

WESTERN SCHOOL GRADES TURN OUT 244 GRADUATES

Program Credit to Pupils and Schools—Vocal and Instrumental Music, Recitations and Drills Delight Audience—Denfeld Urges Students to Seek Higher Education.

Commencement exercises by the eighth grade pupils of the western division of the Duluth public schools, held last evening in the high school assembly hall, were not only a credit to the pupils who took part, but to the entire Duluth school system and the city. Every number on the program was rendered in a pleasing manner and hearty applause given the participants.

Eleven schools were represented at the exercises, and from these 244 boys and girls were graduated. Wednesday evening the exercises were given by 10 schools of the eastern division.

Rev. J. A. Lumley of the Plymouth Congregational church of West Duluth read the invocation, preceding the exercises. Following this a large chorus of girls sang "Largo" by Handel. Other songs sung by the chorus were: "Who Is Silvia?" by Schubert; "Lullaby," Jakabowski, and "Hark, How the Drums Are Rolling," Donizetti.

"A Lesson In Elocution," a dialogue by Olga Lundberg and Theresa Fossum of the Lincoln School, was a humorous production which brought forth applause. Miss Lundberg played the part of an instructor in elocution, while Miss Fossum acted the part of her pupil.

The Madison school was well represented by a beautiful selection, "Foreign Views of the Statue," in which Grace Hendrickson took a tableau part, posing as the Statue of Liberty, while Jack Barnscombe recited the different views expressed by foreigners first landing in the harbor.

Lillie Wicklund, of the Oneota school, recited "How It Happened" in a delightful way, while Gertrude Connelly of the Fairmount rendered "The Story of the Automobile" in a humorous manner. Winnifred Tower of the Stowe school played a piano selection from Raff's "La Filleuse."

Gaylord Halvorson of the Bryant school gave an excellent interpretation of "Young Donald," and IvaJell Verda Erickson represented the Irving school with "The Legend Beautiful," which she recited creditably.

Exhibitions in club swinging were given by the class from the Longfellow school, and in bar bells by the Adams school graduates, while the class from the Emerson school gave a wand drill.

At the conclusion of the exercises R. E. Denfeld, superintendent of schools, made a short address in which he told the parents of the graduates the importance of home help in connection with the school work and urged the parents to make frequent visits to the schools. On the graduates he impressed the importance of higher education, and expressed the

Peterson, Anna Marie Eckstrom, Ebba Victoria Olson, Eustia Wilfred La Noue, Frieda H. Neuman, Allen Norven Peterson, Harry M. Jensen, Sally Elizabeth Apel, Antoinette Mary Bird, Russel George Dice, John Sutherland, Maude Johnson, Lydia Otilia Hurtig, Einar Hanson, Olaf Wick, John Earl Young, Floyd John Bates, Anna C. Larson, Lee Ervin McKenzie, John Wesley Otterson, Ward Hutchinson, Arthur Fabian Lundquist, V. Arnold Olson.

Longfellow School.

Isadore Abrahamson, Aleck Anderson, Selma H. Anderson, Rose Buckley, Fern Winnifred Brooks, Francis Ehr, Helen Elizabeth Evered, Roy Gamache, Pearl Hazel Gilmour, Kenneth C. Hendricks, Harry E. Hansen, Bertha Helgeson, Harry Johnson, Florence M. Johnson, Fred C. Klovstad, Madeline E. Laubach, Ethel Ann Lowe, Edith May Pollock, Clarence Paulson, Anna Polasky, Louise Constance Sand, Florence M. Salter, Mildred Ethyleen Smith, Mildred Elizabeth Simons, Loretta Agatha St. Germain, Ruth Storms, Harry Strand, Esley William Tidball, John Winness, Mildred Wickland.

Madison School.

Jack Branscombe, Goldwin Branscombe, Hjalmar Gyllen, Einar Jacobson, Felix Johnson, Lillie Marlon Dahlen, Lillian May Doble, May Sofia Dorland, Beda Olson.

Oneota School.

Richard Anderson, Leon Gunnarson, Henry Mason, Early Ellen, Margaret Gilpin, Theresa Quinn.

Smithville School.

Harry Renstrom, Anna Neubauer, Myrtle Amundson, Ethel Mercer, Lillian Mercer, Maude Mercer.

Stowe School.

Anna Rosina Brand, Alice Signey Smith, Anna Rutter, Hulda Erickson, Edith Krueger, Lillian Krueger, Winnifred Tower, Alfred Edmond Mekeel, John Hicks, William Robert Rieckhoff.

Emerson School.

