

## THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

O say can you see, by the dawn's early  
light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's  
last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,  
through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so  
gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs  
bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our  
flag was still there.  
O say does the Star-spangled Banner yet  
wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of  
the brave?

## ALMA MATER

On the rolling plains of Dixie,  
'Neath the sun-kissed sky,  
Proudly stands, O Alma Mater,  
A. P. I.  
To thy name we'll sing thy praise,  
From hearts that love so true  
And pledge to thee our loyalty  
The ages through.

### *First Chorus*

Hail thy colors, Orange and Blue,  
Unfurled unto the sky.  
To thee, our Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
O, A. P. I.

Hear thy student voices swelling,  
Echoes strong and clear,  
Adding laurels to thy fame  
Enshrined so dear.  
From thy hallowed walls we'll part  
And bid thee sad adieu,  
Thy sacred trust we'll bear with us  
The ages through.

### *Second Chorus*

God, our Father, hear our prayer,  
May Auburn never die.  
To thee, O Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
Our A. P. I.

—William T. "Bill" Wood, '24

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# *Commencement Exercises*

of the

## Alabama Polytechnic Institute

Auburn, Alabama

WINTER QUARTER, 1955



SPORTS ARENA

2:30 p.m.

Thursday, March 17, 1955

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Processional:

Marche Pontificale \_\_\_\_\_ Tombelle  
John William Tambllyn  
Assistant Professor of Music  
Alabama Polytechnic Institute

\*National Anthem

(Audience will remain standing for Invocation)

Invocation \_\_\_\_\_ Reverend Vernon H. Boriack  
Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church

Graduation Address \_\_\_\_\_ Lynn D. Poole  
B.A., M.A.  
Director of Public Relations  
The Johns Hopkins University  
Baltimore, Maryland

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Ralph Brown Draughon, B.S., M.S., LL.D.  
President, Alabama Polytechnic Institute

\*Alma Mater

Benediction \_\_\_\_\_ Reverend Joel McDavid  
Minister, Auburn Methodist Church

(Audience will remain standing until the Faculty has retired from the platform)

Recessional:

Grand Chorus in March-Form \_\_\_\_\_ Guilman

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THE ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, AUBURN, ALA.

Candidates for Graduation

March 17, 1955

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Master of Science (Psychology)

Claire French Wall \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
B.A., Huntingdon College, 1943. Thesis: "The Relationship Between Certain Variables in Reading Improvement and Academic Grades at the College Level."

Master of Science in Education

Sam Houston Sharp \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
B.S., University of Alabama, 1942. Thesis: "Trends in Elementary and Secondary Public School Transportation in Alabama from 1930-1953."

Master of Education

Tera Byrd Averett \_\_\_\_\_ Enterprise  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis option.  
Jean Clarke \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
B.A., Rollins College, 1949. Non-thesis option.  
William Earl Graham \_\_\_\_\_ Moulton  
B.S., Florence State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis option.  
James David Randall, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Eufaula  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis option.  
Joanne Ruffin \_\_\_\_\_ Tallassee  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis option.  
Joseph William Sweeney \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
B.A., St. John's University, 1951. Non-thesis option.

Master of Science in Agricultural Education

Alphus Greel Driggers \_\_\_\_\_ Louisville  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1942. Non-thesis option.

Master of Agricultural Education

Robert Neal Hall \_\_\_\_\_ Ashford  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis option.

Master of Science in Agricultural Engineering

Loyd Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Somerville  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Thesis: "The Relationship of Temperature and Evaporation to Measured and Estimated Evapotranspiration Rates in Middle Alabama."

Master of Science in Business Administration

Ralph Campbell Castleberry \_\_\_\_\_ Adel, Ga.  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "A Study of the Accounting Systems of Twenty-two Selected Collegiate Fraternities."

Thomas Watson Hughey \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "A Study of Accounting for Muscogee County, Georgia."  
 William Gordon Millen \_\_\_\_\_ Huntsville  
 B. of I.M., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Thesis: "Workmen's Compensation in Alabama."

*Master of Science in Entomology*

William Louis Seal \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Thesis: "The Toxicity of Several Insecticides and Miticides to the House Cricket, *Acheta domestica* L., with Notes on Its Parasitism by Various Species of Mites."

*Master of Science in Fish Management*

Jinda Thiemmoedh \_\_\_\_\_ Bangkok, Thailand  
 B.S., Silliman University (the Philippines), 1949. Thesis: "The Effect of BHC (Lexone, 10-GW, Gamma Isomer of Benzene Hexachloride) on Fish Food Organisms and Fish Production in Ponds."

*Master of Science in Game Management*

James Richard Davis \_\_\_\_\_ Red Level  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Food Habits of the Bobcat in Alabama."

Daniel Webster Speake \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Seasonal Abundance of Waterfowl on Sample Areas in Lee County, Alabama."

*Master of Mechanical Engineering*

James Romaro Wilbanks \_\_\_\_\_ Anderson, S. C.  
 B. of M.E., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Evaluation of Work Performed by Extra Gang No. 1, Columbus Division, Central of Georgia Railroad."

*Master of Science in Zoology*

Preston Terry Parish \_\_\_\_\_ Opelika  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1951. Thesis: "The Acute Toxicity of Meta-Systox to Rabbits."

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

*Bachelor of Science in Agriculture*

Bryan Gail Baker \_\_\_\_\_ Albertville  
 John Hamilton Dorrill, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Troy  
 Thomas Harold Fischer \_\_\_\_\_ Wedowee  
 Franklin Dumas Kimbrough, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Selma  
 Joe LaGrange Rawls \_\_\_\_\_ Andalusia

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Administration*

James Harold Horne \_\_\_\_\_ Enterprise

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Engineering*

James Terrell Benton \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile  
 Billy Aubrey Neighbors \_\_\_\_\_ Lineville

*Bachelor of Science in Forestry*

Charles Arnold Figg \_\_\_\_\_ Florence

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

*Bachelor of Architecture*

Robert Hopkins Jones \_\_\_\_\_ Donalsonville, Ga.  
 Charles Edward Rogers \_\_\_\_\_ Warrior

*Bachelor of Applied Art*

Beverley Sue Ivey \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
 James Arthur Jenkins \_\_\_\_\_ Bessemer  
 Melba Payne Rothschild \_\_\_\_\_ Bessemer

*Bachelor of Building Construction*

William Walton Clarkson \_\_\_\_\_ Millboro, Va.  
 James Boyd Eisenlohr \_\_\_\_\_ White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.  
 Frank Witherspoon Hutchinson, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 Samuel Grabfelder Proiss, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
 Luther Benton Whitehead, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Georgiana

SCHOOL OF CHEMISTRY

*Bachelor of Science in Chemistry*

Robert Edward Young \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.

*Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering*

Alvin Hubert Gibbs \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
 Donald Jenkins Haynes \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
 William Joseph Jeffords \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
 Hugh Percy Nicholson \_\_\_\_\_ Collinsville  
 Freddie Glenn Yarbrough \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

*Bachelor of Science in Education*

Mary Eleanor Ashmore \_\_\_\_\_ Jasper  
 George Arthur Atkins \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
 Frances Patterson Barry \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
 Corinne Hammer Betts \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 Donald Albert Britt \_\_\_\_\_ Ocala, Fla.  
 John Robert Carmichael \_\_\_\_\_ Buffalo  
 Edna Jean DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_ Pleasant Garden, N. C.  
 Ethel Lee Dial (With Honor) \_\_\_\_\_ Greensboro  
 Bobbie Lee Felton \_\_\_\_\_ Russellville  
 Sue Teague Fincher \_\_\_\_\_ Wedowee  
 Robert Clayton Freeman \_\_\_\_\_ Decatur  
 William Cecil Godfrey \_\_\_\_\_ Milstead  
 James Gay Hembree \_\_\_\_\_ Section  
 Barbara Reed Hester \_\_\_\_\_ Russellville  
 Kathryn Ann Hughes \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 Felda Gentry James \_\_\_\_\_ Tuskegee  
 Virginia Ann Middleton \_\_\_\_\_ Lanett  
 David Anthony Newcome \_\_\_\_\_ Gadsden  
 Roy Cecil O'Donnell \_\_\_\_\_ Ashville

Betty Jean Patrick	Columbus, Ga.
Norma Brandenburg Pelfrey	Mobile
Richard Pope Reese	Pensacola, Fla.
Alice Jean Strong	Auburn
Edith Bell Taylor	Andalusia
Jo Ann Whorton	Gadsden
Martha Ruth Wilson	Birmingham

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education*

Winston Kent Blankenship	Homewood
Robert Osie Bugg (With Highest Honor)	Wadley
James Wyatt Dowitt	Greensboro
James Bill Griffin	Harcoda
Luther Jackson McCaughey	Montevallo
Hiram Edmond Phillips	Anderson
Gene Scott Sessions	Camp Hill
Robert Irwin Stinson	Decatur
Edward Duke Tate	Greenville

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics Education*

Doris Copeland Holladay (With High Honor)	Notasulga
Mary Electra Hopson	Opelika
Jo Anne Pullen	Ranburne
Mildred McRee Smith	Gainesville
Hazel Anita Stein	Birmingham

**SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**

*Bachelor of Civil Engineering*

Jerry Thomas Barnes	Gadsden
Charles Lyon Cosminsky, Jr.	Mobile
Braxton Comer Counts, Jr.	Mobile
Rodney Leon Grandy, Jr.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Hines Newell Hall	Tensaw
Charles Irvin Harding (With Honor)	Birmingham
Rudolph Harlin	Roanoke
Constantine Nick Malamos	Pensacola, Fla.
Sidheshwar Prasad	Bihar, India
Travis Ray Schollian	Birmingham
Tapeswar Singh	Bihar, India
Robert Taylor Woodward	Jachin

*Bachelor of Electrical Engineering*

James William Carroll (Communications Option)	Birmingham
Gresham Grant Downs (Communications Option)	Birmingham
James Lee Lowry (Communications Option)	Montgomery
Charles Elkins Mays (Power Option)	Hartselle
George Browder Mumma (Communications Option)	Montgomery
Fred Hildmon Steele, Jr. (Communications Option)	Huntsville
Jack Wesley Summerford (Power Option)	Hartselle
Paul Rayford White (Communications Option)	Weaver

*Bachelor of Engineering Physics*

Wendell Arthur Childs	Cullman
John Rudolph Seibold (With Honor)	Auburn

*Bachelor of Industrial Management*

Lloyd Edward Duncan, Jr.	Birmingham
James Howard Gardner	Mobile
Milton Locke Graves, Jr.	Dadeville
Stanley Irving Hudnall, Jr.	Birmingham
Claude Henry Mullen, Jr.	Mobile
Luther Edmond Pierce	Gadsden
William Vernon Pleasants	Raleigh, N. C.
Andrew Calhoun Rucker	Atlanta, Ga.
Claude William Swader, Jr.	Birmingham
Robert Howell Tweedy, III	Courtland
Rodney Arlan Woodruff	Alabama City

*Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering*

Frederick Hubert Carley	Spring Hill
Jack Edward Cash	Anniston
George William Cooley	Talladega
William Eugene Driver	Birmingham
Billie Clyde Horne	Columbus, Ga.
Harold Scott Parker	Falkville
James Wilburn Patterson, Jr.	Guntersville
Herschel Byram Poole, Jr.	Loeds
Charles Elymas Riley	Decatur
James Lee Shelnett	College Park, Ga.
Floyd Sheldon Smith (With Honor)	Auburn

*Bachelor of Textile Engineering*

Billy Frank Benton	Citronelle
Malcolm Donovan Faulk	Decatur, Ga.

*Bachelor of Textile Management*

Norman Shirl McClellan	LaGrange, Ga.
William Henry Shapard	Griffin, Ga.

**SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS**

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics*

Matilde Aldarondo (Clothing & Textiles)	Mayaguez, Puerto Rico
Barbara Jean Campbell (Clothing & Textiles)	Guntersville
Margaret May Davidson (Foods & Nutrition)	Cuba
Martha Bay Easter (Home Management)	Athens
Jane Everett (Home Management)	Rockmart, Ga.
Alice Virginia Faulk (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Samson
Margaret Nunn Webster (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Loachapoka

**SCHOOL OF PHARMACY**

*Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy*

John Palmer Beasley	Columbia
Jack Dwight Boozer	Jacksonville
Martha Estelle Davis	York
George David Elder, Jr.	Madison, Tenn.

