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STATE NORMAL AND TRAINING SCHOOL.



At 10 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, July 2, 1878.

CORTLAND, N. Y.

GRADUATING EXERCISES.

10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

1. PRAYER.....DR. THOMAS STREET.

Music.

Anthem—"O! Praise the Lord,"—*T. F. Seward.*

2. ESSAY—Unwritten History.....FLORENCE E. BENNETT.
3. ORATION—Elements of National Greatness.....THOMAS B. DATES.
4. ORATION—The Supernatural in Literature.....IDA A. DICKINSON.
5. ORATION—Hidden Cities.....WILLIAM H. DEMPSTER.

Music.

Quartet—"Light o'er Sparkling Ocean Breaking,"—*Bellini.*

6. ORATION—The Future Democracy of Italy.....CHARLOTTE J. HOAG.
7. ORATION—Ancient Religions.....HARVEY A. KINNEY.
8. ESSAY—What We Owe to the Arabs.....HARRIET N. LYMAN.
9. ORATION—Slavery in History.....FRANKLIN A. MCCOY.

Music.

Instrumental Duet—Rondo, No. 8—*Weber.*

10. ORATION—Confucius.....EMMETT D. PAGE.
11. ESSAY—Pride, a Promoter of Civilization.....MARY E. PECK.
12. ORATION—Culture, a Political Force.....LAMONT STILWELL.

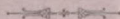
Music.

Chorus—"Hail to Thee Liberty!"—*Rossini.*

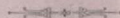
13. PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS TO GRADUATES.
14. GRADUATING SONG.....CLASS OF JULY 2, 1878.

Benediction.

Earth's Mines are Open : Go, dig for Gems.



CLASS SONG OF 1878.



Words by MARY E. PECK. Music Selected.

The world that lies all before us,
Has its gems of priceless worth ;
If but won as the years pass o'er us,
Our work will be crowned on earth.

Chorus—

We'll work then through early morning,
Our strength for the labor test ;
Nor yet cease at the day's declining,
Till the Master shall give us rest.

With days of the sunniest gladness,
There are days that seem unkind ;
But the pearl in the best or saddest,
By seeking we'll surely find.

Chorus.

As schoolmates, as friends and classmates,
Now our common journey ends ;
With the joy of our work's fruition,
The sadness of parting blends.

Chorus.

GRADUATES.

Classical Course.

FLORENCE EDNA BENNETT.	FRANKLIN ADELBERT MCGOY.
THOMAS BENTON DATES.	EMMETT D. PAGE.
WILLIAM HENRY DEMPSTER.	MARY ELLEN PECK.
CHARLOTTE JOSEPHINE HOAG.	MARTHA JANE RIGBY.
HARVEY ALMERON KINNEY.	LAMONT STILWELL.

Advanced English Course.

ELMER BANGS.	IDA ANN DICKINSON.
MARY JENNIE FRENCH.	

Elementary English Course.

ADELLA EMMA CRANE.	EMILY LIZETTE PHELPS.
OPHELIA ELIZABETH EVANS.	INA CATHARINE PRICE.
MARY ANNA HIGGINS.	CLARA STEBBINS RINDGE.
MARY ELLEN KNAPP.	MARY SERGEANT.
HARRIET NAOMI LYMAN.	FLORENCE TICE.
MARY LOUISE WOOD.	

The next Term will begin at 8:45 A. M., Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1878.