The department of Statistics has, with great advantage, been extended and improved, and as this has before this been one of the weak points of former books, we are specially pleased to notice the change. Among other things, the department presents an interesting page of general information.

That part of the book which so appeals to most of us, has not been forgotten, and twenty pages of Grinds have been provided to tickle our humorous senses. As usual we are provided with an account of a faculty meeting, which this time adjourns to the gymnasium. A series of cartoons have been taken from the daily papers, and adapted to fit local conditions. A Technology premium list is another one of the humorous features, and the list of quotations is better than usual, and has been extended to ten pages.

The cover design is unique and attractive; the drawing for it was made by Mr. F. Arnold Colby, '01, who won the prize offered by the board for the best design. The book is well bound, with the happy omission of gilt edges, and contains 350 pages of reading matter, together with 60 pages of advertisements.

As a general criticism of the book we should say, that the literary part, both in number of articles and interest, is above the ordinary standard; that much of the artistic work is unusually original in conception, but sometimes lacks in execution, and that the departments of Quotations and Statistics have been most agreeably improved.

An Earnest Word to Tech Men.

At the Tech Y. M. C. A. meeting, a week ago last Tuesday afternoon, Dr. Loomis, pastor of the Union Congregational Church, gave one of the most remarkable talks of the year. He spoke of the power which Tech graduates will have over other men in the business life of the future. He showed clearly how essential it is that Christian men do not drift away from the habit of regular church attendance because they have no church home in Boston. All who heard Dr. Loomis were convinced of the sincerity of his words, and of his having carefully studied the problem of the relations which should exist between churches and students. The speaker made every man present feel that he should affiliate himself with a particular church, and that in so doing he would be most heartily welcomed by the pastor and other members.

Atheletics.

The good effects of the indoor practice and meet are becoming more and more evident to those who are watching the work of the men out at the new Garrison Street track. About sixty men are now training, and a bicycle squad of twelve men, led by Manager Gleason and his new wheel, is working at Charles River Park. The large crowd of onlookers attest to the interest that is sure to be taken in the class meet to be held at Soldiers Field, Saturday, April 26. (The field events will be played off Monday, April 28, at the Garrison Street track.) The winners in this meet will be the men chosen for the triangular meet. At present the team is especially strong in the runs and sprints. Baker, '03, in the half and one; Baker, '02, in the hurdles, are doing good work. Beacher, '02, at the high jump; Winchester, '03, and Marrow, '05, at the shot-put, and Wilson, '03, at the hammer, are deserving of much praise. Tech expects some good work from Edwards, Worcester and Curtis, who are not yet out.

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