George Carl Hester, Jr. (With Highest Honor)	Montgomery
Charles Alexander Isbell	Fort Payne
J. D. Oliver	Plateau
Sidney Lee Thompson	Fort Payne

#### SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND LITERATURE

##### Bachelor of Arts

Nancy Pegues Elliott	Birmingham
Carolyn Sue Faulk	Auburn
Jimmy Lou Foster	Scottsboro
Adelaide Henderson	Tuscaloosa
Carol Evelyn Hovey	Opelika
Milo Barrett Howard, Jr.	Montgomery
Betty Jean James	Montgomery
Wyatt Bowers Keith	Birmingham
Doris Nix Lessman	Cullman
John Dannelly Logue	Auburn
Barbara Ellen Morgan	Piedmont
John Matthew Raines, Jr.	Chapman
Lindsey Swanson Rogers, Jr.	Warrior
Faye Woolf Thompson	Gadsden
James Marion Thurman	Sylacauga
Dudley Bradstreet Wade	LaGrange, Ga.

##### Bachelor of Science

Charles Adams, Jr.	Cordale, Ga.
Quana Rosser Jones	Columbus, Ga.
William Stephen Russell	Montgomery

##### Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Benny Bozeman Barrow	Andalusia
Richard Morrow Bartlett	Albany, Ga.
Eugene Arel Byrd	Birmingham
John Edward Byrd	Dothan
Charles Douglas Chandler	Selma
Charles Herman Cowan	Albertville
Robert Ray Davis	Atmore
Clayton Nesbitt Doty, Jr.	Old Hickory, Tenn.
William Culberth Douglas	Brewton
Charles Preston Duckett	Albertville
Byrd Grace Farmer, III	Dothan
Gerald Olmstead Flournoy	Birmingham
Joseph Davis Gladney	Birmingham
Henry Lewis Greer	Columbus, Ga.
Robert Carlisle Gunn	Alexander City
Idus James Heard (With Honor)	Roanoke
Oscar Belvin Hudson	Blanton
Francis Cummings Johnson	Selma
George Beauchamp Jones	Dothan
Richard Julius Joyner (With High Honor)	Red Level
William David Lyle, Jr.	Athens
James MacLeod Parker	Montgomery
Robert Albert Plummer	Grove Hill
Morris Devon Reddick, Jr.	Cuthbert, Ga.

Larry Bruce Root	Cordova
Jackson David Royal	Opelika
Richard Valentine Slaker, Jr.	Birmingham
Marvin Wendell Stewart	Eclectic
Bailey Montgomery Talbot, IV	Troy
Riley Rousseau Taylor	Andalusia
Zada Joanne Wald	Birmingham
Ronald Boyd Whitehead	Hartford
John Farrel Ziglar	Robertsdale

### Scholastic Honors for 1955

**DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATES OF THE ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class who possess outstanding qualities of leadership, high moral character, and excellent academic records, and whose proficiency in military training and attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Military Graduates" of the March 1955 graduating class.

Wendell Arthur Childs	Cullman
Charles Herman Cowan	Albertville
Robert Ray Davis	Atmore
Rodney Leon Grandy, Jr.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Charles Alexander Isbell	Fort Payne
Charles Arnold Pigg	Florence
Bailey Montgomery Talbot, IV	Troy

##### United States Air Force

**DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE, AIR FORCE RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following named Distinguished Air Force ROTC student whose attainment in scholarship, leadership, proficiency in Air Force training, and attention to duty has merited it, is designated as "Distinguished AFROTC Graduate," of the March 1955 graduating class:

James Harold Horne	Enterprise
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through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so  
gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs  
bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our  
flag was still there.  
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O'er the land of the free and the home of  
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—William T. "Bill" Wood, '24

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## Commencement Exercises

of the

### Alabama Polytechnic Institute

Auburn, Alabama

SPRING QUARTER, 1955



CLIFF HARE STADIUM

5:00 p.m.

Saturday, June 4, 1955

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Processional:

Processional \_\_\_\_\_ Savine  
Alabama Polytechnic Institute Concert Band  
David A. Herbert, Conductor

\*National Anthem

(Audience will remain standing for Invocation)

Invocation \_\_\_\_\_ Doctor John H. Leith  
Minister, Presbyterian Church

Graduation Address \_\_\_\_\_ Oliver C. Carmichael  
M.A., B.Sc., LL.D., D.C.L., D.Litt., L.H.D.  
President, University of Alabama  
University, Alabama

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Ralph B. Draughon, B.S., M.S., LL.D.  
President, Alabama Polytechnic Institute

\*Alma Mater

Benediction \_\_\_\_\_ Father P. J. Doran  
Pastor, Sacred Heart Church

(Audience will remain standing until the Faculty has retired from the platform)

Recessional:

Coronation \_\_\_\_\_ Jones

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THE ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, AUBURN, ALA.

Candidates for Graduation

June 4, 1955

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Doctor of Education

Rex Allwin Turner \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
A.B., Howard College, 1942. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1946.  
Dissertation: "Principles of School Law with Application to Public Education in Alabama."

Doctor of Philosophy

Clemens John Ackerman \_\_\_\_\_ Chicago, Ill.  
B.S., University of Illinois, 1951. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952.  
Dissertation: "The Biosynthesis of Choline."

Herman Davis Alexander \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Dissertation: "The Effect of Lipotropic Factors and Related Compounds on the Production of Nutritional Edema in the Rat."

Howard Francis Tucker \_\_\_\_\_ Logan  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Dissertation: "Investigations on the Etiology of a Syndrome in Swine Characterized by Dermatitis and Associated Symptoms."

Abdul Rahman Khan Zobairi \_\_\_\_\_ Dacca, East Pakistan  
B.S., University of Mysore, India, 1941. M.S., University of Mysore, India, 1942. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Dissertation: "Experiments on Feeds and Rates of Feeding for the Common Carp, *Cyprinus carpio* Linnaeus, in Troughs."

Master of Arts

Ann Elizabeth Hopwood \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Thomas Hardy's Attitude Toward Changes in Nineteenth Century England as Reflected in His Novels."

Master of Science

Miriam Elizabeth Horton \_\_\_\_\_ Pontotoc, Miss.  
B.S., Mississippi State College for Women, 1953. Thesis: "Non-Linear Sequence Transformations and Applications to Continued Fractions."

Robert Ellison Lowder \_\_\_\_\_ Concord, N. C.  
A.B., High Point College, 1953. Thesis: "On the Hypergeometric Continued Fraction of Gauss."

Master of Science (Psychology)

Jerry Oscar Haynes \_\_\_\_\_ Munford  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Some Predictive Factors of Academic Success in Two Curricula of a Land-Grant College."

Master of Education

Elliott William Brown, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Newnan, Ga.  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.

Betty Smilie Christiansen \_\_\_\_\_ Selma  
B.A., Huntingdon College, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

Mary Lasater Davis Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.

Robert Jay Fritz East Peoria, Ill.  
B.S., Bradley University, 1950. Non-thesis Option.

Melville W. Fuller, Jr. Alexander City  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

Harold Theoplis Johnson Ashford  
B.A., Troy State Teachers College, 1951. Non-thesis Option.

Carolyn Kerr Chattanooga, Tenn.  
B.S., University of Pennsylvania, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

Robert Chester Langtry Columbus, Ga.  
B. of Ed., Keene Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

Alice Mae McCree Auburn  
B.S., Southern Illinois University, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

Miriam Wilkinson Parker Auburn  
B.S., New Jersey State Teachers College, 1945. Non-thesis Option.

Ernest Dewey Benfro, Jr. Montgomery  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1951. Non-thesis Option.

Kate Green Shelburne Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

Charles Nichols Wright Sylacauga  
B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1951. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Education*

Elnora Planck DeVall Auburn  
B.S., Syracuse University, 1936. Non-thesis Option.

Edsel Ford Holman Montgomery  
B.S., David Lipscomb College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.

Evelyn Morgan Lowman Sylacauga  
A.B., University of Alabama, 1938. Non-thesis Option.

Mary Jacquelyn Maund Troy  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

Robert Caldwell Paysinger Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

Philip Lee Secrist Columbus, Ga.  
B.S., University of Tennessee, 1952. Thesis: "The Relationship of Coaching Methods, Philosophy, and Personal Qualifications, to a Winning Football Team."

*Master of Agricultural Education*

Mercer Lamar Chason Cairo, Ga.  
B.S., Clemson Agricultural College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

James Henry Spence Buffalo  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Agricultural Education*

Robert Russell Clark Dadeville  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Non-thesis Option.

Ira Eugene Grounds Auburn  
B.S., Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, 1942. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Business Administration*

James Hollis Roberson Opp  
B.S., Florence State Teachers College, 1950. Thesis: "The Theory of Value in International Trade of the Classical and Neo-Classical Schools."

*Master of Science in Chemical Engineering*

William Stinson Durant Hurricane  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Mixing Efficiency Studies, Part III—The Application of a Radioactive Material in Determining Flow Distribution."

William Thomas McCarley Chattanooga, Tenn.  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Thesis: "The Evaluation and Improvement of the Quality of Fluidization in a Gas/Solid Fluidized System."

*Master of Science in Fisheries Management*

Hiralal Chaudhuri Calcutta, India  
B.S., University of Calcutta, 1941. M.S., University of Calcutta, India, 1943. Thesis: "Effect of Pituitary Injections and Other Factors on Reproduction of Pond Fishes."

Hugh David Kelly Hartselle  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Preliminary Studies on *Tilapia mossambica* Peters Relative to Experimental Pond Culture."

*Master of Science in Home Economics*

Virginia Ann Gammill East Tallassee  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Preferences and Practices of Mothers in Selecting, Purchasing, and Constructing Coveralls for Children That Attend Alabama Polytechnic Institute Nursery Schools."

Bess Fleming Wright Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1932. Thesis: "A Study of the Interests of Homemakers."

*Master of Science in Horticulture*

Joseph Daniel Norton Flat Rock  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Thesis: "Southern Pea Breeding for Improved Plant Characteristics Including Yield, Quality and Root-Knot Nematode Resistance."

*Master of Science in Pharmacy*

Frank Glenn Marsh Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Thesis: "Analgesic Screening and Acute Toxicity Study of a Series of 3(2) Pyridazone Derivatives."

*Master of Science in Physics*

Marion Cecil Rayburn, Jr. Clay, Kentucky  
B.A., Evansville College, 1953. Thesis: "A Solution for the Pressures and Energy Flux in a Rarefied Gas."

James Thomas Stitt, Jr. Oxford  
B. of E.P., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Ions Produced from Aluminum Chloride Crystals by Electron Bombardment."

*Master of Science in Poultry Husbandry*

Thomas Vester Hester Russellville  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Deficiencies of Peanut Oil Meal in Chick Rations."

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

*Bachelor of Science in Agriculture*

Robert Ethridge Adams Huntsville

George Morris Anderson (With High Honor) Coffeeville

William Finley Dean Bessemer



*Basden Kinsey III -- College Park Ga*

John Lloyd Ellis	Centre
Cressie Thornton Garvin, Jr.	Huntsville
John Windel Green	Ashland
Buford Monroe Cross	Cullman
Clifford Leslie Harrell, Jr.	Billingsley
Samuel Burney Hay, Jr.	Tuscaloosa
William Ray Helms	Brunsdige
Clifford Chess Hester	Belgroen
Leroy Marshall Jordan, Jr.	Myrtlewood
James Patrick Kizer	Atmore
William Herschell Larimore, II	Takoma Park, Md.
John Boyd McBrayer	Cullman
Morris Guy Merkle	Lincoln
Robert Henry Norton	Union Springs
Frederick William Orr, Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.
Eugene LeVert Peters	Marion
Jack Berry Reid	Cherokee
Charles Frederick Reynolds, Jr.	Headland
Jack Norton Reynolds	Clopton
William David Rutland, Jr.	Mitchell
Albert Loring Scott	Haleburg
Emmett Kirk Taylor, Jr.	Roanoke
Henry Garner Vaughn (With Honor)	Huntsville

*Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (Dairy Manufacturing)*

Winford Harvey Collier	Wetumpka
Douglas Bruce Edwards	Auburn
Billy Gene Freeman	Gerakline

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Administration*

<del>Basden Kinsey III</del>	College Park, Ga.
John Lovick Wallace	Greenville

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Engineering*

Charles Ervin Bottcher	Hanceville
Henry Locker Brink	Lawrenceburg, Tenn.
Billie Cooksey Clark	Forest, Miss.
Malcolm Roy Miner	Auburn
Elton Robert Ralston	Marion Junction
William Earle Thomas	Buffalo

*Bachelor of Science in Fisheries Management*

Bobby Arlen Towery	Auburn
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*Bachelor of Science in Forestry*

Earle Welton Darby, Jr.	Florence
Ben Arthur Davis, Jr.	Meridian, Miss.
Thomas Lee Pitts	Hixson, Tenn.
Donald Ted Slay	Eight Mile
Donald Erskine Smith	Florence
Donald Rudolph Stallworth	Vinegar Bend
Clyde Newberry Webb	Quitman, Miss.

