Term: Material Logic
Quote: Formal logic classifies arguments by producing forms in which, the letters of the alphabet being replaced by any terms whatever, the result will be a valid, probable, or sophistic argument, as the case may be; material logic is a logic which does not produce such perfectly general forms, but considers a logical universe having peculiar properties.


References: DPP 2:44; CP 2.549
Date of Quote: 1902
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