

# THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The last man has left the stage, diploma in hand. Graduation? Well, yes . . . finally, some will say. College days, for the majority, will be gone forever. Classmates will separate and go their respective ways, stepping out into a different world and leaving behind them their college friends and their alma mater. The Armour Alumni Association, realizing the value of graduate contact, strives to tie together the thousands of alumni into an active body which, besides maintaining old friendships and associations with the alma mater, spreads the achievements of Armour throughout the land.

Perhaps the greatest single medium through which the Association contacts the alumni is the "Armour Engineer and Alumnus" which, with its circulation of over 20,000, is sent to all contributing alumni the world over, and to countless libraries. In addition to handling the Engineer's publication, the Association operates a student loan fund available to senior students. Each June, as a concluding feature of the year's activities, it conducts the annual Alumni banquet where all graduates who can possibly attend gather once more to bring back old memories.

## OFFICERS

J. J. Schommer	<i>President</i>
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Having a good time and learning something about engineering takes four years for the undergraduate. Then comes June and commencement and these pastimes must be forsaken for thoughts of a job. From January to graduation week Professors reinforce their lectures with varied quips about the procuring of the all important job. Dads begin to utter sighs of relief at a chance for income instead of outgo. Meanwhile Professor John Schommer's office buzzes with interviews and applications until, as in former years, the greatest part of the class is employed in some capacity for firms the country over.



Uncle John looking over the records as June and job time near.

## PLACEMENT BUREAU