Program

THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

PROCESSIONAL

INVOCATION .................................................Alfred W. Wishart

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS .........................John S. Millis

'The Conquest of Fear'

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE AWARD OF HONORS

THE CONFEERING OF THE DEGREES IN COURSE

THE CONFEERING OF HONORARY DEGREES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BENEDICTION ..............................................Theodore C. Mayer

RECESSIONAL

(The audience is requested to remain seated during the
Processional and the Recessional)
DEGREES
IN COURSE

Bachelor of Arts

WOMEN

†Lois Ethel Hoffman *
Cleveland

Fay Lorraine Akins
Glens Falls, N.Y.

Susan Rae Allen
La Jolla, Calif.

Sally Lou Anthony
Canton

Pruglenda Bacon
Wilmington, N.Y.

Lois Jean Baker
Lafayette, Ind.

Jane Elizabeth Bancroft *
Cortland, N.Y.

Mary Alice Baughman
Dunkirk

Jane Ellen Black
Juneau, Alaska

Virginia Ruth Blair
McConnelsville

Barbara Ann Bower
Schenectady, N.Y.

Jo Anne Bruce
Canton

Mary Ellen Buckstaff
Lakewood

Katherine Louise Byers
Kenmore, N.Y.

Patricia Ann Campbell
Berea

Joyce Aileen Cappon
Rochester, N.Y.

Elizabeth Ann Carswell
Basking Ridge, N.J.

Marilyn Jane Cogan
Titusville, Pa.

Susan Hanna Coleman
Rocky River

Joanne Lee Craig
New Brighton, Pa.

Leila Staub Davis
Turtle Creek, Pa.

Kathryn Sue Demmon
Bridgeport, W.Va.

Marjorie Cannon Dew
Wooster

Marilynn Jean Eschenberg
Shreve

Joyce Apple Evans
Trenton, N.J.

Shirley Garrison Falteich
New York, N.Y.

Faye Jean Ferguson
Ridgewood, N.J.

Mary Louise Frank
Texas City, Tex.

Nancy Jane Frank
Washington, D.C.

Jean Warman Garrett
Toledo

Jean L. Gaylord
Lockport, N.Y.

Helen Lois Houser Gooch
Indianapolis, Ind.

Christina Marie Griffes
Warrenton, Va.

Jean Marie Hasenpflug
Cleveland
Marilyn Elaine Hicks
Cleveland Heights

Helen Selma Hokanson
West Orange, N.J.

Elizabeth Jane Howard
Van Wert

Helen Linda Hutchins
Freeport, Ill.

Priscilla Homan Jackson
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Anne Willson Eubank Jolliff *
Cross Cut, Tex.

Judith Witt Keller
Cleveland Heights

Anne Kelso
Euclid

Carolyn Susanne Kendig *
Mansfield

Carol Ann Kish
Rocky River

Nancy Ruth Korth
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Alice Kresensky
Algona, Ia.

Joan Margret Larson
Canton

Doris Ruth Lehman
Wichita, Kan.

Ruth Mary Ligon
Knoxville, Tenn.

Margaret Stewart Luce
La Grange, Ill.

Eleanor Louise McClelland
Berea

Sheila Roberta McIsaac
Auburn, N.Y.

Julia Jane McMillen
Barberton

Joan Merle MacKenzie
Glenshaw, Pa.

Sylvia Rose Martin
Lewiston, N.Y.

Janet Rae Maryott
Montclair, N.J.

Anita June Massaro
Wooster

Anne Brestel Mayer
Steubenville

Gretchen Louise Mayer
Fairview Park

Sheila Hunt Meek
Brookline, Mass.

Margaret Ann Meyer
Los Angeles, Calif.

Marian Elizabeth Meyer
Akron

Nancy Dell Mohr
Cincinnati

Marie Louise Montag
Beaver, Pa.

Katherine Lea Moore
Bloomington, Ind.

Jane Gustin Morris
Mercer, Pa.

Shirley Ann Nelson
Cleveland Heights

Eleanor Mae Norfleet
Pittsford, N.Y.

