DIPLOMAS GIVEN TO 219 GRADUATES

G. W. U. Holds Its Annual Commencement.

EXERCISES IN THE BELASCO

Playhouse Is Artistically Decorated with Palms and Cut Flowers—Dr. Needham, President of the University, Makes the Principal Address of the Day—Degrees Conferred.

On the occasion of the eighty-seventh annual commencement of George Washington University held at the Belasco Theater yesterday morning, in the presence of the friends of the graduates, well wishers of the institution, and men and women interested in the cause of higher education, 219 graduates from the various departments of the university received their degrees and diplomas.

The playhouse was artistically decorated with palms and cut flowers, and the colors of the university—blue and buff—were in evidence throughout the house in the shape of flags, shield designs, as well as the seal of the university.

Before the exercises there was a constant stream of messengers bearing flowers. These floral tributes were deposited on the stage, where they formed a high bank surmounting the footlights.

Immediately after the speech of Dr. Needham, the president of the university, the degrees were conferred. The mention of every name was greeted with enthusiastic applause. As the names of the young women graduates were read the fair savants received an ovation.

Two Honorary Degrees.

Frederick James Volney Skiff, director of the Field Museum of National History of Chicago, and Willis S. Paine, president of the Consolidated National Bank of New York, received the honorary degree of doctor of laws.

President Needham, in his address, gave an idea of the scope of the purpose and work of the university. He said a university did not mean a lot of buildings, but teachers and men who call forth the latent power of the human soul and develop the minds of students.

Continuing his address and touching upon scientific investigation, the educator said: "Wherever honest men are seeking the truth dogmatism must take a low seat. Knowledge must be arrived at along the stepping stones of facts. Not what some writer thinks the law is, but what constitutional conventions and legislative bodies and judicial tribunals have declared it to be, is the inquiry in the best schools of to-day."

Dr. Needham said that the student body of the university had grown in numbers during the four years of advance, and that the university had been accepted and placed on the list of the Carnegie Foundation for the advancement of teaching, which, he said, was a decided credit to the work.

Has $70,000 in Cash.

Discussing the financial side, Dr. Needham said that the university had received $70,000 in cash and that there were now more than $160,000 in subscriptions, and that there had been provided in wills legacies amounting to nearly $100,000.

The new site of the university, he said, is still undetermined, but the need for new buildings and facilities have greatly increased, the present facilities being overtaxed. Dr. Needham said that the annual expenses had increased more than $100,000, and that endowments to meet these demands should be made. The president of the university appealed to the friends and alumni of the university for their support to accomplish these purposes.

President Needham conferred the degrees in Columbian College after the candidates had been introduced by the deans of the various departments.

Dean Wilbur presented candidates for the degrees of bachelor of arts, bachelor of science and bachelor of science in chemistry.

Dean Hodgkins, of the Washington College of Engineering, presented the candidates for bachelor of science in civil engineering, bachelor of science in electrical engineering, and bachelor of science in mechanical engineering.

Acting Dean Veditz presented candidates for the degree of bachelor of arts in the college of political sciences.

Prof. Hough Presents Candidates.

Prof. Hough presented candidates for the degree of bachelor of arts and teacher's diploma in the division of education, and bachelor of science and teacher's diploma.

Dean Phillips presented candidates for the degree of doctor of medicine.

Dean Lewis presented candidates for the degree of doctor of dental sugery.

Dean Kalosowski presented candidates for the degree of doctor of pharmacy.

Dean Vance presented candidates for the degree of bachelor of laws, master of laws, and master of patent laws.

Diplomas were conferred as follows:

Columbian College.—Bachelor of arts—Grace Evelyn Barbour, Missouri; Bertha Birtwell, Pennsylvania (with distinction); Lulu Elizabeth Conner, District of Columbia; Roi De Lancy, Ohio; John Howard Dellinger, Ohio; Helen Marie Evans, District of Columbia (with distinction); Ruth Genevieve Field, Wisconsin; Edward Percy Gates, Arkansas; Catherine Agatha McAvoy, District of Columbia (with distinction); Jane Mahan, West Virginia; Pearl Ketcham Merritt, Minnesota; Jennie Moyer, District of Columbia; Olga Ridout Singleton, District of Columbia; Jessamine Eliza Swartwout, District of Columbia; William Cabell Van Vleck, District of Columbia (with distinction).

Bachelor of science—Mary Page Crawford, Virginia; Charles Somerville Moore, Michigan; Charles Calvert Smoot, Virginia; John Adlum Sterrett, District of Columbia; Harold English Stonebraker, Pennsylvania; Emma Matthews Vaughan Triepel, North Carolina.

Bachelor of science in chemistry—Edward Oliver Read, District of Columbia.

