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PROGRAM

Sixth Commencement

PORTLAND
JUNIOR COLLEGE



Sunday, June 7, 1953

Portland, Maine

College Auditorium

4:00 P. M.

AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed His grace on thee
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea!

O beautiful for pilgrim feet
Whose stern, impassion'd stress
A thro' fare for freedom beat
Across the wilderness!
America! America! God mend thine ev'ry flaw,
Confirm thy soul in self-control,
Thy liberty in law!

O beautiful for heroes prov'd
In liberating strife,
Who more than self their country lov'd,
And mercy more than life!
America! America! May God thy gold refine,
Till all success be nobleness,
And ev'ry gain divine!

O beautiful for patriot dream
That sees beyond the years
Thine alabaster cities gleam
Undimm'd by human tears!
America! America! God shed His grace on thee
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea!

Program

ACADEMIC PROCESSION Class of 1953, Faculty, and Guests
Robert B. Olesen, *Marshal*

America the Beautiful

All are requested to rise, join in the singing and remain standing during the Invocation and the singing of The Lord's Prayer.

THE INVOCATION The Reverend Harold A. McElwain
The Lord's Prayer *Malotte*
PORTLAND MEN'S SINGING CLUB

THE IDEAS THAT COUNT Robert Barnard Levy

WHY DO MORE? Francis Joseph Maguire

THE GATEWAY TO SUCCESS Walter E. Mattson, Jr.

O Light Divine *Archangelsky*
PORTLAND MEN'S SINGING CLUB

ADDRESS Senator Margaret Chase Smith

THE ALUMNI AWARD Dr. John H. Seidel, Alumni President

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS Raymond S. Oakes, President of the Board
Luther I. Bonney, Dean

Evening Hymn *Sherwin-Stevens*
PORTLAND MEN'S SINGING CLUB

Refreshments will be served in the Lounge Room

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Box 54
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Diploma Awards

Philip E. Bigelow	Milton, Massachusetts
Martin H. Burke	South Portland
Leslie Ramsay Craig, Jr.	Freeport
Joseph Thomas Curran	Portland
Harvey Owen Elliot	Augusta
Robert J. Fantelli	Saco
Robert F. Gelinas	Portland
Richard A. Harding	South Windham
Joseph W. Harper, Jr.	South Portland
Henri A. Jean	Lewiston
Robert B. Levy	Portland
Francis G. MacFarlane	Rumford
Francis Joseph Maguire, Jr.	South Portland
Joseph M. Marks, Jr.	Freeport
Clinton S. Mason, Jr.	Freeport
Walter E. Mattson, Jr.	Portland
Roger R. Morin	Lewiston
Charles H. Norburg, Jr.	Portland
Robert B. Olesen	Portland
Charles B. Rodway, Jr.	Portland
Kenneth Charles Starrett	Portland
Donald Vassar Thorne	Bangor
Harold R. Tibbetts	Saco
Ronald A. Wallace	South Portland
Philip N. Wescott, Jr.	Falmouth Foreside