## FITTING CEREMONIES MARK AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS TO SENIORS

Students of City's Eight High Schools Complete Their Courses and Are Graduated With Felicitous Attentions-Many Annual Prize Awards Announced.

Commencement Conducted in Charming Setting.

elicitous Exercises at Washingrium - Mr. Herdman Receives

BY ANNA L. McPHERSON.

THE 25th commencement was held at Washington High school in the auditorium at 8 o'clock Friday evenuag. The stage was beautifully decorated. Wall baskets filled with dusies happelor buttons and oriental present basies happelor buttons and oriental present basies. daisies, bachelor buttons and oriental popples formed an effective background. Ivy was gracefully hung along the arch of the stage. Lupin and ferns were banked in on the sides and sword ferns were used to cover up the footlights across the front of the stage. The decorations were very artistic, and formed a beautiful setting for the graduating class. The programme was as follows: Processional, "Barcarole" (Offenbach); "Amaryllis" (Baum-Page), Washington High School girls charms addraws to patronesses were Mr. Heatrons and patronesses were Mr. Heatrons and High school girls' chorus; address to the class, Dr. E. H. Pence; "The Wind in the South Today" (Prindle Scott), es Marion Bennett; selection from ngion High school orchestra; presen tation of diplomas by Principal H. H. Herdman: "When Dawning Springtime" (Di Capua), giris chorus; "Spring Morning Serenade" (La-combe), orchestra; class song, by members of the class; "Auld Lang

Syne," by the class; recessional. After the exercises a reception was held in

the gyginasium. One hundred and

twenty-eight students were gradu-

write. Douglas Farrell, president of the June '20 class, then presented three sets of scenery, which the class had bought with the proceeds from the plays, to the school. Mr. Fen-stermacher was called on to award he letters to the various teams. Those wen letters on the wrestling were Lloyd Llewelly, Charles The second second for the class was present of the second for the ure, Clarence Poy, Paul Wilkins, oward McClanahan and Edward Spi-

The last girls' league meeting of the term was held Monday morning Final reports of the term were given by the secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Levinson, dean, read an article from the paper which told of the honors which had been bestowed upon four features.

The last girls' league meeting of the honor of composing the Franklin song.

Examination for Teachers June 30.

ALBANY, Or., June 12.—(Special.)

An examination of Linn county by the secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Levinson, dean, read an article from the paper which told of the honors which had been bestowed upon four former Washington High school girls now attending the Oregon Agricultural college. Ava Owen won the Waldo prize for the freshman year; Alma Sharpf, who was president of the league—during her senior year, won the Waldo prize for the sophomore year. Miss Scharpf won the prize

Helen Gardner, who also took the honor in both her sophomore and junior years. Nona Becker, another former president of the league at Washington, was appointed on the citation committee, which is composed of sophomore women who have the general supervision of the freshman

patronesses were Mr. Herdman, Mr. Burton, Mr. Linnehan, Miss Cleland, Miss Mae Darling and Mrs. Levinson. The committee which had charge the arrangements was composed Hazel Smith (chairman), Esther, War ier, John Kirk and Charles Evans

Examinations and Commencement End Year.

Busy Week Experienced at Frank lin-Graduates Enjoy Last Get-Together School Party.

BY GERALDINE ROOT. The closing assembly of the semester was held Wednesday morning.

June 9. After the school had sung five selections the June '20 class sang its class song. Millicent Crouch sang the verses and the members of the graduating class drawing to a close class joined in the chorus. The fac-gity then surprised the school by re-Friday evening in the gymnasium, The commencement exercises, held sponding with a song to the tune of "Lei the Rest of the World Go By."

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Mr. Herdman announced that Ralph Stewart had won the prize at Washstewart had won the prize at Washstewart had won the best thesis on the subect of tobacco which all of the high chool students were required to write. Douglas Farrell, president of "Ballet Music" from Gounod's "Faust" by the orchestra; a solo by Oveta Weber, "Lo, Hear the Gentle Lark," by Bishop, with flute accompaniment by Donald Goetz. The address to the graduates was delivered by District Attorney Walter Evans. Elsie Wor-den and Donald Goetz gave a flute and cello duet, the presentation of diplomas then taking place. The boys' give club closed the programme



Officers of the Benson Polytechnic school governing body, shown above, are these: First row, left to right-Frank Corcoran, technical representative; Stanley Grund, technical representative; Harvey Harris, technical representative; Herbert McCoy, president. Second row—H. H. Parsons, treasurer; Cornelius Bateson, technical representative; Ted Landing and discus.

Letters were awarded to the following members of the track team; the school auditorium commencement was given in the school auditorium commencement the school auditorium commencement the school auditorium commencement the school auditorium commencement th Corcoran, technical representative; Stanley Grund, technical representative; Harvey Harris, technical represen- well, for registering third in the shot

was elected a week ago, will start the new school year under most favorable conditions. The student body finances are in splendid condition, the school has had a series of successful others.

