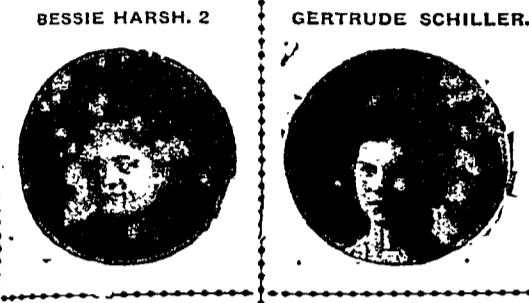
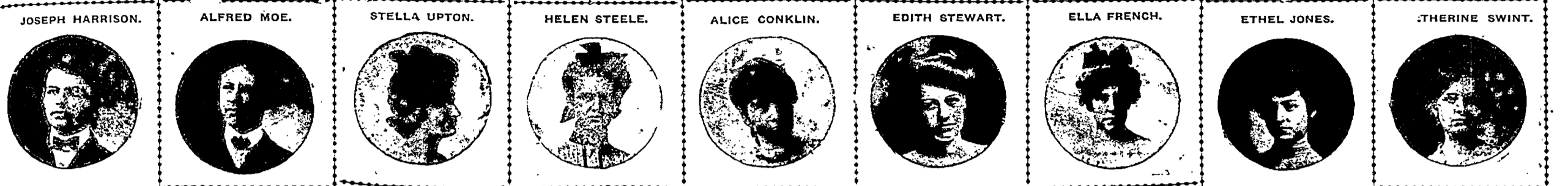


# GRADUATES OF THE CLASS OF '03, DULUTH CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL



## YOUNG DULUTHIANS WHO ARE THRO' WITH SCHOOL

Sixty-five young men and women, ranging in age from fifteen to nineteen years, stood, diploma in hand, on the rostrum in the assembly hall of the Central High school Friday night, before two thousand people, and in forcible tones gave utterance for the last time to the yell which they had so often vented on track and field and gridiron and platform. Hardly had the thunderous echoes died away when the exultant juniors in the gallery started their challenging cry, and the class of "nineteen-three" had passed from its conspicuous place in the institution where it had been known for the last four years.

In recommending the graduates to Superintendent R. E. Denfeld for diplomas, Principal Charles Alden Smith complimented the seniors highly on their ability so markedly shown in many phases of student life. He expressed himself as satisfied with the work done by '03 along scholastic lines.

Principal Smith assumed his duties as head of the faculty of the Central High school in the fall of 1899, when the pupils who were graduated Friday entered the institution as freshmen. His interest in the class has been, because of this association, an even more kindly one than he has taken in their three predecessors in seniority. The class is, therefore, the first to complete a four-years' course under the direction of Mr. Smith.

### Tigers Win Honors.

"The Tigers," as the classmen of '03 were wont to distinguish themselves, because their colors were orange and black, were factors in the political, social, athletic and scholastic departments of student life from their first year in the Central High to the setting of their sun last week. The occasion of their commencement was one of note, not only in the records of the late seniors, but also to the public. On them the board of education tried its experimental laws regulating dress and floral decoration on class night and at the succeeding exercises. There was also an apparent interest in the various functions attendant upon the graduates' reception of diplomas, it seeming to have been expected that the class would produce original features in place of the dry orations, histories, prophecies and addresses that are usually offered on the nights devoted to organization and commencement.

### Originality a Feature.

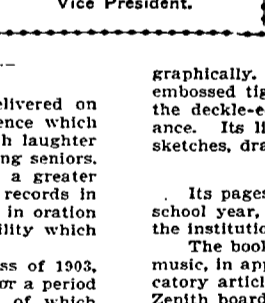
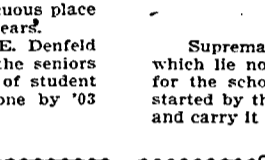
Not a whit lacking in originality were the papers delivered on class and commencement nights. On the former, an audience which thronged the building from door to door was convulsed with laughter by the glib antics and humorous addresses of the departing seniors. The latter occasion was one in which solemnity figured to a greater extent. The five honor pupils, who had attained the best records in scholarship during their four years in the school, held forth in oration and essay. In every production there was evidence of ability which merited the applause so lavishly bestowed.

