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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

SUNDAY, JUNE TENTH

NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-TWO

PROGRAM

FOR THE
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH COMMENCEMENT
IN THE
TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH YEAR
OF THE COLLEGE

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

- INVOCATION The Reverend Robert E. Skeele
Tutor, St. John's College
- ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRIZES AND AWARDS . . . The Dean of the College
- ADDRESS TO THE GRADUATING CLASS Richard F. Cleveland
Board of Visitors and Governors, St. John's College
- CONFERRING OF DEGREES The President of the College

BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE (with title of senior thesis)

Magna Cum Laude

- ELTON RAY DAVIS Adams, Wisconsin
Wonder and Doubt: Beginnings in Philosophy
- JAMES WILLIAM FORRESTER Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Comedy and the Divine

Cum Laude

- DAVID WILLIAM BENFIELD Savannah, Georgia
The Problem of Arithmetic
- CHARLES BENTLEY Sandy, Utah
The Transition of Love in the Divine Comedy
- DIANNE PATRICIA STONE BENTLEY Invercargill, New Zealand
A Study of the Moral Movement in Paradise Lost
- TINA BARON KAPLAN Brooklyn, New York
The Dialectic of Tragedy: A Defense of the Poet
- GEORGE O. KUNKLE Annapolis, Maryland
Socrates - Anaxagoras and the Underground Man
- EDWARD LEONARD MATTISON Miami Beach, Florida
Virtue and Immortality: The Christian Reply to Aristotle
- LENKE ELIZABETH VIETORISZ Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
That All May Be One

- 8.27.68: Harvey George Alexander, ^{Rite} III Baltimore, Md.
- NANCY HEYWOOD CLARK ALBERT Norfolk, Virginia
Of All Who Blindly Creep, Or Sightless Soar
- JOHN LOUIS BASTONE^a (6.11.62) New York, New York
Buddenbrooks
- JOHAN TOPHELIUS BENSON Bronx, New York
The One Science
- 2.10.63: Joseph Jerome Brenning, Jr.
The Failure of Henry Adams' Education

12.17.64: Daniel Hugh Cosgrove Bayonne, N.J.
Self-Interest in Hobbes and Locke

- 'JAMES RONALD BROSCART# (6.11.62) Towanda, Pennsylvania
A Mirror for Observers
- MICHAEL HERMAN ELIAS Woodstock, New York
Though the Gods Be Victorious
- LINDA FERGUSON Swarthmore, Pennsylvania
Reason: God or Devil?
- BARRY LEONARD FISHER Bronx, New York
Conceptualization
- Edward Childs Green (8.28.63)
- FRANK DIXON HOWDEN, JR. Savannah, Georgia
Philosophy Is Not Dead
- RUTH DAVENPORT KING Alliance, Ohio
War and/or Peace
- NANA LOUISE MAY Manassas, Virginia
Oedipus - Savior of the Athenians
- SUZY ELLIN MILLER Arlington, Virginia
The Dancing Foot
- JOHN FRANKLIN MILLER Hagerstown, Maryland
Para De Silentio
- MARY ABIGAIL MYERS Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
An Affair of the Heart
- ALEXA ELIZABETH NADOSY Long Island, New York
"In the autumn one looks up to heaven - in spring at the earth."
- TEMPLE GIBSON PORTER Baltimore, Maryland
An Examination of Hobbes' "Leviathan"
- NEIL CHARLES POTASH# (6.11.62) Silver Spring, Maryland
Action Out of Spite
- JOHN WALKER POUNDSTONE Lexington, Kentucky
The Nature of the Church: A Protestant View
- SARAH ELLEN ROBINSON Skaneateles, New York
Aristotle: The Means to an Understanding of the Relations in "Emma."
- WILLIAM RANDALL SALISBURY Maplewood, New Jersey
Ambidexterity and the Penumbra of Judicial Experience
- HOWARD PHILLIP SCHIFF Union, New Jersey
How You Gonna Keep 'Em Down on the Farm
- GAIL EVANS SEITZ Los Alamos, New Mexico
Goethe's "Faust."
- RAYMOND CARLTON SEITZ Towson, Maryland
Modern Historical Thought and Scepticism
- DEVI KANTILAL SHAH Bombay, India
On a Tragedy and Comedy
- David Richard Schiller (7.14.62)

AS OF THE CLASS OF 1961

Rite

- MICHAEL VICKERS TROWNSSELL# (6.19.62) Elmwood Park, Illinois
- BENEDICTION The Reverend Robert E. Skeeel
Tutor, St. John's College

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

*To receive degree upon final completion of requirements

Honors and Prizes

To the Senior who has the highest standing,
a silver medal. Offered by the Board of
Visitors and Governors.....JAMES WILLIAM FORRESTER

To the member of the Senior Class who has
written the best Senior thesis, a prize of
\$27.50. Offered under the will of the late
Judge Walter I. Dawkins.....JAMES WILLIAM FORRESTER

Honorable MentionDIANNE PATRICIA BENTLEY
ELTON RAY DAVIS
MARY ABIGAIL MYERS

To the members of the Senior Class who
have demonstrated the most ingenuity and
skill in carrying out a laboratory project,
a prize of \$25.00 each. Offered by the St.
John's College Alumni Association

BARRY LEONARD FISHER
FRANK DIXON HOWDEN, JR.
Honorable Mention TEMPLE GIBSON PORTER
JOHN WALKER POUNDSTONE

To the member of the Junior Class who has
written the best annual essay, a prize of
\$25.00

NO AWARD
Honorable Mention OLIVER MARC KORSHIN

To the member of the Sophomore Class who
has written the best annual essay, a prize
of \$25.00 each

MARY LOUISE BIGGAR
MARY WILLA FOWLER
Honorable Mention CATHERINE MAY LEVIN
JOHN DABNEY MORRIS
VIRGINIA GAY SEEGERS

To the member of the Freshman Class who
has written the best annual essay, a prize
of \$25.00 each

JOSEPH PETER GONDA
DAVID RAPPORT LACHTERMAN
Honorable Mention LEON ERNEST ROTTNER
RONALD WAYNE SHARKUS
DIANA SUE WATLEY

To the member of the Freshman or Sopho-
more Class who has prepared the most
elegant solution of a mathematical prob-
lem a prize of \$25.00. Offered by Brig.
Gen. A. W. Woodcock, A.U.S. (ret).....

HUGH BOLDEN JOHNSTON
Honorable Mention WILLIAM PREAS BANKS

To the student who has submitted the best
English translation of a Greek poem, a
prize of \$25.00.....

DAVID RAPPORT LACHTERMAN

To the student who has submitted the best
English translation of a German poem,
a prize of \$25.00

JAMES WILLIAM FORRESTER

To the student who has submitted the best
English translation of a French poem, a
prize of \$25.00

NO AWARD
Honorable Mention FOWLER NOEL MERIAM