College of Engineering.—Bachelor of science in civil engineering—Raymond Tilton Davis, Maryland; Thomas Richard Senior, jr., District of Columbia; William James Turkenton, District of Columbia.

Bachelor of science in electrical engineering—Robert Fleming Fleming, District of Columbia; Hayner Haskell Gordon, Ohio.

Bachelors of Science.

Bachelor of science in mechanical engineering—Eugene Maurice Ball, District of Columbia; Harry Clement Gibson, Pennsylvania; Elton Willard Miller, California.

College of Political Sciences.—Bachelor of arts—Frank Coy Allis, New York (LL. B., 1903, Cornell University); Selden Marvin Ely, District of Columbia (LL. B., 1894, LL. M., 1895, the George Washington University); Charles Augustus Heiss, Pennsylvania; Howard Colwell Hopson, Wisconsin; Katherine May Raber, Ohio; Justin Frank Seller, Ohio.

Division of Education.—Bachelor of arts and teacher's diploma—Claus Johann Schwartz, District of Columbia.

Bachelor of science and teacher's diploma—Alvin Wilson Miller, Illinois.

Faculty of Graduate Studies.—Master of arts—Horace Hatch Custis, District of Columbia (B. A., 1906, Johns Hopkins University); John Homer Deis, District of Columbia (LL. B., 1902, the George Washington University; Thomas Latimer Kibler, Virginia (A. B., 1904, Randolph-Macon College); John Eliot Ross, District of Columbia (A. B., 1902, Loyola College); Charles Wesley Tenney, Montana (Ph. B., 1898, Williamette University).

Master of science—Katherine Harrington, District of Columbia (B. S., 1906, the George Washington University).

Civil engineer—Edwin Hauptman King, District of Columbia (B. S. in C. E., 1907, the George Washington University); David Albert Molitor, Wisconsin (B. S. in C. E., 1908, the George Washington University).

Electrical engineer—Mark Rittenhouse Woodward, District of Columbia (B. S. in C. E., 1905, the George Washington University).

Doctor of philosophy—Frank Cummings Cook, Connecticut (B. A., 1900; M. A., 1902; M. S., 1904, Yale University); Benjamin George Wilkinson, District of Columbia (B. A., 1897, University of Michigan; M. A., 1905, Union College).

Department of Medicine.

Department of Medicine—Doctor of medicine—Frederick Scott Avery, Michigan; Clarence Sanborn Bessert, Wisconsin; John Edson Bowers, Indiana; Frank J. Brown, Iowa; Andrew Johnson Browning, Maryland; William Alvin Bryan, Iowa; Benjamin Franklin Cliff, North Carolina; Ernest Day Everett, Missouri (A. B., 1899, Baker University); Algernon Sydney Garnett, Virginia; George Matthew Gehringer, Pennsylvania; Thomas Everett Griffith, Pennsylvania; George H. Hart, Pennsylvania (V. D. M., 1903, University of Pennsylvania); Arthur William Hewitt, Ohio; Daniel Witter Higgins, Maryland; John Wilson Hopkins, Minnesota; Edmund Joseph Horgan, District of Columbia; William Marion Irbysmith, Kentucky (A. B., 1901; A. M., 1901, Georgetown College, Kentucky); Charles Solomon Lawrence, North Carolina; John Ramsey Littlefield, District of Columbia; Robert Stanley MacKnight, Michigan; Maurice Hopkins Maxwell, Maryland; Herman Emil Molzahn, Minnesota; John Sweyn Neale, District of Columbia; Edward Rogers Noyes, District of Columbia; Harry Alfred Ong, Ohio; Orra Edgar Patterson, Illinois; Herbert Samuel Pyne, Utah; Ralph Andre Quick, Virginia; Riley Russell, Illinois; William Bertram Scott, Oregon (B. Litt., 1896; B. S., 1936, Williammette University); John Wesley Sherwood, Maryland; Harry Emmerich Simons, District of Columbia; Ernest Wellington Smith, West Virginia; Harry Marbury Tayloe, Virginia; Edward Taylor, Alabama (B. S., in Phar., 1903, Alabama Polytechnic Institute); William Davis Tewksbury, Colorado; Lewis Royer Thompson, Pennsylvania (A. B., 1900, Ursinus College); Frederick Clarence Weber, Ohio (B. S., Ohio State University); Frederick Gordon Whemond, Illinois; Charles Wheatley, Maryland; Arthur Joseph Wheeler, Illinois; Joseph Victor Wilhelm, Illinois; James Thurston Wolfe, Virginia; Rowland Daniel Wolfe, Maryland; Roy Franklin Dunmire, Pennsylvania.

Department of Science.

