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Miss Ida M. Tarbell

I have at hand a communication from Mrs. Ellen H. Richards! The first woman admitted to the Boston Technical Institute, stating that she came to the first in 1871 and that women were formally admitted in 1884. Your article in The American Magazine
American Women gave a much earlier date and as I think this is indisputable authority I beg leave to make this correction.

Very truly yours,

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