*Bachelor of Science in Game Management*

James Scharnagel, Jr.	Spruce Pine
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*Bachelor of Science in Ornamental Horticulture*

Philip Charles Brosemer	Huntsville
William Ezra Colburn	Greensboro

George Frederick Coleman (With Honor)	Anniston
Samuel Bascom Jones, Jr. (With Honor)	North Roswell, Ga.
Cecil Edwin Scott	Alexander City

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE ARTS

*Bachelor of Architecture*

Edward Ambrose Keyes	New Orleans, La.
Thomas Griffin Shepherd	Troy
Harry Paul Tuggle	Birmingham

*Bachelor of Applied Art*

William Michael Adair	Graysville
Helen Lucille Coppedge	Auburn
Anthony Pasquale Damiano	Augusta, Ga.
Barbara Tittle Epperson	Montgomery
James Guy Epperson	Montgomery
Charles Oscar Glascock	Birmingham
Mary Eva Hodges	Auburn
Rhoda Holman	Ozark
Margaret Jeanne Ladner	Montgomery
Richard Donald Mills	Columbus, Ga.
John Tipton Roach, Jr.	Birmingham
John Lewis Sellers	Montgomery
Joseph Alvin Stone, Jr.	Montgomery
James Anderson Welch	Springville

*Bachelor of Building Construction*

William Newton Beard	Moultrie, Ga.
Charles Edmond Browning	Wetumpka
<del>Foley Beason Garnett</del>	<del>Orlando, Fla.</del>
Horace Turner Jackson	Mobile
Robert Richard Jones	St. Petersburg, Fla.
Leslie Melvyn Kramer	Mobile
Robert Lee Maxwell	Nashville, Tenn.
James Orville Schrimsher	Huntsville
Travis Edwin Staub	Fulton, Miss.
Floyd Brice Williams (With Honor)	Moultrie, Ga.
Lloyd Butler Williams	Moultrie, Ga.
Joe Dixon Worley, Jr.	Gadsden

*Bachelor of Interior Design*

Helen Keahey Allen	Selma
Patricia Ruth Bowles	Stevenson
Thomas William Thomley	Alexander City

SCHOOL OF CHEMISTRY

*Bachelor of Science in Chemistry*

John Pickett Dismukes (With Honor)	Montgomery
Joseph Cowden West, Sr.	Bangor
Sidney Chester Williams	Columbus, Ga.

*Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering*

Fred Harold Allen	Mobile
Louis Gordon Duncan, Jr.	Birmingham
Roy Bentley Dunn	Birmingham

Donald Louis Guilian	Birmingham
Milton Stratford Hurston, Jr.	Sylacauga
Thomas Lawley Mitchell	Birmingham
Rex Acton Moses	Alabama City

*Bachelor of Science in Laboratory Technology*

Robert Thornton Crews	Pensacola, Fla.
Dorothy Jean Erwin	Tarrant
Claudine Elizabeth McLemore (With Honor)	Birmingham

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

*Bachelor of Science in Education*

Betty Andrews	Waverly
Betty Jean Barnett	Birmingham
Peggy Joy Barrow	Jackson
Oscar Carson Bottoms, Jr.	Dallas, Texas
Margaret Ann Brown	Gurley
Myrtle Belle Burford	Fritchard
Alice Elizabeth Carlovitz (With Highest Honor)	Auburn
Dewey Byron Cash	Lanett
George Roy Corcoran, Jr.	Birmingham
Betty Powell Cutts	Eufaula
Sherlie Eugene Dekich	Nashville, Tenn.
Ruby Dell Long Dorland	Spring Hill
Anna Sue Ellard	Birmingham
Jeanette Guthrie Ellis	East Tallahassee
Barbara Ann Freeze	Birmingham
William Reuben Fuller	Dadeville
Francine McElvey Gavin	Sylacauga
Henrietta Whittle Gieger	Birmingham
Mildred Jeanette Golden	Douglasville, Ga.
Margaret Gail Gregory	Abbeville
Mary Carter Handly	Memphis, Tenn.
Margaret Frances Harrison	Memphis, Tenn.
Angeline Lawrence Hess	Auburn
Peter Michael Hoar	Birmingham
Robert Larry Jones	Birmingham
Nancy Carolyn Killgore	St. Petersburg, Fla.
Olive Adelaide Killough	Alpine
Martha Jean Kirkland	Ozark
Claude Kirkpatrick Knight, Jr.	Selma
Marilyn Golden Kramer	Columbus, Ga.
Mack Kenneth Lee	Birmingham
Nina Celorio Long	Lake Butler, Fla.
Hollis Darrell Messer	Verbena
Diana Louise Morgan	Opelika
Olin Frank Morgan	West Point, Ga.
Frances Morrison	Altoona
James Edwin Newby	Dothan
Mary Raper O'Donnell	Ashville
Harriet Grubb Parrish	Dothan
Martha Beatty Pemberton	Tuskegee
Georgia Kathleen Phillips	Boaz
Felix Webster Posey	Auburn
Mary Elizabeth Quinn	Prattville
Kathryn Rae Reynolds	LaGrange, Ga.

William Boyd Reynolds	Birmingham
Susanna Duncan Rives	Roanoke
Eleanor Gail Ryan	Lineville
Richard Heflin Schuessler	Opelika
Helen Lanelle Scott	Prattville
Jacqueline Elna Screws	Opelika
Gloria Anne Sellers	Birmingham
Betty Jean Shearouse	Orlando, Fla.
Edwina Booth Sims	Florida
Ola Ann Sims	Samson
Nancy Lane Smith	Bessemer
Robert Jane Smith	Mobile
Elinor Patricia Sprague (With Honor)	Birmingham
Grace Frances Stewart	Sylacauga
Annie Laura Sullivan	Ashville
Frank Walden Thomas, Jr.	Washington, Ga.
Betty Jean Thrower	Lanett
Robert Byrd Whigham	Louisville
Frances Harriet Whipple	Midland, Ga.
Mary Augusta York (With Honor)	Birmingham

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education*

Cecil Leland Barkley	Thomaston
Patrick Donald Chisolm, Jr.	Birmingham
Charles Thomas Gilmer	Sulligent
James Carter Horton	Russellville
Fred Handley Lovvorn	Newell
John Delbert Lovvorn	Manchester
Claude Adolphus Moore	Heiberger
Isaac Ronald Prater	Weogufka
William Gilbert Sellers, Jr.	Ramer

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics Education*

Ann Abernathy	Birmingham
Mary Josephine Cochran	Union Springs
Miriam Jane Ford	Gurley
Jeris Evelyn Garrison	Birmingham
Mollie Murphree Jones	Prattville
Marta Dale McElrath	Cedar Bluff
Alta Ann Morrison	Russellville
Harriet Noll Sanders	Opelika
Martha Sharlene Sharpe	Piedmont
Nina Pearl Smith	Grenada, Miss.
Shirley Anne Stewart	Sylacauga
Margery Sullivan	Birmingham
Eleanor Lucille Weatherford	Uriah

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

*Bachelor of Aeronautical Engineering*

Charles Mellen Lee, Jr.	Birmingham
Allen Garver Myers, III	Galveston, Texas
Robert Edwin Roane	Atlanta, Ga.

*Bachelor of Civil Engineering*

Denis Harold Alcock	Lima, Peru
James Walsh Baxter	Huntsville

Drew Ashbury Brown	Alexander City
John Archibald Green	Spring Hill
Richard Lee Haury	Birmingham
<del>George Dewey King, Jr.</del>	Salem
Charles Mason Landstreet	Fort Payne
James J. Mallett	Centre
Hilary Mac Nelson, Jr.	Panama City, Fla.
Billy Wren Parks	Wetumpka
Joseph Edward Villadsen	Montgomery
William Kirby White	Prattville

*Bachelor of Electrical Engineering*

Stewart Alvin Bliss, Jr. (Communications Option)	Birmingham
James Houston Boatwright (Communications Option)	Selma
Robert Hebard Breedlove (Communications Option)	Mobile
William Claude Burgin (Power Option) (With Highest Honor)	Birmingham
Robert Collier Elliott (Communications Option)	Birmingham
William Glenn Funks (Communications Option)	Pensacola, Fla.
George Thomas Gammon (Power Option)	Birmingham
Lewis Alvey Hanchey (Communications Option)	Montgomery
Nolan Lester Hardin (Power Option) (With High Honor)	Eclectic
Sam Rayford Hester, Jr. (Communications Option)	Citronelle
John Owen Lampkin, Jr. (Power Option)	Birmingham
Robert Lee Noeris (Power Option)	Fayette
Thomas Alfred Pousney (Communications Option)	Columbus, Ga.
John David Robbins (Power Option)	Sumiton
Charles Werth Roberts, Jr. (Power Option)	Macon, Ga.
Robert Cleveland Scott, III (Communications Option)	Columbus, Ga.
Donald Harlan Thomas (Communications Option)	Decatur
James Bolla Thomas (Communications Option)	Gulfport, Miss.
Carl David Todd (Communications Option) (With High Honor)	Jackson, Tenn.
Francis Sylvester Wallner (Communications Option)	Montgomery
William Howard Whitaker, Jr. (Communications Option)	Childersburg

*Bachelor of Engineering Physics*

Willis Wright Brasselle, Jr.	Codartown, Ga.
<del>Haven Charles Brown</del>	Norristown, Pa.
James Conner Kinard	Wetumpka
George Frederick Kirchoff, Jr.	Birmingham
Thomas Norris Marshall, Jr.	Gadsden

*Bachelor of Industrial Management*

John Alfred Blackmon, Jr.	Columbus, Ga.
Joe Wayne Brown	Albertville
Noyce William Burt	Enterprise
James Clarence Clark	Birmingham
George McElroy Clay	Macon, Ga.
Jack Emmett Cole	Montgomery
William Lowther DesPortes	Columbus, Ga.
Billy Jack Eidson	Cullman
Andrew Paul Foster, III	Columbus, Ga.
Jerro Minor Freeman	Whitehaven, Tenn.
Richard Forrest Fullerton	West Palm Beach, Fla.
Valentine George Hietter, III	Mobile
Rollin Edward Johnson, Jr.	Montgomery
Sam Watkins Keenon	Birmingham
Travis Leland Lindsay	Birmingham
Earl Sparks Morgan, Jr.	Piedmont

William Hewlett Parker, Jr.	Birmingham
Ivie Houston Parsons, Jr.	Anniston
Charles Pearson, III	St. Bernard, La.
Bobby Earl Pierce	Columbia, Miss.
Ernest Lamar Pierce, Jr.	Fairfax
Rayford Monroe Prichard	Birmingham
Jack Emmett Ramsey	Auburn
Samuel Owen Ruth	Florence
Frank Pride Scott	Uniontown
Fred Hall Sharp, Jr.	Birmingham
John Scogin Sisson, Jr.	Bastrop, La.
Charles Milton Smith, III	Montgomery
Frank Book Smith, Jr.	Bloomington, Ga.
Elbert Branson Stone	Lexington
William Ross Thomas, Jr.	Moultrie, Ga.
<del>Thomas Owen Tacker</del>	Decatur
Wayne Weaver Wilson	Milton, Fla.
Hobart Otto Worley	Cantonment, Fla.

*Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering*

George Richard Barnard, Jr.	Birmingham
John Everett Burgin	Birmingham
Edward Earl Chastain	Fort Payne
Gordon Eugene Christiansen (With Honor)	Milaca, Minn.
Gilbert Earl Cline, Jr.	LaGrange, Ga.
Michael Rodgers Collier	Decatur
Kenneth Wayne Etheredge (With High Honor)	Dothan
James Reginald Evans	Dyersburg, Tenn.
Francisco J. A. A. Fernandez Luzarraga	Habana, Cuba
Albert Carl Grundmann	Honewood
William Robertson Hearson, Jr. (With High Honor)	Birmingham
William Dozier Hines	Opelika
Charles Vernon Horne	Anniston
Charles Edgar Kennedy (With Honor)	Gulfport, Miss.
Charles Franklin Kruzer, Jr.	Cullman
Ho-Kang Liu	Calcutta, India
James Wallace Long	Falleville
Bryan Bell Marsh, Jr.	Montgomery
William Thomas McCain	Birmingham
Carl Haygood McClendon, III	Birmingham
Marvin Mostellar, Jr.	Mobile
William Anthony Nelson, Jr.	Birmingham
James Stewart Nunnally	Anniston
William Edward Owen	Birmingham
Guy Douglas Perry	Hurtsboro
Robert Tyre Ritchie	Copperhill, Tenn.
Frank Houck Turbyville, Jr.	Harriman, Tenn.
William Joseph Ward	Auburn
William Jackson Warren	Birmingham
Robert Murry Wilbanks	Lanett
Ottis Harold Youngblood, Jr.	Quinton

*Bachelor of Textile Chemistry*

Syed Alley Momin Jafri	Karachi, Pakistan
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*Bachelor of Textile Engineering*

Conrad Joseph Ourso	Marrero, La.
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*Bachelor of Textile Management*  
 Delmas Eugene Bailey \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.

SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics*

Helen Grace Abbott (Clothing & Textiles)	Fort Gaines, Ga.
Shirley Anne Bell (Clothing & Textiles)	Langdale
Margery Elizabeth Boyd (Home Demonstration)	Hope Hull
Mary Catherine Bramlett Carpenter (Home Demonstration)	Stevenson
Gwendolyn Sue Carter (Foods & Nutrition)	Scottsboro
Alice Joyce Causey (Clothing & Textiles)	Five Points
Mary Jo Coats (Clothing & Textiles)	Double Springs
Ella Darwin Davis (Clothing & Textiles)	Decatur
Miriam Dicks (Clothing & Textiles)	Thomasville
Mary Lorena Dinning (Clothing & Textiles)	Jacksonville, Fla.
Nellie Dell Evans (Clothing & Textiles)	Wilmer
Frances Jean Gray (Foods & Nutrition)	Carbon Hill
Katie Sue Hix (Foods & Nutrition)	Kellyton
Glendora Faye Lackey (Clothing & Textiles)	Opelika
Lanora Maye Lackey (Clothing & Textiles)	Opelika
Elsie Louise Lehman (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Haleyville
Miriam Rebecca Longshore (Foods & Nutrition)	York
Mildred Krevosky McSween (Foods & Nutrition)	Midland City
Carol Jean Cross Newby (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Atlanta, Ga.
Stella Pearce (Clothing & Textiles) (With Honor)	Atlanta, Ga.
Betty Doris Henderson Pearson (Clothing & Textiles) (With Honor)	Dadeville
Dorothy Haden Quarles (Home Management)	Haleyville
Wilma Alice Reichert (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Monticello, Fla.
Eleanor King Richards (Foods & Nutrition)	Gadsden
Barbara Riley (Clothing & Textiles)	Ozark
Mary Louise Rowan (Clothing & Textiles)	Leeds
Jane Elizabeth Tuggle (Foods & Nutrition)	Hellin
Jacqueline Marie Waller (Home Management)	Birmingham
Margaret Ann Wilson (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Birmingham
Nell Winn (Clothing & Textiles)	Birmingham

SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

*Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy*

Peggy Jean Browder	McKenzie
Paul Von Campbell	Hartford
Tong Soon Choi	Seoul, Korea
Warren Lewis Davis, Jr.	Orrville
Anton N. Miller	Hartford, Tenn.
Carlton Earl Mison	Frisco City
Cannon Foster Page	Auburn
Wallace Neel Scarbrough	Dothan
Kenneth Osborn Shipp	Bossier City, La.
Newman Sheldon Skinner, Jr. (With High Honor)	Eutaw
Ephraim Alexander Snoddy, Jr.	Aliceville
Samuel Jackson Stacy	Centreville
Jack Berry Strong, Jr. (With Honor)	Birmingham
Sterling Wyatt Tarter	Ozark
George Neal Wiggins	Montgomery
John Bruce Williams	Kinston

Roy Patton Woods, Jr.	New Orleans, La.
Robert Moses Zarzaur	Birmingham
John William Zeanah, Jr.	Berry

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND LITERATURE

*Bachelor of Arts*

Janice Nowlin Akin	Franklin, Tenn.
Bennieta Andrew	Perry, Ga.
Frank Lanier Bonds	Docena
James Pruett Cannon	Montgomery
Irene Brislin Donovan	Mobile
Robert Elton	Gadsden
Melodie Ann Hamilton (With Honor)	Jacksonville, Fla.
Anne Cahill Hoar	Birmingham
Sammy Marx Howell	Dothan
Betty Sue Johnson	Montgomery
John Paul Milner	Opelika
Emma Jean Moore	Newman, Ga.
Harry Philpot Owens	Hurtsboro
Charles Stuart Provost	Atlanta, Ga.
Wade Hampton Royston, Jr.	LaFayette
Linda Lee Shuff	Oneonta
John Callahan Stallings	Birmingham

*Bachelor of Science*

William Melvin Brantley (With High Honor)	Garland
Nancy Ann Crozier	LaGrange, Ga.
Cherry Deason (With High Honor)	Billingsley
William Edwin Fann	Mobile
Constance Jean Garner	Rogersville
Jackson Gilbert Gay	Selma
Anna Jane Gritz	Auburn
Frank Arthur Heard	Columbus, Ga.
Betty Jo Hearn	LaGrange, Ga.
Eron Bernard Ingle, Jr.	Montgomery
Nell Taylor Jopling	Jacksonville, Fla.
David Hinton Middleton	Birmingham
Joann Newman	Selma
Jane Porter	Lexington
John Edgar Rives (With High Honor)	Birmingham
John Vernon Skinner, Jr.	Macon, Ga.
William Waldrum Walker	Marion
James Thomas Wilson	Alexander City

*Bachelor of Science in Business Administration*

John Stanley Barton	Birmingham
Austin Travis Beatty	Selma
Hunter Seaborn Bell, Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.
Joseph Benoski, Jr.	Birmingham
Robert George Binford, Jr.	Selma
Edwin Vance Braswell	Birmingham
Bowling Guthrie Buford	Auburn
Seth Wren Burkett	Ashford
Clarence Lynn Clayton	Gadsden
Edgar Thomas Clower, Jr.	Birmingham
Carol Collins Cunningham	Pensacola, Fla.

Robert Roy Dailey	Camden
James Dale Deason	Parrish
Donald LeRoy Dennison, Jr.	Macon, Ga.
Bob Crear Dickinson	Grove Hill
John Edward Dorland	Spring Hill
John William Dorminey	Montgomery
Clayton Simmons Doss	Montgomery
William Eugene Doss	Anniston
Raymond Davis Downey	Birmingham
Rupert Warren Dusevant	Andalusia
Joan Frances Goss (With Honor)	Barnwell, S. C.
Charles Hubert Griffin	Carrollton, Ga.
Lila Constance Griggs	LaGrange, Ga.
Robert Douglas Hand, Jr.	Opelika
William Howard Harper	Elba
James Homer Hendry	Columbus, Ga.
Hal Benton Hester	Russellville
Roy Douglas Hudmon	Fairfax
Faye Norene Lawrence	Selma
Fred Moore McCauley	Homewood
George Wilker Mitchell, Jr.	Huntsboro
Richard Frank Mitchell	Columbus, Ga.
George Wright Mize	West Point, Ga.
Avery LaFayette Morrison, Jr.	New Orleans, La.
Bill Dodd Morton	Bout
Thomas Leroy Nichols, Jr.	Dothan
Walton Herbert Osborne, III	Birmingham
Nancy Allen Pattillo	Hartselle
Mary Lee Piazza	Bessemer
Charles Alexander Pistole	Mobile
Robert Newton Pitts, Jr.	Pittsview
Norman Edgar Poole	Columbus, Ga.
Truman Porter Poole, Jr.	Columbus, Ga.
Gaston Gragg Robinson, Jr.	Uniontown
William George Rogers	Birmingham
Charles Averett Rollins, Jr.	Birmingham
Phyllis Anne Schamehorn	Clearwater, Fla.
Beulah Jane Sneed	Huntsville
John Darden Stewart	Greensboro, Ga.
Robert Pierre St. Pierre	Columbus, Ga.
Kenneth Burton Streater	Decatur, Ga.
Vincent Gilpin Stubbs, III	Baltimore, Md.
Joseph Jones Tew	Huntsboro
Leroy Gayle Twilley	Selma
John Griffin Walker, Jr.	Lakeland, Fla.
Victor Lee Wilson	Jackson, Ga.
John Robert Yates	Woodland
Harold Carr Youmans, Jr.	College Park, Ga.

#### SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

##### Doctor of Veterinary Medicine

Abram Galbreath Allen, Jr.	Kevil, Ky.
David Mahlon Bedell	Ridgeland, S. C.
Wallace Elliott Birch	Auburn
William Jordan Brooks	Enterprise

Kernit Rudolph Burdette (With Highest Honor)	Benfro Valley, Ky.
Van Tyle Burnette	Winter Haven, Fla.
William Locke Carter	Daphne
Claude Clement Casey, Jr.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Curtis Carlton Christenberry	Greensboro
Robert Neil Cole	Guntersville
Robert Lee Conrad (With Honor)	Covington, Tenn.
Edwin Curtis Darty	Nauvoo
Harry Joseph Flotemersch	Bellevue, Ky.
Paul H. Freeman	Pulaski, Tenn.
Richard Byrd French	Jackson, Miss.
Vola Gardner	Deland, Fla.
Theodore Robert Geci	Summerdale
Leonard Perry Griffin (With High Honor)	Dover, Fla.
Johnny Kirk Griggs (With High Honor)	Nashville, Tenn.
Robert Perry Houk (With Highest Honor)	Horse Cave, Ky.
Thomas Jones Howard	Louisville, Ky.
John Lithou Jernigan	Brewton
Robert Glenn Jordan	Henderson, Tenn.
Charles Lawhon Justo	Birmingham
Boy Felton Kinard, Jr.	Headland
Stanley French Lacey	Maylene
Donald Gibbs Lawson	Birmingham
Alfred J. Liepold	Selma
Elliott Hughes Martin	Pinson
Steele Francis Mattingly (With Honor)	Trinity, Ky.
Julian Walker Maupin	Richmond, Ky.
Robert Glenn McCrory	Forest, Miss.
Jack Henry McElyea (With High Honor)	Webster, Fla.
Douglas Coughtry McKee	Green Cove Springs, Fla.
Homer Calvin Moody, Jr.	Poplarville, Miss.
Wellington Moore, Jr. (With Highest Honor)	Lexington, Ky.
Horace C. Morgan, Jr.	Fedmont
Louis Robert Nelson	Coral Gables, Fla.
Austin Crawford Newman, Jr. (With Honor)	Opelika
Jackson Lee Nunery	McComb, Miss.
William Carlyle Patterson (With High Honor)	Auburn
John Killough Pearce, Jr.	Grand Junction, Tenn.
Frank Harman Platt	Arcadia, Fla.
Joseph Cunningham Powers, Jr.	Umatilla, Fla.
Cassie William Price	Prentiss, Miss.
William Taylor Pumpelly	Paducah, Ky.
John Richard Ray	Auburn
William Stanley Rogers	Wickliffe, Ky.
Mitchell Rohleder	Daytona Beach, Fla.
Bernard Charles Schuster	Pascagoula, Miss.
Richard Herbert Seabrooks	Auburn
J. C. Shanklin (With Honor)	Palmersville, Tenn.
Finous Hall Smith (With Honor)	Eufaula
Thomas Norton Snider	Shelbyville, Ky.
Daniel McMillan Thomas	Tupelo, Miss.
John Thomas Vaughan (With Highest Honor)	Tuskegee
William Alvis Veach	Selma
Willie Frank Wager	Montgomery
William Edwin Walker	Umatilla, Fla.
Hugh Gilbert Ward	Brookhaven, Miss.
Sam Fitch Ward	Decatur, Tenn.

Daryle Ealey Whitfield	Picayune, Miss.
Joe Taylor Williams	Lebanon, Tenn.
Thomas Lyle Winkler	Theodore
William Edward Wise	Ravenna, Ky.
Clarke Sentelle Yarbrough	Auburn

## Prizes and Scholastic Honors for 1955

**ALGERNON SYDNEY SULLIVAN AWARD:** This award is made to one man and one woman of the graduating class and to one non-student in recognition of such characteristics of heart, mind, and conduct as evince a spirit of love for and helpfulness to others. *Mary Augusta York*, Birmingham, Alabama; *James Wallace Long*, Falkville, Alabama; *Robert Ernest Noble*, Anniston, Alabama.