Department of Dentistry.—Doctor of dental surgery—William Richard Addison, Wisconsin; James Walter Bernhard, Pennsylvania; Alan Smith Boarman, Maryland; Emlyn James Britton, Pennsylvania; Robert Henry Clark, Indiana; Alfred William Cummings, Kansas; Thomas Leon Fairfield, District of Columbia; Arthur Wellesley Gash, Rhode Island; John Alexander Grubbs, Virginia; Casper Florian Helmig, Missouri; Charles Millington Higgins, West Virginia; Walter Henry Hildreth, New York (A. B., 1892; A. M., 1904, Amherst College); Herbert Cornwell Hopkins, District of Columbia; William Clarence Houghtelin, Kansas; Harry Dow Johnson, Missouri; Herbert Spencer Murdock, Missouri; George Francis Peck, New Jersey; George Smitten, District of Columbia; Henry Cissel Young, Maryland.

National College of Pharmacy.—Doctor of pharmacy—W. Roby Boyer, Maryland; Carroll G. Deming, District of Columbia; Henry B. Floyd, Texas; Morris A. Pozen, Russia; Robert Bruce Spencer, North Carolina; Ernest H. Steele, Virginia; William D. Thorn, District of Columbia; T. O. Timberlake, Virginia.

Department of Law.—Bachelor of laws—Charles Louis Allen, South Dakota; Charles Rogers Arundell, District of Columbia; Howard Johnson Atwell, Virginia; Archibald Tanner Banning, jr., New York (A. B., 1904, Cornell University); John Christopher Wagner Beall, District of Columbia; Colley Wood Bell, District of Columbia; Bertram Philip Berger, New York; Frank Marshall Betts, Arkansas; John Henry Binsted, District of Columbia; Henry Luther Boesch, District of Columbia; Frank Hunter Bowen, Massachusetts; Maxwell Rice Brothers, Utah (as of 1901); Paul Campbell, Tennessee; Ira J. Carr, Michigan; Edmund Carrington, District of Columbia; Andrew Christensen, Utah.

Massachusetts Graduates.

Fayette Dickinson Couden, Massachusetts (B. S., 1904, Massachusetts Agricultural College); Harold Bert Cutler, Iowa; Arthur William Davidson, Ohio (A. B., 1899, Western Reserve University); Harry Blaine Durham, Nebraska (Ph. B., 1904, Nebraska Wesleyan University); Walter Bohrer Guy, District of Columbia (Ph. B., 1905, Lafayette College); Moses Walton Hendry, Maryland (A. B., 1903, Johns Hopkins University); Samuel Joseph Henry, District of Columbia; Louis Frederick Hepburn, Pennsylvania; Philip Simmons Hichborn, District of Columbia; Albert Clare Hindman, Pennsylvania; Howard Raymond Hinshaw, Nebraska; Rexford Louis Holmes, Missouri; Allen Harrison Hughey, Texas (B. A., 1903, Vanderbilt University); Eustacio S. Ilustre, Philippine Islands; George Bayard Jones, Missouri (B. S., 1905, Massachusetts Institute of Technology); Robert McGuire Jones, Virginia (B. A., 1902, William and Mary College); Michael Levin, Wisconsin; Henry Latane Lewis, Maryland; George Browning McClellan, Hawaii; Ira Bennett McNeal, Pennsylvania (A. B., 1898, Dickinson College); Henry Howard Mancha, Michigan; Allan Pomeroy Matthew, California (A. B., 1903, University of California); Lucius Randolph Mason, Maryland; William Lewis Miller, District of Columbia; Paul Mitchell, Pennsylvania (A. B., Allegheny College); Curt Berthold Mueller, Ohio (A. B., 1906, Cornell University); William Ashford Murphy, Washington; Claud Worthington Owen, Maryland; Charles Francis Owens, Maryland.

Graduate from District.

James Frost Patterson, District of Columbia; Walter Watts Patterson, Georgia (A. B., University of Georgia, LL. D., Grant University); Aden Daniel Phillips, New York (B. S., 1906, the George Washington University); Iron William Phillips, New York; Leon Pretzfelder, Virginia; George William Ransey, Illinois; Don Seavey Rathbun, Iowa (B. S., 1904, Cornell College); Paul Allen Rehr, Pennsylvania; Reginald Rutherford, Maryland; George Bismarck Sanderlin, North Carolina (A. B., 1899, A. M., 1900, Johns Hopkins University); James MacDermott Sherican, Colorado; Dyer Smith Pennsylvania (M. E., 1905, Lehigh University); Ellison Griffith

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One Hundred and Fourteen Young Men Graduated.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS NOW

Class Address Delivered by Hon. Arthur B. Hayes, Former Solicitor of Internal Revenue of Treasury. Tells Them to Be Good Citizens and Work to Save the Nation.

