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COMMENCEMENTS

In a Number of Schools and Seminaries To-Day.

St. Vincent's School.

The annual commencement of St. Vincent's School took place to-day at the Masonic Temple in the presence of a large audience. The following programme, interspersed with distribution of premiums, was carried out:

Entrance march (Kreig's Marsch, Aus Athalie der Priester"), Mendelssohn, Misses Garishea, Magee, Gleason and Becker; "O Quam Suaion" (solo and chorus), soli, Misses B. Miller and N. Turner; coronation ode (solo concerto and chorus), T. S. Floyd; soli, Misses A. Daly, M. Vanderen, C. Daly and M. Becker; concerto, Misses Gleason, Ellis, Magruder, Nolan, Davies, Miller, Schulten, White and Cullinane; concert march, Wollenhaupt, Misses Garishea, Becker, Gleason and Cullinane; "Come With Me in Cherry Time," junior class; selections from Le Prophete (duo for two pianos), Meyerbeer, Misses Becker and Ellis; "Lonely Bird" (vocal duo), Glover, Misses Turner and Davies; Galop de Concert (piano solo), Kotterer, Miss Garishea; Laughing Song, T. Adlison, Misses A. Daly, Vanderen, Miller, Gleason, Daly, Becker, Garishea, Ready and Turner; valse brilliante, op. 6, Schuloff, Misses Magee, Garishea, Ellis and Grady; solo, "Come to the Woodland," Glover, Miss B. Miller; duo for two pianos, from "Martha," Von Flotow, Misses Garishea and Magee; "Greeting to Spring" (duo and chorus), Wilson, Misses Davies and Ready; galop quartet, Thomas, Misses Ellis, Gleason, Grady and Nolan; "The Two Forest Nymphs," Glover, Misses Bird and Ready; "Float Away, Glide Away," chorus, orphans; "We Hail the Joyous Days," chorus, little ones; valedictory, by Miss Schutter; "Farewell, solo and chorus, Neininger, soli, Misses Cooney and Turner; exit march: "Ruins of Athens," Beethoven, Misses Ellis, Grady, Killigan and Nolan.

Distribution of Premiums.

In testimony of having passed through the senior class with success, gold medals and crowns were awarded to Misses Rose Clark, Mary White, Clara Cooney, Annie C. Cullinane and Jessie Schutter.

The following young ladies received honors for deportment and observance of school rules:

First Class—First honors awarded to Miss Mary Mangan. Second honors awarded to Misses Fannie Killegan, Alice Daly, Sarah Crenllten, Mary Vanderan and Nellie Turner. Honorable mention—Misses Maggie Bird and Minnie Gleason, absence caused by sickness.

Second Class—First honors, Misses Emma Magruder, Mary Corcoran, Mollie Kelly, Maggie Guista, Cordelia Brian, Clary Ferry and Bridget Madigan; second honors, Misses Mary Grady, Hellen Hanan, Mary Garner, Bell Miller, Raphie Ellis, F. Davies, Maggie Nolan, Sallie Feeney, A. McCay and A. McGrann.

Third Class—First honors, Misses Mary Lyddan, Katie Purcell, Lizzie Kelly, Mary Cox, Teresa Hallihan, Mary Maggee, Maggie McGilton, Ivy Mudd and Katie Frank; third honors, Misses Mary Becker, Celia Daly, Annie Shean, Annie Flemming, Josie Killagan, Mary Hart, Kate Kavanagh and Beulah Parsons. Honorable mention, Miss Kate Dyke.

Fourth Class—First honors, Misses Ellie Dailey, Fanny Daly, Annie Geremiller, Sarah Ball and Aggie White; second honors, Misses Lizzie Kelly, Elise Burgy, Bessie Harvey, Mary Matteer, Dora Schultz, Mary Downey and Mary Vandelehr.

Fifth Class—First honors, Misses Katie Kirby, Julia Sullivan, Alice Guista, Mary Harvey, Gertrude Callahan. Second honors, Julia Wise, Mary Delacy, Annie Scanlan, Alice Alangan, Katie Walsh, Nellie Hawkshaw, Mary Musanti, Grace Miller, Minnie Phelan, Belle Bingham, Mary Proctor, Mary Greanor, Fanny Lyddan, Mary Moran, Lizzie Lynch, Addie Stewart, Annie Burrows, Katie Feeny and Mary Craig; honorable mention, Misses Blanche Doran, Clara Davies and Mollie Krug.

