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In June, 1921, the professional chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers suggested that the educational program of the organization be extended to the students enrolled in courses in chemical engineering throughout the country. This suggestion was favorably acted upon. In 1923 the first chapter was established at the University of Michigan and the second at Armour Institute of Technology. Since that time the Armour chapter has grown to be a large organization, the present membership consisting of over forty seniors and thirty juniors. The growth of this branch is largely due to the work of Professor Harry McCormack who is the counsellor of the group. In an effort to stimulate interest in the student branch, the chapter awards a "Handbook of Physics and Chemistry" each year to the sophomore in Chemical Engineering who led his class scholastically during the freshman year. Beta Chapter, the Armour branch of the organization, takes pride in being one of the first student chapters of the national society. In addition Beta Chapter is actively engaged working at the school where chemical engineering laboratory work originated.

Throughout the winter semester the Chapter presented programs designed especially to increase participation of the student members in its activities. The tenor of this plan was sounded by Professor McCormack at the first meeting of the year. This meeting also served another purpose. Because of the increasing number of freshmen entering the college with the idea of studying chemical engineering, officers of the chapter felt that the chapter would be benefited materially by extending membership to these entering students. Accordingly plans were made to present an outline of the work to those students who were interested in chemical engineering. At the following meeting held two weeks later the chapter had an opportunity to hear Dr. R. C. Kintner, who had recently been appointed to the faculty of Armour. Dr. Kintner spoke upon the "Production of Super-Phosphates" to an interested group of attending students and faculty members of the school's chemical department.

Top Row: Charlton, Miller, Wagner, Hofmann, Ryan, Schweitzer, Levine, Norkus, Loutzenheiser, Wessels, Grigas, Spencer.

Second Row: Smith, Boertitz, Peterson, Gryglas, Johnson, Rothenberg, Spengler, Mirzvinskis, Pater, Grombacher, Silverman, Ratto.

Third Row: Morris, Peltier, Fried, Weinecke, Buckman, Avgeranos, Isakson, Adesko, Jaffee, McDaniel, Keane.