**THE COMER MEDAL FOR EXCELLENCE IN NATURAL SCIENCE,** established in 1923 by the Honorable Braxton Bragg Cogder, Birmingham, Alabama, and after his death endowed by his heirs. *William Waldrum Walker*, Marion, Alabama.

**THE JAMES A. KIRKLEY SCHOLARSHIP IN ENGLISH:** An award made to the male student of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute who has completed at least one year's work toward the first degree, having qualifications of high moral character, high grades in English, and intention to continue his studies in the Alabama Polytechnic Institute during the scholastic year following the award. *Heuben Cumber Finney*, Buffalo, Alabama.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN AWARD:** A membership in the A.A.U.W. awarded by the Alabama Division of A.A.U.W. to an outstanding graduate on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and citizenship. *Jacqueline Marie Waller*, Birmingham, Alabama.

**ALPHA LAMBDA DELTA AWARD:** A book presented by the Executive Council of Alpha Lambda Delta to the senior in the Alabama Polytechnic Institute Chapter making the highest average on eleven quarters of academic work. *Alice Elizabeth Carlowitz*, Auburn, Alabama.

**AQUILA AWARD:** A \$25.00 Savings Bond to be presented by Aquila, independent girls' organization, each Spring Quarter to an outstanding independent woman senior on the basis of leadership and scholarship. *Mary Lee Piazza*, Bessemer, Alabama.

**CHI OMEGA SORORITY AWARD** of \$25.00 for excellence in Sociology. Awarded annually to a woman student of the Senior Class. *Irene Brislin Donoan*, Mobile, Alabama.

**THETA UPSILON SORORITY CUP** awarded to the most representative senior girl, selected on the basis of excellence in scholarship, leadership, and personality. *Alice Elizabeth Carlowitz*, Auburn, Alabama.

**NATIONAL FERTILIZER ASSOCIATION AWARD IN AGRONOMY:** This award is made annually for the amount of \$200 to an outstanding junior in Agronomy and Soils based on scholarship, leadership, and interest in Agronomy. *James Rudolph Williams*, Castleberry, Alabama.

**THE DANFORTH LEADERSHIP TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP.** An annual award to an outstanding junior in Agriculture. This award consists of two weeks in St. Louis as the guest of the Danforth Foundation and the Balston Purina Company, and two weeks at the American Youth Foundation Leadership Training Camp, Shelby, Michigan. *James Carroll Woodard*, Birmingham, Alabama.

**THE BURPEE AWARD IN HORTICULTURE.** An award established by the W. Atlee Burpee Company to recognize an outstanding junior or senior in horticulture. *Cecil Edwin Scott*, Alexander City, Alabama.

**GAMMA SIGMA DELTA ACHIEVEMENT AWARD.** Awarded in recognition of outstanding achievements in scholarship and leadership to a senior in the School of Agriculture or in Vocational Agriculture. Fall Award to *Robert Ose Bugg*, Wadley, Alabama; Spring Award to *George Morris Anderson*, Coffeeville, Alabama.

**GAMMA SIGMA DELTA SOPHOMORE AWARD.** A certificate awarded in recognition of outstanding scholarship to a sophomore in the School of Agriculture or in Agricultural Education. *Gerald Anderson, Coffeeville, Alabama.*

**BORDEN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD IN AGRICULTURE.** An award of \$300 made to a senior in the School of Agriculture who has made the highest scholastic average of all students in his class who have taken two or more courses in dairying. *Buford Monroe Cross, Cullman, Alabama.*

**ALPHA BETA ALPHA AWARD.** An award of an engraved trophy to the outstanding senior in Agriculture by Alabama Beta Alpha Honorary Collegiate 4-H Club. Award is based on scholarship, leadership, and character. *George Morris Anderson, Coffeeville, Alabama.*

**THE BURTON AWARD:** An outstanding art book given by Miss Lucille Burton to the Senior or Junior in Art who has attained the highest scholastic average. *Barbara Tittle Epperson, Montgomery, Alabama.*

**THE JAMES AWARDS:** Memberships for one year in the Alabama Art League given by Alfred James to three students showing promise of professional success in drawing and painting. *Cassandra Elkins Davis, Decatur, Alabama; Rhoda Holman, Ozark, Alabama; Charles Hugh Latham, Birmingham, Alabama.*

**THE JOHNSTON-MALONE AWARDS:** Two awards, each consisting of a twenty-five dollars United States Savings Bond, given by the Johnston-Malone Book Store of Auburn, for these of exceptional merit executed by students in the Department of Art. *Joe Martin Calloway, Montgomery, Alabama; Jerry Cumbus, Montgomery, Alabama.*

**THE ALPHA RHO CHI MEDAL:** This medal is awarded to that graduating senior of the School of Architecture who has shown an ability for leadership, performed willing service for his school and department, and gives promise of real professional merit through his attitude and personality. Awarded this year to: *Rufus Dailey Holt, Clarksville, Tennessee.*

**THE MEDAL OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:** This medal is awarded annually to the graduate in Architecture who has made the best scholarship record throughout the entire course. It is accompanied by a copy of Henry Adam's great work: "Mont St. Michel and Chartres." *Charles Edward Rogers, Warrior, Alabama.*

**DELTA C & S AIRLINES SCHOLARSHIP AWARD.** Award of \$300.00 per year for junior and senior students in Aeronautical Engineering or Aeronautical Administration based on general superiority and financial need. *Francis Leo Pugh, Selma, Alabama; Paul John Driscoll, Harrison, Arkansas; Roy Willard Tuggle, Cedartown, Georgia.*

**WESTINGHOUSE ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP AWARD.** An award of \$500.00 by the Westinghouse Educational Foundation to the outstanding junior student in electrical engineering in recognition of high scholastic achievement and qualities of leadership. *Edward Marshall Holliday, Birmingham, Alabama.*

**PHI PSI AWARD:** An annual award to a senior in the School of Textile Technology based on scholastic standing, leadership, initiative, personality, loyalty and courtesy. *Malcolm Donoran Paulk, Decatur, Georgia.*

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF TEXTILE TECHNOLOGISTS Senior Student Award.** Annual award to a senior in Textile Technology based on scholarship, technical ability, industry, judgment, leadership, reliability, and ability to work and cooperate with others. *Bureau Edison Ledbetter, Tallahassee, Alabama.*

**THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COTTON MANUFACTURERS Student Honor Medal.** An annual award to the senior in the School of Textile Technology having the highest scholastic standing during his four years in college. *William Henry Shapard, Griffin, Georgia.*

**CHATTahoochee VALLEY PHI PSI ALUMNI AWARD.** An annual award to a senior in Textile Technology based on scholarship, leadership, initiative, industry and personality. *Thomas Herschel Bailey, LaGrange, Georgia.*

**ALABAMA TEXTILE OPERATING EXECUTIVES COMMITTEE AWARD.** Annual award to a senior in Textile Technology who has shown outstanding leadership ability and service during his four years in college. *Lamson Carmer Robinson, Auburn, Alabama.*

**ALPHA BETA ALPHA AWARD.** An award of a loving cup to the outstanding senior in Home Economics by Alpha Beta Alpha Honorary Collegiate 4-H Club. Award is based on scholarship, leadership and character. *Ruth Annette Reynolds, Sylacauga, Alabama.*

**BEST ALL-AROUND JUNIOR IN HOME ECONOMICS.** *Mary Garrity Watson, Anniston, Alabama.*

**THE AMERICAN DIETETICS ASSOCIATION JOURNAL AWARDS.** To the outstanding Foods and Nutrition Senior in Home Economics. *Ruth Annette Reynolds, Sylacauga, Alabama.*

**THE DANFORTH FELLOWSHIP.** An annual award to an outstanding junior in Home Economics. The award consists of two weeks in St. Louis as the guest of the Danforth Foundation and the Ralston Purina Company and two weeks at the American Youth Foundation Camp, Shelby, Michigan. *Mary Garrity Watson, Anniston, Alabama.*

**THE DANFORTH LEADERSHIP TRAINING SCHOLARSHIP.** An annual award to an outstanding freshman in Home Economics. The award consists of two weeks at the American Youth Foundation Leadership Training Camp, Shelby, Michigan. *Anna Bess Soberg, Spring Hill, Alabama.*

**THE LOVEMAN, JOSEPH, AND LOEB GIFT SCHOLARSHIP.** An annual award of \$250.00 to an outstanding sophomore in Home Economics who is majoring in Clothing and Textiles. *Catherine Louise Buck, Thomaston, Alabama.*

**LEHN AND FINK MEDAL FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCE.** *William Francis Head, Jr., Elba, Alabama.*

**THE MENCK AWARD** for proficiency in dispensing pharmacy. *George Carl Hester, Jr., Montgomery, Alabama.*

**THE MENCK AWARD** for proficiency in pharmaceutical chemistry. *Robert Moses Zarsaur, Birmingham, Alabama.*

**THELMA MORRIS COBURN AWARD.** For general excellence in Pharmacy. *Thomas Clint Hurd, Atmore, Alabama.*

**ALABAMA PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION AWARD.** *George Carl Hester, Jr., Montgomery, Alabama.*

**BRISTOL AWARD.** Contribution to the profession of Pharmacy. *Newman Sheldon Skinner, Jr., Eutaw, Alabama.*

**DELTA SIGMA PI SCHOLARSHIP KEY,** awarded to those male seniors who upon graduation rank highest in scholarship for the entire course in Business Administration. *Richard Julius Joyner, Red Level, Alabama.*

**ALABAMA SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AWARD:** An annual award of a miniature plaque given to the outstanding senior student in accounting based on excellence in scholarship, leadership, character, and personality. *Richard Julius Joyner*, Red Level, Alabama.

**THE BORDEN AWARD:** To the senior in Veterinary Medicine making the highest scholastic average in the Veterinary Medical Curriculum preceding his or her senior year. \$300.00 in cash, a certificate, and a nameplate for the Borden Scholarship Plaque. *Wellington Moore*, Lexington, Kentucky.

**E. A. DAVIS AWARD:** To the most outstanding clinician in Large and Small Animal clinic. \$25.00 in cash. *Kermit Rudolph Burdette*, Renfro Valley, Kentucky.

**STUDENT A.V.M.A. AWARD:** An annual award of a certificate and key to the outstanding senior in the School of Veterinary Medicine, who, in the opinion of the student body and faculty, has shown by his scholarship, personality, character, and intensity of purpose that he is capable of elevating the prestige and expanding the service of veterinary science. *Robert Perry Houk*, Horse Cave, Kentucky.

**AVMA WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AWARD:** To be made on special contribution which advances the standing of the veterinary college on the campus. \$25 in cash and a certificate and the winner's name to be placed on a permanent scroll given to the Veterinary School. *Robert Perry Houk*, Horse Cave, Kentucky.

**ALBANY SERUM COMPANY AWARD:** To the junior veterinary student judged most likely to succeed in the practice of veterinary medicine, the recipient to be determined solely by popular vote of the Junior Class at the end of the Junior Term each year. \$50.00 in either instruments or drugs of the Haver-Glover or Ashe Lockhart line. *Russell Virgil Skinner*, College Hill, Kentucky.

**THE UPJOHN COMPANY AWARDS:** To the senior student most proficient in Large Animal clinical studies and to the senior student most proficient in Small Animal clinical studies, a filled physician's case. Small Animal: *Homer Calvin Moody*, Poplarville, Mississippi. Large Animal: *John Thomas Vaughan*, Tuskegee, Alabama.

**ALABAMA A.V.M.A. AUXILIARY AWARD:** To the sophomore student in the School of Veterinary Medicine who makes the highest scholastic average. \$50.00. *Charles Robert Wallace*, Dania, Florida.

**FLORIDA A.V.M.A. AUXILIARY AWARD:** To the freshman students in the School of Veterinary Medicine who make the highest scholastic average. \$25.00. *Daniel Reese Farnell*, Mobile, Alabama; *Eldred T. Harding*, Ewing, Kentucky; *Joe Taylor Turpin*, Richmond, Kentucky.

**I. S. McADORY MEMORIAL AWARD:** Presented by Ladies Auxiliary to the Alabama Veterinary Medical Association to the most outstanding Freshman student. \$50.00. *Robert Oglesby Bickham*, Auburn, Alabama.

**DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATES OF THE ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class who possess outstanding qualities of leadership, high moral character, and excellent academic records, and whose proficiency in military training and attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Military Graduates" of the June 1955 graduating class.

