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Although there are less students enrolled in the option of Fire Protection Engineering than in other of the engineering curricula, it has one of the most active student organizations. Organized November 11, 1913, through the sponsorship of interested faculty and students, the Fire Protection Engineering Society has played an interesting role in the departmental life of the students. The need for a means of bringing together the men of all classes to meetings of common interest was recognized by the society founders twenty-seven years ago. The society promotes not only functions of a primarily academic nature, but endeavors to sponsor a social program as well, in the interest of good fellowship.

Regular meetings are held bi-monthly, and are under the direction of the student officers. The speakers, representing all phases of the insurance field, are chosen for their ability to bring subjects of interest and educational value to the fire protection students. The program during the past year was especially varied in this respect, with the presentation of talks by men from the safety, engineering, sales, and adjustment phases of insurance. The social program was headed by a smoker for all society members with a special invitation to freshmen. Movies and other varied amusements, awarding of honors and refreshments highlighted the evening's activities.

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