Sixth Class—First honors, Misses Lillie Santuci, Agnes Duffy, Annie Falley, Virgie Newton, Lillie Bruzzalaro, Mable Wallaud, Blanche Brooks, Annie Daly, Little Musanti, Ada Cavaganaro, Mary Hayden and Lareito Hanan; second honors, Misses Viola Short, Mary J. Donnelly, Carrie Miller, Mary Schultz, Celia Duffy, Katie Morlorty, Louise Castenet, Katie Treanor, Barbara Sautter, Mary Carr, Florence Johnson, Mary Bruzzolare, Annie Treanor and Lillie Wallaud.

Badges of Excellence

to the most successful in each class. The following young ladies being equal in merit, will decide the badge by drawing:

First Class—Misses Mangan, Killegan and Bird.

Section of Class—Misses A. Daly and S. Cromlien.

Second Class—Misses F. Davis, A. McGrann, M. Grady, H. Hanon and B. Miller.

Section of Class—Misses E. Magruder, M. Corcoran, M. Kelly, C. M. Guista.

Third Class—Misses Mary Lyddan.

Section of Class—Miss Mary Cox.

Fourth Class—Miss Ella Daly.

Section of Class—Miss A. Geremiller and Bessie Harvey.

Fifth Class—Misses B. Bingham, A. Scanlan, M. Delacy, A. Guista, M. Mangan, K. Kirby, and J. Sullivan.

Sixth Class—Misses Virgie Newton, Lillie Santuci and Olie Short.

Premiums in Christian Doctrine.

First Class—First premium, Misses Mangan, Killegan, Gleason; second premium, Miss Daly, Cromlien, Turner and Vanderan.

Second Class—First premium, Misses Grady, Miller, Davies, Hanan, Gerner, McGrann and McCoy.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses Magruder, Corcoran, Kelly, Guista, Ferry, Ellis, Madigan, Feeny and Nolan.

Third Class—First premium, Misses Lyddan, S. Kelly, Shean, Flemming, K. Lynn, K. Purcell, J. Killegan and M. Hart; first premium, Misses M. Becker, C. Daly and M. McGilton.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses M. Cox, T. Hallinan, S. Cooney, B. Parsons, Y. Mudd, M. Magee and M. Manning; second premium, Misses K. Cavanagh and B. Frank.

Fourth Class—First premium, Misses E. Daly, J. McCarthy, F. Duffy, M. O'Brien, C. Curtain and M. Kelly; second premium, Miss E. Vanderan.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses Geremiller, E. Burgy, B. Harvey, M. Matteer, M. Carroll, M. Whelan, D. Schultz, M. Downey and Vandallher; second premium, Misses S. Gannon, A. White and K. Lintz.

Fifth Class—First premium, Misses B. Bingham, A. Scanlon, M. Delacy, A. Guista, A. Mangan, K. Kirby, J. Sullivan, M. Greanor, M. Proctor and R. Feeny, M. Harvey and B. Doran; second premium, Misses K. Welsh and J. Kraige.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses M. Kreig, M. Hawkshaw, F. Lyddan, A. Stewart, G. Callahan, M. Musanti, B. Lucas, G. Miller and L. Lynch; second premium, Misses J. Wise, M. Dave, A. Burrows, L. Reed, L. Kreig, M. Phelan.

Sixth Class—First premium, Misses S. Newton, S. Cavaganaro, A. Faley, M. J. Donnelly, M. Kirby, C. Short, S. Santuci, F. Donovon and M. C. Connell; second premium, Misses L. Bruzzalaro, M. Wallard, K. Hawkshaw, B. Brooks, A. Daly, M. Shultz, C. Miller.

First Class—First premium in grammar, rhetoric, philosophy, composition, penmanship and reading, Misses Mangan, Killegan and Bird; second premium, Miss Gleason.

Section of Class—Second premium, Misses Daly, Cromlien, Turner and Vanderan.

Second Class—First premium, Misses Hanan, Miller, Davies, Garner, McGrann, McCay and M. Grady; first premium, Misses Magruder, Corcoran, Kelly, Guista, B. Madigan and C. Brian; second premium, Misses Ferry, Ellis, Feeny and M. Nolan.

Third Class—First premium, Misses M. Lyddan and J. Killigan; second premium, M. Hart, A. Fleming, K. Purcell and M. Kelly; first premium, Misses M. Becker, C. Daly, A. Shean, K. Lynn and M. Gilton.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses Cox, T. Hallihan, S. Cooney and J. Mudd; second premium, Misses M. Magee, B. Parsons, M. Manning, K. Cavanagh and K. Frank.

