### SCHOOL DAYS ENDED.

The First Set of Graduates Bid Adieu to Duquesne College.

BRIGHT YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN.

Thirty-Six of Them Receive Diplomas at the Grand Opera House.

AN INSTITUTION WITH A GREAT PUTURE

The class of 1892, the first class of Duquesne College, graduated last night at the Grand Opera House, and the commence-ment exercises were attended by hundreds of pupils of the school and their many friends, the result being that there was no room to spare on the main floor and but little in the balcony. All the private boxes were filled, and many well-known citizens who had been invited had seats on the stage. The stage was set as a forest scene, and the only attempt at decoration were two big ferns in the orchestra at either side

There has never been a more charming sight on the stage of the Opera House than that of last night when the curtain as it rolled skyward revealed the members of the Duquesne Conservatory chorus. The ladies, of course, occupied the front of the stage, while the men were in the rear. The ladies were in simple, cool dresses, and were perfectly self-possessed. When Carl Retter, the director, stepped to the front and the first chords of the piano were struck, and the chorus began the famous "Song of the Vikings," it was quickly seen that there was a body of truly trained singers. The song was rendered with a vim which called forth much applause. This was followed with prayer by Rev. D. Jones, of the First Methodist Protestant church. Clever Essays by the Graduates.

The programme as then carried out embraced an essay by L. Lewis Todd, of the classical course, upon the "Assimilation of Races;" "Craze for Nobility," by Miss Olla B. H. Hotham, of the normal class; "Our Commercial Importance," by Ransom M. Commercial Importance, by Kansom M.
Day, of the business college; "Leaves
From the Sketch Book of Life," by Miss
Kathryn Carney, of the ladies' literary
class; "What Is to Become of Home?" by
Miss Agnes Carspecken, of the normal
class; "The American Epitomized," by
Miss Maude Bishoff, of the classical; "Ex-Miss Maude Bishoft, of the classical; "Exponents of Political Fame," by John H. Hutchinson, of the scientific class; "Uncrowned Royalty," Miss Mary A. Sallade, of the normal; "Are We Charitable," by Miss Mattie H. Belfore, of the shorthand class; "The Young Lady's Opportunity," by Miss Grace Eakin, of the classical; "Dispute of Aparchy," by George H. Kane, of guise of Anarchy," by George H. Kane, of the classical. The orations were inthe classical. The orations were in-terspersed with vocal and instrumental music, the participants being Miss Bessie Blackburn, Morris Stephens, Alfred Rosser, Miss Sadie E. Ritts, and Misses Sadie E. Ritts, Julia E. Beach, Morris Stephens and Louis W. Critchlow, ren-dering a beautiful quartet from "Rig-At this point E. M. Wood, D. D., L.L.

D., President of the college, arose to confer the degrees and award the diplomas. Three Important Parties Concerned

In the course of his address to the gradu ating class Dr. Wood called the attention of the students to the fact that there were of the students to the fact that there were three parties intimately concerned in the distribution of the diplomas, the State which granted the charter to the college, the Board of Directors and the faculty acting together, while the third party are the graduates themselves. In conclusion Dr. Wood said: "And when you succeed we shall cheer you; and when you shall fail we shall sympathize with you; when you shall fail we shall pity you, but when you rise again we shall rejoice with you."

Why Some Women Grow Old.

A woman expends more vital energy in baking one batch of bread than she can regain by careful nursing in four or five days. In other words, every baking of bread shortened when so will be shall suffer the third party are the graduates themselves. In conclusion Dr. Wood said: "And when you succeed we shall sympathize with you; when you shall fail we shall pity you, but when you rise again we shall rejoice with you."

