

UNIVERSITY OF WICHITA
FIFTEENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT



TUESDAY EVENING . JUNE THE THIRD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-ONE

Order of Academic Procession



THE UNIVERSITY MARSHALL

THE PRESIDENT AND THE SPEAKER

THE BOARD OF REGENTS

DEANS AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

UNIVERSITY FACULTY

THE CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES



Commencement Program

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PRELUDE — "Clair de Lune" - - - - - Debussy
Orchestra

PROCESSIONAL — "Columbia's Flag" - - - - - Lieurance
Orchestra

INVOCATION - - - - - The Reverend J. Barbee Robertson
Pastor, Hillside Christian Church

CAPRICE "BRIDESMAID" - - - - - Lieurance
Orchestra

ADDRESS - - - - - Dr. Henry Neumann
Brooklyn, New York

CONFERRING OF DEGREES - - - - - } J. W. Ross
Chairman, Board of Regents

William M. Jardine
President, University of Wichita

AWARD OF COMMISSIONS - - - - - Lt. Col. Robert H. Barrett, PMS&T

AWARD OF HONORS - - - - - William M. Jardine
President, University of Wichita

UNIVERSITY CITIZENSHIP PRIZE

*Awarded by the Wichita Branch of the American
Association of University Women*

Norma Ruth Webb

THE WILLIAM A. SWETT PRIZE FOR EFFICIENCY

Walter Tait

BENEDICTION - - - - - The Reverend Thomas A. Williams
Pastor, First Methodist Church

RECESSIONAL — "Marching Men" - - - - - Hadley
Orchestra

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The audience will please remain seated during the Processional and the Recessional

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

Fairmount College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Presented by L. Hekhuis, Dean

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BACHELOR OF ARTS

Magna Cum Laude

Josephine Estelle Rice Virginia Mae Smith Walter Ralph Tait

Cum Laude

Peggy Lou Anderson Mary Elizabeth Mann
Martha Elizabeth Durbin Louis Gordon Pope
Zoralee Goldstein Wyrill Stoll
Alberta L. Zimmerman

Rite

Donald Haggard Alldritt Verne Elvin Howard
Edgar A. Amsden Howard E. Jackson
Frances Lolita Anderson Howard Laurence Jenkins
Charles Auchterlonie Robert Macdonald Justice
Lewis Marshall Belden, Jr. Russell William Kice
Rex Bernard Benway Grace Kindsvater
Robert Harold Blanchard Robert Perry Kirkpatrick
Richard Braitsch George Byron Lappin
Harold Glen Brown Thurlow W. Lieurance, Jr.
Carl Leslie Buck Edmund E. McCreary
Aglaiia Pat Carpenter Glen E. Martin, Jr.
Clay Cerday John Irl Michaels, Jr.
Geraldine Evelyn Coover Louis Henry Michaelson
James William Davidson Earl Anderson Miller
Charlene Elnor Einsel Ruth Morgan
Max Frederick Feldner Russell Alan Nelson
Jean Mayrene Focht Harold Dwight Priddle
Glenn Arthur Ford Robert Eugene Ray
Wilbert Heaston Fuller, Jr. Milo Ruth Scott
Robert Fay Fuston Gene W. Setzer
Harry George Hadler Carol Jeannette Shuler
Paul F. Hartman Mildred Irene Stokely
Helen Inis Hibbard Ruth R. Strickland
Suzanne Hissem Danny D. Tontz
Marian Ione Hopkins Edwin Harold Unger

Frederick Edward Wylie

SUMMER SCHOOL

Mary Helen Anderson Rex R. Mullikin
Owen W. Bale Fred James Partridge, Jr.
Barbara Jean Carmichael Owen Joseph Redmond
Sarah Ann Cope Marjorie Elaine Sawtelle
Merle E. Gates Gilbert Sievers
Raymond M. Goodin Wallace Wesley Solter
Nora Elise Ireland Dudley Claude Tankersley
Lorraine Ione Melcher Gladys LeTresa Tyler

James T. Van Biber

College of Business Administration and Industry

Presented by Frank A. Neff, Dean

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Magna Cum Laude

Robert Earl Branson

Rite

Rex Virgil Baldwin
Avis Brader
John Jerald Branson
Merle Crist Brock
Margaret Ann Coates
James R. Costello
Tedd Bradford Crist
Lois Maxine Dobbin
Charles H. Enoch
Philip Farha
Jimmie C. Farrow
Elsie Mae Golden
Richard L. Hill, Jr.