With artistic arrangement of electrical and floral decorations at Carroll Institute Hall last night 114 young men, composing the class of '08 of the Bliss Electrical School, received their diplomas entitling them to the degree of electrical engineer.

Around the seats of the class, inclosing them, were ten poles wrapped with ribbons each surmounted by a colored electric bulb. Over all was the masterpiece of the decorations, a huge electric representation of the seal of the school with the words "Class of 1908" above it.

The National Guard Orchestra opened the programme with selections. Invocation was offered by Rev. George E. Whitehouse, of the Immanuel Baptist Church, following which Walter N. Weston, treasurer of the school, read a short address from Louis D. Bliss, president of of institution, who was absent on account of sickness.

Addresses the Graduates.

Hon. Arthur B. Hayes, former solicitor of internal revenue of the Treasury, made the address to the graduates. He said, in part:

"A graduation day means much to any man who has earnestly and conscientiously followed the course of instruction laid down in the curriculum of an institution of learning, since from that day he marks his entrance into the field of active life and endeavor.

"I congratulate the young men who have chosen an industrial pursuit in life. The industrial professions heretofore have been largely neglected, and in those professions there is at present offered the greatest opportunity, not only for achieving success in life, but the opportunity to materially help bridge the chasm which now exists between capital and labor.

"Electricity is the power of the future, and a knowledge of that power is a power indeed. Edison, the wizard, has accomplished wonderful things in the domain of development and application, but there may come from among your ranks other wizards, whose exploitations will be as strange to the people of the future as Edison's were at the time they were announced to the world.

"My theme to-night is that of good citizenship. Every man who is himself an exponent, raises the standard, not alone in the ration of his life to the mass of lives, but also in the proportion in which his life becomes a strong, potent factor in the world of affairs.

Preserve the Nation.

"The duty rests upon you to preserve this nation that it may fully accomplish the purposes for which it was established. To-day every nation looks to America to lead the way. The true American idea is the concentrated incarnation of the power and sacredness of lofty individuality."

Prizes for the year were announced as follows:

Roll of honor—For highest record in examinations, Alvin M. Bland, Maryland, and Earl C. Eager, Iowa; for best lecture reports, M. A. Dowiny, of this city.

The John D. Espey prize, a micrometer caliper for greatest progress in laboratory work, Leon D. Bardwell, Massachusetts; the M. Du Perow prize, pocket voltmeter, for highest average in laboratory work, Lucius F. Payne, Iowa; Eugene Dietzgen prize, pair of proportional dividers, for best showing in mechanical drawing, Corrie Rudolph, Illinois; McGraw Company prize, for best average in drawing, Clarence A. Purdy, New York; Bliss Electrical School gold medal, for highest general average in all subjects, Alvin M. Bland, Maryland.

List of the Graduates.

Those graduated were:

Louis Agnew, Swarthmore, Pa.; John E. Bangs, Washington, D. C.; Leon Dwight Bardwell, Conway, Mass.; James R. Barry, Bradford, Pa.; Edward Barthold, Weatherford, Tex.; W. H. Bauer, Lowell, Ohio; Windsor H. Bigelow, Princeton Depot, Mass.; Alvin M. Bland, Glencoe, Md.; Laurence W. Booth, Dellroy, Ohio; J. Ira Bowler, Fredericksburg, Va.; James L. Bowman, Denison, Tex.; Jay W. Boyd, Long Beach, Cal.; Floyd H. Boyer, Belding, Mich.; J. W. Briggs, Bellwood, Pa.; C. L. Browning, Terrell, Tex.; George F. Butler, Buffalo, N. Y.; Robert T. Campbell, Hookstown, Pa.; Ernest G. Clark, Skaneateles, N. Y.; S. G. Compton, Richland, La.; George F. Cooper, South Dayton, N. Y.; Herbert Crowther, Holyoke, Mass.; Charles A. Cummings, New York City; William C. De Groff, Woodstown, N. J.; M. A. Deviny, Washington, D. C.; Frank Durkan, Skaneateles, N. Y.; Juan Durst, Tyler, Tex.; John W. Duvall, Decatur, Ill.; E. C. Eager, Avoca, Iowa; Edward Eagle, Friendship, N. Y.; Okey Edwards, South Bend, Wash.; John Bernard Fenner, Linesville, Pa.; William Harlan Fribley, Big Rapids, Mich.; Aubrey C. Frost, Mars Hill, Me.; M. E. Fuller, Friendship, N. Y.; Josiah W. Gain, Glengary, W. Va.

