lective exhibit for the Paris Exposition in 1900. Director Armsby of this station was made chairman; Prof. W. H. Jordan, of the State Experiment Station at Geneva, N. Y., second member. The other members are: A. N. Harris, of Maine; M. H. Scovell, of Kentucky, and A. C. True, of Washington, D. C. This committee will hold a meeting in Washington next month.

Prof. Hamilton who is a director of the Institutes of this State, has made an arrangement with the trustees of the College by which the instructors of the Station and School of Agriculture will be detailed to take charge of the scientific side of institute instruction during the coming winter. They are as follows, ranking according to order: Dr. Frear, Prof. Butz, Mr. Fries and Mr. Hess.

The School of Agriculture will offer this year four special short courses: Creamery management, beginning in January; cheese making, beginning February; short course in agriculture, beginning March; home dairy course, beginning April. This school has already received nearly as many applications as it can entertain. Owing to the limit of space the department has been obliged to admit no more than forty pupils, and this year the school will give preference to those who have had creamery experience.

The Agricultural Chautauquan Course of Home Reading, of which Prof. Watson is superintendent, has now over 2700 enrolled students. A new series of printed helps is being prepared by several professors for the use of students in this course.

About seventy-five farmers are testing the adaptability of the sugar beet to this State. The Department of Agriculture furnished the seed and it was distributed by the Station. The Station will publish a detailed report of the venture.

Prof. Sparks, formerly at the head of "Prepdom" visited the College on Sept. 27.

The following is a list of the men comprising the Freshman and sub-Freshman Classes:

## FRESHMAN CLASS.\*

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Names. Courses. Residences.

1. Allen, J. H., . . . . . . Mech. Eng., . . . . Bloomsburg.

<sup>\*</sup>This list includes all such students not in full standing as have not completed Freshman work.