

THE SENIOR CLASS BOOK

1911

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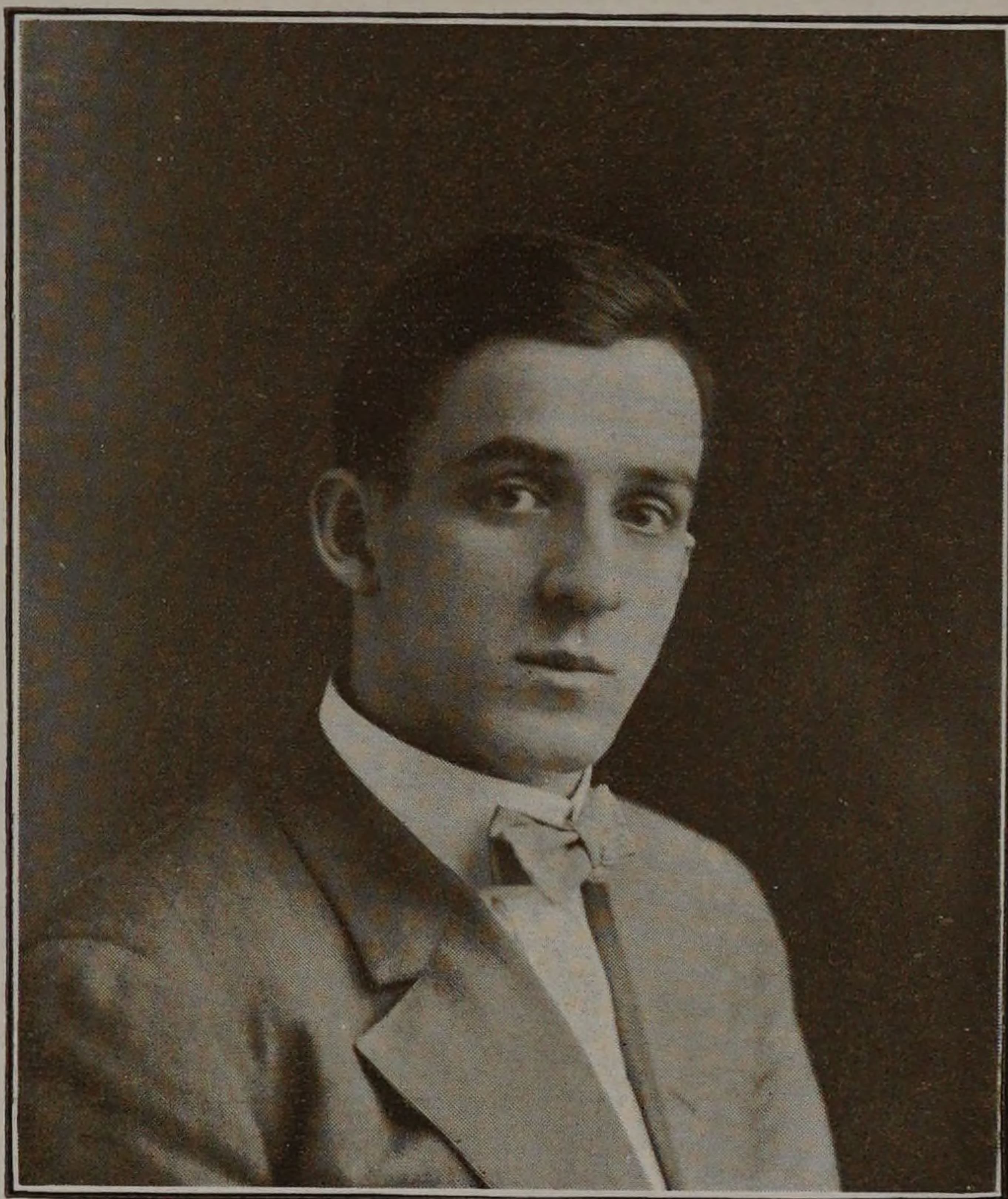
Civil Engineering.

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Thesis Subject: Bond Stress of Lap
Reinforced Concrete Beams.

Class Baseball (2).

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Herman was born in Chicago back in 1889, on the 22nd of February. He took his prep work at Joseph Medill High School, being graduated from there in 1906. He entered Armour in 1907, and has been a regular member of our Class since then.

A good earnest worker, he left his books long enough to help our Class ball team make good in 1908 and later in 1910 he helped add to "Pa" Phillips' gray hairs at summer camp. Mention of his name in the local society circles of those northern woods stills draws a flutter of excitement from the ladies.

Herman is one of the Civil pool sharks, and at times the arguments between him and "Sophie" Bredlau, his hand-fast companion, grow fast and furious. His greatest worry in life is helping Bredlau secure his naturalization papers and to prevent his friend from falling into the clutches of the avaricious politicians from the City Hall. Only his innate modesty prevents him from claiming the credit for his pal's success as an amateur Gotch. Herman was his trainer and confidential adviser throughout Bredlau's career, and after piloting him through several mat tournaments induced him to restrain his desire to go on with the game, and brought him to Armour.

Herman likes a good joke and a good story, and his presentable record stamps him a good student,—another one of the Civils' list of all around good scouts.

"A Youth of Labor and an Age of Ease."