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THE
ONE HUNDRED EIGHTEENTH COMMENCEMENT
OF
THE COLLEGE AND BEXLEY HALL



ROSSE HALL
TEN-THIRTY O'CLOCK JUNE TWENTY-FOURTH
NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SIX

PROGRAM

THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

THE INVOCATION

The Reverend David Wilson Thornberry, D.D.

HYMN

ONCE TO EVERY MAN AND NATION - - - - - Welsh Hymn Melody

(The audience will remain standing during the hymn)

Once to every man and nation
Comes the moment to decide,
In the strife of truth with falsehood,
For the good or evil side;
Some great cause, God's new Messiah,
Offering each the bloom or blight,
And the choice goes by forever
'Twill that darkness and that light.

Then to side with truth is noble,
When we share her wretched crust,
Ere her cause bring fame and profit,
And 'tis prosperous to be just;
Then it is the brave man chooses,
While the coward stands aside
Till the multitude make virtue
Of the faith they had denied.

Though the cause of evil prosper,
Yet 'tis truth alone is strong;
Though her portion be the scaffold,
And upon the throne be wrong,
Yet that scaffold sways the future,
And, behind the dim unknown,
Standeth God within the shadow
Keeping watch above His own.
Amen

ADDRESS

THE HIGHER LOYALTIES OF AN EDUCATION

The Right Reverend Beverley Dandridge Tucker, M.A. (Oxon.), D.D., LL.D., S.T.D.
Bishop of Ohio

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HYMN

A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD - - - - - Luther

A mighty Fortress is our God,
A Bulwark never failing;
Our Helper He amid the flood
Of mortal ills prevailing:
For still our ancient foe
Doth seek to work us woe;
His craft and power are great,
And, armed with cruel hate,
On earth is not his equal.

Did we in our own strength confide,
Our striving would be losing;
Were not the right man on our side,
The man of God's own choosing:
Dost ask who that may be?
Christ Jesus, it is He;
Lord Sabaoth His Name,
From age to age the same,
And he must win the battle.

That word above all earthly powers,
No thanks to them, abideth;
The Spirit and the gifts are ours
Through Him who with us sideth:
Let goods and kindred go,
This mortal life also;
The body they may kill:
God's truth abideth still,
His kingdom is forever
Amen

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

HYMN

O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST - - - - - Croft

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home:

A thousand ages in Thy sight
Are like an evening gone;
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.

Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone,
And our defense is sure.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly, forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our Guide while life shall last,
And our eternal home.
Amen

BENEDICTION

The Right Reverend Arthur Raymond McKinstry, D.D.
Bishop of Delaware