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readiness to make next year the most successful in every way that Benson

Technically Trained Grad-

I'wenty-five Benson Boys Com-plete Their Courses in Practical Mechanical Lines of Work.

BY HUBERT W. ESRY. N Friday night the commence ment exercises were held in the school auditorium. The school orchestra played for the exercises an Norman F. Coleman, head of the Loyal

The federal board for vocational

Girls' Polytechnic School Seniors Receive Diplomas and Honors in Exercises Held Friday.

Baldia, Hulda Berger, Minnie Borrelli,
Nellie Bramberg, Mildred Bryans,
Lelah Childers, Vivian Culver, Hazel
Daniels, Alice Dannells, Ora De
Crevel, Ione Duke, Mary Feldman,
Audrey Fisher, Madaline Gekhal,
Geneva Gong, Isabel Hale, Marie
Hoff, Kathryn Hohenlutner, Pearl
Knispel, Dorothy Kroner, Melha,
allen, Mary ALBANY TEACHERS NAMED as follows: Lucile Atkinson, Bessie

Scholarship Prizes Are Announced at Jefferson.

Gold Medals Go to Harriet Malcolm and Evan Lapham-Elect Next Term Leaders.

BY GIBSON BOWLES.

term was called on Thursday, June 3. The students were entertained by a recital given by the
Jefferson high school orchestra. The
numbers were enthusiastically renumbers were enthus were enth ceived. The school has always been proud of its orchestra, which seems appointed Carlos Steele as the new individual efforts in selling senior to improve every year. Mr. Jenkins fire chief and Clarence Sheldon as play tickets, and the eighth-termination of the chief and clarence sheldon as play tickets. introduced Miss Granalda Bog, winner of the first prize in the tobacco
essay contest and she read her essay
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the perance union who had conducted the perance un perance union, who had conducted the contest, presented Miss Bog with the prize. Mrs. Buland also presented Gibson Bowles and Dorothy Gilbert with ribbons for having received bon. Jeff's conquering track team, gold medals were awarded Albert Grilly for taking first place in the dashes: "Chuck" Wright for capturing first place in the mile and half mile; Kelsey, who registered first in the pole with their long-sought diplomas.

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Exercises Heid Friday.

BY HOPE SPOONER.

The Annual commencement exercises were held in the Couch school auditorium Friday evening. This class was composed of 34 girls as follows: Lucile Atkinson, Bessie

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A beautiful fountain pen, with a ribbon slide and the name of the class and teacher, was presented by the graduating class to Mrs. Ella J. Clinton, the class adviser, last Friday.

IN THE PORTLAND CHURCHES

society for the fall term of 1920; Dorothy Wickham, president; Ethel Blaesing, vice-president; Ruby War-ner, treasurer; Hildegard Repinen, secretary; Idelle Egbert, sergeant-at

arms. At a recent meeting the Tri-L' chose these officers for next term Queen Cheadle, president; May Hel lawell, vice-president; Jean Young BY GIBSON BOWLES.

Secretary; Rheama Martin, treasurer
Margaret Resburry, sergeant-atterm was called on Thursday,
arms. On Saturday afternoon the girls, under the leadership of their

with ribbons for having received honorable mention in the contest.

The assembly opportunely characterized by the triumphant return of Jeff's conquering track team, gold

Lincoln Seniors Earned an Aggregate of \$30,245.

Members of Graduating Class Did Much to Finance Themselves in School-Prizes Awarded.

BY GEORGIA JACOBS. THE school terms ended, and for

parents and friends of the class members had an opportunity to greet and congratulate the graduates.

A special assembly was called Wednesday afternoon in honor of the seniors, as a farewell assembly.

Arms.

Marjorie Adams, Georgia Jacobs, La Vell Long, Marie Kuehn, Saliy Cunningham, David Pattullo, George Bronaugh, Theodore Steffin and Jason McCune. The "gym" was attractively decorated for the dance with greenery and class colors.

Various Awards Are Made at James John

Jokesters and Ticket Sellers Given Prizes at Assembly—Glee Club Gives Entertainment.

BY CHARLOTTE JONES T AN assembly Thursday several A important awards were made. Clarence Gilstrap presented Vietta

Miss Kincaid sang "Rose in the Bud" Peter Ermber told of two days hi spent in Paris: Venita Brown reas "Happiness and Liberty"; Murie Thomas sang "Dear Little Boy of Mine": William Curtis gave a brief sketch of his experiences at Oregon Agricultural college during junior week-end, and Ella Ackermann read "The Littlest Rebel." Altogether it vas a programme justifying pride in

Miss Rundall, dean of girls, enter-tained five of the senior girls at her home on Saturday evening. After an altogether delightful dinner, the girls

The second-term class went on a denic Thursday to a most inviting pot this side of the terminal. A boun teous picnic supper was served after the class had spent its energies play-

Twelfth and Salmon; Fourth church.

Vancouver avenue and Emerson treet; Fifth church, Sixty-second treet and Forty-second avenue S. E.;

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