

CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE
CALIFORNIA, PENNSYLVANIA

Eighty-seventh
Annual Commencement
1961



California State College Campus
Thursday Morning, May Twenty-Fifth
at Ten o'Clock

The world must be made safe for democracy. Its peace must be planted upon the tested foundations of political liberty. We have no selfish ends to serve. We desire no conquest, no dominion. We seek no indemnities for ourselves, no material compensation for the sacrifices we shall freely make. We are but one of the champions of the rights of mankind. We shall be satisfied when those rights have been made as secure as the faith and the freedom of nations can make them.

—*Woodrow Wilson*
1917

PROGRAM

PRESIDENT MICHAEL DUDA, ED.M., ED.D., Presiding

ORGAN RECITAL

MRS. WILLIAM DOVENSPIKE, *Organist*

PROCESSIONAL

Trumpet Tune *Henry Purcell*

PROCESSION

TRUSTEES, GUESTS, FACULTY, AND GRADUATING CLASS

STAR SPANGLED BANNER

..... *Francis Scott Key*

INVOCATION

THE REVEREND WILLIAM R. WILSON, ED.M., S.T.B.
Pastor, The Methodist Church, California

ANTHEM

"Psalm 96" *William McRae*

SCRIPTURE

THE REVEREND EDGAR F. LAWRENCE, JR., ED.M., S.T.B., D.D.
Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, California

PRAYER

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

GEORGE R. SEIDEL, PH.D.
Manager of the Education Section
DuPont Company's Public Relations Department

ANTHEM

"That's The Idea of Freedom" *Aaron Copland*

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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Dean of Instruction

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

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President of the College

AWARDING OF HONORS

ALMA MATER (*Audience Stands*)

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL—March *James Rogers*
(*The audience will stand during the Processional and Recessional*
Marches)

CANDIDATES

The Degree of Bachelor of Science in Education is conferred on all persons who complete any of the prescribed curriculums. Appearance of a name on this program is presumptive evidence of graduation, but it must not be regarded as conclusive. The diploma, issued through the College by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, sealed and signed by the proper authorities, is the only official testimony to the possession of a degree.

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The following persons are unable to be present, and are recommended for the degree, Bachelor of Science in Education in absentia.

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ALMA MATER

California, alma mater
Now we sing to thee
California, dear forever
In our memory.
With our voices loudly ringing,
Of thy fame we're ever singing.
California, alma mater;
Hail! All hail to thee.

For the friends and joys you gave us,
We give thanks to thee
All thy knowledge we'll make worthy
For Posterity.
May thy reign be ever prosperous
And thy name forever glorious.
California, alma mater;
Hail, All Hail to thee.

Phillip Rossi, '37

THE CALIFORNIA PLEDGE

I DO SOLEMNLY PLEDGE: That I will never consciously or wilfully bring discredit to this College, that I will faithfully perform any task entrusted to me; that I will respect the privileges of others; that I will do my utmost to raise the academic, social, and civic standards of this College; that I will obey its laws and customs, respect its ideals, and honor its traditions; that I will continually endeavor to prepare myself for the noblest of all professions — that of teaching; and in all these ways I will strive to transmit to my successors a greater, better, and more beautiful California than was inherited by me.