farther, and better, and to more successful points of vantage than we older engineers have."

Professor Dwight Porter, representing the faculty of the Institute, was next introduced and spoke in part as follows:

"It is an honor and a pleasure to speak to you, members of the graduating class, at this time. You have the consciousness of having brought a hard fight to a successful finish, and you enjoy the unique distinction of being our vanguard in the new century.

"All of us, both individuals, corporations, and even the nation, are entering into corporate enterprises of a large character, so large that they could not be successful were it not for the co-operation of a body of men trained in scientific and technical methods. For four years we have watched over you, and now, for the future, we are to depend upon you.

"We want you to teach your children that there is no place in all the world like old Technology, and as a member of the Faculty, I take pleasure in wishing you, one and all, godspeed."

John R. Freeman of the Class of 1876 gave a very interesting and instructive address on "Twenty-five Years Ago." He spoke enthusiastically of the friendships of his student days, of how much he had benefited from the good will of his classmates, and how great a help it had been to him in his after days. Continuing, he said:

"I wish to give you some advice derived from experiences of the past twenty-five years. There are three great helps to success—to have an object in life, to realize that a great end of college life is a broadening of the humanities, and to understand that it is not technical skill that brings success as much as character and honesty.

"I wish to add a few words of counsel. Don't be pessimists. Look over the records of Tech alumni and note how few successful pessimists you will find. Indeed, they are outnumbered by the optimists in the ratio of 100 to 1. Steadfastness of purpose, earnestness and application to business are essential for success in this world much more than brilliancy."

Ellis F. Lawrence, President of the Class of 1901, was the closing speaker, responding for his class. He told in detail many of the important and decisive incidents of his career as a student at the institution, and was especially enthusiastic in regard to his class, telling of how heartily it sympathized with the alumni association in all its aims, and how fully it appreciated the reception tendered to it on the eve of graduation.

Prize Essay.

It is announced that Miss Ava Marcella Stoddard, an Institute student in the Sophomore Class, is the winner of the hundred-dollar prize offered by the College Equal Suffrage League for the best essay on "Is the extension of the suffrage to women an expedient political measure?" The prize was awarded Miss Stoddard on the evening of May 28th, by the Hon. E. B. Callender, at a meeting of the society.

Entrance Examinations.

Entrance examinations will be held June 27th and 28th and again September 24th and 25th in Rogers Building and also in the following cities: Austin, Texas; Belmont, Cal.; Binghamton and Buffalo, N. Y.; Chicago, Ill.; Cincinnati, Ohio; Denver, Col.; Detroit, Mich.; Exeter, N. H.; Kansas City, Mo.; Louisville, Ky.; New York City; Philadelphia and Pittsburg, Pa.; Portland, Me.; Pottstown, Pa.; Pullman, Wash.; Rochester, N. Y.; St. Louis, Mo.; St. Paul, Minn.; Springfield, Mass., and Washington, D. C.

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