*United States Army*

Joseph Benoski, Jr.	Birmingham, Alabama
Seth Wren Burkott	Ashford, Alabama
Patrick Donald Chisolm, Jr.	Birmingham, Alabama

Winford Harvey Collier	Wetumpka, Alabama
Lewis Alvey Hanchey	Montgomery, Alabama
Samuel Bascom Jones, Jr.	North Roswell, Georgia
Walton Herbert Osborne, III	Birmingham, Alabama
Robert Tyre Ritchie	Copperhill, Tennessee
Emmett Kirk Taylor, Jr.	Roanoke, Alabama
Leroy Gayle Twilley	Selma, Alabama
John Griffin Walker, Jr.	Lakeland, Florida
William Kirby White	Prattville, Alabama

*United States Air Force*

**DISTINGUISHED GRADUATES, AIR FORCE RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following named Distinguished Air Force ROTC students whose attainment in scholarship, leadership, proficiency in Air Force training, and attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished AFROTC Graduates," of the June 1955 graduating class:

George Morris Anderson	Coffeeville, Alabama
Stewart Alvin Bliss, Jr.	Birmingham, Alabama
Nolan Lester Hardin	Eclectic, Alabama
Charles Mason Landstreet	Fort Payne, Alabama
James Wallace Long	Falkville, Alabama
Allen Garver Myers, III	Galveston, Texas
Travis Edwin Staub	Fulton, Mississippi
Floyd Brice Williams	Moultrie, Georgia
Lloyd Butler Williams	Moultrie, Georgia

**UNITED STATES NAVAL INSTITUTE AWARDS:** Awarded annually to one Regular and one Contract NROTC student at each NROTC college who are in their last year of study and who have contributed most during their four years in the NROTC to the advancement of professional, literary, and scientific knowledge in the Navy. Each award consists of a citation and one year's membership in the United States Naval Institute. Midshipman I/c *Allen Prude Fancher*, USNR, Montevallo, Alabama; Contract NROTC Student *Frank Pride Scott*, Uniontown, Alabama.

**MARINE CORPS ASSOCIATION AWARD:** Awarded annually at the time of his graduation to the outstanding candidate for a commission in the United States Marine Corps. The award is made on the basis of candidate's academic and leadership records and consists of a citation and a year's membership in the United States Marine Corps Association. Midshipman I/c *George Frederick Coleman*, USNR, Anniston, Alabama.

**HONOR GRADUATES IN NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class, whose attainments in scholarship, proficiency in naval training, and intelligent attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Naval Graduates" for the year 1955.

*Commissioned as Ensigns in the Regular Navy*

Allen Prude Fancher	Montevallo, Alabama
James Cosner Kinard	Wetumpka, Alabama
Victor Lee Wilson	Jackson, Georgia
Wayne Weaver Wilson	Milton, Florida

*Commissioned as Second Lieutenants in U. S. Marine Corps*

George Frederick Coleman	Anniston, Alabama
Rupert Warren Dinevant	Andalusia, Alabama
Wade Hampton Royston, Jr.	LaFayette, Alabama



*Commissioned as Ensigns in the U. S. Naval Reserve*

Richard Forrest Fullerton	West Palm Beach, Florida
Leslie Melvyn Kramer	Mobile, Alabama
Avery LaFayette Morrison, Jr.	New Orleans, Louisiana
Marvin Mostellar, Jr.	Mobile, Alabama
John Tipton Roach, Jr.	Birmingham, Alabama
Frank Pride Scott	Uniontown, Alabama
Ottis Harold Youngblood, Jr.	Quinton, Alabama

*Commissioned as Second Lieutenants in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve*

Charles Ervin Bottcher	Hanceville, Alabama
Robert Byrd Whigham	Louisville, Alabama

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

O say can you see, by the dawn's early  
light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's  
last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,  
through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so  
gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs  
bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our  
flag was still there.  
O say does the Star-spangled Banner yet  
wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of  
the brave?

ALMA MATER

On the rolling plains of Dixie,  
'Neath the sun-kissed sky,  
Proudly stands, O Alma Mater,  
A. P. I.  
To thy name we'll sing thy praise,  
From hearts that love so true  
And pledge to thee our loyalty  
The ages through.

*First Chorus*

Hail thy colors, Orange and Blue,  
Unfurled unto the sky.  
To thee, our Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
O, A. P. I.

Hear thy student voices swelling,  
Echoes strong and clear,  
Adding laurels to thy fame  
Enshrined so dear.  
From thy hallowed walls we'll part  
And bid thee sad adieu,  
Thy sacred trust we'll bear with us  
The ages through.

*Second Chorus*

God, our Father, hear our prayer,  
May Auburn never die.  
To thee, O Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
Our A. P. I.

—William T. "Bill" Wood, '24

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THE ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, AUBURN, ALA.  
Graduation Exercises  
August 27, 1955

# Commencement Exercises

of the

## Alabama Polytechnic Institute

Auburn, Alabama

SUMMER QUARTER, 1955



CLIFF HARE STADIUM

5:30 p.m.

Saturday, August 27, 1955

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Processional

\*National Anthem

(Audience will remain standing for Invocation)

Invocation \_\_\_\_\_ Doctor Howard D. Olive  
Pastor, First Baptist Church, Auburn

Graduation Address \_\_\_\_\_ Russell I. Thackrey  
B.S., M.S.  
Executive Secretary, Association of Land-Grant Colleges and Universities  
Washington, D. C.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

David W. Mullins, B.A., M.A., Ed.D.  
Executive Vice President, Alabama Polytechnic Institute

\*Alma Mater

Benediction \_\_\_\_\_ Reverend Merrill Stevens  
Rector, Church of the Holy Innocents, Auburn

(Audience will remain standing until the Faculty has retired from the platform)

Recessional

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THE ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, AUBURN, ALA.

Candidates for Graduation

August 27, 1955

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Doctor of Education

Lloyd Edward Baugham \_\_\_\_\_ Atlanta, Ga.  
A.B., Bowling Green College of Commerce, 1935. M.A., George Peabody  
College for Teachers, 1938. Dissertation: "Proposals for Improving Busi-  
ness Education in the Secondary Schools of Georgia."

Andrew Guy Duncan \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1946. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Insti-  
tute, 1953. Dissertation: "Relationship of Certain Popular Magazine Ar-  
ticles to Major Persisting Issues in the Administration of Public Education."

Doctor of Philosophy

Robert Henry Ackerson \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
A.B., Hofstra College, 1945. A.M., Columbia University, 1947. Disserta-  
tion: "Properties of Solutions of Certain Matrix Equations of the Type  
 $AX=XB$ ."

Master of Arts

Paul Garber Blacketer \_\_\_\_\_ Easley  
B.S., Howard College, 1953. M.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954.  
Thesis: "The Policy of the Greenville Advocate, 1877-1892."

Edward Marven Kramer \_\_\_\_\_ Marion  
B.A., Pennsylvania Military College, 1951. Thesis: "Alabama Negroes,  
1861-1865."

John Langdon Rumph, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Perote  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1951. Thesis: "A History of Bullock  
County, Alabama, 1866-1906."

Master of Science

Eddy Jewel Magee \_\_\_\_\_ Collins, Miss.  
B.A., Mississippi Southern College, 1954. Thesis: "Chebyshev Poly-  
nomials with Applications to Complex Variables."

Anne Parker Shoemaker \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Thesis: "A Survey of Methods  
for Numerical Integration."

Master of Science (Psychology)

Adrian Ulderich Dubuisson \_\_\_\_\_ Gulfport, Miss.  
B.S., Mississippi Southern College, 1953. Thesis: "A Study of Attitudes  
Toward Mental Illness as Expressed by Residents of Lee County, Alabama."

Master of Education

Pauline Traweek Allen \_\_\_\_\_ Elba  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1937. Non-thesis Option.

Josephine Carlisle Armor \_\_\_\_\_ Enterprise  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1941. Non-thesis Option.

Laurie Elizabeth Averrett \_\_\_\_\_ Notasulga  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1944. Non-thesis Option.

Dora Ayres \_\_\_\_\_ Wedowee  
B.A., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

Janie Ward Baker \_\_\_\_\_ Opelika  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1940. Non-thesis Option.

Mary Ellene Baxter \_\_\_\_\_ Clio  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1943. Non-thesis Option.

Fredine McBryde Branson \_\_\_\_\_ Andalusia  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 John Sanford Brewer, Sr. \_\_\_\_\_ Phenix City  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1947. Non-thesis Option.  
 Lorraine Walker Brookshire \_\_\_\_\_ Atlanta, Ga.  
 B.S., University of Georgia, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Tina Inez Butler \_\_\_\_\_ Dozier  
 B.S., Alabama College, 1939. Non-thesis Option.  
 Ralph Campbell \_\_\_\_\_ East Gadsden  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Mary Bernice Carter \_\_\_\_\_ Abbeville  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1941. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sara Hicks Cavanaugh \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1943. Non-thesis Option.  
 Thelma Burgess Clements \_\_\_\_\_ East Gadsden  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1941. Non-thesis Option.  
 Frances Elizabeth Crabtree \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
 B.S., David Lipscomb College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Ernest Craton \_\_\_\_\_ Dallas, Ga.  
 B.S., Georgia Institute of Technology, 1951. Non-thesis Option.  
 Bill Daughtry \_\_\_\_\_ Jack  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Ila Reese Dennis \_\_\_\_\_ Phenix City  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Non-thesis Option.  
 Emily Peebles Eustis \_\_\_\_\_ Mooresville  
 B.A., Alabama College, 1937. Non-thesis Option.  
 Edmon Crayton Galloway \_\_\_\_\_ Alexander City  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Corene Carr Grantham \_\_\_\_\_ Headland  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Lucile Hagler \_\_\_\_\_ Louisville  
 B.S., University of Alabama, 1938. Non-thesis Option.  
 James Claray Hayes \_\_\_\_\_ LaFayette  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Samuel Elwood Hayes \_\_\_\_\_ Crossville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sarah Louise Head \_\_\_\_\_ Decatur, Ga.  
 B.S., Georgia State College for Women, 1929. Non-thesis Option.  
 Lester Dee Horn \_\_\_\_\_ McKenzie  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Qumi Greathouse Huckaba \_\_\_\_\_ Banks  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Chester Jacobs \_\_\_\_\_ Elba  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Zackary Taylor Jenkins \_\_\_\_\_ Millen, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 John Coley Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Enterprise  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Guy Straughn Kelly \_\_\_\_\_ Evergreen  
 B.S., University of Alabama, 1951. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sally Kelly \_\_\_\_\_ Troy  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1954. Non-thesis Option.  
 Kathryn Pruitt McDonald \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Martha Agnes McLain \_\_\_\_\_ Abbeville  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1940. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Ross McQueen \_\_\_\_\_ Tallapoosa  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Harold Lindbergh Martin \_\_\_\_\_ Pembroke, N. C.  
 B.A., Pembroke State College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

Wilma Barnes Meads \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.A., Huntingdon College, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Robert Malcolm Miller \_\_\_\_\_ LaGrange, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis Option.  
 Henry Roy Neal \_\_\_\_\_ Gabbetville, Ga.  
 B.S., University of Georgia, 1948. Non-thesis Option.  
 Haskew Page, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Castleberry  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
~~Walter Eugene Pugh~~ \_\_\_\_\_ ~~Red Level~~  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Albert Edward Patterson, III \_\_\_\_\_ Theodore  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1948. Non-thesis Option.  
 Mary Louanna Pearson \_\_\_\_\_ Dadeville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Gilbert Pemberton \_\_\_\_\_ Tuskegee  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sanford Freeman Reid \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Georgia Teachers College, 1948. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Dennis Sanford \_\_\_\_\_ Troy  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Reuben Allen Self \_\_\_\_\_ Sylacauga  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Non-thesis Option.  
 Nettie Johnson Shaw \_\_\_\_\_ Rockford  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Melvin Augustus Sherbert \_\_\_\_\_ Collinsville  
 B.S., Berry College, 1951. Non-thesis Option.  
 Robert Terrell Short \_\_\_\_\_ Lineville  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Joseph Wiley Simon \_\_\_\_\_ LaFayette  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 James Ferrel Smith \_\_\_\_\_ McKenzie  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Charles Clement Small \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., University of Pittsburgh, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Eleanor Graham Small \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., University of Georgia, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Catherine Bryan Spurlin \_\_\_\_\_ Elba  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1945. Non-thesis Option.  
 John Mason Stokes, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Headland  
 A.B., Howard College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Jack Hartwell Vardaman \_\_\_\_\_ Anniston  
 B.S., Howard College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Flora Ward \_\_\_\_\_ Headland  
 B.S., University of Alabama, 1944. Non-thesis Option.  
 Matha Ward \_\_\_\_\_ Headland  
 B.S., University of Alabama, 1942. Non-thesis Option.  
 Giscone Rister Weaver \_\_\_\_\_ Headland  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Rosemary Higgins Webb \_\_\_\_\_ Alabama City  
 B.A., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Charles Henry Weistinger \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Eugene Williams \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 A.B., Florida Southern College, 1953. Non-thesis Option.  
 Curtis James Wilson \_\_\_\_\_ Carrollton, Ga.  
 B.S., Berry College, 1942. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Education*

Ruth Lucile Adamaon \_\_\_\_\_ LaFayette  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1937. Non-thesis Option.