Fourth Class—First premium, Misses E. Daly, J. M. McCarthy, F. Duffy, R. Fitzgerald, C. Curtain and M. Kelly.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses A. Geremiller and B. Harvey and Burgry; second premium, Misses M. Carroll, S. Ball; second premium, D. Schultz, M. Downey, A. White, K. Lintz, M. Vandallher, L. Ganvan, M. Matteer, M. O'Brien and E. Vanderan.

Premium in geography, chemistry, botany, physiology, astronomy, practical and intellectual arithmetic and algebra—First premium, Misses Mangan, Killegan and Bird; second premium, Miss Gleason.

Section of Class—Second premium, Misses Daly, Cromlien, Turner and Vanderan.

Second Class—First premium, Misses H. Hanan, B. Miller, F. Davies, M. Garner, A. McGrann, A. McCay and M. Grady.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses G. Magruder, M. Corcoran, M. Kelly, M. Guiteo; second premium, Misses C. Brian, M. Ferry, S. Feeny, Raphie Ellis, B. Magruder and M. Nolan.

Premiums in reading, writing, orthography and arithmetic, geography and history:

First Class—First premium, Misses B. Bingham, A. Scanlon, M. Delacy, A. Guista, A. Mangan, K. Kirby, J. Sullivan, M. Greanor, M. Proctor and M. Harvey; second premium, Misses K. Feeny, B. Doran, M. Kreig and R. Walsh.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses M. Musanti, A. Stewart, J. Wise, M. Hawkshaw, A. Burrows, G. Miller; second premium, Misses M. Phelan, M. Dove, B. Lucas, F. Lyddan, L. Reed, L. Lynch and M. Dorsey.

Sixth Class—First premium, Misses L. Santuis, V. Newton, C. Short, A. Kirby, M. J. Donnelly, M. O. Connel, L. Bruzzalaro, M. Wallard, B. Brooks, A. Daly, M. Schultz; second premium, Misses A. Foley, A. Duffy, L. Cavaganaro, T. Donovan, C. Miller and K. Hallihan.

Section of Class—First premium, Misses L. Musanti, A. Treanor, L. Hanan, A. Cavaganaro; second premium, Misses A. Bishop, L. Burrows, M. Maury, S. Fill, L. Castenet, B. Santer, F. Johnson, M. Carr, Bruzzolora, K. Moriarity, L. Wallard, K. Treanor, A. Moreland, N. Taylor, M. Burrows, M. Alvey and M. Hayden. Premiums in French, music.

Embroidery and Bookkeeping.

First premium, Misses B. Clark, C. Cooney, A. Cullinane, J. Shuttor, M. White, M. Mangan, M. Bird, M. Gleason, M. Grady, C. Brian, M. Corcoran, A. McGrann, A. Garner, S. Feeny, M. Magee, S. Bell.

Lace Work and Drawing.

First premium—Misses F. Killegan, M. Vanderan, A. Daly, S. Cromlein, H. Hanan, V. Miller, F. Davies, A. McCleary, E. Magruder, M. Kelly, M. Guista, M. Ferry, B. Madigan, B. B. Ellis, M. Nolan, M. Resken, C. Daly, M. Lyddan, K. Purcell, J. Killegan, M. Hart, A. Shean, K. Lynn, M. Kelly, M. McGilton and A. Flemming.

Premiums in catechism, geography, grammar, orthography, reading, writing, mental and practical arithmetic, sewing and domestic economy, were awarded to K. Garney, M. Blake, S. May, A. Roache, K. Gervan, M. Gettes, B. Harden, C. Fitzgibbons, C. Tally, N. Conners and M. Cregan; first premium, M. Callanan, S. McCormick, M. Waldron, B. Mullins, S. Linden, S. Fitzpatrick, M. McCarty, M. Shean, M. S. Quinn, A. Shea and M. Kelly; second premium, A. Cave, E. Sullivan, M. Moriarity, M. Walsh, S. Campbell, P. Sour, M. Sheap, J. McCormick, B. Gervan, A. Cafrey, G. Kelst and F. Lucas.

Section of Class—First premium, K. Arnold, M. Conners, E. Connell, A. Shiriock, I. Brooks, N. Brooks, M. Connelly, A. A. Lucas, M. Fitzgibbon, K. Burns, I. Treesy, M. Shea and M. Parvoleski; second premium, M. Merritt, M. Myz, A. Connelly, M. Collins, I. Boulter, M. Flynn, K. Kelly, M. Campbell, M. Connell, M. McDevitt, K. Murphy, A. Connelly and S. Willard.

