Curtis Edward Knickerbocker, whose appointment as chief engineer of the New York, Ontario & Western, with office at Middletown, N. Y., has been announced in these columns, was

born November 17, 1867, at Morrisville, Madison county, N. Y. He attended Cazenovia Seminary and graduated from Princeton University with the degree of civil engineer in 1891. The same year he began railway work as a draftsman in the office of the chief engineer on the New York, Ontario & Western, at Middletown, remaining in that position until March, 1893, when he was appointed an assistant engineer at Norwich, N. Y. In January, 1902, Mr. Knickerbocker was promoted to engineer of maintenance of way, with office at Middletown, which position he held at the time



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of his recent appointment as chief engineer of the same company.