Gail Louise Parker
Basking Ridge, N.J.

Anne Louise Pasek
Port Washington, N.Y.

Nancy Peters
Aliquippa, Pa.

Elizabeth Ellen Platt
Ridgewood, N.J.

Linda Stauffer Purdy *
Wooster

Barbara Anne Randall
Princeton, N.J.
Georgianne Robinson
Dearborn, Mich.

Jane Downs Rupp
Rochester, N.Y.

Ardyth I. Schoner
East Orange, N.J.

Evelyn Mary Schulz
Washington, D.C.

Lois Evelyn Searfoss
Minneapolis, Minn.

Margaret Ann Sessions
Canton

Sherry Fern Slater
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Joan Elizabeth Smith
Canton

Ruth Elizabeth Smyth
Wooster

Virginia Louise Stauss
Alexandria, Va.

Jane Lois Szuhany
Bloomfield, N.J.

Hannah Alicia Taylor
Akron

Carol Ann Thomas
Westlake

Jane E. Tinley
Dunkirk, N.Y.

Leslie Jeanne Towle
Shaker Heights

Elisabeth Allen Walters
Columbus

Mary Alice Warner
Oberlin

Mildred Webb
Harrisburg, Pa.

Carolyn Jane Weber

LaVerne Frances Wellens
Silver Spring, Md.

Dorothy Daum Wettstone
Oshkosh, Wis.

Bonnie Hawk Whitney
Canton

Elizabeth Lynn Wickard
Miami, Fla.

Margaret A. Williams
Middletown, Pa.

Harriet Jane Winfield *
Falls Church, Va.

Alice Ann Wishart
Warren

Barbara Jean Wolford
Parma

Mary Christine Unger Wright
Lakewood

Marlene Lou Wyant
Canton

Marjorie Jean Yoder
Bedford

Sondra Arlette Yost
Fayette

Sandra Cecelia Zummo
Cleveland

Bachelor of Music
Jean Louise Wells
Hurley, N.Y.
Bachelor of Music Education

Margaret Joanne Brooks  
Middletown

Julianna Chapman  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Ann Grunder  
Minerva

Ruth E. May Sanderson  
Doswell, Va.

Patricia Ellen Wise  
Carlisle, Pa.

Bachelor of Arts

MEN

†Robert George Tobey  
Lansdowne, Pa.

Philip Jack Allan  
Canton

David Bryce Anderson  
Rockville Centre, N.Y.

Robert Alton Andrews, Jr.  
Decatur, Ga.

Stephen Trowbridge Arpee  
Lake Forest, Ill.

Donald L. Baltz  
Detroit, Mich.

George Terry Bard  
McConnellsburg, Pa.

Robert Van Rensselaer Barnard  
Watertown, N.Y.

Creighton Beeching  
Edwards, Miss.

Howard Walter Boyd  
Parma

Elam G. Bruegger  
Navarre

William V. Buchanan, Jr. *  
New Philadelphia

Ronald Eugene Buckalew  
Wilmington, Del.

Rodney Lee Buckson  
Cuyahoga Falls

John Michael Carter  
Middletown

David J. Cartmell  
Watkins Glen, N.Y.

Gordon H. Clark  
Rochester, N.Y.

John Charles Cochran  
Cuyahoga Falls

Gar Elmore Compton  
Canton

Harry Linwood Cornish  
Elizabeth, N.J.

Robert Paul Crone  
Massillon

Glennwood Earl Cronin  
Hagaman, N.Y.

Bernard B. Davis, Jr.  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Evan Edward Davis  
Oak Hill

George Blanton Dawkins  
Mansfield

Wilmer Vincent Driggs  
Cambridge
David Laird Dungan
Canton

Robert Philip Eaton
Grand Rapids, Mich.

Alfred William Edel
Buffalo, N.Y.

Gordon Evan Evans
Minerva

Richard Abbott Evans
Fort Myers, Fla.

