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Civil Engineering.

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C. E. S.

"Solly" is another Chicago boy. Chicago was pleased to record the arrival of another "Future great" in this youngster who missed his first Fourth of July celebration by one day, the year being 1889. When the time came to enroll for high school work Meyer chose Robert A. Waller, at that time achieving great honors in athletics under the old name of North Division, but now degenerated into a girls' seminary. Our hero created quite a stir among the susceptible hearts of the fair North Side maidens, and his departure undoubtedly started the above high school on its downward path.

Since entering Armour he has done track and wrestling work for the Y. M. C. A. During his summers he has been connected with the government Geodetic work and the C. R. & P. R. R. They say that Solly passed the exam for computer in the Geodetic Survey with such perfect ease that he greatly astonished the government examiners. Every position which he has held he has filled with great credit to himself.

Salomon has a strong leaning towards inventing and mathematics. In Math especially has he shown himself a gem of "purest ray serene." He ought to be the president of the Amalgated Order of Math Sharks, if there were such an organization.

Since the hoyden days of his Y. M. C. A. athletic prominence Salomon has eschewed most diversions of the rougher sort. When not wrestling with a complicated problem in higher mathematics or in the range of C. E. subjects, he loves to sit in a quiet nook and read an interesting book. He is more of a student, less of a mixer.

"Reading Maketh a Full Man."