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## DIPLOMAS TO MANY

### Commencement in Collegiate and Seminary Departments of Augustana.

#### GOV. YATES SPEAKS ON PATRIOTISM

#### And Dr. McLean, of Iowa University, on Culture—Names of Graduates.

Seldom has a class graduating from a western college been honored more highly at commencement time than was the class of the college department of Augustana this morning, in the presence at the commencement exercises of Gov. Richard Yates and President George B. McLean, of the university of Iowa, both of whom delivered addresses.

The presence of these distinguished men added greatly to the interest of the morning's exercises and the capacity of the chapel was totally inadequate for the accommodation of the audience that assembled. The hall was decorated in the national and class colors, the latter blue and orange, and back of the rostrum was inscribed the class motto, "Esse quam videri" (To be is to know).

The exercises opened with the singing by the audience of "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," after which there was a scripture reading and prayer by Rev. L. E. Johnston, of St. Paul. Then Dr. Gustav Andreen, president of the college, introduced Chancellor George B. McLean, of the University of Iowa.

#### President McLean's Address.

Dr. McLean opened with reference to his connection with Yale and his meeting with Dr. Andreen at the festivities held there in celebration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of that institution, which led to his presence before the audience. Then he fell to a comparison of the material advantages of Iowa and Illinois in which he emphasized the fact that Iowa excels in corn, cattle, chickens and cabinet members. To Illinois, however, he conceded an equality in the matter of men.

For his subject Dr. McLean took "Culture," and his discourse upon this theme was finished, helpful and intensely interesting. First he told of the misconception that had arisen as to the real meaning of the word culture through its application to the craze for bric-a-brac and affectations of speech that emanated from Boston some years ago. This he showed was entirely fallacious, although the movement that led to the misunderstanding was important in leading to better things. Education and culture, he demonstrated, are not one and the same by drawing a picture of a man who loves learning for its own sake and his soul shrivels and dies through very narrowness. True culture was defined as "sympathy with intelligence," and under this application was identified with that which educators are coming more and more to realize is their true mission to impart to the human race.

After an exquisitely rendered song by the chapel choir Dr. Andreen introduced Gov. Yates and the audience rose in welcome. With characteristic directness the governor announced his subject as "The Evolution of Patriotism."

#### Welcome to the State Executive.

As leading up to the development of that love of home and country that we call patriotism, the governor launched into a rapid review of the evolution of the forms of government of which history tells. In the first stage, or that of the barbarians, there was no love of any particular spot and the submission to a chief was of the same sort that herds of animals accord to the most powerful among their number. In the despotic governments erected following the adoption of a fixed abode, patriotism had its dawn, but it was of a sort very different from that of today.

The patriotism of Greece and Rome was of an advanced type, but it was not permanent. In the English government the speaker saw the best form of patriotism of the later monarchies and therein was planted the germ that has since come to its full fruition in America. But Gov. Yates did not end with the present. He beheld a vision of a patriotism far beyond that of our own land at the present day, a patriotism so perfect that it can never yield to a better and must therefore exist forever. This he believed would be the result of the broadening and deepening of the channels of human thought and action through the agency of modern education.

#### Second to None in Education.

Illinois is second to no commonwealth in America in educational advancement and the governor spoke of the great responsibility that rests upon him as the political head of a state that is exerting such a powerful influence in a movement that shall be world-wide and endure forever. In conclusion he addressed the class, advising the members to learn to apply in life that which they had received in college.

Following the last address President Andreen conferred degrees and presented diplomas to the members of the class, the valedictory was pronounced by A. E. Telleen and the program ended with a song by the Wennerberg chorus, the singing of the

doxology by the audience and a benediction.