Earl Ganoe, Ramey, Pa.; Clair H. Gerding, Pemberville, Ohio; Jay H. Gibbs, Edmore, Mich.; Emory E. Gose, Decatur, Tex.; George F. Hall, Center Barnstead, N. H.; William E. Hammond, Friendship, N. Y.; Joe M. Hatcher, Harlem, Ga.; Archibald Lambert Hayden, Milo, Me.; William M. Hellmuth, Alexandria, Va.; Rufus W. Hewitt, Waterbury, Conn.; Caldwell Homewood, Baltimore, Md.; James M. Hoyt, Muskegon, Mich.; Fred M. Hulett, Webb City, Mo.; Robert Hurley, Macon, Ga.; Frank M. Hydon, Skaneateles, N. Y.; C. R. Jenkins, Canon City, Colo.; George L. Johnson, Elizabeth, N. J.; Arthur T. Judd, Palmer Lake, Colo.; George E. Keller, Bloomsburg, Pa.; William J. Kennedy, Buffalo, N. Y.; Raymond S. Kirkwood, Arcadia, Pa.; Charles S. Ladd, Dale, Ind.; Aaron Ladrach, Stone Creek, Ohio; Malcolm Edwin Laidley, Conway, Mass.; Ray A. Lais, Norwalk, Ohio; Chris F. Lancaster, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; C. E. Love, New York, N. Y.; A. A. Ludwig, Titusville, Pa.; L. H. Lyon, Statesville, N. C.; Morton G. Lyon, Perry, Iowa; Harry L. McCullough, Millers Falls, Mass.; Frank N. McLean, Washington, D. C.; J. C. Manning, Perry, Iowa; D. Chester Martin, Altoona, Pa.; Ralph P. Mercer, Burlington, Iowa; R. P. Miles, Charleston, S. C.

Charles J. Moore, Paulding, Ohio; T. P. Morgan, Hauserlake, Mont.; Matthew J. Murphy, Omaha, Nebr.; Louis H. Nebel, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; J. Elmer Newcomer, Washington, D. C.; Milton M. Newell, El Paso, Tex.; Lucius F. Payne, Williams, Iowa; J. J. Percivall, Petersburg, Va.; Harry S. Phinney, Woodfords, Me.; E. V. Plane, Atlanta, Ga.; I. R. Pocklington, Carlinville, Ill.; A. Van A. Polak, Atlanta, Ga.; Howard A. Potter, Norwich, Conn.; Frank W. Price, St. Clair, Pa.; Osborne Ingle Price, Frederick, Md.; Clarence A. Purdy, Penn Yan, N. Y.; Clinton F. Rader, Aledo, Ill.; James E. Redman, Washington, D. C.; L. H. Robertson, Fairmont, W. Va.; F. H. Rogers, Alexandria, Va.; George L. Rosenberger, Manassas, Va.; George C. Round, jr., Manassas, Va.; Corrie Rudolph, Crossville, Ill.; Aubrey W. Shinn, Entergrise, W. Va.; Clinton G. Smith, Millers Falls, Mass.; John Sniegoski, Washington, D. C.; Ned J. Stephenson, Meadville, Pa.; J. E. Sumter, Newberry, S. C.; John George Vianna, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; Leighton S. Voorhees, Weymouth, Mass.; Albert Waldschmidt, Baltimore, Md.; Walter V. Warner, Savannah, Mo.; Anthony H. Weiler, Syracuse, N. Y.; Lewis F. Whitaker, Bethany, Mo.; Clifton W. Whitmore, Lynchburg, Va.; A. Crawford Witherspoon, Chambersburg, Pa.; F. E. Williams, Wellington, Ohio; Joseph Willsey, Cooperstown, N. Y.; Howard J. Wittman, Toledo, Ohio; A. Stanley Wonson, East Gloucester, Mass.; Everett F. Wonson, Gloucester, Mass.; Guy Ziegler, Riverton, Nebr., and E. F. Zimmerman, Medina, N. Y.

Best in Target Practice.

Company C, of the Fourteenth Infantry, made the best record of any organization in the United States army during the target season of 1907. The company had a general figure of merit of 111.11. In the target season of 1906 Troop K, of the Fifth Cavalry, was the best organization with a general merit of 129.99. In 1907 the department making the best target record was the Department of the Lakes. The best post record was made at Vancouver Barracks, Wash.

TECHNICAL HIGH WINS THE FLAG

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dent of the board of judges. After receiving his instructions, which were to follow out the order of evolutions as closely as possible, Capt. Gordon swung his men into column of fours and commenced the long and intricate drill. Company G's swinging into motion was the signal for the Business High rooters to let loose, which they did with a vim. The drill was followed out to the letter, but several of the alignments were ragged, as well as some of the volley firing.