Dissolution of a body of young people, such as the class of 1903, brings sorrow to those who have associated with each other for a period of years almost daily. In the organization, the members of which received their diplomas Friday evening, there was a strong fellow spirit, and the exercises marking graduation this year were full of meaning to the seniors and their friends.

### Last Chapel Friday Noon.

The last chapel of the year, that held Friday at noon, was the most strikingly interesting of all. The boys of the class assembled in the music room before twelve o'clock, and sang, while one of their number accompanied them on the piano. Still singing, they marched into chapel for the last time, and took their seats in the balcony as usual.

After the customary reading from Scripture and rendering of a hymn by the class choir, Principal Smith addressed the "Tigers," his talk being of the heart-to-heart sort, almost an individual exchange of confidence. The presidents of the several classes, beginning with Frank G. Kane of '03, delivered the



## MAJORITY OF GRADUATES WILL ATTEND COLLEGE

usual addresses which mark the close of the final morning exercises of the year. From each leader, on behalf of the lower classmen, came expressions of best wishes for their departing schoolmates. The resounding, ear-splitting yells of the different factions followed the presiding officers' remarks. Then the pupils filed out to their session rooms, where report cards were distributed. And so ended the last day of the class of 1903 in the Duluth public schools.

### Seniors Are Leaders.

Supremacy lies with the seniors in school affairs—in those, that is, which lie not within the province of the faculty. They are sponsors for the school spirit. When the battle cry of the red and white is started by the dignified personages in the gallery, the others take it up and carry it through with a zest and vim. No yell is begun without the initiative being taken by the seniors, unless it be the occasion of inter-class strife, such as a sophomore-freshman polo contest or a junior-pony-jassonorum baseball game.

Athletics during the school year are also to a great extent under the guidance of the oldest students. Officers of the athletic association are, as a rule, seniors. In this department '03 was strong. One "Tiger" succeeded in getting a place on the football eleven in '99; more "made" the team last year; in the junior year '03 had seven players on the gridiron, and last fall Cummings, Safford, Howard, Bradley, Peterson, Richards, Potter, Harrison, Whipple and Wilson Bradley, of the eleven, were all seniors.

Orange and black predominated on the diamond, also. Here, Cummings, the all-round athlete of '03, was the star twirler. He and Potter formed the best battery ever known in the school. Clayton, an outfielder, was also in the line this spring.

### Zenith of 1903.

To get a larger conception of the importance of the late seniors in the various circles in the Central High school, a glance at the pages of the "Zenith," issued last Wednesday, is necessary. This publication, the school's annual, is voted by all to be neater, prettier and more charming in every way than any of the nine volumes which preceded it.

The book, itself, is a work of art, typographically. It is bound in leather and paper, bearing on its cover an embossed tiger's head, symbolical of the class. The paper used is of the deckle-edged variety, giving the production a wholesome appearance. Its literary value is up to the standard of "Zeniths," while in sketches, drawings and photographic cuts it far surpasses every other.

