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Twenty-seven the Number to Graduate from High School

The commencement exercises given by the 1909 class of the local high school at the court house last Friday evening, ranks well with the best that have been given in the history of the local high school. In number of members, the class ranks second. Their orations and addresses brought much credit to their authors, and their auditors who packed the hall to its full seating and standing capacity paid them one of the best tributes by giving them the very closest attention. For some of the orations and the class history and the class prophecy, the attention of the auditors was very close; and when some witticism or some names were aptly linked together the audience was not slow to show its appreciation of same.

The exercises were commenced at about 8:30 o'clock, when the class, marched to their seats, beneath streamers of the class colors, to music by Miss Hazel Tourilotte. The class presented a very fine appearance. Rev. Geo. E. Platt, rector of the Church of Our Saviour, commenced the exercises with the invocation and closed them with the benediction. Gan's double quartette rendered the first number on the program with "Timbuctoo" and received an encore, to which they responded with another fine rendition.

Beatrice Dewey, salutatorian of the class, delivered the salutatory address in a clear and concise manner. After remarking on the large attendance, which greeted the graduates and were present for the commencement exercises, and saying that the interest shown by the citizens of this city gave the members of the class much encouragement and would be long remembered by them, she told how the high school prepared the students to accomplish a high aim in life. Miss Dewey showed how business schools prepared students so as to enable them to secure a quicker remuneration for their services but did not mould the character of the student as did the high school. She also told how the parents sacrificed to keep their children at school, rejoiced with them and consoled them when they sorrowed.

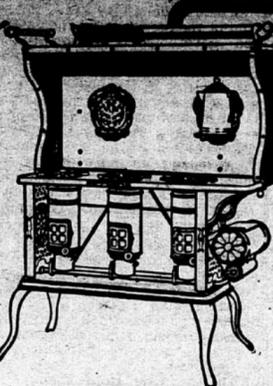
The history of the class was given by Miss Jennie Stillwell, who soon showed the audience, by the names that were linked, that the history was complete to a minute degree. The time was set at some future date when a new generation had sprung up, and the excitement was over, the history of the Class of 1909, which had just been published and an old lady, a member of that class, secured one from the newsboys and went in a corner and read it through. The history gave the progress of the class and many humorous happenings that concerned that class.

Edwin Remer followed this with a cornet solo, accompanied on the piano by Harry E. Meyers, which was highly appreciated. Constantine Droskowski gave his oration on "Character" in a very able manner. He went to the root of it and showed how character was formed and told of its effect on the life of the man. If the surrounding were evil his character would be very apt to lean strongly that way, but if good a noble character would doubtless be formed, and this once attained remained to a remarkable degree. He cited different cases in the lives of some great men. He said that as long as the spark of a conscience remained in a person he was not apt to go far wrong, but once lost the man was soon wrecked in his life and name. He emphasized the intrinsic value of a good character, and said that it was something that could not be bought with gold, as it could not be measured in dollars and cents.

His oration created a good impression with the audience. An oration which was especially interesting for its historical value, giving the cause of a great Indian war and citing the great sufferings of the pioneers of this fair state, was that of Miss Margaret Dickinson entitled "The Minnesota Massacre." She vividly described the conditions then as compared to the present time and flourishing condition of the state. She told of how the Indian outbreak of 1862 had originated from one Indian calling another a coward because he would not steal from the white man when his family was starving, the annual payment from the government according to treaty with the Sioux Indians being late. That the other denied this and to prove it would kill the white man, which he did. The news followed like wild fire and soon all the Indians had risen against the whites and fell upon and massacred them, sparing neither men, women or children. She further related how the outbreak was squelched by federal troops and how settlers were then attracted to this state.

Miss Leonilla Wessell rendered a piano solo with such ability as to win for her much applause, which she modestly acknowledged. The number on the program that was greatly enjoyed was the class prophecy by Miss Elizabeth Richard. She gave the audience her version of what glorious and great things the class was accomplishing forty years hence. Little Falls had all at once been a place of world wide fame and airships and automobiles were pouring into here by the thousands, steamships and transcontinental trains were also hurrying this way with Little Falls as its goal all because Eugene Dunphy, a member of the class had invented an instrument by which Mars could be communicated with and that day was set for the great event. In due time a message was sent to the planet and the Martians told of their progress. Another with several other members of the class later made a trip there with an airship, and some years later returned to earth with wonderful stories of life in the planet. Two members of the party had remained to become Martians. Then she told of another event that had just taken

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Report of school district 21 for month ending May 28:	pupils	7,208
Days taught	Average attendance in days of each pupil	22
Enrollment	No. from 5 to 8 enrolled	18
Average attendance	No. from 8 to 18 enrolled	41
Those absent or tardy two days or less: Christ and Elsie Born, Louise Hoffman, Lena and Mary Zornieher.	No. from 8 to 18 attending full term	35
—Grace M. Burt, teacher.	—Miss Herma E. Beatty, principal.	

