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Thesis: *Rehabilitation of the Municipal Electric Lighting System at Downer's Grove, Illinois.*

Eta Kappa Nu
Chapin Club

Armour Branch, A. I. E. E.

Class Basketball (3), (4)
Class Baseball (4)

Harvey A. Drew, of Downers Grove, first saw the light of day September 22, 1890. Incidentally, that year seems to be a favorite one in the history of '12. The Downers Grove must not be omitted when speaking of Drew. That is a breach of etiquette that could not be tolerated. Downers Grove seems to have offered plenty of inducements in the line of preparatory work, for our classmate seemed content to remain there through his high school days. Then, however, Downers Grove could do no more for him, hence he turned his attention to one of the smaller suburbs of the above mentioned metropolis, choosing Chicago and with it Armour Institute, which he entered in the fall of 1908.

He makes the trip from here, back and forth daily and the C. B. & Q. R. R. station agent now sets his watch upon the appearance of one H. Drew. Certainly he will be missed after May, 1912. In the town of Downers Grove he was a popular man and hence could not enjoy life in solitary seclusion. Hence he early joined the Chapin Club and became a member of the celebrated Group X of the Club. Not content with so many honors he became a member of the Armour Branch of the A. I. E. E. in his Junior year and a member of the Eta Kappa Nu fraternity in his Senior year.

Realizing and appreciating to the utmost the advantages his home town offered him in his youth, he early made up his mind to return to her something in the way of a token of his esteem. Not being able to donate a library or a town hall, he did the next best thing and during his senior year we find him deeply engrossed in the "Rehabilitation of the Municipal Electric Lighting System at Downers Grove, Ill." which incidentally he will turn in as his thesis. After this system has been installed the C. B. & Q. R. R. can turn off the lights in the trains at night while passing through the town, and the town constable may sleep in peace.