

## SENIOR CLASS BOOK 1912.





## JOSEPH STANLEY NAROZNY

Thesis: Design of a Double Track Bridge with Inclined Top Chords.

Joseph S. Narozny was born in Chicago on February 9, 1887. He received his preliminary education at the William H. Seward school, Chicago, from which he graduated in 1903, being awarded the "Foster Diploma" for excellence in scholarship. He then entered Lake High School, and while there decided to become an architect, and with this idea in mind came to Armour. But as his preparation was incomplete he was compelled to enter the Academy, from which he graduated in 1907. In the meantime he had changed his mind about becoming an architect and accordingly in the fall of the same year he enrolled at the Tech as a Civil.

In the summer of 1909, we find him at summer camp. Here he had many wordy combats with his tentmate "Soly" and with the famous "Sons of Rest." One night a terriffic (?) wind storm blew Chandler's tepee away and razed the "Pest Tent" to the ground. On the day before breaking camp our hero accidentally (?) fell into the Menominee.

He has a difficult time in trying to make some of the Profs. in the Civil department think he knows anything. But we all have to hand it to him when it comes to stick-to-it-iveness. For his thesis he has joined with Ratkowski in the "Design of a double Track Bridge with Inclined Top Chords." Although Narozny may not accomplish his problems with such a polish and flourish as some of his classmates, we are sure he will accomplish them, and we wish him much success in his battles.