James Wesley Akers \_\_\_\_\_ Alabama City  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Vaughn Andrews \_\_\_\_\_ Evergreen  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Bobbie Booth Bayard \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Georgia State College for Women, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sara Catherine Beasley \_\_\_\_\_ Clio  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1945. Non-thesis Option.  
 Iva Neal Blackburn \_\_\_\_\_ Robertsdale  
 B.S., Florence State Teachers College, 1945. Non-thesis Option.  
 Mildred Elizabeth Bynum \_\_\_\_\_ Decatur  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1941. Non-thesis Option.  
 Gertrude Popwell Callaway \_\_\_\_\_ Clanton  
 A.B., Alabama College, 1945. Non-thesis Option.  
 Nellie Blake Chandler \_\_\_\_\_ Eclectic  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1942. Non-thesis Option.  
 Curtis Leonard Chappell \_\_\_\_\_ Riverview  
 B.S., Livingston State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Ralph Chestham \_\_\_\_\_ Plomaton  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Allen Davis Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_ Gadsden  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Chester Eugene Cline \_\_\_\_\_ Sylacauga  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sara Chessnut Cook \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Faye Nelle Couey \_\_\_\_\_ Somerville  
 B.S., Florence State Teachers College, 1951. Non-thesis Option.  
 Helen Fudge Crabb \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., East Tennessee State College, 1944. Non-thesis Option.  
 Alice Ruth Eason \_\_\_\_\_ Prattville  
 B.S., Alabama College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Buel David Gilliland \_\_\_\_\_ Pine Log, Ga.  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Miriam Harvey \_\_\_\_\_ Jemison  
 B.A., Alabama College, 1926. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Burch Haynes \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Georgia Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Susie Nell Hornsby \_\_\_\_\_ Etba  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Vera Cravey Houston \_\_\_\_\_ Fairfax  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Alford Meek Huey \_\_\_\_\_ Newell  
 B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Sammie Lois Hughes \_\_\_\_\_ McKenzie  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1943. Non-thesis Option.  
 Ernest Harold Jacobs \_\_\_\_\_ Arton  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Ann Roberts Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Langdale  
 A.B., Alabama College, 1945. Non-thesis Option.  
 Freeman Lee Johnson \_\_\_\_\_ Anniston  
 A.B., Birmingham-Southern College, 1935. Non-thesis Option.  
 Madeline Mehaffey McCardel \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., George Peabody College for Teachers, 1936. Non-thesis Option.  
 Margaret Bowden McCulloch \_\_\_\_\_ Cross City, Fla.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Mildred Hammond McLaughlin \_\_\_\_\_ Blue Springs  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1943. Non-thesis Option.  
 Regene Nimmo McNair \_\_\_\_\_ Union Springs  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.

Frances Penny Marco \_\_\_\_\_ Daphne  
 B.S., Livingston State Teachers College, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Frank Mason \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery  
 B.A., Huntingdon College, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Louise Carley Morris \_\_\_\_\_ Shawmut  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Lucille Bryant Owens \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Floyd Charles Replogle \_\_\_\_\_ Fruitdale  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Juanita Whatley Ridley \_\_\_\_\_ Franklin, Ga.  
 B.S., University of Georgia, 1945. Non-thesis Option.  
 Earnest Alexander Smith \_\_\_\_\_ Spring Hill  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1942. Non-thesis Option.  
 Wilda Barr Steele \_\_\_\_\_ Banks  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1943. Non-thesis Option.  
 Joe Tom Stevens \_\_\_\_\_ Roanoke  
 A.B., Elon College, 1943. Non-thesis Option.  
 Mary Alice Stevens \_\_\_\_\_ Preston, Ga.  
 B.S., Georgia State College for Women, 1936. Non-thesis Option.  
 Frank Lavern Strickler \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Allene Townsend \_\_\_\_\_ Alexander City  
 B.S., University of Alabama, 1942. Non-thesis Option.  
 Ruby Westbrook Turner \_\_\_\_\_ Richland, Ga.  
 B.S., University of Georgia, 1938. Non-thesis Option.  
 Charles King White, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Eufaula  
 B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Robert Allen Williams \_\_\_\_\_ Livingston  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Agricultural Education*

William Barnes Carr \_\_\_\_\_ East Tallassee  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.  
 Arto Arvis Thorne \_\_\_\_\_ Florence  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1948. Non-thesis Option.  
 Calvin Arnold Winter \_\_\_\_\_ Greenville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Agricultural Education*

Frank Barbaree \_\_\_\_\_ Jackson  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1948. Non-thesis Option.  
 John Lazar Blair \_\_\_\_\_ Goodwater  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.  
 Lewis Lafayette Combest \_\_\_\_\_ Pachuta, Miss.  
 B.S., Mississippi State College, 1941. Non-thesis Option.  
 Frank Harris Cowen \_\_\_\_\_ Grand Bay  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1943. Non-thesis Option.  
 Oakland Ray Dennis \_\_\_\_\_ Arab  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1947. Non-thesis Option.  
 Quinton Roosevelt Dollar \_\_\_\_\_ Ethelsville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1947. Non-thesis Option.  
 Walter Wiley Dulsney \_\_\_\_\_ New Market  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Brown Hagood \_\_\_\_\_ Waterloo  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 William Edward Harris \_\_\_\_\_ Excel  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.  
 Joseph Lovvorn Holmes \_\_\_\_\_ Rockford  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Non-thesis Option.

- Frank Boatwright Killough \_\_\_\_\_ Tuskegee  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.
- Owen McKinley Lee, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Pell City  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Non-thesis Option.
- Theron Thomas Morrison \_\_\_\_\_ Oakman  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.
- Leonard Eiland Nichols \_\_\_\_\_ Repton  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1947. Non-thesis Option.
- Monroe Carman Oliver \_\_\_\_\_ Joppa  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.
- Byron Flurnoy Rawls \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.
- Elroy Beckham Rotch \_\_\_\_\_ Fort Payne  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1945. Non-thesis Option.
- Charles Hoffman Rowe \_\_\_\_\_ Hartsville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Non-thesis Option.
- James Carl Shewbart \_\_\_\_\_ Plantersville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.
- Edward Francis Winter \_\_\_\_\_ Greenville  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Agricultural Engineering*

- Jesse Byron Brooks \_\_\_\_\_ Killen  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1933. Thesis: "A Design of a Milking Boom for a 15- to 20-Cow Manufacture-Grade Dairy."
- John Felton Thornton \_\_\_\_\_ Athens, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1948. Thesis: "Relation of Certain Physical Properties Affecting Infiltration Rates of Five Soil Types in South Alabama."

*Master of Science in Agronomy*

- Louis Frederick Welch \_\_\_\_\_ Parsons, Tenn.  
 B.S., University of Tennessee, 1953. Thesis: "The Correlation of Soluble Phosphorus in Soils, Residual Effect of Phosphorus and Lime, and the Phosphorus Content of Ladino Clover as Related to Yields."

*Master of Science in Business Administration*

- Carl Evan Frisby \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Utilization of Physically Handicapped Personnel in the Army."
- William Ross Heck \_\_\_\_\_ Columbus, Ga.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Thesis: "The Use of Punched Cards for Inventory Control by Selected Manufacturers of Men's Clothing."
- George Thames Hopkins \_\_\_\_\_ Fort Valley, Ga.  
 B.A., Union University, 1953. Thesis: "Accounting for Stock Dividends."

*Master of Science in Chemistry*

- James Gordon Beasley \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Syntheses in the Quinoline Series: Some 6- and 8-Ethylquinolines."

*Master of Science in Fisheries Management*

- Charles Leo Jones \_\_\_\_\_ Decatur  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Thesis: "A Preliminary Report on the Transportation of Goldfish and Fatheads, in Closed Containers Under Oxygen at Atmospheric Pressure."
- Clarence Edward White, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Decatur  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "Chlorine: Its Toxicity to Goldfish, Fathead Minnows, Golden Shiners, and Bluegills and Its Removal from Water."

*Master of Science in Forestry*

- Warren Slater Thompson \_\_\_\_\_ Crystal Springs, Miss.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Chemical Debarking of Southern Trees."

*Master of Science in Game Management*

- Edward Majors \_\_\_\_\_ Black  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Population and Life History Studies of the Cottontail Rabbit in Lee and Tallapoosa Counties, Alabama."

*Master of Home Economics*

- Ella Field Bugbee \_\_\_\_\_ Nashville, Tenn.  
 B.S., George Peabody College for Teachers, 1945. Non-thesis Option.
- Edith Mae Culpepper \_\_\_\_\_ Cuba  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis Option.
- Mallette Proctor Goggans \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., University of Georgia, 1942. Non-thesis Option.
- Ruth Avery Hamnett \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Home Economics*

- Mary Elizabeth Sturkie Prather \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Influence of Vitamin B<sub>12</sub> on the Methylated Derivatives of Nicotinic Acid in the Urinary Excretion of Human Subjects."

*Master of Science in Pharmacy*

- Frank Glenn Marsh \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1950. Thesis: "Analgesic Screening and Acute Toxicity Study of a Group of 3(2) Pyridazone Derivatives."

*Master of Science in Physics*

- John Samuel Faulkner \_\_\_\_\_ Memphis, Tenn.  
 B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Thesis: "Simple Harmonic Motions in Which the Frequency Is a Function of the Amplitude."

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

*Bachelor of Science in Agriculture*

- Thomas Litwood Crowder, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Eclectic
- William Finley Dean \_\_\_\_\_ Bessemer
- Grady Gene Duffey \_\_\_\_\_ Birmingham
- Clarence Chuyler Freeman \_\_\_\_\_ Montgomery
- John Euclid Gray \_\_\_\_\_ Mount Olive
- Gene Erskine Kay \_\_\_\_\_ Lacey's Spring
- Willis Worthington Marshall, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Trussville
- Jones Wallace Miller \_\_\_\_\_ Enterprise
- Thomas Leonard Moore \_\_\_\_\_ Andalusia
- Edward Buford Sanderson \_\_\_\_\_ Madison
- Joseph Lawson Stone \_\_\_\_\_ Pulaski, Tenn.
- Louis Thomas Weekley \_\_\_\_\_ Perdido

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Administration*

- William Daniel Atkinson \_\_\_\_\_ Madison

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Engineering*

- Jesse Strickland Newsom, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Sandersville, Ga.

*Bachelor of Science in Game Management*

- William Wise Miller \_\_\_\_\_ Thomaston

*Bachelor of Science in Ornamental Horticulture*

Leon Edwin Elam	Brent
Carl Fredrick Mattil	Birmingham
James Wesley Pate	Auburn
Frederick Barry Perry, Jr.	Montgomery

*Bachelor of Science in Zoological Sciences (Entomology)*

Patrick Haley Thompson	Dodatur
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SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE ARTS

*Bachelor of Architecture*

James Edward Bailey	Birmingham
Charles Wesley Benefield	Ozark
James Douglas Hillhouse, III	Gadsden
Odeus Clarence Miller, Jr.	Anniston
James Norman Pease, Jr.	Auburn
Alfred Nimrod Underwood, Jr.	Russellville

*Bachelor of Applied Art*

Cassandra Elkins Davis	Dodatur
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*Bachelor of Building Construction*

Howard Claude Boreman, Jr.	Oneonta
John Russell Duncan	Florence
Finley Beason Carnett	Auburn
William Alfred Hunt	Guin
Benjamin Frederick Martin, Jr.	Athens
Jerry Morse, Jr.	Auburn
Donald Edward NalSmith	Savannah, Ga.