Agnes Bernice Conklin, Calvin Earl McNally, John Harold Fredin, Alice Gould, Alma Maria Johnson, Mamie Sophia Larsen, Anna Elizabeth Emanuelson, Margaret Helen Atchley, Elizabeth Cecelia Ryan, Margaret Dell Perry, Ida Catherine Roberts, Margaret MacArthur, Mary Mustian, Thomas Nathaniel Strum.

Irving School.

Anna May Brett, Marie Eva Blais, IvaJell Verna Erickson, Ellen Fox, Ellena Josephine Foucouit, Irma Leonore Gouldner, Mollie Myrtle Harris, Laura Loretta Huxhold, Lillian Agnes Hagarty, Elvira Maria Jacobson, Myrtle Johnson, Elsie Charlotte Korth, Florence Gertrude Langstaff, Celestia Rebena Seguin, Edna May Spindler, Mina Fern Smeryage, Lyle Bernard Baker, Giles Fabian Baudin, F. Earl Burkitt, Oscar Foucouit, Clarence Andrew Gilbert, Arthur Bernard Granley, Thorild Henry Granquist, Fred Henry Johnson, Arthur Henry Kearney, Oscar Karlson, Thomas Henry Needham, Elwood Frank O'Brien, George Stanley Overby, Joseph Louis Quesnelle, Loyal Freedman Schober, Theodore Stahl, Fred P. Wille, Alex Robert Wallen, Fred Albert Becks, Charles J. Willsen.

hope that all would enter the high schools.

The following are the graduates of the western division of the Duluth public schools:

Adams School.

Eddie Nathaniel Erickson, George Clarence Gilmore, Andrew Leonard Johnson, Jennie Cecelia Carlson, Hulda Florence Ericson, Agnes Elise Helam, Stella Johanna Johnson, Gerda Marie Jorgenson, Marion Helene Koefod, Marie Columbia Messler, Mary Anna Wagner, Harry Lee Gordier, Claude Vernon McClure, Alexander Stewart McRae, Olaf John Harrow, Edward Trygve Ness, Henry Gustaf Nordstrom, Henry Traff, George Plummer Wilson, Clara Aurora Anderson, Alice Elizabeth Hedsten, Hilma Evelyn Koefod, Mayme Alvida Nelson, Esther Mork, Hulda Genevieve Olson, Agnes Alvera Peterson, Eunice Victoria Willner, Willow May Yergan, Loyd Reuben Wesley Anderson, Walter James Zimmerman, John William Wagner, Ellen Victoria Johnson, Elsie Adolphina Gottschald.

Bryant School.

William John Bingham, Victor Benson, George William Frestedt, Leander Mauritz Goss, Bernard Lafayette Hagberg, Gaylord Herbert Halvorson, Elmer Willard Hammerback, Cletus Henry Lee, John Birger Lundstrom, Francis Navier Mushynski, Arthur Nelson, John Baptist Renauld, Adolph Sverre Melvigne Ringdahl, Edward Axel Rosen, Ernest William Samson, Phillip Edward Skomars, Eddie John Stenberg, Elmer Alexander Thorstad, Harry Andrew Wicklund, Frank Raymond Wike, William James Clark, George Ames Munson, Marshall William Finke, Eva Mae Adams, Frances Laura Campbell, Agnes Pauline Anderson, Hildur Hannah Anderson, Esther Wilhelmina Erickson, Vendla Elizabeth Ericson, June Blossom Frey, Violet Geneva Gilleland, Enga Gertrina Grytdahl, Hulda Borgfrid Hanson, Myrtle Christina Jensen, Hannah Mary Lee, Nora Alfreda Olson, Rose Marie Pierson, Olga Hannah Sundholm, Alice Elizabeth Crane.

Fairmount School.

Graydon Brown, Edward William Johnson, Ernest William Monson, William Erick Nivela, Hjalmar John Pietari, Lawrence John Strindlund, Leo Joseph Vain, Blandine Mary Belanger, Helga Eugenia Berglund, Edna Elizabeth Bricham, Kathryn Gertrude Connelly, Esther Anna Donald, Mabel Alance Isaacson, Mamie Isabelle Isaacson, Elva Martha Lagergren, Julia Myrtle Janety, Anna Carrie Mehlum, Myrtle Janet Moork, Laura Aurelia Smith, Clara Nickolina Thorsen.

Lincoln School.

Olga Linea Lundberg, Theresa C. Fossum, John Olaf Benson, Gerda Ingebjorg Kilppen, Doris Carlotta Johnson, Lilly Elvina Moe, Emma Blackberg, Esther C. Segerman, Mary Helena Hunter Mildred Lucille Hoar, Hazel Viola Morderud, Olga I. Jensen, Gustaf Bernhardt Olson, Mamie Johnson, Ruth Irene Swanson, Hilda Marie Hanson, Leonard Luther Peterson, Inez W. Hathaway, Thorwald Carl