Beulah Frances Junker
Jerome Sylvester Keller
Bertrand M. Lester, Jr.
James Edward Loveland
Laurence Jean Marshall
Malcolm B. Nicholson
William Glea Rittgers
Gaylord Milton Smith
Morton Specter
Henry R. Wade, Jr.
Dorothy Pauline Wilcox
Charles Samuel Wills
Leo Miley Wilson

SUMMER SCHOOL

John Edwin Brane, Jr.
Robert William Brown
Robert Winston Coe
Donald Lee Dushane
Oliver B. Elliott

Frederick Iryl Murfin

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College of Education

Presented by Leslie B. Sipple, Dean

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN EDUCATION

Cum Laude

Venora Marie Layman
Rose Marie Marshall

Kenneth C. Miller
Lula Frances Randall

Rite

Dorothy Jean Braly
Dorothy Nan Briggs
Peggy Byrnes
Mary Elizabeth Chance
Bernice Marie Covington
Donna Lou Dewees
Vera Maxine Ellis
Evalyn Mason Folkers
Frances Voncile Gallemore
Jessica Myrtle Hudson
Kathleen Meryl Keating
Ernestine Klopffstein

Marguerite Marie LaPlant
Donald Franklin Meisner
Mary Jane Mullikin
Hilda Lee Oyler
Lou Agnes Reynolds
Betty Jane Roberts
Clyde Roy
Verdina Benefiel Rutledge
Mary Frances Snyder
Ardis Beverly Thomas
Opal Anna Wells
LaVerne Claudine Whaley

SUMMER SCHOOL

Mary Adams Anderson
Louetta Voshell Berger
Elizabeth Clancy
Lois Edith Corbin
Evelyn Mae Crist
Edith Lorraine Culley
Chloella Dale

Sister Mary Eleanor Diskin
Florence Evelyn Fitzwilliams
Grant Hardy
Mae Crum Lewis
Ruth Miriam Lewis
Doris Marie Marts
John Ramey Morton, Jr.

Orville Anthony Roy
Alice Aileen Shockey
Nina Mae Sutter
Dorothy Jessie Swinney
Richard Helman Taylor
Mary Amelia Tschepl
Gladys Viola Zimmerman

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Rite

Charles S. Howard

Dorothy Ruth Russell

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College of Fine Arts

Presented by Thurlow Lieurance, Dean

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Rite

John Banman
Elizabeth Agnes Holness
Philomena Teresa Mendus

Rayburn Leo Pierce
Mary Elizabeth Wheeler

SUMMER SCHOOL

Gerald Hargrave Hayter

Donald Moore

Alice Vivian Tomlinson

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

SUMMER SCHOOL

Max Cornelius Windmiller

Candidates for the Master's Degree

Presented by Dean Earl K. Hillbrand, Chairman

GRADUATE STUDIES COMMITTEE

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MASTER OF ARTS

- ISAAC HENRY BALZER
A.B., Bethel College
(Education) *Thesis: A Comparative Study of the Third-Class City High Schools of Marion County, Kansas, 1939-40*
- WILLIAM FRANKLIN CHOLLAR
A.B., Friends University
(History) *Thesis: A Pioneer History of Hamilton County, Kansas*
- HAZEL DENISON
A.B., Southwestern College
(Education) *Thesis: A Comparative Study of High School Business English Texts*
- GUY THOMPSON GEBHARDT
A.B., Campbell College
(Sociology) *Thesis: Trends in Organized Service Groups for Rural Youth, Sedgwick County, Kansas, 1920-1940*
- SISTER MARY DENIS GREGORY
A.B., Clarke College
(Education) *Thesis: A Survey of the Extra-Curricular Activities of the Secondary Schools of the Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
- SISTER M. IGNATIUS HAYDEN
A.B., University of Wichita
(Education) *Thesis: Radio in the Classroom*
- THORNTON C. KARLOWSKI
A.B., University of Wichita
(Education) *Thesis: The Effect of Reading Training Upon the Reaction Time, the Visual and the Auditory Spans of Thirty-Eight University of Wichita Freshmen*
- OSCAR PHILLIP LOEVENGUTH
A.B., Kansas State Teachers
College, Emporia
(Education) *Thesis: The Status of the Elementary School Principalship in the State of Kansas*
- GEORGE MELTZER
A.B., University of Wichita
(History) *Thesis: Social Life and Entertainment on the Frontiers of Kansas, 1854-1890*
- PEARL MILTNER
B.S., Kansas State College
(Education) *Thesis: Significance of the Kansas Mathematics Test Number One As a Measure of Mathematics Ability*
- LOUISE SULLIVAN POTTS
A.B., University of Wichita
(English) *Thesis: An Analytical Study of the Relationship of the Poetical Works of Chaucer and Masefield*
- HERMA MARIE ANNA SCHALLMO
A.B., Friends University
(Education) *Thesis: A History of the Schools of Ford County, Kansas*

The Reserve Officers' Training Corps

Presented by Lieutenant Colonel Robert H. Barrett, Infantry

Professor of Military Science and Tactics

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COMMISSIONS SECOND LIEUTENANT, INFANTRY, OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS

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| Carl Leslie Buck | Thurlow Weed Lieurance, Jr. |
| James Richard Costello | Edmund Elmer McCreary |
| Howard Frank Harris | Earl Anderson Miller |
| Claude Elvis Hetrick | Robert Eugene Ray |
- Dudley Claude Tankersley

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NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION AWARD, "THE GOLDEN BULLET"

Harry Clyde Beal

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