Following are the names of the graduates:

Collegiate—Christopher T. Carlson, Wausa, Neb.; Sigfrid J. Cheleen, Rock Island; John B. A. Idstrom, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; John O. Kindstrom, Amund, Ia.; Oscar Larson, Swedeberg, Neb.; Grace Lewis, Rock Island; Anton E. Lindahl, Wakefield, Neb.; Clarke L. Swanson, Rock Island; A. Edward Telleen, Templeton, Cal.; Frank A. Wallin, Moline; A. Reynold Wallin, Quincy, Mass.; Julius J. Younggren, Chicago.

Academic—Elmer I. Anderson, Chicago; Andrew J. Anderson, Wick Haven, Pa.; N. Paul Carlson, Salemsburg, Kan.; C. Erik Holmer, Falconer, N. Y.; C. A. Jesper Holmquist, Burlington, Ia.; C. Mauritz Johnson, Moline; Carl A. Johnson, Chicago; Oscar Linden, Cherry Valley, Ill.; Carl G. Lonnberg, Skanee, Mich.; Gustaf Monson, Rock Island; Thomas Montgomery, Reynolds, Ill.; Frank P. Nelson, Charlton, Ia.; Harry Nelson, Du Bois, Pa.; Carl E. Peterson, Bertrand, Neb.; Harry Schultz, Moline.

#### Seminary Graduation.

The commencement exercises of the theological seminary of the college were held last evening before an audience that filled the chapel. After a selection by the band and a hymn by the audience there were devotional services and another number by the orchestra, and then Dr. Ludvig Holmes, of Burlington, Iowa, delivered an address in the Swedish language. This was followed by a song by the chapel choir and Rev. F. A. Johnson, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, of Chicago, delivered an address in the English language on "The Pulpit," which was devoted mainly to an outline of helpful hints and advice to the members of the class he was addressing. A song by the Wennerberg chorus followed and President Andreen presented the graduates with their diplomas. The program closed with "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow," sung by the audience, and a benediction. The graduates are:

Seminary—August W. Edwins, Boone, Ia.; Gustav A. Elliott, Altona, Ill.; John Haquin Ford, St. Peter, Minn.; Peter Froberg, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Johannes Gullans, Branford, Conn.; Albert S. Hamilton, Burlington, Ia.; Carl Axel Lindvall, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Julius Emanuel Lorimer, Galva, Ill.; Algot Theodor Lundholm, Winthrop, Minn.; August A. Nelson, St. Peter, Minn.; Oscar Julius Nelson, Rock Island; Nels Gottfred Nelson, Windham, Kans.; Gideon Shem Ohlund, Clarissa, Minn.; Peter Erik Ordling, Minneapolis, Minn.; Jons Magnus Persenius, St. Peter, Minn.; John P. Regner, Renovo, Pa.; Olof Wallin, Morganville, Kans.; Gustaf Anderson, Rock Island; Alexis Andreen, Rock Island; Amandus Fridolf Burgstrom, Woodhull, Ill.

#### Exercises Close With a Concert.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock a game of baseball between the college team and an aggregation composed of the alumni who were mighty on the diamond of yore began. Preceding this there was an informal concert at the chapel for those who were unable to remain for the concert this evening, with which the commencement exercises will end.

#### The program for this evening follows:

- "On the Sea".....Dulley Buck Wennerberg Male Chorus
- Hjertesorg.....Soderman Edla Land and Chapel Choir
- (a) Bosamunda.....Sehubert
- (b) Love's Dream.....Czibulka
- (c) Awaking the Lion.....Kontski Children's Orchestra
- Reading—Honor of the Woods.....Murry Mrs. Penrose
- Herden's Sondagssang.....Kreutzer Wennerberg Male Chorus
- Lost Chord.....Sullivan Chapel Choir
- (a) Gambetta March.....Part
- (b) Whispering Flowers.....Blom
- (c) Bohemian Girl.....Balfe Augustana College Orchestra

## OBITUARY RECORD.

Mrs. Mary Carlson, a long-time resident of Coe township, died at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family residence, two and a half miles from Port Byron. Death was due to old age, she having attained the age of 82 years, 4 months and 27 days. Her aged husband survives her. The funeral was held Tuesday from the residence, Rev. J. Telleen, of Augustana college, officiating.