### Review of Work and Play.

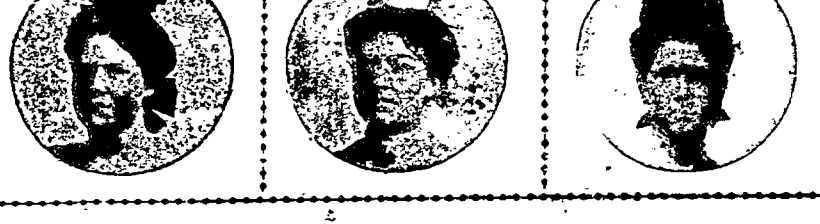
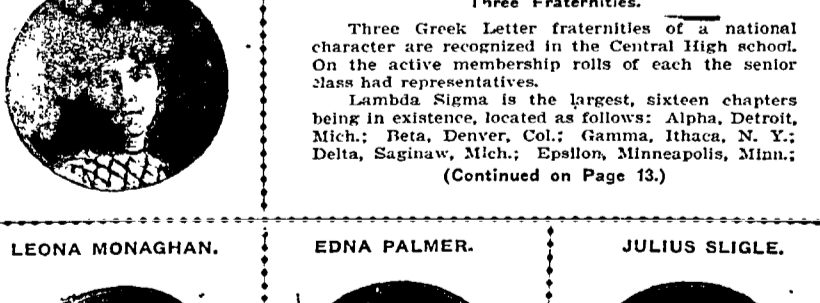
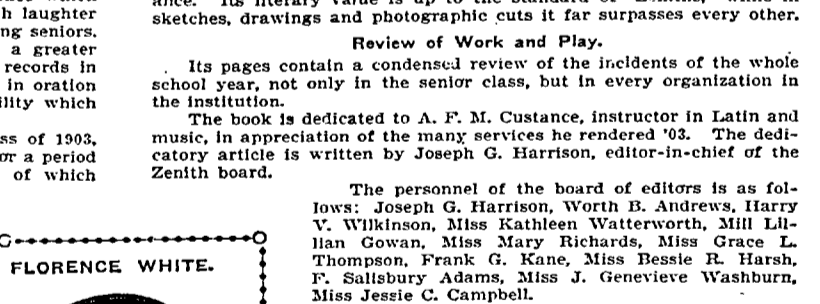
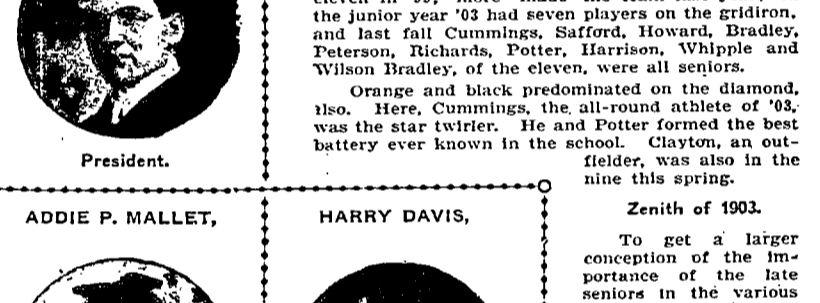
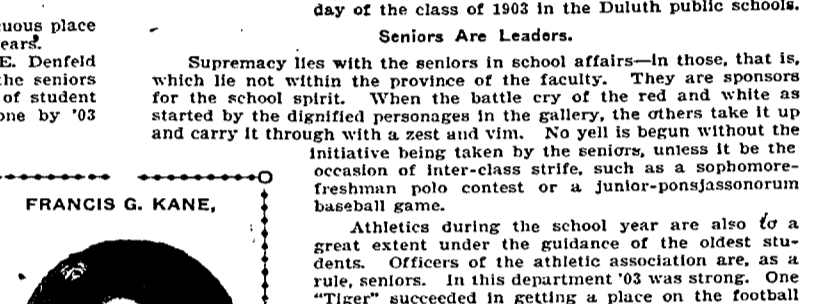
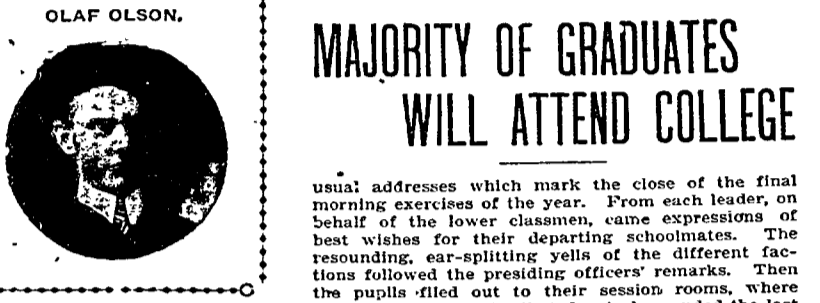
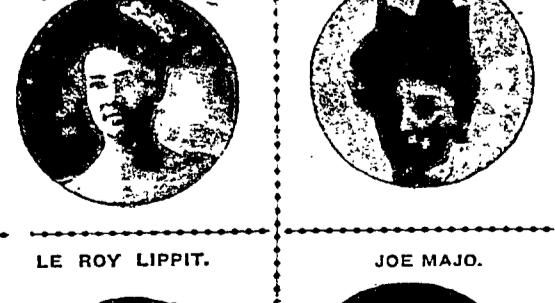
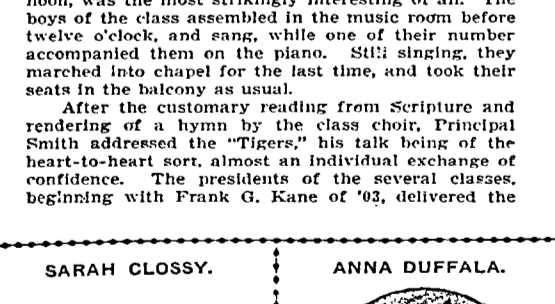
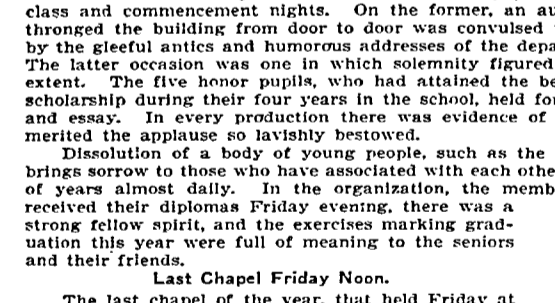
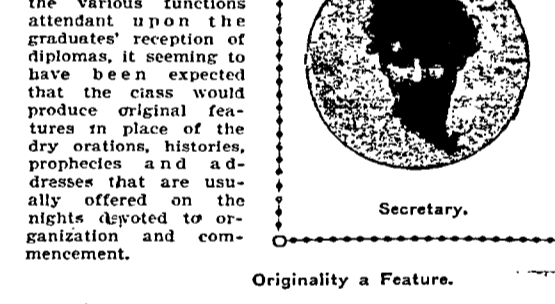
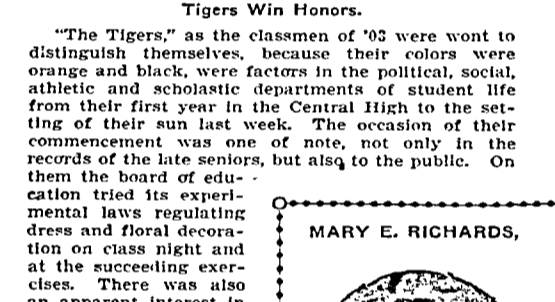
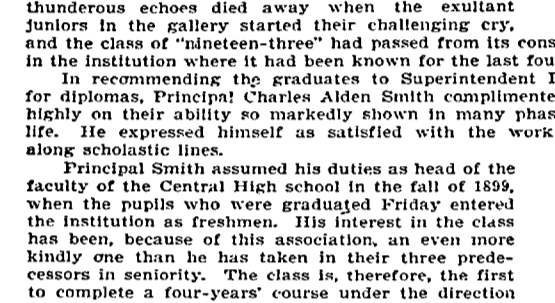
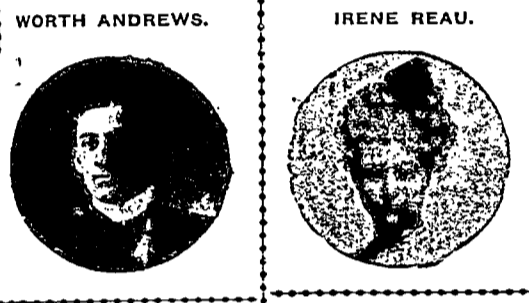
Its pages contain a condensed review of the incidents of the whole school year, not only in the senior class, but in every organization in the institution.

