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CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE*

THE courtesy of the Pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church and of the Board of Stewards of this congregation, and the good offices of the staff, in accommodating still another midwinter commencement of the Rice Institute, we most gratefully acknowledge. Historically a church edifice is an altogether appropriate place for such events, especially those of the character immediately to follow. The mediæval universities received their authority from the church. The University of Paris, mother and model of modern universities, was originally a group of cathedral schools. The association has persisted. For example, I have witnessed academic ceremonies in the chapels of Harvard, Princeton, Chicago, and Stanford.

The degrees about to be conferred are earned degrees. They are awarded by authority derived from the state, vested in the trustees of the Rice Institute, and by the trustees delegated to me on this occasion. The degrees are conferred on recommendation of the faculty, and in the procedure the Secretary of the Faculty will introduce the candidates, the Bursar and the Curator will serve as marshals, the hoods will be invested by the Dean, and the diplomas received from the Registrar.

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Josephine Everlina Abercrombie	Billie Rose Blair
Mignonette Helen Berg	Sue Evelyn Bone
Ellen Joyce Berwick	Billie Louise Bradford

*By Edgar O. Lovett, retiring President.

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Frances Jean Brock
Vera Elizabeth Brown
Evelyn Irma Burke, with
distinction
Leona Ciulla
Janet Erskine Croom
Billie Jo Darden
Elizabeth Louise Davis
Mary Katherine Bayless
Dobelman, with distinction
Camille Dockery
Doris Elaine Ehlinger
Alma Jane Elliott
Mary Jane Ellis
Shirley Dent Ellison
Caroline Fay
Duane Marvin Feeley, with hon-
ors in Chemistry
Ann Lorraine Fleissner
Anita George
Mally Jane Gillespie
Lila Humphreys Gordon
Muriel Jean Greenman, with dis-
tinction
Mady Audrey Gregory
Eunice Johnson Grey
Florence Herndon Groce
Rosemary Heaner Hayden
Elsie Sue Haynie
Catherine Warren Henry
Elender May Hickey
Barbara Claire Hicks
Anna Kathryn Holland
Marion Hilton Holland, with
distinction
Gladys Carolyn Jackson
Allan Kendrick James
Geane Brogniez Jeffery
Suzanne Elizabeth Jonsson
Joy Joyce, with distinction
Lida Baker Kittrell
Anne Carter Landram
William Rugeley Livesay, *in ab-
sentia*
Louise Margaret Loose
June Marie Loveless
Mildred McCall
Dorothy Ann McCleary
Gene Edward Manley
Ann Cuthbert Martin
James Addison Martin, *in ab-
sentia*
Robert Weldon Maurice
Mary Elaine Meador
Rosalie Carlton Meek
Lore Merten, with honors in
Chemistry
Mary Dee Miller
Mary Elizabeth Mims
Johelle Warren Morrow
Leon Marion Nad, with distinc-
tion
Roberta Newlin Newnham
Mary Ruth Omer
Joseph Oshman
Jane Raubold
Lauralee Redfield, with distinc-
tion
Nancy Blakemore Renaud
Joyce Wade Richardson
Jo Ruth Russell
Cecile Rae Sass, with distinction
Catherine Hargis Scherwitz, *in
absentia*
Margaret Campbell Scott
Benny Carl Shinpaugh
Sara Nan Snoddy
Samuel Thomas Swinford
Robert White Talley, *in absentia*
Beverly Jean Taylor
Catherine Fordtran Thompson
Mose Allen Treadwell, Jr.
Marjorie Repass Tresch
Jean Marie Van Everdingen
Elizabeth Carol Krause Vondy,
with honors in English
Madge Adele West
Patricia Ray West
Muriel Elizabeth Wicks
Robert James Wright
Winnie Rhea Wroten

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Elsie Elizabeth Allen	Arianna Wright, with honors in
Josue Pascal Marroquin	Mathematics and Physics
Craig Adams Tips	

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

Robert William Bell	David Jean Mistrot
Garry Edward Corbett	Edward Carter Nicar, Jr.
James Roy Goodearle	Joseph Hansbro Ross
Jack Waggoner Hayden	Rosemary Schmidt
Roland Clayton Hill	Keith Llewellyn Wagner
Fred Kincaid Mauzy	

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Lell Ezelle Barnes	Dale Joe Missimer, with distinction
Kenneth Adams Bilderback	William Henry Newman
Bruce Holmes Bradbeer	Robert J. Sabin
Edward Louis Caustin	Robert Coddington Wheatley
John Richard Eliason, with distinction	Carroll Thomas White
Frederick Oliver Humke, Jr.	Richard Daniel Zuefeldt
John William Miller	

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Joseph Robert Ault	William Clyde Milstead
James Finley Barkley	Clarence Edwin Murphey
Marion Alpheus Boggs, Jr.	Bruce Melvin Myers
Calvin Virgil Dresser	Gerald Joseph Shaw
George Atherton Howard	Charles Miller Smith, Jr.
Frederick William Kramer	Louis George Wagner
Robert Blackburn Manning	

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURE

Ann Ridgeway

MASTER OF ARTS

Alison Croom Cowling	Nell Joan Ranson
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Gerald Robinson MacLane