

University of Pennsylvania

One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Commencement for the Conferring of Degrees



*Weightman Hall, University Gymnasium
Wednesday, June the Seventeenth, 1925*

FIRST SESSION

11 o'clock a. m.

SECOND SESSION

2.30 o'clock p. m.

Order of Ceremonies

ORCHESTRAL PRELUDE

ACADEMIC PROCESSION*

INVOCATION BY THE CHAPLAIN OF THE DAY

At the First Session

REVEREND ROGER S. FORBES

At the Second Session

BISHOP THOMAS B. NEELY

HYMN—"America"

My country, 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing:
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride,
From every mountain side
Let freedom ring.

My native country thee
Land of the noble free
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills;
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.

Our fathers' God, to thee,
Author of liberty,
To thee we sing;
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by thy might,
Great God, our King.

INTRODUCTION BY THE PRESIDENT
JOSIAH H. PENNIMAN, PH.D., LITT.D., LL.D.

Announcement of the

JOHN SCOTT MEDAL AWARDS

on behalf of

The Board of City Trusts

*The audience is requested to stand during the Academic Procession, during the Invocation and Benediction, and during the singing of the Hymns.

ADDRESSES OF THE DAY

At the First Session

BY RODNEY H. TRUE, Ph.D.
Professor of Botany.

At the Second Session

BY O. H. PERRY PEPPER, M.D.
Assistant Professor of Medicine.

HYMN—"Hail! Pennsylvania!"

Hail! Pennsylvania! noble and strong;
To thee with loyal hearts we raise our song.
Swelling to Heaven, loud our praises ring;
Hail! Pennsylvania! of thee we sing!

Majesty as a crown rests on thy brow;
Pride, Honor, Glory, Love, before thee bow.
Ne'er can thy spirit die, thy walls decay;
Hail! Pennsylvania! for thee we pray!

Hail! Pennsylvania! guide of our youth;
Lead thou thy children on to light and truth;
Thee, when death summons us, others shall praise,
Hail! Pennsylvania! through endless days.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE

ORCHESTRAL INTERLUDE

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

HYMN—"Old Hundred"

From all that dwell below the skies,
Let the Creator's praise arise!
Let the Redeemer's name be sung
Through ev'ry land, by ev'ry tongue!

Eternal are Thy mercies, Lord;
Eternal truth attends Thy word:
Thy praise shall sound from shore to shore
Till suns shall rise and set no more.

BENEDICTION BY THE CHAPLAIN OF THE DAY

ORCHESTRAL POSTLUDE

FIRST SESSION
HONORARY DEGREES

Master of Arts
GREVILLE HASLAM

Doctor of Music
HARRY ALEXANDER MATTHEWS

Doctor of Laws
LIVINGSTON FARRAND
THOMAS JAMES GARLAND

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SECOND SESSION

HONORARY DEGREES

Master of Letters

JOHN ASHHURST

Doctor of Letters

HERMAN VANDENBURG AMES

JOHN CAREW ROLFE

Doctor of Science

JOHN ROBBINS MOHLER

ALFRED NEWTON RICHARDS

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