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DEPARTMENT OF MINING ENGINEERING

March 5th, 1931.

F.L. Hutchinson, Esq.,  
Secretary,  
American Institute of Electrical Engineers,  
29 West 39th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Acting on the suggestion of Mr. W.S. Lee, Charlotte, N.C., President of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, and Mr. J.M.R. Fairbairn, Montreal, Chief Engineer of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Seven Camp Wardens of Camp 1 take very much pleasure in extending to you an invitation to be present and take part in the Ceremony of the Ritual of the Calling of an Engineer on the afternoon of March 27th next and in that way become a member of Camp 1. Mr. W.S. Lee is a member of Camp 1 and can tell you the whole story which is a rather lengthy one. This is the Kipling Ritual written in the first place for the Graduating Classes in Engineering but which had such an appeal to the older men that special Ceremonies for them have been held from time to time throughout Canada. Camp 1 was established in Toronto in 1925 and there are eight other Camps throughout Canada. Preparations are now being considered for extensions to the rest of the English speaking world.

There will be two Ceremonies, the first one for the older men about 3.30 p.m., and the second for the Graduating Class in Engineering of the University of Toronto at 5 p.m., in the Senate Chamber of the University, and it is expected that the older men who take part in the first Ceremony will attend as Camp members at the second Ceremony.

After the Ceremony the Seven Camp Wardens will expect you and a few of their friends to an informal dinner.

Yours sincerely,

*H.E.T. Haultain*

H.E.T. Haultain,  
Secretary of the Seven Camp Wardens of Camp 1.

*March 27*  
*noon - Section Luncheon*  
*3.30 Ceremony*  
*5.00*  
*Informal Dinner*  
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P.S. Invitations are being sent to the following:

Francis Lee Stuart, Esq.,  
President,  
American Society of Civil Engineers.

R.V. Wright, Esq.,  
President,  
American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Robert E. Tally, Esq.,  
President,  
American Institute of Mining & Metallurgical Engineers.

George T. Seabury, Esq.,  
Secretary,  
American Society of Civil Engineers.

Calvin W. Rice, Esq.,  
Secretary,  
American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Dr. Foster Bain,  
Secretary,  
American Institute of Mining & Metallurgical Engineers.

F.L. Hutchinson, Esq.,  
Secretary,  
American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

March 10, 1931

Professor H. E. T. Haultain, Secretary  
Seven Camp Wardens of Camp 1  
Department of Mining Engineering  
University of Toronto  
Toronto 5, Canada

Dear Professor Haultain:

This will acknowledge receipt of your interesting letter of March 3, and I feel highly honored to have an invitation to attend the ceremony of the ritual of the Calling of an Engineer, on the afternoon of March 27.

As far as I am able to see ahead at the present time, I shall be able to come to Toronto on that date, in which case it will be a great pleasure to me to do so.

I am leaving today to attend a convention of ours in Pittsburgh; but unless you hear from me to the contrary later, you may count upon my attendance on this interesting occasion.

With best regards

Very truly yours

National Secretary

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March 17, 1931.

Mr. Robert E. Tally, President  
American Institute of Mining  
and Metallurgical Engineers  
c/o United Verde Copper Co.  
Jerome, Arizona

Dear Mr. Tally:

Professor H. E. T. Haultain, Head of the Department of Mining Engineering in the University of Toronto, wrote me under date of March 3, 1931, enclosing copy of a letter which bears the date March 5, 1931, addressed to F. L. Hutchinson, Secretary, American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Mr. Haultain also informs me that he intends to address similar letters to the presidents and secretaries of each of the four Founder Societies, and he requests me to write you regarding his proposal; I shall send a carbon copy of this letter to the secretary of the Miners.

Two years ago, when I was in Toronto at the meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, I was asked to take part in the Ceremony of the Ritual of the Calling of an Engineer, Camp 1. I believe I was the first American to be so honored. At that time I was informed that plans were in contemplation for extending the organization to include all of the English-speaking world.

Since Mr. Haultain wants me to communicate with you, I may say that I found the ceremony of this initiation very impressive, and I am convinced of the sincerity of the sentiment behind the organization. I believe you will be favorably impressed with the projected expansion.

Cordially yours,

cc Mr. H. F. Bain

(Signed) SCOTT TURNER.

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AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF  
MINING & METALLURGICAL ENGINEERS



29 WEST 39<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
NEW YORK

March 19, 1931.

Messrs. George T. Seabury, Secretary, A. S. C. E.  
Calvin W. Rice, " A. S. M. E.  
✓ E. L. Hutchinson, " A. I. E. E.

Dear Sirs:

Knowing of your interest in the subject, I am taking the liberty of enclosing copy of a letter from Director Scott Turner, of the U. S. Bureau of Mines, to our President with reference to the Ceremony of the Ritual of the Calling of an Engineer, at the University of Toronto on March 27.

Cordially yours,

*Carlson*  
Secretary to  
H. FOSTER BAIN  
Secretary



DEPARTMENT OF MINING ENGINEERING

University of Toronto

TORONTO 5, CANADA



April 2nd, 1931.

F.L. Hutchinson, Esq.,  
National Secretary,  
American Institute of Electrical Engineers,  
33 West 39th Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Hutchinson:

Permit me, on behalf of the Seven Camp Wardens of Camp 1, to express to you our appreciation of your visit to us on Friday and for your participation in the 24th and 25th Ceremonies of Camp 1.

We hope progress was made with the foundations that will lead in proper time to further extensions.

A copy of the Obligation went forward to you yesterday.

Yours sincerely,

*Prof* H.E.T. Haultain,  
Secretary of the Seven Camp Wardens of Camp 1.

*University of Toronto*

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J. L. Hutchinson  
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April 9, 1931

Professor H.E.T.Haultain, Secretary  
Seven Camp Wardens of Camp I  
University of Toronto  
Toronto 5, Canada

My dear Professor Haultain:

Thank you sincerely for your letter of the  
2nd instant, enclosing a copy of the "Engineer's Obligation".

My recent visit to Toronto is an exceedingly  
pleasant memory, and I look forward with pleasure to  
future gatherings of the same nature.

With best regards

Very truly yours

National Secretary

FLH B

*"The Ritual of the  
Calling of an Engineer"*