Crack Company I.

Crack Company I, of Central, was the next to march on the field. As Capt. Bonine and his company made their appearance the supporters of the Blue and White broke forth with their yells, and a sea of blue and white streamers and ribbons were waved vigorously.

Company C, with machine-like movements, marched to within fifteen yards of the judges and presented arms. After receiving instructions, Capt. Bonine began the drill that was to darken the chances of the supporters of the Technical High for the time being. Changing direction, squads right into line, platoons left front into line, and many other intricate movements were executed by the Central boys. Company I failed on the volley firing and the manual of arms, while one or two of the movements prescribed by the regulations were passed over.

Following Company I, Company E, of the Business High, took up the work. Capt. A. J. Kause, assisted by his two lieutenants, J. C. Dulin, first, and G. C. Howard, second, worked the men of E to the limit. It was thought by many that Company E exceeded the cadence of 120 steps to the minute. The company was exceedingly good at volley firing, but did not do so well on some of the close order formations. Capt. Kause was encouraged in his work by the supporters of the Orange and Blue.

Company B, of the Central High, marched on the field as Company E was leaving, and again the supporters of the Blue and White demonstrated that any one of the companies representing Central was a favorite with them. Capt. Heitmuller, after receiving orders, put the boys through the drill in a manner becoming a veteran officer. The movements from column to line and line to column were done with precision, but the firing was ragged. The cadence of 120 steps to the minute was kept up by the boys throughout the drill, and as this is one of the numbers on the programme that had several points to it, it counted for Company B.

Last on the Field.

When Company A, the last company to come on the field, commenced drilling, the predictions made on Tuesday by adherents of Central that A Company would make any of the teams hustle to win were more than realized. This company, under command of Capt. W. F. Kelley, soon made an impression in the minds of the general public that caused them to doubt their selection of D or I to win. The men went through every movement the instructions called for, and when the volley firing commenced, the hopes of the Technical boys were again held in suspense, for the rounds of shots were fired without a mistake. It was in the manual of arms that Company I was excelled by Company D.

As soon as the last company marched to the left end of the field, the band took position in center field, and all the companies of the regiment, in the following order, took position for the review: Band; regimental officers; Companies A, B, I, of Central, forming the first battalion; Companies E and G, of Business; F, of Eastern, and H, of Western, forming the second battalion; Companies C, D, K, and L, of McKinley Manual Training, or Technical, forming the third battalion. Following the forming of the regiment, Col. Brice Clagett, of Central, commanding, gave the order to pass in review of the judges and distinguished citizens.

To the tune of "The High School Cadets," the regiment marched up to within fifty yards of the reviewing stand in column of fours. At that point it was wheeled into column of companies, and each company passed the judges, the officers saluting.

As each company passed down the field after the review, it formed into battalion front, with the regimental officers stationed in the center and in front of the men facing the reviewing party. The colonel of the regiment at a signal from the chairman of the judges directed the regimental adjutant to proceed to the judges and get his instructions. It was at this point that absolute stillness reigned over the great crowd, for they were soon to learn which was the winning company.

The regimental adjutant, after receiving instructions from the judges, marched to the center of the regiment, and then wheeled to the right until he came to the battalion from Technical High, where he halted. He saluted the captain of Company D, which signified that he was the lucky company. The salute was also the signal for the supporters of the maroon and gray to exercise their lungs, and loud and long were the shouts that went up from American League Park.

Company D was marched to the front and received its prizes, after which the regiment was disbanded and the twenty-first annual competitive drill was a thing of the past.

Winning Company Roster.

The roster of the winning company is as follows:

Captain, E. S. Wise; first lieutenant, Ballantyne; second lieutenant, H. Cobaugh; first sergeant, W. J. Allegly; second sergeant, H. P. King; third sergeant, A. S. St. Clair; fourth sergeant, A. T. Leubkert; fifth sergeant, L. H. Brown; corporals, E. M. Jeffrey, R. S. Young, H. E. Spear, H. A. Stahlk, A. G. Seller, C. R. Hodges.

Privates—A. M. Brown, P. Brodekamp, I. Carpenter, F. T. Chamberlain, B. C. Cruikshanks, P. L. Collins, L. G. Fessenden, L. Flemer, G. C. Frazier, P. Frazier, W. Fuller, F. W. Gavin, J. B. Hill, P. J. Hunt, C. W. King, W. F. Long, W. R. Milburn, C. A. Miller, F. W. McCarthy, C. O'Connell, J. Ord, H. H. Porter, L. C. Racoosin, R. H. Rathbun, F. B. Rideneur, H. M. Rivers, W. R. Sietzer, L. P. Shoemaker, V. Smith, J. L. Shea, I. C. Thompson, H. W. Truesdell, T. T. Tyler, H. C. Wells, H. V. Wilson.

