

East Kildonan Collegiate

The 29th graduation exercises of the East Kildonan Collegiate were held June 1st in King Memorial Church. After the graduates' procession, the Lieutenant-Governor, the Hon. R. F. McWilliams, K.C., L.L.D., entered with the other speakers for the service.

Principal J. E. Scarrow was chairman. He was supported by Rev. F. J. Ison, who led the prayer of invocation; Rev. P. V. Samsog, who read the Scripture; D. H. Young, who addressed the graduates, and Rev. H. G. Tolton, who welcomed the convocation on behalf of King Memorial Church.

The valedictory address, an interesting and inspiring speech, was given by Irene Homiak. R. D. Nicholson, chairman of the East Kildonan School Board, brought a friendly message to the graduates.

Presentation of the Governor-General's medal followed. Inspector H. E. Riter introduced the recipient, George Dyck, and the lieutenant-governor made the presentation. Mrs. W. T. Hannon, regent of the Silver Wings Chapter, I.O.D.E., presented George with the annual I.O.D.E. award.

D. H. Young, superintendent of Knowles School for Boys, delivered an address in which he dealt with the four things essential in life: laughter, industry, friendship and enthusiasm. In the course of the service, an E.K.C. graduate, Miss Evelyn Litke, sang "God Go Along With You" and grade X girls of the Glee Club sang "By Cool Siloam's Shady Rill." Miss Helen F. Young presided at the organ.

Following the service the graduates and friends assembled at the Mariborough for the traditional banquet and dance. Mel Finlayson, master of ceremonies, introduced the two speakers: Katherine Timmerman, who gave the class history, and Shirley McInnes, the prophecy.

J. E. Scarrow presented Miss Irene Homiak with a subscription to the Reader's Digest in appreciation of her splendid valedictory address.