The "little ones," for learning their prayers, tables and spelling, who received premiums were: H. Lusby, M. O'Brien, K. Downey, M. Liverori, N. Burns, M. Flynes, I. Heynes, E. Hertzel, I. Harden, C. Lucas, I. Horning, S. Slack, M. Mitchell, C. Merritt, A. Burnes, T. Lucas, K. McHenry, M. Carigo, A. Mitchell and K. Collins.

Promotion.

The following young ladies deserve promotion:

To the Senior Class—Misses May Mangan, Fannie Killegan, Maggie Bird and Minnie Gleason.

From the Second to the First—Misses H. Hanan, B. Miller, F. Davies, M. Garner, A. McGrann, A. McCay, M. Grady, S. Magruder, M. Corcoran, M. Kelly and M. Guista.

From Third to Second—Misses M. Lyddan, A. Flemming, K. Kelly, I. Killegan, C. Daly, M. Besker, A. Shean, K. Lynn, M. Hart, K. Purcell, McGilton and M. Cox.

From Fourth to Third—Misses E. Daly, I. McCarthy, F. Duffy, E. Vanderen, K. Fitzgerald, M. O'Brien, C. Curtin and L. Kelly.

From Fifth to Fourth—Misses M. Bingham, A. Scanlon, M. De Lacy, A. Guista, A. Mangan, K. Kirby, I. Sullivan, M. Treanor, M. Proctor, C. Davies, K. Feeney, M. Harvey, M. Kreig, B. Doran, K. Walsh, Mary Krug and Nellie Hawkshaw.

From Sixth to Fifth—Misses S. Santuci, C. Short, A. Kirby, M. I. Donnelly, A. Duffy, M. McGill, A. Foley, L. Cavaganaro, V. Newton, T. Donovan and M. O'Connell.

Academy of the Holy Cross.

The fourteenth annual commencement of the Academy of the Holy Cross took place this morning at Odd-Fellows' Hall. Long before the time—10 o'clock—for the exercises to begin the hall was literally packed with the relations and friends of the children. Flowers made up in every conceivable style were strewn all around the stage, which presented the appearance of dreamland. At precisely 10 o'clock the curtain rose, and then came forward in double file the bright faces of the sweet girls, who, after bowing to the audience, retired. The following excellent programme was carried out to the letter:

Grand entrance of the pupils; march, from Tannhauser, Misses N. McAuliffe, Diemar, Dapray and Cavanaugh; chorus, senior vocal class; "The Blossoms," minim vocal class; essay, "Music," Miss R. Cotterill; essay, "Silent Forces," Miss A. Ginnaty; solo, "Sing, Birdie, Sing," Miss N. O'Hare; instrumental trio, Misses Tate, Clary, Sheridan, Pages, Lawlor and Soule; Solfeggio chorus, senior vocal class; essay, "True Heroes," Miss A. Robinson; solo, "Lami Waltz," Miss N. McAuliffe. "Junior's Tragedy"—*Madame Howard*, Bessie O'Hare; *Arabella*, Helen Anderson; *Goneness*, Mary Seltz; *Nurse*, Mary Lawlor; *Gypsies*, C. Viciedo, L. Soule, C. Cotterill, M. and M. McIntyre and K. Montgomery. Scene first—grand valse, Misses Cavanaugh, Dapray, Byrne and McAuliffe. Scene second—"Call of the Fairies," Misses Ginnaty, N. McAuliffe, Cotterill, Walker, Dapray, Cavanaugh and McAuliffe. Scene third—overture, "Les Diamons de la Courne," Misses Moran Dapray, Walter and Cavanaugh; black key mazeurka, Misses O'Brien, Walker, O'Hare, O'Hara, J. McAuliffe and Viciedo. "Hail to Thee, Liberty," senior vocal class. Conferring of graduating medals. Conferring of medals for studies and deportment. Distribution of premiums. Valedictory, Miss M. Hogan.

Rev. Dr. Chapelle made the closing remarks and presented the honors to the children in his usual happy and felicitous manner.

The honors were distributed as follows:

Graduating medals were conferred on Misses R. Cotterill, M. Hogan, A. Ginnaty and A. Robinson.

Gold medals were awarded as follows: For neatness, order, amiability and correct deportment, presented by Colonel J. Berret to Miss Minnie Walker; for improvement in studies, presented by Mr. F. Riggs to Miss Annie O'Brien; for Christian doctrine, presented by Mr. W. Galt to Miss Mary O'Dea; for composition, presented by Mr. B. Holliday *ex aequo* to Misses M. Byrne and N. Dapray; for improvement in instrumental music, presented by Miss M. Meade to Miss Lily Cavanagh; in the art department, presented by Mr. A. Schwartz, of New York, to Miss Mary Moran; for attendance, presented by Mrs. J. Hoban to Miss Nannie O'Hara.