The book is dedicated to A. F. M. Custance, instructor in Latin and music, in appreciation of the many services he rendered '03. The dedicatory article is written by Joseph G. Harrison, editor-in-chief of the Zenith board.

The personnel of the board of editors is as follows: Joseph G. Harrison, Worth B. Andrews, Harry V. Wilkinson, Miss Kathleen Watterworth, Mill Lillian Gowan, Miss Mary Richards, Miss Grace L. Thompson, Frank G. Kane, Miss Bessie R. Harsh, F. Salisbury Adams, Miss J. Genevieve Washburn, Miss Jessie C. Campbell.

### Three Fraternities.

Three Greek Letter fraternities of a national character are recognized in the Central High school. On the active membership rolls of each the senior class had representatives. Lambda Sigma is the largest, sixteen chapters being in existence, located as follows: Alpha, Detroit, Mich.; Beta, Denver, Col.; Gamma, Ithaca, N. Y.; Delta, Saginaw, Mich.; Epsilon, Minneapolis, Minn. (Continued on Page 13.)



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Zeta, Fitchburg, Mass.; Eta, Williamsport, Pa.; Theta, Bay City, Mich.; Iota, Duluth, Minn.; Kappa, Elmira, N. Y.; Lambda, Dayton, O.; Mu, Washington, D. C.; Nu, Binghampton, N. Y.; Omicron, Columbus, O.; Phi, St. Paul, Minn.; Rho, Philadelphia, Pa.

