfaces.

Other guest speakers were Mr. T. L. Condon of Condon and Post, Consulting Engineers, who spoke on "A Century of Progress in Steel Design"; Mr. Henry Penn relating the "Romance of Steel"; Mr. E. T. Blix of the Mississippi Valley Structural Steel Co. who visualized, planned, and executed the construction of the unique Skyride at the World's Fair. Mr. Blix revealed the industrial, cooperative relationship needed to promote such a major project.

These talks were presented at meetings held bi-monthly. Effort was made to secure speakers on subjects of varied interests, speakers who were capable practicing men in their field. The unusually large attendance at the meetings was a most gratifying expression of the appreciation and sincerity of the Society members.



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