Dr. Hill to Be Presented.

Charlemagne Tower, who recently resigned as American Ambassador to Germany, sent a dispatch to the State Department yesterday saying he will present his letters of recall to Emperor William on June 8. It is expected Dr. David Jayne Hill, former Minister to the Netherlands, who was appointed Ambassador to succeed Dr. Tower, will be formally presented to Emperor William about the middle of June.

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Technical High School Boys Given Reception.

COMPANY D IS CHEERED

Dr. George E. Meyers, Principal, Makes an Address, in Which He Praises the Young Soldiers for Their Showing on the Field—Silver Cup Presented Successful Company.

The conquering heroes of ancient Rome were not accorded a more royal welcome upon their return from the field of battle than were the cadets of Technical High School, when they marched to the school building at Rhode Island avenue and Seventh street, following the drill, yesterday afternoon.

Company D, winner of the flag, was cheered long and loudly, and the other companies, C, K, and L, each came in for a round of applause.

Marching to the school building from the drill grounds, the cadets were ushered into the parlors and class rooms of the building, where a supper combining quality and quantity was served by the teachers, assisted by the girls of the graduating class.

Dr. Meyers Makes Address.

Upon being seated, the cadets were addressed by Dr. George E. Meyers, principal of the school. Dr. Meyers' address was not long, but was to the point. He praised the young soldiers for their showing on the field, complimenting each commanding officer in turn, and said the training acquired as high school cadets might well stand in their stead in the future, should they ever be called to arms in defense of their country. Dr. Meyers spoke with pride of the efforts of the cadets in the past, the flag having been captured for two consecutive years. He paid tribute to the young graduates who assisted in serving the supper, and said that to them was due a great deal of the credit, along with other pupils at the school, for the great showing made.

Capt. E. S. Wise, commander of the winning company, was next called upon for a speech. Capt. Wise, with great modesty, disclaimed any talent as a speech-maker, saying he had merely done his best, and that it was more to the efforts of the men under him than to him that the victory was due. The young officer thanked the teachers and girl graduates on behalf of his comrades for the supper and ovation, and, amid cheers, took his seat.

Speeches were made by Capt. E. M. Webster, of Company K; Capt. Pelsman, of Company L, and Capt. H. Benson, of Company C, and several of the lieutenants.

Given a Silver Cup.

A silver cup was presented by a member of the firm of R. Harris & Co., jewelers, to be the property of the school, and after a few words by teachers the supper broke into an impromptu congratulation party.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the entertainment was headed by Miss Mary N. White, member of the faculty, and it was due to her untiring efforts and good management that the affair proved the success it was.

MANY GIRLS ARE GRADUATED

Pretty Exercises at Mount St. Alban by 145 Students.

Dr. McKim Makes Principal Address to National Cathedral Pupils.

The eighth annual commencement exercises of the National Cathedral School were held yesterday morning in St. Alban's Church, cathedral close.

Canon Bratenahl conducted the religious services and was assisted by Canons Devrics and Craighill. The Rev. R. H. McKim delivered the principal address and awarded the diplomas.

The young ladies of the school, 145 in number, robed in white, the graduates in caps and gowns of white, preceded by the cross bearer and faculty, marched from the school to the church, where the religious services took place.

Dr. McKim, in his address, compared the young women to "the temple spanned by the rainbow of God's own blessing and God's own peace." He assured them that nothing but faith in God gave meaning and purpose to human life.

After the singing of the anthem, "Except the Lord Build the House," the diplomas were delivered to the graduates by Dr. McKim, followed by the singing of the "Gloria in Excelsis" and a brief prayer.

Singing, the procession retraced the steps from the church to the school, where later the graduates received the congratulations of their many friends.

The list of graduates follows:

Maude Holley Aldrich, New York City; Margaret Keith Bartlett, New York City; Phoebe Caroline Blaul, Burlington, Iowa; Frances Margaret Burroughs, Boston, Mass.; Marian Lothaine Butler, Mauch Chunk, Pa.; Hazel Fidelia Cady, Syracuse, N. Y.; Mallory Durant Church, Washington; Harriet Ashton Clarkson, New York City; Katharine Elise Crane, Washington; Virginia Fox Crawford, New York City; Henrietta Hempstead Gray, Louisville, Ky.; Edith Griscom, Plainfield, N. J.; Marjorie Sybil Hooker, Le Roy, N. Y.; Anne Jeannette Houston, Pittsburg, Pa.; Rose Caroline Huff, Greensburg, Pa.; Mary Elizabeth Johnston, Glendale, Ohio; Clara Slocum Kingsbury, Fort Robinson, Nebr.; Corinna Edwine Kirkbride, Mobile, Ala.; Mary Matthews, Glendale, Ohio; Aileen Louise Owen, Jacksonville, Fla.; Lida Wint Patch, Lebanon, Pa.; Marie Louise Robinson, Winfield, Kans.; Irene Cardell Swearingen, Billings, Mont.; Frances Marvin Webster, Washington; Robyn Latham Young, Washington.

