EXERCISES ENDED FRIDAY NIGHT

Crowell. White Declaimers' Contest Medal was awarded by the judges to Mr. Harvey Huhn.
The program for the Declaimers' contest follows:
Salo, Reve dun Anges-F. d'orso—Virginia Miller.
Duct, Dances des Honiton—Naomi Ensor and Flora Camp.
Declamation, Victor of Marengo—Fitshugh Hoyle.
Declamation, Aycock's Attitude Toward Modern Issues—Edgar Heavner.
Solo, Tanz in Grunen-Lichner—Helen Goode.
Declamation, An Eulogy on Henry W. Grady—Harvey Kuhn.
Declamation, Americanism—Martin Rhodes.

4. Rending—Resalind's Surrender—
Miss Willie Costner.
Piano Duet—Fan Fare—Bohm—
Misses Edith and Memie Costner.
5. Reading—The Rivals—Miss Corinne Crowell.
Piano Duet—Misses Adams and

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WAR ZONE NEWS

German Submarine Off Irish Coast.
London, May 1.—The big German submarine U-23 is operating off the Irish coast and the admiralty tonight sent a wireless warning to certain vessels that are now en route to Liverpool and Belfast to extinguish their light sand to change their course. The U-23 today sunk the Russian steamer Svorono off the Kerry coast after giving the crew of 24 ten minutes to take to their boats. The crew have been landed at Cahirciveen. The Svorono was coal laden en route to Archangel.

London, May 1.—German suhmarines, which for two weeks had been confining themselves to the North sen where they sank several trowlers, again have appeared on the trade routes off the west coasts of Ireland and England and caught two victims. They were the British steamer Edale, sank off the Scilly islands, and the Russian steamer Svorono, attacked off the Blasket Islands. Both crews were saved. That, taken in connection with the warning issued to American travelers on trans-Atlantic liners, doubtless

on trans-Atlantic liners, doubtless means another attempt with a great number of submarines to combat the blockade by England. It is announced by the English papers that the Admiralty has found a means of dealing with submarines and the people, in view of the latest attacks upon steamers, are awaiting the result with interest.

EDUCATIONAL AND INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS IN THE SOUTH.

London, May 2.—A German submarine on Saturday sank the old British destroyer Recruit off the Galioper Lightship, in the North Sea, but the score was more than equalized by other British destroyers, which after a stern chase overtook and sank the two German torpedoboats that had accompanied the submarine on ber cruise.

Some of the crew of the Recruit where rescued by the trawler Daisy but as the submarine fired on the fishermen they were compelled to leave the others to their fate. The British destroyers rescued most of the crew of the German torpedoboats and two officers were picked up by a passing steamer and taken to Holland. Beside these incidents in the North Sea the German submarines continued the populations off the Scilly Islands and in addition to torpedoing the American tank steamer Gulfight, whose captain died of shock and on which two men were drowned, sank the French steamer Europe and the British steamer Fulgent, the captain of the latter vessel being shot.

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tapita wealth of country dwellers in the South was given as \$333, or about one-third of that for the country at large.

"In large areas of the South, one-half of the white farmers are tenants, and the average is 36 per cent for the white farming population," said Mr. Joyner. "This means that in the entire South one-third to one-half of the farmers move every year." Between 1890 and 1910 the speaker continued, the percentage of people living in the country decreased from 83 to 73 per cent while the percentage of people living in the towns grew from 17 to 27. Eight out of every ten rural school houses in the South are one-room affairs, said Mr. Joyner, and only eight teachers in a hundred had remained in the same place for three years.

"Any civilization is decadent and destined to ultimate dissolution that does not provide adequate means for ministering prportionately to the human needs of all the people, economical, intellectual, social and spiritual, continued Mr. Joyner.

"That these conditions in the South cry aloud for speedy improvement, no real friend of the South and of our common country that is not blinded by provincial and sectional vanity, can doubt, nor can be doubt in the light of history that this improvement must be an organic growth from organic forces cotoperating from within States and counties and communities."

Mr. Joyner then analyzed and discussed the work of the conference which is approaching a solution of the problem with the idea of aiding community development.

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