

knowledge of the theoretical. The proper step is going from the theoretical to the practical.

“Some time ago I came in contact with a leading educator of this country, who seemed to know a great deal about State College. During the conversation he remarked that he had a daughter going to school in Boston and a son whom he intended sending to State as soon as he was prepared to enter. He asked me if I had any sons, and I told him that I hadn't; but if I had, and they were inclined towards engineering or chemistry, I should send them to State College.”

Brief addresses were also made by Major-General Miller, Hon. H. F. Walton, and Senators Herbst, Williams and Patton, all of whom expressed surprise at the kind, quality and amount of work that is being done by the college. They were enthusiastic in their praise of the institution, and promised hearty support along financial lines for the future.

It is believed that much good has been done by the visit of these gentlemen, and it is proposed to make Governor's Day at least a biennial occurrence.

—The Electrical Engineering section of the Senior class made its annual inspection trip, during the week immediately proceeding Christmas vacation. There were eighteen in the party, including Professors Jackson and Wood, and every one was very much pleased with their “summer school” trip.

The first stop was made at Philadelphia. Here, the immense plants of the Cramps Shipbuilding Co. and the Baldwin Locomotive Works were visited. At Cramps a number of battle ships and cruisers are in process of construction and the section were taken on board some of these. Four of the section also inspected the new battleship, Maine, which went into commission a short time ago. At Baldwin's Works, locomotives were seen in all stage of completion. The company employs thousands of men and turns out six locomotives daily. If necessary they can build a locomotive complete in a day. The Edison Co.'s plant on Sampson St., one of their sub-stations, the Western Union Telegraph Co.'s office, the U. S. Mint and