Medals in the third senior class were awarded to Misses Pauline Tate, Annie Cleary and Katie Walter.

Medals in the junior department were awarded to Misses Carrie Cotterill and Edith Soule.

Graduating Class.

Miss Annie Robinson, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, algebra, geometry, grammar, rhetoric, literature, history, chemistry, composition; second in astronomy, reading and writing. Miss Alice Ginnaty, first premium in Christian doctrine, geometry, grammar, rhetoric, literature, astronomy, history and chemistry; second in arithmetic, algebra, drawing, reading, writing and composition. Miss M. Hogan, first premium in algebra, geometry, literature, astronomy, history, reading and composition; second in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, grammar, rhetoric, drawing and writing; third in chemistry. Miss Rose Cotterill, first premium in algebra, geometry, grammar, rhetoric, literature, history, reading and writing; second in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, astronomy, composition and drawing; third in chemistry. Miss Mary O'Dea, first in Christian doctrine, grammar, rhetoric, literature, history, drawing and writing; second in chemistry, composition and reading; third in arithmetic and astronomy.

First Senior Class.

Miss Mary Moran, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, algebra, literature, history, philosophy, composition; second class painting and drawing, reading and writing; second in grammar; third in fourth class instrumental music. Miss Mary O'Hara, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, literature, history and fifth class instrumental music; second in arithmetic, algebra, composition and reading; third in philosophy and drawing. Miss Annie O'Brien, first premium in Christian doctrine, algebra, literature, philosophy, drawing and reading; second in grammar, history, composition, painting; fifth class instrumental music. Miss Minnie Walker, first premium in algebra, literature, philosophy; third class instrumental music and writing; third class painting and drawing. Neva Dapray, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, literature, history, composition and writing; second class instrumental music; second premium in arithmetic, philosophy, drawing, reading and French; third in algebra. Miss Lillie Cavanaugh, first premium in Christian doctrine, literature, history, writing and composition; second in arithmetic, grammar, philosophy, composition; third in algebra and reading. Miss Lillie Diemar, first premium in philosophy; second in grammar, drawing and reading; third in algebra, composition and writing; fifth class instrumental music. Miss Mary Byrne, first premium in literature, composition, reading and fourth class instrumental music; second in Christian doctrine, algebra, history, philosophy; third in grammar, drawing and writing. Miss Lizzie Fealy, first premium in algebra, literature, history, philosophy; third class painting and drawing; second in reading, grammar; third in Christian doctrine, composition, writing, and sixth class in instrumental music.

Third Class.

Miss Mary Whitty, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, orthography, geography, history, drawing, algebra and rhetoric; second in reading, penmanship and composition. Miss Pauline Tate, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, orthography, geography, ancient history, reading, penmanship, composition, drawing and rhetoric; second in arithmetic, algebra and first in fifth class instrumental music. Miss Anna Cleary, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, orthography, geography, ancient history, drawing (second class); third class painting, algebra, rhetoric and fourth class instrumental music. Miss Maggie Kelly, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, orthography, geography, penmanship and drawing; second in history, rhetoric, composition and reading. M. Parker, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, orthography; second, in arithmetic, reading, penmanship, composition and drawing. Mary Hurdle, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, orthography, geography; second in reading, penmanship, composition, drawing; third in U.S. history. Miss Mary Donelly, first premium in Christian doctrine, orthography and drawing; second in arithmetic, penmanship and composition. Miss Fannie O'Hare, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar and reading; second in geography, orthography, penmanship, composition, drawing, and fifth class instrumental music; third in arithmetic.

Preparatory Class.

Katie Walter, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar and orthography; second in history, geography, reading, penmanship and drawing; third in composition and arithmetic. Mary Thornton, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, orthography, arithmetic, geography, United States history and reading; second in composition, drawing (third class) and painting; third in penmanship. Annie Wynne, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, orthography and reading; second in geography and penmanship; third in reading, composition and drawing. Mary Sheridan, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar and orthography; second in arithmetic, geography, history, reading, penmanship, composition and drawing; third premium in sixth class in instrumental music. Daisy Kearon, first premium in Christian doctrine, geography; second in grammar, orthography, reading, composition and penmanship; third in arithmetic, United States history and drawing. Nola Hill, first premium in grammar, orthography, geography, history, reading, drawing and painting (third class); second in arithmetic, penmanship and composition.

