

PAUL JAMES PAHLMAN, Mechanical Engineering.

Senior Mechanical Society.

July the fourth, 1883, was the time "Polly" selected for his arrival and Chicago was the place. With such a start, how could he help but thrive! After graduating from Chicago English High School in 1901, Pahlman tried his hand as a banker with the Commercial National Bank. But his strong desire for study drove him to Armour's Institute to become a mechanical engineer. Here the charms of the drafting room could not be overlooked, and he soon became a star with the compass and triangle.

WILLIAM WILBUR PATRICK, Chemical Engineering.

Senior Chemical Society.

Patrick is in truth a shy young man and well deserves the name applied to him of "Meek Pat." His debut was made in 1887, the exact date being February 20. After several years in the high school of his native town, Midland, Michigan, he came to Armour Academy and graduated in 1904. Entering the Tech, he continued his Armour career as a chemical engineer. He was once observed walking up and down in front of the "Follies of 1907," but by the time he decided to enter, there were no seats left—poor "Pat."

ROBERT AUGUSTUS PERKINS, Mechanical Engineering.

Tau Beta Pi.

Glee Club; Senior Mechanical Society; Chess and Checker Club.

"Si" has been a warbler since his first solo at Montello, Wisconsin, on November 5, 1882, and the later audiences appreciate the sound of his voice far more than the first ones probably did. In his prep high school at Sioux Falls he learned the manly art of playing chess and in 1907 became the champion of the club at Armour. Mr. Perkins spends most of his time in study, however, and is one of the main sharks of the Tau Beta Pi.

ERNEST POLLACK, Civil Engineering.

Civil Engineering Society.

Pollack was born in Vienna, Austria, some time ago. He came in '93 to see the World's Fair and our American ways pleased him so well that he stayed. We have never accounted for his very ladylike figure and the fine fit of his clothes, straight front, etc., but have heard that his father is a tailor. Anyhow, since his visit to gay Paree he is just "it" with the ladies, even though the boys at the summer camp did soak all the foreign labels off his dapper little suit case.

