

# COMMENCEMENT DAY

## "Good-bye, Minnesota"

Commencement exercises were held at the Northwest School on March 30, 1939. Sixty students were graduated from the four year course; one hundred received the three year diploma. One of the largest crowds in the history of the school was packed into the auditorium at the opening of the exercises.

The Commencement speaker was Dean W. C. Coffey, dean of the department of Agriculture of the University of Minnesota.

Commencement week activities began with Baccalaureate services on Sunday evening, March 26. In the afternoon of the same day members of the graduating class were guests of Superintendent and Mrs. McCall in the campus "White House."

The annual Music recital was held on Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon the annual Senior Class exercises were conducted.

Following the chief address at the Commencement exercises the various scholarships and award winners were announced.

The program closed with the graduates at attention as they sang "Good-bye, Minnesota."

### *Pictures: (top to bottom)*

Eleanor Johnston in the attire of the intelligentsia.

Ditto Harlan Ellinger and Elwood Gustafson.

Lloyal Harris, winner of the dramatics and speech trophy.

James Lenex, winner of the LaVoi-Widseth Athletic Scholarship Medal.

Studyal Gehard Gandrud and William Gatheridge.

Dorothy Setterholm, winner of the Class of 1934 Scholarship plaque.

Footballer Si Strand in academic robes.