E. Richard Falck
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Philip Leroy Ferguson
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Larry D. Flesher
Wooster

Noel Eugene Franks
Wooster

Richard E. Garcia
Tiffin

John Martin Gardner
St. Louis, Mo.

Stanley Llewellyn Geddes
Waban, Mass.

Ralph Geiger Gillespie, Jr.
Detroit, Mich.

John Darrell Gooch
Indianapolis, Ind.

Ronald A. Gould
Grand Junction, Colo.

Walter Hayes Gunn
Painesville

James Calvin Gwynne
Lakewood

William W. Hand
Wooster

Raymond Allen Hartman, Jr.
Hasbrouck, N.J.

Donald Earl Hatch *
Portville, N.Y.

John Paul Haun
Wooster

Lester Paul Hauschild, Jr.
New Castle, Pa.

Malcolm Leroy Hazel, Jr.
Fanwood, N.J.

John Lowell Heller
Narberth, Pa.

David Earl Hoffman
Burbank

David Lee Hogenboom
Edinboro, Pa.

John W. Hornfeldt, Jr.
Wooster

Donald Gordon Howland
Youngstown

Richard Cameron Hyde
Canton

Thomas D. Igoe
Wooster

Thomas Richard Justice
Lewiston, N.Y.

Thomas William Kimmins
Massillon

Mehdi Kizilbash
Bombay, India

Thomas Kent Knoke
Deshler

Lawrence Keith Kolinski
Bay Village

Sheldon Grant Levy
Evergreen Park, Ill.

G. Richard Leyda
Wooster
Olimpo Lozano Guzman
Bogota, Colombia

Robert Warren McQuilken
Strafford, Pa.

Tom Alan McQuillin
Delta

Donald Robert MacPherson
Long Island, N.Y.

Charles F. Mann
Wooster

David Franklin Mark
Wichita, Kan.

Josiah Locke Mason
Ashland

Donald Edward Metz
Cleveland

Frederick Paul Meyerhoefer
Canfield

Robert Cameron Mitchell
Rockville Centre, N.Y.

Donald Charles Nyland
Albany, N.Y.

Robert Alan O'Meara
Kearny, N.J.

Richard Allan Paulson
Massillon

Peter William Perry
Wilmington, Del.

Gene Gibson Phlegar
McKees Rocks, Pa.

Kenneth Robert Plusquellec
Wheeling, W.Va.

Conrad Straith Putzig
Dearborn, Mich.

Brenton Roycroft Rabe
Shaker Heights

Robert Roland Rafos
Cuyahoga Falls

David Peter Robertson
Lakewood

Bruce Darrell Roth
Beach City

Thomas Franklin Samsel
Midland, Mich.

Jack Hall Scaff, Jr.
Bernardsville, N.J.

Darrell Maurice Scattergood
East Aurora, N.Y.

Robert Edward Schubert
Rockville Centre, N.Y.

Robert Louis Seaman
Silver Spring, Md.

John Dwight Sharick
Norwalk

James W. Singer
Smithville

Harry Richard Slagle
Pittsburgh, Pa.

David S. Smith, Jr.
Massillon

Alan Robertson Swagger
Williamsville, N.Y.

William Paul Swarts
Burborton

John Thayer Sweeney
Mt. Gilead

Oren Allan Wasson
West Salem

Robert Armstrong Wehe
Bellaire

Albert James Weinmann
Strasburg

Richard Freed Whiteleather
Minerva

John David Wilson
Canton
Dale Alan Withers
Parma Heights

Edward Winslow Wolfe
Jamaica, N.Y.

Gordon Mathieu Wood
New Rochelle, N.Y.

Robert Lee Yoder
Wooster

Bronislaw Zajbert
Caracas, Venezuela

Bachelor of Music
Russell Macfarland Blackmer, Jr.

†Class Marshal. The man and the woman with highest scholastic standing.
*Completed the requirements for graduation at the end of the first semester.

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Degrees Conferred October 12, 1956

Bachelor of Arts

Women
Elizabeth Harper Einsel
Cleveland Heights

MEN

Bobbie W. Bush
North Canton

Hobart G. Campbell
Allentown, Pa.

