

tributed many members to the Freshman Class, which enrolled in College the following fall. While fewer '00 men went to the "tech." than had gone from '99, a larger proportion of that class remained in college than of the class the previous year. To the credit of the class of 1901, it may be said that it sent more men into the college than any previous Academy class. Nor has 1902 failed to interest its members while in the Academy in the "tech.," and has consequently furnished 40 per cent of last year's freshman class.

These are facts that speak in highest terms of the Academy. They emphasize a truth not generally known, that Armour has the only truly scientific preparatory school in the west.

In the second place, it is interesting to note that while the Academy heretofore was operated on the basis of prescribed courses, covering in almost every case four years' attendance, the requirements for graduation now demand sixty credits, in a measure elective. The abolition of co-education has resulted in further changes, each of which indicates a desire to link the Academy and College courses of instruction more closely to one another.

Finally, an alumnus finds much source of enjoyment in observing that many former Academy students have become leaders in college affairs. Fraternities have found much eligible material in students who have just come up from the lower department. The moving spirits in