University of Pennsylvania

One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Commencement

for the

Conferring of Degrees

The University Palestra

Wednesday, June the Seventeenth, 1931

10 o'clock a.m.
Order of Ceremonies

ORCHESTRAL PRELUDE

ACADEMIC PROCESSION*

INVOCATION BY THE CHAPLAIN

Rev. J. A. MacCallum, D.D.

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 thrill
   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.

*The audience is requested to stand during the Academic Procession, during the Invocation and Benediction, and during the singing of the Hymns.
PRESENTATION OF THOMAS SOVEREIGN GATES
AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY

Presentation by Mr. George Wharton Pepper, on behalf of the Trustees.

Conferring of the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws upon President Gates, by Provost Josiah Harmar Penniman.

ADDRESS BY PRESIDENT GATES

HYMN—"Hail! Pennsylvanian!"

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, thro' endless days.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

By President Thomas Sovereign Gates

MASTER OF ARTS

GILBERT HAVEN FALL, Presented by Samuel F. Houston

DOCTOR OF LETTERS

ARTHUR HOBSOEN QUINN, Presented by John C. Rolfe
CORNELIUS WEYGANDT, Presented by Clarence G. Child

DOCTOR OF MUSIC

OLGA SAMAROFF, Presented by Henry S. Drinker, Jr.
DOCTOR OF SCIENCE
Howard McClenahan, Presented by Adolph G. Rosengarten

DOCTOR OF LAWS
George William McClelland, Presented by J. Whitaker Thompson
Horatio Gates Lloyd, Presented by Edward Hopkinson, Jr.
Charles Ezra Beury, Presented by Cheesman A. Herrick

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
ACADEMIC PROCESSION
ORCHESTRAL POSTLUDE

Steinway Piano Used