These seniors are members of Iota: S. G. Harrison, L. R. Whipple, F. S. Adams and J. R. Manley.

### Delta Sigma Nu.

Delta Sigma Nu, Epsilon chapter, is the next oldest in the local high school. The national body was ten years of age last week. Its chapters are located as follows: Alpha, Ann Arbor Preparatory school, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Beta, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Gamma, St. John's Military Academy, Delafield, Wis.; Delta, Pontiac, Mich.; Epsilon, Duluth, Minn.; Zeta, Minneapolis, Minn.

Lawrence F. Bowman and Harry V. Wilkinson of '03 are members of Delta Sigma Nu.

### Theta of Delta Theta.

Theta chapter of Delta Theta was incorporated in the Central high school in February. Six sections of the national organization are located as follows: Alpha, Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Delta, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Gamma, Adelphi Academy, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Epsilon, Mohegan Lake, N. Y.; Zeta, Montclair, N. J.; Theta, Duluth, Minn.

Alwin Truman Cummings and Frank G. Kane, are the seniors on Theta's membership roll.

### Other Organizations.

The presidency of the literary society, at the height of its fame, also went the way of the "Tiger." Orren E. Safford, '03, being elected to that position at the initial session. LeRoy Lippatt acted as treasurer of the organization during the year.

Three officers of the musical society, of which A. F. M. Custance is president, were also members of '03. They are Jessie C. Campbell, vice-president; Lillian Gowan, secretary and Conrad George Fredin, treasurer. The class, also, furnished its quota of singers for the choir, as well as for choruses at different affairs where the society was represented.

One senior succeeded in getting a place on the trio of debaters. He is Joseph G. Harrison, holder of many honors in school politics and society. This team started well in the race for the league championship, by defeating Anoka, but it lost to Fergus Falls High, whose team finally won the state leadership.

Never again will the class of 1903 be seen in its entirety. Before noon yesterday, its members were scattered, some to their homes on the ranges and in cities in the surrounding district, others away on vacations at the end of which they will enter colleges, and

still others to work in shops and businesses.

Plans for entrance to higher institutions of education were made by all, and if they materialize, a goodly share of those who received diplomas Friday night, will enter college, normal school, university or academy next fall. Some few will be back at the Central High in September to take postgraduate courses.

The following list contains the names of the graduates and the institutions they plan to attend:

Salisbury Adams, Cornell; Worth B. Andrews, Michigan College of Mines; Oscar Bjorge, Minnesota; Edna Bjorge, Minnesota; Lawrence F. Bowman, Michigan; Ralph J. Boss, Purdue; Nettie Burns, Duluth Normal school; Jessie Campbell, Minnesota; Yalmen Carlson, Minnesota; Sarah J. Clossy, Duluth Normal school; Olive Colbrath, Minnesota; Alice Conklin, Duluth Normal school; Alwin Cummings, Andover Preparatory school; Bertine Daugherty, Minnesota; Nannie Einarson, Minnesota; Ella M. French, Minnesota; Joseph G. Harrison, Minnesota; Estelle Hicken, Duluth Normal school; Ida Hovland, Duluth Normal school; Zedma Fraiser, post-graduate course at Duluth Central High school; Frank G. Kane, Michigan; Leroy A. Lippatt, Carlton; Harry McMartin, post-graduate course at Duluth Central High school; Addie P. Mallet, Minnesota; Richard Mallman, Michigan College of Mines; James Manley, Minnesota; Alfred Moe, Minnesota; Irene Reau, Duluth Normal school; Gertrude Schiller, Duluth Normal school; Myrtle Scott, St. Cloud Normal school; Mae Shook, Duluth Normal school; Julius Siegel, Minnesota; Edith J. Stewart, Mt. Holyoke; Wilfrid Sweeny, Michigan College of Mines; William G. Steiner, Michigan; Katharine Swint, Wisconsin; Grace Thompson, Duluth Normal school; Genevieve Washburn, Wellesley; Kathleen Watterworth, Wellesley; Florence White, post-graduate course at Duluth Central High school; Luclus R. Whipple, Princeton; Harry Wilkinson, Minnesota.