



6-10-1961

1961 Commencement Program

Whittier College

*The Fifty-Eighth
Annual Commencement
of
Whittier College*



June 10, 1961

Four-thirty in the afternoon

THE HERBERT E. HARRIS AMPHITHEATRE

Whittier, California

Program

PROCESSIONAL—"Crown Imperial"Walton

Robert Prichard, A.B., M.A., Organist
Instructor in Organ
(Audience Standing)

INVOCATION.....*The Reverend Charles Huddleston, B.A., B.D.*

Minister, Brea Congregational Church,
Brea, California

ADDRESS *Herman H. Henkle, M.A.*

Librarian, John Crerar Library,
Chicago, Illinois

COMMENCEMENT CHARGE *Chester McCloskey, Ph.D.*

Executive Director, Industrial Associates
and Senior Research Fellow in Chemistry,
California Institute of Technology

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES *Paul S. Smith, Ph.D.*

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Dean of the College

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ALMA MATER

(Words on last page)

BENEDICTION....*The Reverend Ernst H. Nussmann, B.A., B.D.*

Minister, Mt. Hope United Church of Christ,
Whittier, California

RECESSIONAL—"Pomp and Circumstance" *Elgar*

BENJAMIN G. WHITTEN, Ph.D., F. BEACH LEIGHTON, Ph.D. Marshals

Assistant Marshals are Members of Cap and Gown,

Omicron Delta Kappa and Knights

Ushers are Sosecos and Squires

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

DOCTOR OF LAWS

(Honorary)

Lewis Elden Smith
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DOCTOR OF LETTERS

(Honorary)

Joseph Herschel Coffin
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MASTER OF ARTS

JULY 30, 1960

Frances Ann Heussenstamm
(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "*Curriculum Development and Trends in the Six Week Summer Sessions of the Whittier Union High School District.*"

Corinne Krekler Wersan
(B.A., Earlham College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "*A Value Study of Certain Students and Alumni of Six Friends' Co-Educational Secondary Schools.*"

Joyce Stallfort Williamson
(B.S., Stanford University)

THESIS SUBJECT: "*Group Guidance as a Technique for the Classroom Teacher.*"

MASTER OF EDUCATION

JULY 30, 1960

James Floyd Ackley
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Marjorie Dorothy Hedrick
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at Los Angeles)

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MASTER OF EDUCATION

AUGUST 27, 1960

John William Brink
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(B.A., Whittier College)

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(B.S., University of
Southern California)

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at Davis)

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(B.S. in Ed., Southwest Institute of Technology)

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

MASTER OF ARTS

FEBRUARY 4, 1961

Barbara Deibert Chinn

(B.S., University of California at Los Angeles)

THESIS SUBJECT: "A Study of the School Lunch Program."

Kenneth D. Schmutzer

(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "Motivating Creative Expression Through the Medium of a School Newspaper."

MASTER OF SCIENCE

FEBRUARY 4, 1961

George Herbert Briles

(B.S., University of Kansas)

THESIS SUBJECT: "A Study of the Sulfonilamides with Special Reference to 5-Aminosaccharin and its Derivatives."

MASTER OF EDUCATION

FEBRUARY 4, 1961

Leon P. Steenson

(B.A., Washington College of Education)

MASTER OF ARTS

JUNE 10, 1961

Mary Sylvester Adams

(B.A., La Verne College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "A Survey of Prevalent Practices in Phonics Instruction in Selected Schools of a Los Angeles County—Orange County Area."

Virginia De Flon

(B.A., University of California at Los Angeles)

THESIS SUBJECT: "An Investigation of the Relationship of Tongue Thrust to Defective Articulation in Speech."

Lyle Glenn Francisco

(B.A., Pasadena College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "A Study of Batting Techniques."

Emily S. Renner Lewis

(B.S., Pepperdine College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "The Use of a Workbook for Effective Teaching in Large Clothing I Classes."

Verna Darlene Mader

(B.A., Nebraska State Teachers College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "A Comparative Study of Physical Fitness of Oriental Girls in Hawaii and Caucasian Girls in California."

Laurel Mae Meyer

(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "An Investigation of the Effects of a Competitive Playday on Girls of Junior High School Age."

Robert Francis Morton

(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "Mr. Scrooge. An Adaptation of Dicken's Christmas Carol for Orchestra, Chorus, Dance and Drama."

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

MASTER OF ARTS (Cont.)

JUNE 10, 1961

Dean Arthur Spencer
(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "*Physical Fitness Testing of California High School.*"

Kazuko Suzuki
(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "*Problems of Communication in E. M. Forster's 'A Passage to India.'*"

MASTER OF SCIENCE

JUNE 10, 1961

Donald K. Alford
(B.A., Whittier College)

THESIS SUBJECT: "*A Study of the Uptake of Beryllium by Plants and the Effects of the Ingestion of Beryllium Compounds in Mice.*"

Mary Anne Crabtree
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THESIS SUBJECT: "*Investigations in Heterotransplantation of Tumors in the Golden Hamster.*"

MASTER OF EDUCATION

JUNE 10, 1961

Ronald Eugene Franklin
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(B.A., Whittier College)

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(B.S., College of William and Mary)

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of Education)

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FEBRUARY 4, 1961

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 Jerry John Morgan
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 Sondra Louise Mulcahy
 Robert Reid Newport
 David Walter Newquist
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Alma Mater

I

*When the dews of eve are falling,
Glistening on the campus loved so well,
Then our hearts to thee are calling
Dear old Whittier we love so well.*

CHORUS

*Our hearts belong to thee forever,
They thrill with love for thee most dear,
Our loyalty fades never,
We'll be ever true to Whittier.*

II

*When the moonlight sheds its splendor,
And the students ever come and go,
There we'll roam in rapture tender,
In the evening's mellow golden glow.*

*President and Mrs. Smith
and Members of the Faculty
Invite You to Attend the Informal Reception
for the Class of 1961, their Parents, Relatives and Friends
6:00 P.M. Poet Quad*