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commencement at numbérlind. Work of Nession Reprekented in Prr-gram-Eagh'Department Displayed. - Oommiericement ' exercisês, a sunderland. Hall on Tuesday night was another bright' mile stone in the history of this splendid institution and the session now has its page in worthy an nals.
The interest in the Institurion was marked by an audience allogether out of proportion to the capacity for seating where the delightful exercises could be fully enjoyed.
Miss Montgomery, who makes no special display of anything but her superior ability and capacity to conduct a first class school, seems only to have tried to furnish the andience a fair conception of the icior and efficiency of the work done. Tb? various departments were port rayed as follows:
The cooking department was represented by a sifter drill by a class who handled their sifters in calisthenic movements, com bining with it the department of gymnastics.
The sewing department was displayed by a class at work and with questions and recitation answers, showing the course of this department of domestic economy
The Sunderland Missionary Society was represented by large class in costumes with en signs of the different national missionary fields with recitations appropriate to each
The Temperance Society wa represented by a recitation by Miss Ella Grar, picturing with vivid effects the horrors of the drink demon.
The literary work was most creditably shown by two essay read and a humorous recitation Miss Bessie Earley read an es say, subject, "The Awakening of the Mind", with Miss Hellen Keller as a basis.
Miss Mattie Byrd also read an essay, subject, "The Might of Mites", portraying the power o Miss Mau
Miss Maude Smith recited ney's Christening. All these were roundly cheered and inspired high conceptions of the literary work done.
The vocal and instrumental exhibit was interspersed in the program and consisted of three The last duet "Il Trovatore was The lastly ed by Miss Morse and her pupi Miss Farley.
$\rightarrow$ The graduating class this yea Mas composed of Misses Matti Gray.
Rey. G \& \& $^{2}$ Cornelson the exercises with ${ }^{4}$ nearnest ond mpressive invocation and close Thus passes the planti and it is the commencement mind the growth anddruit bearing of wrechous influences that will fiow with steady stream through ti
to be merged into the eternal.

About silk Culture. . A seems to have been of cocgons by all whom we supplied' with stik-worm eggs this year. The Department will. ehdeavor to have a buyer visit Raleigh dur-
ing the summer or fall to purchase cocoons.
In meantime growers are advised to choke them carefully and dry them out as is expiained on pages 27 , and 28 of our Balletin $\$ 181$. The dried co coons, if of good quality should bring about $\$ 1.25$ ner pound. Dus notice will be sent you of tije date of the buyer's visit. There is likely to be a con siderable demand for eggs next spring at about $\$ 2,00$ per ounce. But we can not guarantee this. We advise every body to select at least 200 of the best and finest cocoons and from these raise one ounce of eggs, but not more. unless there is assurance of a sa'e for the eggs in your own neighborhood.
Your attention is called to the premiums offered for silk by tbe State Fair. You will have a fair chance to secure one or are of these. Copies of the advance premium list may be had by addressing C B Denson,

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Very sincerely yours.
``` Gerald McCarta

Biologist.

\section*{Himer Items.}

Rimer, N. C., June 3.-The armers are busy plowing their corn and cotton crops, which are ooking well, but are needing ain. Mr. Jacob A Kluttz, of Rowan, says they have, had little rain since Easter.
Mr. A W Lentz has accepted position as agent for the cham.

\section*{ion machine.}

There was a baseball game
played in Oruse's pasture last
Saturday. There will be another game nęx: Saturday by the same eams. Some of our hoys will
ooto Rowan next Saturday to play.
and Mrs. R D A Safrit are son.

We will listen for the wedding ells about here soon.
Mr. D J Rimer and family went to China Grove to *atiend he wedding of their daughtar Miss Laly to Mr. Linda Craw. otd last Sunday.
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