Report of the Brickyard school for year ending May 28:	
No. entitled to apportionment	52
No. not entitled to apportionment	7
Total enrollment	59
Total attendance in days by all	

The business meeting of the Little Falls Gun club, which was to have been held Monday evening but did not materialize, will be held this evening at the regular gun shoot.

INSURANCE LAW STRICT

Rebates on Premiums Not Allowed--Agent Cannot accept Stock

Notice has been received by the local insurance agents of the law passed by the state legislature on April 29 prohibiting the granting of rebates of any kind on premiums for insurance policies, and agents are not allowed to charge less than the regulation price for such insurance and that no insurance agent can receive stock in a company to make him more interested in its business. A fine of from \$50 to \$200 is the penalty for any one violation of this law. Heretofore it has been the practice and in some cases the custom to allow rebates on policies to their patrons in order to get more business.

RAIL PRAIRIE

June 8.—A dance was given in the old Day house last Saturday night. There was a large crowd and all had a very enjoyable time.

Miss Anna Anderson, who has been attending high school at Little Falls, returned home last Friday to spend her vacation.

Miss Emma D. Anderson, who is teaching near Rosing visited at home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Halverson attended the sale at Bill Jones' last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pugh of Clough visited at A. K. Johnson's here last week.

Miss Mareta Hamilton spent Sunday with the Misses Anderson of Cushing Sunday.

Rail Prairie played their first game of ball this season with Clough last Sunday. Clough was defeated 12 to 6. Now don't let this be your last game boys. And always stand ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Olson were in Lincoln Monday.

The weather here has been very pleasant of late. And everybody is springing seed.

Mrs. G. A. Olson of Scandia Valley spent Sunday at A. W. Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swanson and John Mstrom of Lincoln attended the dance here Saturday night.

Albert and Wm. Jaeger and Tom Edeburn were in Motley Monday.

Report of school district 86 for month ending May 21:

Days taught	20
Enrollment	23
Average attendance	19

Those not absent during month: Stella Thomas, Etta Snow, Bessie Snow, Arby Jones, Flossie Jones, Mabel Knudson, Mary Ella and Edward Stroming.

—Evangelize Carpenter, teacher.



INCREASED TRAIN SERVICE

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MARRIED.

The wedding of Miss Elsie McMartin of Jackson, Minn., and Chester H. Easton of this city took place Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Christ Church in St. Paul. The bride, who had just completed teaching a term of school, and the groom met in St. Paul and proceeded to the Episcopal church, where the wedding knot was tied by Rev. F. G. Rudlong, rector of Christ church.

Miss McMartin, now Mrs. Easton, is very well known here, having taught in the local public schools for three years previous to leaving this place three years ago. During the past two years she has been teaching in the Albert Lea schools. She is a young lady of many good traits of character and while here made many friends.

Mr. Easton came to this city six years ago with Ralph Towle who opened an abstract office here. Later he went to Iowa, but returned here about 5 years ago and purchased the abstract business of Mr. Towle, who then went East. Mr. Easton is well liked and has a nice business.

The newly wedded couple came from up St. Paul Tuesday morning, and will soon go to housekeeping here. A host of friends wish them a fine voyage on the sea of wedded life, on which they have just embarked.

Miss Ann Bohan and A. B. Winslow of Dixonville, S. D., were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the French Catholic church parsonage Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, Rev. A. Lamotte pronouncing the words that made them husband and wife.

The bride was attended by Miss Estelle Filon, and the groom by Louis Gendron.

Miss Bohan has during the past year and a half been teaching in the local public schools, during which time, by her pleasing manner, she has made a large circle of friends.

Mr. Winslow is located in business at Dixville, S. D., being in the automobile business with a brother. The happy couple will make their new home in the South Dakota town, after a short wedding trip.

DIED.

Mrs. Engel Christina Sorenson, aged 85 years, died Monday morning at her home in Cushing from a complication of diseases peculiar to old age. Deceased was a pioneer resident of Morrison county, having resided in this county during the past twenty years.

Mrs. Sorenson is survived by a son and two daughters, all residents of Cushing.

The funeral was held Wednesday and interment will be in Cushing.



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Report of school district 51, Elm-dale, for month ending June 4:	
Days taught	19
Holidays	1
Enrollment	39
Average attendance	30
The following received perfect attendance certificates: Mabel Morenson, Esther Palm, Gertrude, Walter and Helmer Johnson, Joseph and Klemer Peterson, Elynn and Elmer Spittorff, Eddie, Alvar and Clarence Nelson.	
Months taught	8
Pupils enrolled	44
Entire to apportionment	36
Cases of tardiness	6
Perfect attendance certificates issued	65
—Lillian Chadwick, teacher.	