

whenever it is considered necessary by the Council, and a number of candidates have appeared for examination.

Though the Association offers no inducement of any form of personal benefit or professional advantage to its members and though no form of compulsion or pressure is brought to bear on applicants for appointment to positions in public service to persuade them become Members of this Association, its membership has steadily grown and spread throughout the Provinces of India from the farthest North to the farthest South and from the farthest East to the farthest West. Though the Association commenced work as a Provincial organisation it has now become an All-India concern. Its Journal goes outside India to China in the far-east and to America in the far-west, to Great Britain in the north and to Australia in the south. Though it is mainly moved by the patriotic feelings of the country of its origin yet it has given an Honorary Membership to one from Scotland and it is expected that, in a not distant future, work will proceed on an international basis with a large Membership from Countries outside India.

The attainment of 25 years of life by any organisation is usually noted as an occasion for jubilant celebrations, given the name "Silver Jubilee." But Engineers are remarkably unenthusiastic about such demonstrations, due to an innate dislike to any form of show that may be looked upon as self-advertisement or self-praise. Accordingly, the "Silver Jubilee" of the Association of Engineers was marked by no other celebration than a gathering together of members at a quiet luncheon one day and a meeting for reading and discussion of a few technical papers on another. The programme of functions included the taking of a group photograph, but, due to war conditions, suitable arrangements for that have not yet been found possible to be made. The papers that were read are published in this issue. Their publication earlier was debarred by the restriction in allotment of paper permitted to us.

Limitation of space prevents the desired presentation here of a fuller and more detailed description of the activities of the Association and of the personalities creditably connected with them and we have therefore to content ourselves with a short list mentioning names and dates from which the activities may be inferentially judged.

We note that the Institution of Engineers, Australia; has also celebrated its Silver Jubilee recently. We take this opportunity to congratulate them on their excellent achievement.

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