You can get it from your grocer fresh every day. Try it during the hot weather and satisfy yourself. President Wood reviewed the history of

the college and among other things said: "For a number of years past there has been needed in this community a good and thor-ough collegiate institution. Our college ough collegiate institution. Our college opened September 4 with students enrolled in every department of the institution. Had some of the departments not been opened at all during the first of the year it would not have been an unusual thing. We had a full corps of teachers thing. We had a full corps of teachers ready to take charge of the work. On January 11, 1892, a charter was granted to the corporation, a charter as full and complete as can be granted to any institution in the State. The faculty has no superiors and few equals in Western Pennsylvania. The success that has attended the labors of the first year has been most gratitions having expelled ever 600 students. fying, having enrolled over 600 students. As to the question of honors, we expect to act with great caution, believing that this privilege has been often greatly abused. Seeking for New and American Ideas.

"Speaking exactly, we do not believe in conferring any strictly honorary degrees We do not desire an ancient, but a modern college—an American college. We do not care to use imported and now largely obsolete terms or ideas. We believe that it is true, and it would be a shame if it were not true, that this is the brightest, stronges and grandest age of the world's history. I utter it conscientiously when I say that there is a vast amount of driftwood that has come down to us through the channels of our college and university curricula. Out with the driftwood and let us put in the fresh lumber of the natural sciences and literature, these sciences which have unfolded their secrets so wonderfully at the magic touch of modern science." The graduates as their names were called stepped forward and received their diplomas in the following order:

Classical—George H. Kane, Allegheny City; L. Lewis Todd, Binddock: Maude Bishoff, Braddock; L. Grace Eakin, West Bridge-water; Cora A. Harris, Pittsburg. Scientific—John H. Hutchinson, Pittsburg; Walter O. Amsier, Pittsburg; Hettle Schultz, New Brighton. New Brighton. Ladies' Literary-Kathryn Carney, Pittsburg. Normai-Olia B. H. Hotham, Pittsburg; Agnes E. Carspecken, Aliegheny; Mary A

Agnes E. Carspecken, Allegheny; Mary A Sallade, Sharpsburg.

Short and and typewriting — Mattie H. Belfore Pittsburg; Sarah M. Martin, Bellevue; Mary Campbell, Pittsburg; Ella Rosborougn, Becen Cliff; Barbara Hetzline, McKee's Rocks; Ellen M. Scuilly, Pittsburg; James N. Long, Allegheny.

Commercial school—William E. Mitchell, Wilkinsburg; John H. Hutchinson, Pittsburg; William M. Brown, Pittsburg; Henry C. Miller, Port Perry; Charles R. Weigle, Elizabeth; George J. Weigle, Elizabeth; John W. Richey, Woodlawn; Samuel L. Pangburn, Elizabeth; Bobert M. Jamison, Irwin; Amelia, M. L. Pracht. Toronto, O.: Jennie McAleese, Pittsburg; Elizabeth M. Howells, Braddock; Ella Rosborough, Beech Cliff, Ranson M. Day, Washington; Mable L. Williums, Pittsburg; Charles G. Donnell, Jr., Allegheny; C. LeRoi Thompson, Allegneny; James M. Corboy, Wilkinsburg.

Bachelors of Arts and Sciences.

Bachelors of Arts and Sciences. The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred upon George H. Kane, L. Lewis Todd, Miss Maude Bishoff, Miss L. Grace Eakin and Miss Cora A. Harris, these being in course, and upon William T. English, M. D., pro merito. The degree of Bachelor of Science was conferred upon John H. Hutchinson, Walter O. Amsler and Miss Hettle Schultz, while Miss Kathryn Carney

was made a Bachelor of Literature, There was a noticeable feature about the commencement of Duquesne College—there was neither salutatory nor valedictory. This is in keeping with the spirit of the institution that worn out themes are not in good tion that worn out themes are not in good taste, and that it is in worse taste for a student who has been coached in the work to lavish praise upon the faculty. The rooms of the college in the University building, on Diamond street, are well fitted for the purpose, but at the opening of the next season there will be added two larger rooms, one for the commencement department and the other for the conservatory of music.

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### BLUFF MET WITH BLUFF.