Junior Department.

Mary Seltz, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography, history and spelling; second, in reading and penmanship. Cecelia Vicledo, first premium in Christian doctrine, geography, spelling and reading; second, in grammar, arithmetic, history, penmanship and drawing; fourth, in French; first, in fifth classical music. Nellie O'Hara, first premium in arithmetic and history; second in Christian doctrine, grammar, geography, spelling and reading; fourth in penmanship and drawing. Maria Pages, first premium in grammar, arithmetic and geography; second in Christian doctrine, spelling, reading, penmanship and drawing. Edith Soule, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography, history, spelling and reading; second in penmanship. Carrie Cotterill, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography, history, spelling and reading; second in penmanship and drawing. Julia Byrne, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic and geography; second in spelling, reading and drawing; third in penmanship; fourth in French. Mary Lawlor, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, spelling, reading and penmanship; second in geography, history, and drawing. M. Russell, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography, spelling and reading; second in history and penmanship. Susie Flanagan, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic and geography; second in history, spelling and reading; fourth in French. I. Simms, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, geography and spelling; second in grammar, history, reading, penmanship and drawing. Virginie Minor, first primium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, geography, spelling, reading, drawing and penmanship. Bessie O'Hare, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography, spelling reading and drawing; second in history and penmanship. Celina Boulay, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography and spelling; second in history, reading, penmanship and drawing. Mary Boyle, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, history, spelling and reading; second in arithmetic, geography, penmanship and drawing. Mary Loughran, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, geography and spelling; second in grammar, history, reading, penmanship and drawing; third in music. M. Purcell, first premium in grammar, spelling, arithmetic and geography; second in Christian doctrine, history, reading and drawing; third in penmanship. Rosa Dapray, first premium in Christian doctrine arithmetic, spelling and reading; second in grammar, geography, history and penmanship; third in French. Katie Montgomery, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic and spelling; second in grammar, French, geography, history, penmanship and drawing. Maggie Renihan, first premium in grammar, arithmetic, geography, history, reading, spelling and penmanship; second in penmanship and drawing. Helen Anderson, first premium in Christian doctrine, grammar, arithmetic, geography, reading and spelling; second in history, drawing and penmanship. M. McIntyre, first premium in arithmetic, geography, spelling, reading and drawing; second in Christian doctrine and penmanship. Mathilde McIntyre, first premium in arithmetic and spelling; second in Christian doctrine, geography, reading, penmanship and drawing. M. Breen, first premium in Christian doctrine arithmetic, and geography; second in grammar; third in penmanship; fourth in drawing. M. Murphy, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, spelling and grammar; second in geography and reading; third in penmanship. G. Dunn, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, spelling and reading; second in grammar, geography, writing and drawing. M. Genest, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, geography, spelling and reading; in grammar, history and penmanship; fourth in drawing. B. West, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, spelling and reading; second in grammar, geography, history and penmanship. Pearl Kearon, first premium in Christian doctrine, spelling and reading; second in grammar, arithmetic, geography and history; third in penmanship and drawing. A. O'Hagen, first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, spelling and reading; second in grammar, geography, history and penmanship; third in drawing.

Minim Department.