CHILDREN GIVE CARNIVAL.

Singers and Violin Players Take Part in Exercises.

An unusually pretty stage picture was presented last night at the Academy of Music, where Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Benjamin directed their second annual children's carnival in this city.

Participants in the programme were all children who have been taught to sing and play the violin in the Benjamin free violin school, which is conducted during the winter months at the Pythian Temple, 1012 Ninth street. The idea originated with Mr. Benjamin's father, in New York, in 1847, and has continued ever since.

On the stage last evening were several hundred children, ranging in years from five to fifteen.

Several prizes of violins were given to children who sold the largest number of tickets. Little Paul Savage, who disposed of 300, was awarded the first, a violin valued at $50.

THE PALAIS ROYAL.

TO-DAY.

Thursday, you know, is the Palais Royal's Remnant Day. The list below is later and supplementary to any published in the evening papers. A good plan is to bring this Thursday list with you as a shopping guide. Do this every remnant day.

33% and 50% Discount

Table linens—ends of pieces—and napkins—odd half dozens and dozens—with other remnants in "Linens," will be found on Second floor Table at 33 to 50 per cent less than regular prices.

Look for these Dress Goods 5c and 15c

Wash Goods, Usually 12½c to 37½c

75c to $1.50 Wool Suitings; plain colors, fancy stripes, checks. Per yard.....59c

25c "Marvel Silks" and "Princess Satin," 40 inches wide; the best wearing lining. Yard.....10c

75c Silks; plain, fancy stripes, and checks; in all shades. Yard.....32c

69c Rough Pongee and Homespun Silks; tan, navy, brown, green. Yard.....39c

39c Japanese Habutai Silks, in all good shades. Per Yard..25c

5c Spools Basting Cotton, 5c Silkateen, and 5c a yard Curved Dress Binding.....3c

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Best Quadruple Plated Silverware—

Tea Pots,
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Bonbon Dishes,
Candlesticks,
Cream and Sugar, &c.

Plated Teaspoons, 6 for 19c

6 Tablespoons, 39c 6 Dinner Forks, 44c

Only 10c for Butter Knives; 9c for Pickle Forks; 7c for Sugar Shells; 10c for Mustard Spoons. Good enough for the country home and summer boarding-house.

American Beauty Pie Knives—each in a box—$1.50 value.....48c

Harland Ice Cream Service—each in box—$1.50 value.....44c

Orange Spoons—six in box—$1.50 value.....47c

Soup Ladles, fully burnished—box with each—$2 value....98c

Gravy Ladles—each in box—$1.00 value.....42c

Cream Ladles; long handles—each in box—75c value.....36c

Berry Spoons; large, fancy bowls—in box—$1.50 value.....55c

Cold Meat Forks; flat cutting tine; 75c value.....25c

The Palais Royal, G St., 11th St. A. LISNER.

'OLDEST INHABITANTS' ELECT

Ten New Members Taken Into the Association at Last Meeting.

Theodore W. Noyes, New President, in Chair at Regular Session.

In their hall, at Nineteenth and H streets northwest, the Association of the Oldest Inhabitants of the District of Columbia held their monthly meeting at 7:30 o'clock last evening.

Theodore W. Noyes, editor of the Evening Star, who was recently elected president of the association, presided. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, a number of new members were introduced.

The principal business accomplished during the meeting was the election of ten new members. Rules of the organization provide that to become a member, candidates must be fifty years of age or more, and must have been a resident of the District for at least thirty years.

Those elected last night were Clarence F. Norment, Capt. James F. Oyster, J. B. Diver, Dr. Thomas Calver, J. V. White, Donald S. Williamson, Richard I. Hagan, J. W. Loveless, Robert J. Dawson, and D. J. McCarty.

New names presented to be acted upon at the next meeting were John O'Laughlin, Elias Oliver, J. V. Wurdeman, Charles W. Church, Charles Kennedy, and Rudolph Kauffmann.

Japanese Cruiser at Manila.

Manila, June 3.—The Japanese cruiser Soya, formerly the ill-fated Russian cruiser Variag, lost at the battle of Chemulpo, arrived here to-day, ending a practice cruise for fifty-two Japanese engineer cadets. After being captured by Japan she was made into a modern armored cruiser.

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