Dan Rice Offers a Bet and Is Called Down Center by an Unknown Showman. NEW YORK, June 22 - [Special ] - Dan Rice, the old-time circus clown, is now in retirement, but he keeps on talking and occasionally making bluffs. He said to-day: "I own 35,000 acres of prime land in Perry county, Tenn. It's worth at least \$250,000, and I'll bet that land against \$100,000 cash that Cleveland will carry New York, and

will be elected President if nominated."
Dan's bold offer seemed to interest circus
performers more than it did politicians and
big money betters. big money betters.

One of the performers said to-day: "I'm not much on politics, but I'm dead game for a bet, and I'll make one with Dan Rice. I'll bet \$1,000 to \$500 that he doesn't own '35,000 acres of prime land valued at \$250,000." I'll bet him \$1,000 to \$500 that he does not own a tent part of \$250,000. It he does not own a tenth part of \$250,000. It paralyzes me to hear that he owns anything. The last I heard of Dan was after the smashup of his cheap price 'old-time circus' over in Brooklyn. The Sheriff went after him then and attached the show to secure the performers' unpaid wages. At that time nim then and attached the show to secure the performers' unpaid wages. At that time Dan declared he did not have a cent; swore that he lost his all on the circus. I guess the performers who got roasted in that show will grin when they read Dan's bluff., But I'll have to call him, all the same. He's talking through his clown castor."

### UNABLE TO GET MARRIED.

The New York Aldermante Hegira to Chi cago Causing Many Heartaches.

NEW YORK, June 22.—[Special.]—Busi-ness at the City Hall marriage bureau received a severe setback when the Tammany Hall special trains started for Chicago last Saturday. Those trains took as passengers Saturday. Those trains took as passengers nearly all of the city's aldermen, and every one who is counted on by the City Hall shatchens, Van Pelt and Fitzgerald, to perform the civic marriages which a large portlon of the foreign element of the city insist on. The Italian and Hebrew couples who had arranged to have the nuptial knot tied this week did not take into account the Chiesen convention's and its rower to draw Chicago convention and its power to draw from the city all of the city s fathers, and have made all their arrangements for banquets and wedding receptions, many of which will not be held.

To-day five couples, dressed in wedding finery, sat and sweltered all day in room 13, which is set apart for the work of the bu-reau. Some of them came as early as 9 o'clock and remained until 5, but all the efforts of Cupid Van Pelt and Cupid Fitzgerald to secure an alderman to officiate were unavailing. There are but three Re-publican aldermen who are in the city, and none of them could be found or prevailed on o wed the anxious pairs.

### His Last Sleep Walk.

During a somnambulistic journey Frank McLaughlin stepped from the root of a high porch and fell to the ground at his boarding house, No. 1614 Second avenue. Physicians

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The Horrible Experience of a Man Hung

on a Live Wire, PEORIA, ILL., June 22 .- [Special.]-This morning, between 2 and 3 o'clock people or the west bluff were awakened by the mos pitiful and heartrending screams. A man was discovered on an electric light tower, 170 feet from the ground. He had gone up there to remove some decorations and accidentally grasped a live wire. His name was John Mahony and he is one of the oldest employes of the electric light company in this city. Soon a couple of hundred people were gathered around, but they were powerless to help him. As he was suspended it was feared if the power was shut off he would drop nearly 200 feet to the ground.

SHOCKED FOR TWO HOURS.

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For two hours the unfortunate man remained in this horrible condition, with the hissing wire criting deeper and deeper into his flesh and scalding and burning his hands and arms. Men groaned and women screamed. Men finally ventured up to his relief, but were knocked down by the powerful. relief, but were knocked down by the powerful current. It was not until experts
from the electric works reached the scene
that he could be removed, when he was
gently lowered to the ground with ropes
with both hands burned through. Both of
his hands were amputated this afternoon,
but the strain of that terrible two hours
and the consequent nervous prostration will
probably be too much for him, and his physicians say there is scarcely a chance for his
recovery.

### ADDIE BUTTERSS BURIED.

The funeral of Addie Buttress, the young girl killed on Beaver avenue Monday night by Emil West because she would not love him, occurred yesterday morning from the residence of the bereaved parents, at No. 120 Market street, Allegheny.

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