William James Crawford
Fairborn

Sheldon Campbell Daniel
Doylestown

Ronald Burdett Hendee
Pittsford, N.Y.

Keith Edison Henry
Covington

Walter Thomas Jackson
Baltimore, Md.

Donald Robert Keen
Dravosburg, Pa.

Carlos Daniel Ledee
Brooklyn, N.Y.
HONORARY

Doctor of Divinity
Raymond E. Dronsfield
William James Westhafer

Doctor of Humanities
William Samuel Meyer
John Schoff Millis

Doctor of Science
Harold David Green

Conferred May 9, 1957

Doctor of Letters
Frank Halliday Ferris

HONORS AND PRIZES

A. Departmental Honors, 1957

Fay Lorraine Akins
Sociology

Philip Jack Allan
Economics

Susan Rae Allen
English

Sally Lou Anthony
Speech

Jane Elizabeth Bancroft
Political Science

Jo Anne Bruce
English and Spanish

Ronald Eugene Buckalew
English and Greek

Rodney Lee Buckson
Chemistry

Joyce Aileen Cappon
Speech

John Charles Cochran
Chemistry

Kathryn Sue Demmon
Physical Education for Women

Marjorie Cannon Dew
Religion

Robert Philip Eaton
Chemistry

Faye Jean Ferguson
Psychology
Ralph Geiger Gillespie, Jr.  
Economics

Helen Lois Houser Gooch  
Art

John Darrell Gooch  
Speech

Lois Ethel Hoffman  
English

Helen Selma Hokanson  
Psychology

John W. Hornfeldt, Jr.  
Political Science

Elizabeth Jane Howard  
Psychology

Thomas D. Igoe  
Economics

Judith Witt Keller  
Speech and English

Anne Kelso  
Biology

Doris Ruth Lehman  
Philosophy

Eleanor Louise McClelland  
Music

Sheila Roberta McIsaac  
English

Robert Warren McQuilken  
English and Philosophy

Josiah Locke Mason  
Political Science

Anne Brestel Mayer  
Music

Gretchen Louise Mayer  
History

Frederick Paul Meyerhoefer  
Chemistry

Robert Cameron Mitchell  
History

Nancy Dell Mohr  
Religion

Katherine Lea Moore  
English

Jane Gustin Morris  
Physical Education for Women

Anne Louise Pasek  
Spanish

Kenneth Robert Plusquellec  
Political Science

Brenton Roycroft Rabe  
Political Science

Barbara Anne Randall  
History

Margaret Ann Sessions  
Sociology

Hannah Alicia Taylor  
Psychology

Carol Ann Thomas  
Geology and Geography

Robert George Tobey  
Mathematics and Philosophy

Mary Alice Warner  
Economics

Oren Allan Wasson  
Physics

Carolyn Jane Weber  
Biology

Albert James Weinmann  
Physical Education for Men

Margaret A. Williams  
History

Harriet Jane Winfield  
Religion

Edward Winslow Wolfe  
Geology and Geography

Barbara Jean Wolford  
Biology

Mary Christine Unger Wright  
Economics
B. Phi Beta Kappa

CLASS OF 1957

Philip Jack Allan
Lois Ethel Hoffman
Thomas Delano Igoe
Judith Witt Keller
Doris Ruth Lehman
Robert Warren McQuilken

Frederick Paul Meyerhoefer
Nancy Dell Mohr
Margaret Ann Sessions
Robert George Tobey
Margaret Ann Williams

C. Prizes

THE JONAS O. NOTESTEIN PRIZE
Lois Ethel Hoffman

THE WILLIAM A. GALPIN PRIZES FOR GENERAL EXCELLENCE IN COLLEGE WORK

Women’s Prizes                     Men’s Prizes
1. Sheila Roberta McIsaac          1. Thomas Richard Justice
2. Sally Lou Anthony               2. Robert Warren McQuilken

THE G. JULIAN LATHROP MEMORIAL AWARD
Divided equally between
Robert Philip Eaton and Frederick Paul Meyerhoefer