Mary Meany, first premium in arithmetic, reading, writing and spelling; second in geography, spelling and drawing; third in catechism. Mary Purcell, first premium in arithmetic, geography, reading and catechism; second in spelling and drawing. Katie Fletcher, first premium in spelling, drawing and writing; second in arithmetic, geography and reading; third in catechism. Kitie Kraft, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second, in geography and drawing. Lulu Hayden, first premium in arithmetic, spelling, catechism and writing; second, in reading, drawing and geography. Clara Atchison, first premium in arithmetic, grammar, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second, in drawing. Jessie Daniels, first premium in arithmetic and writing; second, in grammar, reading and drawing; third, in spelling. Mary Snow, first premium in grammar, reading, spelling and catechism; second in arithmetic and writing; third in drawing. Etta Laurie, first premium in arithmetic, spelling, reading, catechism and writing; second in geography and drawing. Louise Mitchell, first premium in reading; second in arithmetic, catechism and drawing; third in spelling and writing. Lizzie Douglass, first premium in reading and spelling; second in arithmetic and catechism; third in grammar, drawing and writing. Mary Page, first premium in arithmetic, reading, drawing and writing; second in spelling and catechism. Lucy Johnson, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling and writing; second in drawing. Jennie Daley, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling and catechism; second in drawing. Ada Duke, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Katie Bannon, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling and writing; second in drawing. Bessie Brett, first in arithmetic, catechism, drawing and writing; second in reading and spelling. Rose O'Hagan, first premium in arithmetic, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Mamie Gannon, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Mamie Feely, first premium in arithmetic and reading; second in spelling, catechism, drawing and writing. Cecelia Dunn, first premium in arithmetic, reading and catechism; second in spelling and writing. Maggie Loughran, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism, drawing and writing. Mary Bogan, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Birdie Hurley, first premium in arithmetic, spelling, catechism and reading; second in drawing and writing. K. Dunn, first premium in arithmetic and reading; second in spelling and writing; third in catechism and drawing. Mollie Becker, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Carmelite Davis, first premium in reading; second in arithmetic, spelling, catechism, drawing and writing. Lulu Dyer, first premium in arithmetic, reading and writing; second in spelling, catechism and drawing. Mamie Green, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling and catechism; second in drawing. Mattie Page, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Agnes Dunn, first premium in arithmetic, reading, spelling, catechism and writing; second in drawing. Gertie Douglass, first in reading, spelling, catechism and drawing; second in arithmetic and writing.

Lucy Lull, Julia Reisinger, Marie Brandal and Jody Kraft received premiums for improvement.

Special premiums for drawing were awarded to Pauline Tate, of the Senior Department; Marie McIntyre, of the Junior Department; Mary Page, of the Minim Department; and a premium to Marie Page, of the third class, for French.

St. Matthew's Parochial School.

The closing exercises of St. Matthew's Parochial School were held yesterday afternoon at Willard Hall. There was a very large audience present, and the school acquitted itself with honor in the rendition of the following well-selected programme: Opening chorus, vocal class; "Welcome," Miss M. Gaghan; a play entitled, "Junior's Choice," participated in by Misses M. M. Minitor, M. Young, E. Buckholtz, M. McGraw, K. Israel, K. Mohler, A. Burke, M. Corcoran, M. O'Connor, M. Keegan and M. Maloney. "Wealth and Wisdom," a drama in six scenes, was rendered by Misses E. Barber, M. Young, L. Robinson, M. Locraft, K. Crossland, T. Buckholtz, L. Lambkin, E. Brady, M. Devlin, M. Gaghan, L. Sweeney, K. Kilbourne and A. Israel. Between the scenes recitations were delivered by Misses E. Craven, K. Handley, S. McMahon, D. Ryan and M. Isphording, and a quartet was sung by Misses K. Kilbourne, E. Brady, K. Crossland and M. Locraft. Rev. Dr. Chappelle made the closing remarks. Premiums were distributed as follows: Gold medal for amiable deportment was awarded to Miss Mary Locraft; gold medal for improvement in studies was awarded to Miss Edith Brady; gold medal for punctual attendance was awarded to Miss Annie Handly; gold medal for improvement in studies in the junior department was awarded to Miss Margaret Gavin; special premium for punctual attendance was awarded to Miss Esther Barber; special premium for general drawing awarded to Miss Lizzie Lamkin; special premium for penmanship to Miss Kate Crossland; special premium for reading to Lizzie Robinson; special premium for vocal music to Miss Kate Kilbourne; special premium for reading in second class to Miss Mary Gaghan; special premium in application to Miss Kate Mohler; special premium for reading to Miss Kate Barber; first premium in Christian doctrine, arithmetic, grammar, geography, history, reading and writing to Kate Kilbourne, Edith Brady, Lizzie Robinson, Kate Crossland, Teresa Buckholtz, Mary Young, Mary Locraft, Mary Gaghan, Mary Devlin, Esther Barber, Lizzie Lamkin, Mary Maloney, Mary McGraw, Margaret Corcoran, Annie Burke, Mary Keegan, Mary O'Connor, Kate Israel, Kate Barber, Ella Buckholtz, Annie Israel, Mary McQueeney, Mary Sherman, Lizzie Sweeney, Margaret Minitor, Mary Frain, Margaret Fletcher, Mary Young, Kate Mohler, Alice Keegan, Annie Isphording, Margaret Garvin, Margaret Robinson, Ella Lamkin, Annie Gardiner, Anna Handly, Emma Cunningham. Premiums in Christian Doctrine, spelling, arithmetic, reading and writing to Marion Boss, Mary Handly, Mary Isphording, Ella Craven, Clara Sherwood, Kate Handly, Sarah McMahon, Ella Young, Mabel Edwards, Annie McGuigan, Mary McGuigan, Daisy Ryan, Mary Bateman, Sarah Bateman, Agnes Martin, Mamie Pinkum, Margaret Wheeler, Kate McQueeney, Mary Sweeney, Margaret Burns, Jane Frain, Jane Fletcher, Annie Fagan, Mary Minitor, Maud Edwards, Mollie Mohler, Esther Sherman, Nellie Bryan, Lizzie Doyle, Susie Fagan and Bessie Ryan, Mary Fagan.

