

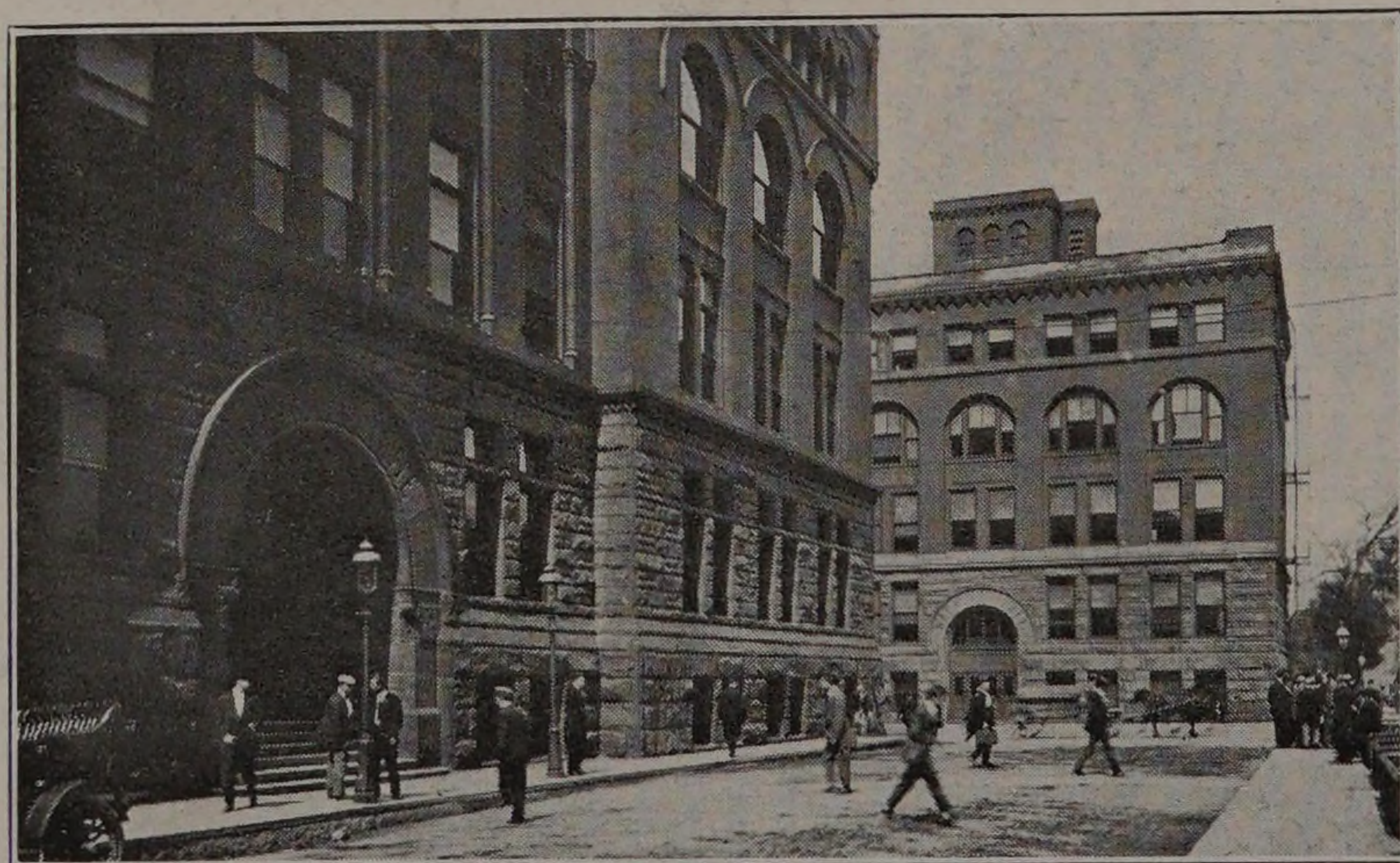


Armour Institute of Technology

An Historical Sketch

IT seems odd to speak of the history of an institution which has been in existence for so short a period as has Armour Institute of Technology, but the time in which events have occurred at Armour is so far from being a measure of their magnitude that we are safe in saying that the history of Armour Institute of Technology is at least an interesting one.

Mr. Joseph F. Armour left, by his will, a hundred thousand dollars with which to build a Mission in Chicago for church, school, and educational purposes. To this his brother, Philip Danforth Armour added a large sum to complete and outfit the building. This was accomplished in 1886. Ever ready to help those who wished to help themselves



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Mr. Armour built at various times several large flat buildings in the neighborhood of the Mission, the revenue from which served to make it as far as possible self-sustaining. To the religious work, a free dispensary and library were added, the latter in charge of Mrs. Julia