George Samuel, 3-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knox, 513 Twelfth street, died at 5:30 this morning of a complication of diseases. The child had been ill ever since he was born and had undergone an operation. The funeral will be held Saturday, with interment at Chippianock.

## NEIGHBORS COMPLAIN OF SALOON MUSIC BOX

The police are beginning to receive complaints from residents of a particular neighborhood on Third avenue where a saloon recently began business with a particularly noisy music box as its most conspicuous piece of property to the outside world and a long double row of stalls making the chief bid for patronage within. The neighbors declare the music box is run continuously till midnight and sleeping within its range is out of the question. Legal action to secure its suppression is threatened.

All the news all the time—The Daily Argus.

## NEW PEORIA LINE

### Illinois and Mississippi Railway is Incorporated.

#### PASSES THROUGH FIVE COUNTIES

#### St. Paul and Minneapolis Northern Terminus of the Rock Island.

The Illinois and Mississippi railway, which proposes to build a line from Peoria to a point touching the Mississippi river in Rock Island county, has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$5,000.

The incorporators are J. J. Crowley, R. J. Barry, Felix Pagenstacher, L. F. Chapman and N. P. Breen, all of Chicago, in which city the company is to have its main offices. The line is to pass through the counties of Peoria, Knox, Warren, Mercer and Rock Island.

Rock Island's Northern Terminus. It was reported yesterday that at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rock Island in Chicago next Wednesday a proposition will be voted upon authorizing the absorption by the Rock Island of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern, in which the company already has a controlling interest. By making the 1,300 miles of road operated by the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern an integral part of the Rock Island system, St. Paul and Minneapolis will become the northern terminus of the Rock Island, and all the present plans of the Cedar Rapids road regarding its new twin-city terminals and strengthening its position in northwestern traffic will be carried out.

#### Compact of Q. and Rock Island.

A dispatch from St. Louis says that a compact between the Burlington and the Rock Island railway systems has been reached. It involves, it is said, not only the Wiggins ferry but also world's fair terminals for both lines, the building of a new passenger station by the Burlington, and the opening of a right-of-way from Twelfth and Walnut streets over a circuitous route to the wharf near North Market street.

## DR. MYERS POISONED

### BY A ROSEBUSH THORN

Dr. J. F. Myers is confined to his home on Fifth avenue with blood poisoning. The doctor while working about his yard ran a thorn from a rose bush into the first finger on his right hand. He extracted the particle from the finger and thought nothing further of the matter, but that same day he lanced a carbuncle for a patient and some of the poisonous matter entered his system through that slight abrasion in his finger.

## ADOPTION OF ASPHALTUM

### GENERALLY COMMENDED

Fifteenth street property holders are receiving general commendation at the hands of citizens for their stand for asphalt pavement for their thoroughfare from Third to Twelfth avenues. "Rock Island has been slow to adopt asphaltum, which is universally used in the east, and is gradually working into favor in the west. Moline, for instance, having a number of streets paved with it," remarked one. "But now, that the ice has been broken, I am satisfied the next few years will see little brick used in this city for paving purposes. Asphaltum, while somewhat more costly than brick, is noiseless, superior from a sanitary standpoint, and more satisfactory generally, especially in the residence sections. At any rate, I am glad to see we are to give it a trial here."

## Like Daisies Before the Scythe.

Baby lives are destroyed in summer by cholera infantum. The attack of the disease is sudden, its progress is sometimes terribly rapid. Mothers who have given their children Perry Davis' Painkiller can tell how this treatment has checked the diarrhoea and vomiting, and put the little patient out of danger. 25 and 50 cents.

## No Loss of Time.

I have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would rather be out of coffee and sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that could go no farther, and they are at work again this morning.—H. R. Phelps, Plymouth, Oklahoma. As will be seen by the above the threshers were able to keep on with their work without losing a single day's time. You should keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. For sale by all druggists.

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