Waverly Seminary.

The commencement exercises of Waverly Seminary last night at Lincoln Hall were fully up to the high standard of excellence maintained by this institution of learning. There was a very large attendance. The stage was prettily decorated and its front banked high with floral favors designed for the pupils. The programme commenced with an opening march by Misses Williamson and Morrison and continued with "Jubilamsfier," Keler Bela, Misses Strong, Zachry, Stone and Morrison; "Greeting," Miss Strong; "Once a Voice," Rossini, solo, Miss Huff; "Flying Jim's Last Leap," selection, Miss Church; "Scherzo in B Minor," Chopin, Miss Strong; "Joyful Strains," Gumbert, Misses Morrison and Aiken; Valse, "Le de Noel," Stouman, Misses Williamson and Stone; "The Cuckoo Call," Geibel, Misses G. Aiken, Strong and M. Aiken; Mrs. Magruder, selection; Miss Strong; "Pirates of Penzance," Sullivan, Misses Aiken, Wilkinson, Duncanson and Rowel; "With Verdure Clad," Hadyn, Miss Strong; "Soiree de Vienne," Liszt, Miss Zachry; "Toy Symphony," Haydn; piano, voices, cuckoo, nightingale, cricket, quail, rattle, trumpet and drum, Professor, Miss Zachry and junior pupils; selection, Aux Italiens, "Old Things Are Best," Miss Buckey; "Invitations a la Polka," Bendel, two pianos, Misses Stone and Strong; "The Merry Warblers," Bordese, vocal class.

The award of honors was then made by Professor Fristoe of Columbia University, as follows: Scholarship medal, Miss Anne Buckey; improvement in French, medal to Miss Emmie Baird; also one to Miss Lucy Lilley; elocution medal to Miss Alice Clutter; Academic penmanship medal to Miss Mamie McKnew; intermediate medal to Miss Alice Johnson; prize in oil painting to Miss Nettie Zachry; in drawing, to Miss Louise Stone; instrumental music medal to Miss Nannie Strong; vocal music medal to Miss Daisy Huff; graduating certificate on full course to Miss Anne Buckey. The valedictory was then delivered by Miss Buckey, and after a farewell chorus from the school the exercises closed. The attentive ushers were Messrs. Buckey, Shoemaker, McKnew, Clark, Mohun, Moore, Aiken, Davis, Blount and Harrold.

Miss Condron's School.

The closing exercises of Miss Condron's select school were held last night in Colonel Wood's parlors, No. 108 C street northwest. The scholars presented a neat and pretty appearance. The programme, which was quite an interesting one, was rendered in an excellent manner. It was as follows: Exercise in drawing, Misses Josie Piper and Blanche Harris; dialogue, "Exaggeration," Misses Lizzie Ellis and May Kielhofner; recitations, "The Sparrow," Miss Belle Molloy; "The Last Hymn," Miss Lou Durant; "The Pointsman," Miss Ada Simms; compositions in physical geography, Misses Lou Durant, May Wylie and Blanche Harris; dialogue, adaptation from "Much Ado About Nothing," Misses Lizzie Andrews, Bertha Lincoln, Belle Ragsdin, May Wylie, Josie Piper, Blanche Harris and Lou Durant; recitation, Miss Lizzie Andrews; "Tea Party," *en costume*, Martha Washington, Ellen McRobers; Mrs. Madison, Hattie Woods; Mrs. Jefferson, Grace Acker; Mrs. Franklin, Bessie Kyser; Mrs. Clinton, Flora Cline.

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THE COURTS.

EQUITY COURT—Justice Hagner.—Stewart vs. Lord et al.; decree recommitting case to auditor. Young et al. vs. Gaddis et al.; auditor's report confirmed. Maryman vs. Bigelow; exceptions to auditor's report overruled.

Summer Clothing.

George Spranay, 507 Seventh street.

AUGUSTUS MASON, a colored man, was sent to jail for thirty days by Judge Snell today for the larceny of a timepiece, of the Grandfather's Clock variety, from an old colored man named Humphrey Foster.

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