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MADE QUICK RESPONSES.

Scranton Firemen Had a Surprise Sprung on Them by the Mayor Last Night.

The companies in the third district of the fire department were called out on a test alarm from box 21, corner of Madison avenue and Mulberry street at 10:25 o'clock last night.

Mayor James G. Bailey turned the key and his Honor, with a party of friends, including Mayor Bailey's brother, Sterling L. Bailey, Chief Hickey, witnessed one of the finest responses the department has ever made.

The alarm was sent in after the hour of 10 o'clock, which means sleep taps for the permanent men. It was a complete surprise. Chief Hickey, who was not in the game, and he made his usual prompt response, dressing in his carriage on the way.

The first appearance was made by the Centennial company. They were crashing up toward the corner of Madison and Mulberry at a terrific pace. An instant later the Crystal horses howled around the corner as they came up Linden street. The two wagons met just at the corner. Driver Campbell got the best of the turn and then a pretty race was begun up Madison avenue toward the corner.

The two teams were on either side of the road, with the Chemicals about two yards behind. When the corner was reached the Chemical horses passed the life only a foot ahead of the Crystals. Mayor Bailey stopped them before the hose was released. He had forgotten all about his time place, he was so intent on watching the race up the avenue. The time, however, was under two minutes.

Chief Hickey reached the corner in two minutes and thirty seconds. The Century wagon from the South Side made the distance in three minutes. Three minutes afterward the Relief company, of Petersburg, arrived.

The "out" taps were sounded before the Hook and Ladder truck reached the corner.

In responding to the alarm Chief Hickey's buggy ran over and smashed a bicycle on Madison avenue near the Elm Park church.

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FIRST GRADUATES OF NEW HIGH SCHOOL

Forty-two Girls and Nineteen Boys Receive Diplomas.

EXERCISES WERE VERY INTERESTING

Papers and Addresses Were Especially Meritorious and the Music of a Superior Quality--President Jennings Makes an Address--There Were No Flowers or Presents.

Of all of the twenty-one commencement which have marked epochs in the history of the high school last night's was possibly the most momentous. The class was the largest ever graduated and it was the first to pass forth into the world through the portals of the new building.



MISS CORA MAUD RELPH. She Read the Salutatory at Last Night's Exercises.

pled from pit to dome and many people stood along the walls or sat on the steps in the aisles during the whole of the two hours or more that the exercises lasted.

An artistic hand directed the decorating of the beautiful interior. The balcony and gallery fronts, boxes and proscenium were bedecked with flags, bunting and streamers of the school colors, blue and gold. Along the footlights was a fringe of palms, tastefully arranged. The stage was set with a rising tier of seats and above was a striped canopy of blue and gold, sloping from the proscenium to the rear wall of the house.

APPEARANCE OF GRADUATES.

When the curtain arose it disclosed the undergraduates occupying the rear seats, the girls all in pure white occupying the chairs nearest the centre aisle, the boys fringing the outside.

The graduates marched in by twos, coming down the centre aisle, separating when the lower rows of chairs were reached, one going to one side and the other to the opposite, the succeeding couple not appearing until the first had reached its place. This marching was a pretty feature and was met with almost continued applause, the friends of each of the graduates declaring themselves as their favorite appeared.

When all had reached the places assigned them, Principal George W. Phillips, appeared, and when the applause which his appearance provoked had subsided introduced Rev. J. P. Moffatt, of the Washburn Street Presbyterian church, who made the invocation.

Prof. C. B. Derman, musical director of the high school next appeared and led the school in singing "Glorious, Glorious." Miss Cora Maud Relph the salutatorian next appeared and after a few well chosen words of welcome, delivered a very entertaining and well written essay on "The Heroism of Napoleon."

"Merry June," a two-part song by Vincent, was rendered by the Larkin Graves, Daniels, Kluminszer, Miskin, Hart, Powell, Perry, Carpenter, Leader and Frable.

MOTIVE OF SHYLOCK.

A thoughtful paper, with the ideas logically and learnedly presented was next read by Miss Laura Gregory. "Motive of Shylock" was her subject. Shakespearian she claimed, made in Shylock a strong outline of the material character of the Jew. Of Shylock himself, she said, he had become so warped and embittered by the wrongs that had been heaped upon him by so-called Christians that all his motives became restricted to the one motive, the procuring of money, which was the only means of power attainable to him. While he seemed servile and cringing to his Christian contemporaries

he inwardly despised and detested them. Their lowest idea of him was reverence itself as compared with his highest idea of them." It was one of the best sentences of paper and possibly the best expressed idea contained in any of the papers of the evening.

Sol Driesen next delivered in an essay, graceful style and with marked rhetorical effect, an oration on "The Destiny of Our Country." Lillian Elizabeth Brooks was the next essayist. Her subject was "Co-education." She disputed the contention that co-education meant either the over-education of the girl's physique or the lowering of the grade of the curriculum, saying that experience disproves this and shows the opposite to be almost invariably the truth.

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As the leader of the class, Miss Lowellia Warren stepped forward to deliver the valedictory. She was greeted with rounds of hearty applause, she was not disconnected in the least, however, but after acknowledging the compliment proceeded in a clean and well modulated voice to read, prefatory to her speaking the farewells, an essay on "The Personality of Longfellow." It was a very entertaining sketch of his life, and careful and true estimate of his loveable character. His nature, she said, was like the Charles river, he loved to dwell, with rapids or cataracts, serene and calm. He was all gentleness, sweetness, tenderness and mercy and these noble characteristics permeated all his works.

President T. J. Jennings, the board of control, then presented the diplomas with an appropriate address, directed first to the audience and then to the graduates, asking the former, as a representative body of the public to bear with and encourage the board in its efforts to give the city the best of school facilities, and advising the graduates to make the best use possible of the benefits they had obtained in the school they were about to leave.

He then called the names of those who were to receive diplomas, as follows:

THE GRADUATES.

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