The Engineering Mining Journal of the 13th of November, 1894, says: Prof. G. Lunge, who was sent by the Swiss government to the World’s Fair to make a special study of the chemical industry and the technical chemical schools of the United States, says in his report, about the Mining and Metallurgical Laboratories of Technology: 

"Without hesitation I can say that I do not know of anything in Europe which can compare with the apparatus of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The students obtain such a practical knowledge of metallurgical processes in the laboratory, that they are able to make direct use of it on a large scale."

The Society of Arts.

The last regular meeting of the Society of Arts was held in Room 11, Rogers, November 8th, with President Walker in the chair. An amendment to the By-laws was proposed, making the quorum of the Executive Committee to consist of three, instead of four members. President Walker then introduced the lecturer, Mr. William Danmar, of New York City, who spoke on "Old Colonial Architecture." Mr. Danmar divided the subject into three periods: 1. The Colonial Period, 17th century, which was subdivided into the English Colonial of New England, and which gives the best examples of wooden architecture in America; the Dutch Colonial of New York, and the French Colonial of the South; 2. The Provincial Period, 18th century, to the Revolution; 3. The Federal Period, from the Revolution to 1815, when heavy Greek porticos appeared. Each period was splendidly illustrated by views from the stereopticon. Houses built in the separate periods were contrasted with more modern work, showing an improvement in the design of later houses, but a tendency to mix characteristics of distinct periods. The important features of the several periods were illustrated, together with splendid details and interiors. Attention was called to the slender proportions which manifested themselves more and more as the style developed, and to the strict adherence to forms set forth by Vignola and Palladio. The Old Colonial is the American Renaissance in Architecture. It was developed at a time when communication with other countries was comparatively slight, and such limitation is sure to result in the formation of a national style. Our architect builders made of wood stone forms with sufficient delicacy and beauty to secure the name of a style truly American, and the Old Colonial should be favored by us as the expression of our sturdy forefathers.

Technology, 6; Bowdoin, 6.

Technology played a tie game with Bowdoin last Wednesday under the most unfavorable conditions. The field was covered with snow and slush, and the players were so cold that there was much unavoidable fumbling on both sides. In spite of the disagreeable weather, quite a crowd assembled to cheer the teams, and the work of several players well deserved encouragement.

Technology’s line was weakest at the tackles, but it is hoped that Aultman, who was played for the first time Wednesday, will prove a good man at right tackle. Center was strong as usual, and Manahan handled Dennison with ease, but the Bowdoin backs supported their line so well that Tech made most of her gains around the ends.

Rockwell did the best work of the backs, and, considering the bad condition of the ground, some of his runs were excellent. Thomas did some very fine interfering, and gained most of the ground through Bowdoin’s line. The interference during the first half was fully up to the standard, and shows steady improvement.

The Bowdoin eleven had little team work, and their interference was ragged. They gained most of their ground by bucking the line, and in this they were greatly aided by the weight of their center.