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ELECTRICALS TO VISIT TELEPHONE EXCHANGE

Trips to Be Made Thursday and Friday—Ballots Not Yet Counted.

The Electrical Engineering Society has arranged a very interesting excursion for its members to one of the telephone exchanges of this vicinity. As all the members of the society will probably not be able to go on Thursday the society has arranged matters so that there will also be an opportunity for those who are unable to go on Thursday to do so on Friday. On both of these days the trips are to meet in front of the office of the New England Telephone Company on Hill at 2 o'clock sharp. The trips are to be conducted by Mr. Kentling. The results of the elections have not been ascertained as yet, but the ballots not having been counted. An announcement of the election results will be given as soon as the results are known.

BRIGUETTING COAL.

Briquetting coal has passed the experimental stage and is now assuming a more substantial and permanent character, says the U. S. Geological Survey. The quantity of briquetted fuel manufactured in the United States in 1912 showed a gain over the output in the preceding year, and in 1913 the increase gives every evidence of being still larger.

The output at present amounts to about 125,000 short tons annually, valued at $6,000,000. Out of the 19 plants, seven used anthracite coal, nine used bituminous or semi-bituminous slack, one used bituminous slack and anthracite coal, and one used peat. The largest plant, which is in Superior, Wisconsin, has a capacity of between 15 and 20 tons of briquettes in an hour.

NAVAL ARCH. SOCIETY.

Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock the Naval Architectural Society will hold a meeting in Room 32, Eng. C. The speaker has not yet been announced, but full notice of his subject and other arrangements will appear in a later edition of THE TECH.

T. C. A. TALK.

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parts of the world in the interests of the universal language.

A talk given by Mr. Pruit to address the students is largely due to Mr. Mead. Mr. Pruit is so well known that his services are greatly in demand, and the T. C. A. might not have been able to arrange this talk without the assistance of Mr. Mead. In fact, the original suggestion came from him. Mr. Mead himself spoke before the T. C. A. a year ago last January, and expressed himself as greatly interested in the work of the association. The fact that he has taken the trouble to secure such a well-known speaker for the T. C. A. shows that he believes in its work. The officers of the Association feel that the endorsement of so prominent a man as Mr. Mead is a high compliment to the T. C. A. They hope that the attendance at Thursday's talk will be such as to reward Mr. Mead for his interest in the Association, and Mr. Pruit for his kindness in taking time to accomplish the arrangements. They feel that Tech men are offered a rare privilege in the opportunity to hear this speaker, and hope that as many as are able will take advantage of it.

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