



# American Institute of Electrical Engineers *Central Illinois Section*

## MARCH NEWS LETTER

### February Meeting

The past meeting of the Section held in Decatur was very successful. The program presented by Mr. Tim Bates of the Bussman Company gave to the group a very interesting discussion of the importance of complete electrical protection for both the residential and industrial systems.

### Bloomington Group

The representation of the Bloomington contingent at the Decatur meeting was indeed impressive. There were present members from the Bloomington Plant of General Electric Company and their guests. We welcome these fellows to our meetings and invite them to join us in our activities.

### Technical Group Meetings

The technical group committee has shown increased effort to bring the section the programs and field trips that would be of interest to our members. This month there are two such meetings scheduled.

On Saturday, March 24, 1956 there is scheduled an inspection trip to one of the Springfield area's coal mines. The mine selected is one of the mechanized mines which uses the modern equipment developed for unique mining operations.

On Tuesday, March 13, 1956 there is scheduled the second in a series of discussions dealing with Magnetic Amplifiers. Considerable interest was shown at the first meeting which was held in Decatur.

Both of these and any future Technical Group meetings will be announced by special mailing notices.

### Election of Officers

The nominating committee has met and selected a slate of recommended candidates for the offices of the Central Illinois Section for the coming year. Each of us should feel the responsibility of interest and support of the present and future officers. An organization is known by the officers it keeps. Let's get out and elect and support this next year's group of officers.

### March Meeting

The Springfield meeting this month should prove to be of interest to the entire membership of the section. Dr. Pearson is a noted heart specialist, and should give us a program highlighted by illustrations and demonstrations.

### Ladies Day

Just a reminder to hold the date of May 15, 1956 open. The trip to Allerton Park and the beautiful Allerton Gardens is planned along with the dinner meeting at Monticello. The women may want some time to do their planning.

### News Letter

The news letter portion of the meeting notices was established to give to the section members news items which would help to give us a closer organization. If at any time any member has a note or item that would be of interest to the section, it will be included in this letter. Just drop a note to Lee Black, Chairman, Publicity Committee, c/o Sangamo Electric Company, Springfield, Illinois.