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As announced in our last issue, the annual Commencement Exercises in connection with the Athens High School, were successfully carried out on Wednesday evening. The large attendance could hardly have been accommodated had not all the available space been used to the most advantage. It was certainly amply demonstrated that there was one essential thing lacking in our otherwise well equipped town and that was a hall large enough to take in a crowd such as attended the Commencement concert.

As in previous years, the hall was tastefully decorated, with tinting of three different shades—red, white and blue—surmounted by a handsome picture of our gracious king, Edward VII, while appropriately entwined about it were two Union Jacks, while directly beneath the king was the picture of our late beloved Queen.

Among those on the platform were noticed the following:—Principal Massey; the resident minister, Revs. G. N. Simmons, Wm. Wright and W. E. Reynolds; the H. S. Board, Messrs. A. W. Johnson, H. H. Arnold, F. Scovil, S. A. Coon, W. A. Lewis, M. Brown, W. G. Parish, S. S. Cornell and G. P. Graham, M.P.P.

The programme, though rather lengthy, was interesting throughout to all present. The duties of chairman devolved upon the chairman of the school board, Mr. A. W. Johnson, of Charleston, who discharged his duties in a happy manner. His address, though short, was an interesting review of the school's progress, which he hoped to see continue.

Miss Roberta Ross opened the programme with a well-rendered piano selection. Miss Tessa MacCallum, the distinguished and talented elocutionist, followed Miss Ross with a selection entitled, "Playing the Society Belle" Miss MacCallum, by her clever mimics, entirely captivated the audience. She three other numbers rendered (which called forth applause), with the same happy effect.

The presentation of art certificates, which was to have been done by the Rev. J. R. Frizzell, was, in his absence, performed by Mr. H. H. Arnold, secretary of the Board, who prefaced the presentation to the following by a few well chosen remarks:—Fred W. Barber, Myrtle Cadwell, Robert Caghan, Geo. W. Hutcheson, Ormond Murphy, Burton Rhodes.

The Senior Leaving Certificates, Part I, were presented by Mr. W. G. Parish to the following:—F. W. Barber, Arthur McD. Lee, and Hattie A.

Patterson Mr. Parish also addressed the audience briefly.

The presentation of Graduation Diplomas was ably performed by W. A. Lewis, in the unavoidable absence of Mr. J. M. Rogers, who was billed to fill that duty. As Mr. Lewis and Mr. Rogers are old A.H.S. graduates, a reminiscence by the former of their school days was appreciated. The underrated received diplomas from Mr. Lewis:—K. C. Bernie, Laura Bernie, Estella Bolton, Jennie Caghan, James Dunn, John Forrester, Geo. Hutcheson, Fred Kennedy, Ben. Lyons, Mary McGuigan, Ormond Murphy, Burton Rhodes, Morley Shaver, Ross Warren, Aylmer Weart, Myrtle Wilson.

Miss Elleda Perley, of Kingston, daughter of Rev. Mr. Perley, formerly stationed at Lyn, sang a selection entitled "Marguerite," which took so well with her auditors that nothing but an encore pleased them. She also sang another solo which received the same amount of applause.

The High School Glee Club gave the first number on Part II of the programme which took well with the audience.

Mr. Aylmer J. Weart was down for the task of valedictorian which he performed in a manner that threw credit on his educational abilities.

The Proficiency prizes in the different forms were then distributed to the successful students. Rev. G. N. Simmons presented the prizes—two books of Longfellow's poems—in Form I, to Miss Jessie Taplin and Miss Rena B. Dunham; for Form II, Rev. W. E. Reynolds did the honors, by presenting a medal to J. Seymour I ennox; for Form III, Dr. S. S. Cornell pinned the medal—his gift—on the lapel of Fred C. Kennedy's coat; for the Matriculation Scholarship in Queen's University, the Rev. Rural Dean Wright performed the honors by presenting Mr. Kennedy with the same; and Mr. G. P. Graham, M.P.P., who connotes a medal each year, presented his prize to the successful Form IV student, Mr. Fred W. Barber. Congratulatory speeches were made by the different gentlemen during and after the distribution of the prizes.

Mr. A. E. Donovan, who was accompanist, discharged her duties in a pleasing manner.

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What's the matter with the A.H.S.?  
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 A telegram of a congratulatory nature was read from Dr. Crawford, of Perrinton, Mich., and messages from Mr. J. M. Rogers, Perth, and Rev. J. R. Frizzell regretting their inability to be present.

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