

# Columbia College Commencement.

## INTERESTING EXERCISES—LIST OF THE GRADUATING CLASS.

Yesterday morning the Commencement exercises of Columbia College took place in the Academy of Music, which was well filled by the relatives and friends of the students, and those who take special interest in such exhibitions. The stage was occupied by the President and a number of the Faculty, Trustees, and prominent friends of the institution. Rev. CORNELIUS R. DUFFIE, Chaplain of the College, opened the exercises with prayer, and then the orations were delivered, in the following order:

1. Greek Salutatory—Poem by Wm. F. Whitehouse.
2. Latin do —Oration by J. H. Van Amringe.
3. English do —Oration by Edgerton L. Winthrop.
4. German do —Oration by Edw. L. Greenwood.
5. Oration.....by Robert Goelet, Jr.
6. Oration—Astronomy....by John W Jenks.
7. Oration—Am. Influence.by Joseph Greenleaf, Jr.
8. Oration.....by J. Haven Emerson.
9. Oration.....by Abraham Suydam.
10. Oration— Chivalry of Commerce.....by Pierre W. Wildey.
11. Oration .....by Eugene H. Pomeroy.
12. Oration— The Modern Hero.....by David Lydig.
13. Master's Oration.....by Daniel S. Tuttle.
14. Valedictory—Poem.....by Robert D. Nesmith.

The orations and the manner of their delivery were at least equal to the last year's standard. During the intervals between the delivery of the orations the Philharmonic Society of Staten Island delighted the audience with a variety of good music. At the close of each oration the orator received the usual shower of bouquets and wreaths. After the speaking, the excelling five in each class were announced as follows;

FRESHMEN.	JUNIORS.
Maximum for the y'r...7,280	Maximum for the y'r...7,020
1. Dan Marwich, Jr...7,250	1. F. C. Whitehouse...7,080
2. F. L. Newcomb....7,215	2. William A. Rice....7,065
3. Hiram H. Nazro...7,206	3. Gratz Nathan.....7,044
4. R. C. Hall.....7,196	4. Elisha Horton.....7,017
5. F. R. Van Buren...7,196	5. Wm. H. Caswell...7,011
Average of five....7,211 2-5	Average of five....7,017 2-5
SOPHOMORES.	SENIORS.
Maximum for the y'r...7,520	Maximum for 4 years.17,960
1. C. S. Knox.....7,519	1. W. F. Whitehouse.17,957.
2. David B. Clyphant.7,503	2. J. H. Van Amringe.17,694
3. J. N. Vanderpoel...7,501	3. E. L. Winthrop....17,653
4. Wm. A. Hegeman..7,494	4. Fred'k A. Tracey..17,476
5. Foster Thayer.....7,460	5. Robert Goelet, Jr..17,385
Average of five....1,495 2-7	Average of five.....17,627

Each of the "honored" received a round of applause, when the names were announced.

The following is a list of the honorary degrees conferred.

Master of Arts—Class of ——— Chas. S. Tripler, surgeon in U. S. Army; Class of 1847, Rev. John W. Moore; Class of 1856, Edward C. Clement, David G. Thompson, F. A. Dewint; Class of 1857, Motton Maury, Daniel S. Tuttle, W. Renwick Smedburg, Wm. R. Talbot, Wm. S. Boardman, E. bridge T. Gerry, Wm. H. Martin, James T. Tailer, Philip W. Holmes, Edgar P. Smith, Theo. Parkman, Morgan L. S. Brower, Richard S. Dana, Henry E. Davies, Jr., Samuel W. Francis, M. D., George G. Haren, James B. Herrick, Oliver P. Jackson, Erskine Mason, W. Casey Massett, Pierre McCarty, Richard T. Packwood, Charles E. Sears, James H. Slipper, Wm. B. Winslow.

S. F. D.—Rev. JOHN W. FRENCH, Professor of Moral and Mental Philosophy, at the Military Academy, West Point.

L. L. D.—Hon. MURRAY HOFFMANN, one of the Judges of the Superior Court of New-York City; Hon. MATTHEW HALL McALLISTER, Judge of the United States Circuit Court in California; JOHN W. FRANCIS, M. D., of New-York City.

The following is a list of the graduates in the order of their standing on the College "Roll of Merit:"

Wm. F. Whitehouse. George Waddington, J. H. Van Amringe, Thomas H. Messenger, Egerton L. Winthrop, Eugene H. Pomeroy, Frederick A. Tracy, George R. Fearing, Robert Goelet, Jr., J. W. Southark, Jr., John W. Jenks, L. Gardener Hopkins, Joseph Greenleaf, Jr., Edward R. Jones, Abraham Suydam, Pierre W. Wildey, Edward L. Greenwood, Robert Troup Pell, Walter L. Clarkson, Eugene Dubois, Howard Clarkson, Augustus F. King, Clarence S. Brordn, Charles De Ruyter, David Lydig, J. Haven Emerson, Robert D. Nesmith, Herbert Kettell, J. Lorillard Cammann, Richard G. Benjamin, Richard L. Morris, Jr., Thomas L. Ogden, Edmund A. Huvey, Edward P. Robins, G. M. Miller, James S. Satterthwait, A. Newbold Morris, Edgar M. Cullen, Samuel K. Lyon.

The \$50 prize of the Alumni Association for "the most faithful and deserving student of the Graduating Class" was awarded to Mr. Wm. F. WHITEHOUSE. The first prize of \$30, or its equivalent, for proficiency in German, in the Junior Class, was awarded to SAMUEL B. WARD, and the second, of \$20, was given to THOS. T. SABINE. Similar prizes for the Introductory Class were given, the first to CAAS. E. CONGDON, and the second to N. E. CORNWELL.

The next term of the College will commence on the first Monday in October. The concluding examination of candidates for entrance will be held on the Friday just previous to the commencement of the term.