THE NETTA STRAIN SCOTT PRIZES IN ART
1. Helen Houser Gooch
2. James Calvin Gwynne

THE HORACE N. MATEER PRIZE IN BIOLOGY
Carolyn Jane Weber

THE WILLIAM Z. BENNETT PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY
Robert Philip Eaton

THE WILLIAM BRYON ROSS MEMORIAL PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY
John Charles Cochran

THE FRANK HEWITT COWLES MEMORIAL PRIZE IN CLASSICS
Anita June Massaro

THE PAUL Q. WHITE PRIZE IN ENGLISH
Lois Ethel Hoffman
THE ROBERT WRIGHT McDOWELL PRIZE IN GEOLOGY
Edward Winslow Wolfe

THE DELTA PHI ALPHA PRIZES IN GERMAN
1. Robert Louis Seaman
2. Sandra Cecelia Zummo

THE ROBERT JAMES BROWN PRIZE IN HISTORY
Robert Cameron Mitchell

THE PHI ALPHA THETA SCHOLARSHIP KEY IN HISTORY
Margaret A. Williams

THE WILLIAM H. WILSON PRIZE IN MATHEMATICS
Robert George Tobey

THE PI KAPPA LAMBDA PRIZE IN MUSIC
Anne Brestel Mayer

THE PI KAPPA LAMBDA MEMORIAL PRIZE IN MUSIC
Alice Ann Wishart

THE JOHN F. MILLER PRIZE IN PHILOSOPHY
Doris Ruth Lehman

THE MANGES PRIZE IN ATHLETICS
Thomas Richard Justice

THE ARTHUR H. COMPTON PRIZE IN PHYSICS
Oren Allan Wasson

THE LINCOLN PRIZE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE
John W. Hornfeldt, Jr.

THE LILA BLACK PRIZE IN POLITICS
Jane Elizabeth Bancroft

THE PAUL DeWITT TWINEM BIBLE AWARD
Marjorie Cannon Dew

THE EDWARD McCREIGHT PRIZE IN DRAMATICS
John Darrell Gooch

THE CLASS OF 1875 PRIZE IN ORATORY
Robert Alan O'Meara
Prizes for the academic year 1955-56 other than those awarded to seniors were formally presented at a recognition service on December 7, 1956. These include:

THE COLLEGE PRIZE IN ORATORY—Donna Musser

THE ELIAS COMPTON FRESHMAN PRIZE—Nancy Jean Koontz

THE JOSEPH ALBERTUS CULLER PRIZE IN PHYSICS—Gregory Seaman

THE JAMES KENDALL CUNNINGHAM MEMORIAL PRIZE—Robert Philip Eaton

THE PERLEY W. DOZER PRIZE IN SPEECH—Robert Parkinson

THE DELTA PHI ALPHA PRIZE IN GERMAN—
First year: John Gardner, Roger Garst, Janet Ferguson, Josef Park, Nancy Wells.

THE PAUL EVANS LAMALE PRIZE IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES—Creighton Beeching

THE TOM NEISWANDER MEMORIAL AWARD FROM THE CLASS OF 1952—Marlene Wyant

THE EDWARD TAYLOR PRIZES—1. Carol Ann Ryder
2. Janet Marie Gabrielson

THE ROBERT E. WILSON AWARD—Rodney Lee Buckson

The William H. Wilson Research Awards for members of the departments of Mathematics and the Natural Sciences are financed by the annual income from the William H. Wilson Fund begun by Mrs. M. H. Frank and now in continuation by Dr. Robert E. Wilson, of the Class of 1914, in memory of William H. Wilson, of the Class of 1899 and, later, Professor of Mathematics. Recipients of the awards for the year 1956-57 are the following members of the faculty:

John W. Chittum, Professor of Chemistry
H. Gray Multer, Assistant Professor of Geology
John D. Reinhheimer, Associate Professor of Chemistry
Warren P. Spencer, Professor of Biology
Andrew A. Weaver, Assistant Professor of Biology