TARE GIVEN DEGREES.

Students of Northwestern University Receive Diplomas.

HONORS FOR BIG CLASSES

Graduates and Their Friends Crowd the Auditorium.

Address on "Religion and Evolution" by Dr. Lyman Abbott, of New York.

Nearly three hundred graduates from the Northwestern University received diplomas at the 37th anniversary annual commencement exercises at the Auditorium last night. Of these twenty-three received the degree of bachelor of arts, twenty-six that of bachelor of philosophy, five that of bachelor of science, the number that of bachelor of letters and master of philosophy, three that of master of arts, five that of master of science, two that of master of letters, twenty-five that of doctor of medicine, nearly twice that many bachelor of medicine, one thousand seven hundred, 159 graduated in pharmacy, twenty-five were made doctors of dental surgery, and thirty among women took the degree of doctor of medicine from the Woman's Medical school.

Besides their graduation diplomas some of the students received prizes for orations, best standing in their classes, and other meritorious achievements. In the College of Liberal Arts, the Woman's Medical College, was the winner of the Dearborn prize of $100 for an oration and medal was conferred upon Ernest Francis Knapp; Howard C. Cochran and Lisle Lyle came in for honorable mention, they being of the same school, and Walter S. Davis captured the junior prize for highest scholarship in the undergraduate class. The Dearborn prize of $50 was carried off by Frank White, of the law school, on an essay on "Liability of Corporations for Acts Ultra Vires." Eugene Gerald Passett won the Callahan prize of $100. John Edward George, of the history department, took another prize for the best essay on "The Saloon Question." Charitable Chart came in for a rather long essay on "The Development of Building Associations." The N. W. Harris prize of $100 for the best essay in regard to the place of money in the United States, past, present, and future, was won by Ernest Hammond Wright. The Dearborn scholarship, held by Mrs. James S. Kirk prize of $100 for the best oration.

Honorary Degrees Conferred.

Honorary degrees were conferred upon Rev. Lyman Abbott, of New York, and Dr. H. Tompkins, a graduate of the class of 1862 and the same degree was given to Dr. Charles Arnold, of the class of 1873. Daniel H. Burnham, the chief of the bureau of construction at the World's Fair and president of the National association of Architects, received the honorary degree of doctor of science in architecture. Dr. Terry had the honorary degree of doctor of laws conferred upon him, as did Harvey D. Hunt, of Chicago. The Northwestern Evening Stevenson was similarly recognized, the degree being given to Mr. Stevenson.

At 8 o'clock 5,000 people had assembled in the big auditorium—friends and relatives of those who were to receive their diplomas. In the house were the familiar faces of members of the faculties of the university, and on the stage were seated the members of the faculty and the graduates. The addresses by Dr. Lyman Abbott, D. D., LL. D., on "Religion and Evolution" were listened to attentively by the graduates and the rest of the audience, and were frequently interrupted by their demonstrations of appreciation.

On the stage were seated:

Dr. Henry Wade Rogers, Dr. N. H. Axtell, Dr. Lyman Abbott, Dr. N. S. Davis, Dr. J. Vyrthurson, Dr. Philip H. Hoyne, Dr. Frank Wesley Gillin, Dr. Frank Wesley Gillin, Dr. Charles Hubbard, Dr. Wilson Dowling, Dr. Frank Wesley Gillin, Dr. Frank M. Wright, Dr. Frank Wesley Gillin, Dr. Charles Fox, Alexander H. Revell, Dr. Frank Wesley Gillin, Judge Grosscup.

Names of the Graduates.

The following are the names of those upon whom degrees were conferred:

Bachelor of Arts.

Alman Clarence Abel, Ernest Francis Knapp, Fiske Cullerton, Howard C. Cochran, Lisle Lyle, Ernest Hammond Wright, William Lincoln Eddy, Frank Wesley Gillin, Frank Wesley Gillin, Ella Amanda Hoben, Ernest Hoben, Ernest Hoben, Fred Lincoln Gunther, Walter Scott Davis, Mary Jane Dickson, Mary Jane Dickson, Mary Jane Dickson