

## Journal Notes

### The December Issue:

There was no issue of the Journal in December 1937 for the following reasons:—

- (1) No papers had been read between September and December 1937.
- (2) No article had been contributed by any corporate member during that period.
- (3) One "December issue"—that of 1936—had already been published during the year 1937, i.e. in February.
- (4) The total number of issues during the year was actually, though not technically, the required number, four.

### Contributions:

As there is no provision for the employment of professional journalists in the Editorial Staff or for the purchase of matter for publication, the Journal has to be composed entirely of voluntarily contributed articles. The editorial staff has to select and arrange the written matter in proper order for easy reading and reference and to have it passed through the press for distribution. But the reading material that will be appreciated can be supplied only by the individual members themselves.

Since the Journal is regarded more as an organ for the publication of the writings of corporate members and for the announcement of the activities of the Association of Engineers than for those of other institutions, articles contributed by non-members, even though they be of some interest, may be looked upon with disapproval and are published only with great reluctance. To make the Journal fulfil its real purpose the co-operation of each and every member in the supply and collection of articles for publication is necessary.

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