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A.J. Fisher was graduated from the Colorado State preparatory school and later from the University of Colorado, college of engineering, with a degree in mechanical engineering. Mr. Fisher began his steel mill employment with the Bethlehem Steel Company at the Sparrows Point, Maryland, plant as assistant master mechanic of the sheet and tin mill division in 1924. After serving in several capacities in various departments, Mr. Fisher became fuel engineer in 1929, and held that

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position until December, 1947, when he became assistant chief engineer of construction at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

### **The President's Message**

The operating and technical problems of the iron and steel industry are becoming more complex every day. Most of us now realize that knowledge of and participation in the operation of the industry, we must at the same time be capable of passing this knowledge on to others, in order that they can do as well as we have done, if not better. With one hand we have to be instructors, and with the other, engineers and operators. As we strive to advance, we must look back and give the other fellow a hand.

It has always been the policy of the Association of Iron and Steel Engineers to foster the exchange of technical information between engineers and op-

erators; between the old and young; between the advanced and the less advanced. To further this policy, the officers and directors of the Association will spend much time and effort in developing ways and means of better serving the Association membership. Special attention will be given to our younger members. We want to help them to get all the available basic technical information they need about our industry and their specific jobs. We want them to get a firm foundation and a good start. We want them to become better foremen, better engineers, and better operators.

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