*Bachelor of Interior Design*

Julian Peyton May	Opeika
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SCHOOL OF CHEMISTRY

*Bachelor of Science in Chemistry*

Julian Persons Foster	Hatchechubbee
James Robert Piper	Tallassee

*Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering*

Robert Lovvorn Davis	Newell
N. Madhavan Nair	Alwaye, South India

*Bachelor of Science in Laboratory Technology*

Dora Gerakline Anderson	Millbrook
Ruth Ellen Cashion	Birmingham
Frances Iralene Hathorn	Birmingham

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

*Bachelor of Science in Education*

Robert Lawrence Adams	Andalusia
Jessie O'Keefe Arrington	Columbus, Ga.
Jo Anne Scott Bains	Birmingham
William Rand Bamberg	Birmingham
Edward Huie Browning	Belle Glade, Fla.
Martha Jean Bryan	Union Springs
Marie Beall Burns	Brewton
Frances Jacqueline Christopher	Athens
David Wyatt Craddock	Headland
Joan Elaine Davidson	Columbus, Ga.
Gaynell Beatrice Downey	Whistler

Joe Lamar Faulkner	Piedmont
Norman Bernard Feehan, Jr.	Gulfport, Miss.
Margaret Ann Cathey Fincher	Auburn
Mavis Durden Gallegos	Pensacola, Fla.
Minna Hayes Gilbert	Dothan
Roberta Jeselle Hadley	St. Petersburg, Fla.
Elizabeth Miles Hamm	Elba
Gwenda Lou Hines	Alexander City
Dorothy Holley	Tallassee
Milton Huie Holloway	Andersonville, Ga.
Mary Lou Gilmore Hood	LaFayette
Carolyn Mitchell Jones	Columbus, Ga.
Lula Jacqueline Jones	Columbus, Ga.
Mattie Lucas Jones	Columbus, Ga.
Henry Joseph Kasper	Jasper
Kathryn Keith	West Point, Ga.
Alma Daniel Lane	Franklin, Ga.
Emma Florene Longcrier	Selma
Marie Boyett Maddox	Rockford
Charlotte Anne Goodroe Marks	Dalton, Ga.
Mildred May	Camp Hill
Thomas Howell McClendon	Ozark
Ellen E. McCluskey	Columbus, Ga.
Glenn Demosthenes Moon, Jr.	Vero Beach, Fla.
Oscar Lee Moore	Camp Hill
Margaret Reynolds Nabors	Rockford
Ted Peter Neura, Jr.	Brunswick, Ohio
Alvis Culppepper Newton	Phenix City
Anna Wolf Ohsiek	Savannah, Ga.
Branche Allen Ray	Centre
Jo Ann Register	Dothan
Mary Jane Starnes Rutland	Guntersville
Janot Lee Smith Sauerbrey	Dodatur, Ga.
Frank Joseph Schick	Hueytown
Mary Spivey Sharman	Camp Hill
Loneta Belle Sisk	Bona Vista, Ga.
Howard Clifton Skelton, Jr.	Birmingham
Gladya Hinkle Smedley	LaFayette
Greta Smith	Columbus, Ga.
Wesley Pitts Smith	Camp Hill
Elsie Dennis Stough	Notasulga
Mary Anne Porter Strood	Auburn
Betty Gentry Taff	Phenix City
Clarence Eugene Tapley	Alexander City
Cynthia Virginia Traylor	Franklin, Ga.
Avis Goodson Walker	Dadeville
Elizabeth Ann Whitman	Mobile
Mary Ann Wood	Cordova
James Larry Yarbrough	Fairfax

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education*

Marcus King Arnold	Walnut Grove
Robert Nelson Brewer	Phil Campbell
Daniel William Deloney	Ozark
Alvin Henry Halcomb, Jr.	Brilliant
Ray Clifford Helms	Milton, Fla.
Doyle Hill James	Union Springs
Terry English Linton	Glenwood
William Blakley Noble	Millry
Robert Lamar Puckett	Hartselle

Charles Floyd Thomas	Rockford
Macon Byron Tidwell	Repton
Hollis Elbert Todd	Rogersville
Grady Milton Wakefield	Double Springs
William Charles Wilson	Seman

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics Education*

Nell Graben Gaither	Lineville
Betty Jo Johnson	Cullman
Audrey Smith Noblitt	Boaz
Clarice Ellen Smith	Cullman
Rheta Jane Thompson	Fort Payne

**SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**

*Bachelor of Aeronautical Administration*

Sherrard Algerson Hodges (With High Honor)	Andersonville, Ga.
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*Bachelor of Aeronautical Engineering*

Theodore Charles Buckshaw, III	Birmingham
Bennie Elmore Higgins, Jr.	Montgomery
John Samuel Leak	Auburn
Ray Willard Tuggle	Cedartown, Ga.

*Bachelor of Civil Engineering*

William Andrew Cobb, Jr.	Huntsville
John Linson Grace, Jr.	Mobile
Richard Theis Kimberl	Mobile
George Dewey King, Jr.	Blecker
William Mudge Lee	Evergreen
James Norman Pease, II	Columbus, Ga.
Charles Edward Sellers	Opelika

*Bachelor of Electrical Engineering*

John Wyatt Amoss, Jr. (Communications Option)	Fairburn, Ga.
William Henry Arnold, Jr. (Communications Option)	Atnore
James Ramsey Bonner, Sr. (Communications Option)	Alexander City
Bob Orman Burson (Communications Option)	Calhoun City, Miss.
Robert Laird Ellis (Communications Option)	Enterprise
Landis Orville Fowler (Communications Option)	Stapleton
Marion Gibson (Communications Option)	Huntsville
George Marion Green (Communications Option)	Birmingham
William Henry Harrison (Communications Option)	Mobile
Grady Ross Hartzog, Jr. (Communications Option)	Auburn
James Melvin Holt (Communications Option)	Athens
James Austin LaMar (Communications Option)	Washington, D. C.
<del>James Robert Lewis, Jr.</del> (Communications Option)	<del>Wing</del>
John Paul Moore (Communications Option)	Talladega
Charles Edward Myers (Power Option)	Winston-Salem, N. C.
Emmett Gilbert Sherrill, Jr. (Communications Option)	Aliceville
Richard Glenn Simpson (Communications Option)	Kenmore, N. Y.
William Oland Smallwood (Communications Option)	Gulfport, Miss.
Joseph James Sulzby, Jr. (Communications Option)	Birmingham

*Bachelor of Engineering Physics*

Haven Charles Brown	Norristown, Penna.
Charles M. Earnest	Opelika
Albert Thomson McMains, Jr.	Richmond, Mich.
John Thomas Walter, Jr.	Montgomery

*Bachelor of Industrial Management*

Clarence Preston Aday, Jr.	Decatur
Albert Whitman Brans	Montgomery

Mickey Nolan Brown	Gadsden
John Coleman Cleuney, Jr.	Auburn
Hiram Schollie Cochran	East Point, Ga.
Fred Alton Daughin, Jr.	Montgomery
Augustus Riley Dawson, Jr.	Mobile
John Hugh Denman, Jr.	Birmingham
John Thomas Hudson	Sheffield
Frank Lyons	Langdale
Henry Arthur McKibbin	Chicago, Ill.
William Freeman McPherson, Jr.	Gadsden
James Robert Munroe	Talladega
Stuart Wagner Patton, III	Montgomery
William Marshall Raughton	Opelika
Joseph Oakley Rogers	Decatur
Hiram Brown Saunders, Jr.	Birmingham
Albert Wilson Shockley	Chickasaw
Thomas Owen Tucker	Decatur
John Garland Warmath, III	Humboldt, Tenn.
William Stenbridge Warren, Jr.	Birmingham
William Warner Williams	Opelika

*Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering*

Charles Everett Bankston	Tarrant
Eodene Jerrell Breland	Wiggins, Miss.
Richard Edwin Britton	Moss Point, Miss.
Jerry Kirby Cole	Columbus, Miss.
Tom Cole	Hoeytown
Billy Joe Cox	Calera
Raymond Eugene Danner, Jr.	Tarrant
Guy Paul Dunnivant	New Brockton
Luis Joaquin Gaitan Cabrera	Havana, Cuba
Charles Brint Green	Mobile
James Lowell Gunter	Enterprise
Walter Lawrence Harrison	Birmingham
Robin Arra Hur	Chevy Chase, Md.
Noah Jerome Hurst	East Gadsden
John George Karegeannes	Spartanburg, S. C.
Donald James Laguaite	New Orleans, La.
William Horace Lovin	Decatur
James Burton Odom	McKenzie

*Bachelor of Textile Chemistry*

Robert E. Bailey	Anniston
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*Bachelor of Textile Management*

Henry Ellis Austin, Jr.	Wetumpka
James Rufus Eichelberger	Roanoke
Robert Donald Word, Jr.	Scottsboro

**SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS**

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics*

Janel Gray Bates (Clothing & Textiles)	New Market
Annie Sue Carter (Foods & Nutrition)	Chipley, Fla.
Carolyn Eloise Collins (Home Management)	Sylacauga
Betty Grouby (Home Management)	Prattville
Grady Sue Loftin (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Auburn
Barbara Patricia Merritt (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Camp Hill
Charlotte Mae Morris (Clothing & Textiles)	Flat Creek
Ruth Annette Reynolds (Foods & Nutrition)	Sylacauga
Anne Ryland Walker (Foods & Nutrition)	South Hill, Va.
Orra Cherlye Webster (Foods & Nutrition)	Notasulga



SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

Bachelor Science in Pharmacy

James Woods Baxter	Clio
B. H. Corum	Hillboro
Thomas Clinton Hurd, Jr.	Atmore
Henry Marion Hutcheson	Phil Campbell
Thomas Robbins Jenkins	Jacksonville
Sarah Catherine Jones	Alabama City
Lester Ray Lang	Miami, Fla.
Carl Douglas Lunsford	Troy
Aldridge Marnar McMahan	Gadsden
Melvin Alan Thompson	Carrollton, Ga.
Paul Leon Wall	Samson
Julia Turpin Ward	Mobile

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND LITERATURE

Bachelor of Arts

John Steven Flannery	Troy
Martha Urania Foss	St. Petersburg, Fla.
William Hoyt Nelson	Alexander City
Harriett Sara Springer	Atlanta, Ga.

Bachelor of Science

Neil Edward Christopher (With Honor)	Fort Payne
James Corcoran Doyle	Montgomery
John Frederick Helfner	Harriman, Tenn.
John Munford Jackson	Selma
Nella Zoya Jermain	Knoxville, Tenn.
Arthur Leiser, Jr.	Mobile
Robert Sidney Pearson	Auburn
George Paul Petznick	Montgomery
John Vernon Skinner, Jr.	Macon, Ga.
Thomas James Taylor, III	Mobile
William Spurgeon Warr	Opelika
Mary June Wise	Kinston

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Henry Hubert Armour, Jr. (With High Honor)	Columbus, Ga.
William Harvey Borders, Jr.	Shawmut
Joe Fred Borland	Hartford
Carolyn Lee Bynum	Greensboro
William Stanley Catchings	Tallassee
Jack Austin Clark	Hartford
Ralph Laxson Clark	Huntsville
Milton Lee Cunningham	Abbeville
Herman Thomas Dodd	Praco
Benjamin Benedict Dolson, Jr.	Englewood, N. J.
Douglas Hurley Easterwood	Alabama City
Walter Maurice Graham	Birmingham
Lamar Johnson Guthrie	Columbus, Ga.
Dillard Jonier Hammett	Wedowee
James Wall Harris	Huntsville
Joe David Hawkins	Trussville
Roland Shaefer Heard	West Point, Ga.
Joseph Leonard Jones	Alabama City
Mercer Lee King, Jr.	Phenix City
Claude Estee Kinsey, Jr.	Lanett
Levi Alvin Knapp, Jr.	Auburn

Eugene Layton	Ashford
<del>Donaki Evans Long</del>	<del>Birmingham</del>
<del>Wood Nelson Long, Jr.</del>	<del>Beaswicks, Ga.</del>
Mikred Martin	Clayton
Kenneth Carlisle Mauldin	Fairfield
Robert Lee McCullough	Opelika
Gordon A. Mummert	Atlanta, Ga.
Samuel Taylor Parker	Rockmart, Ga.
John Cecil Patterson	Clanton
Robert Benson Reeves	West Point, Ga.
Nevitt Sack Richardson	Selma
Mary Capps Schooler	Opelika
Paul Culpepper Stegall	Atlanta, Ga.
James Augustus Stephens	Samson
Simon Albert Stricklen	Auburn
Charles Glenn Walters	Phenix City
Arbie Gene Warr	Clayton
Walter Cornelius Warr	Clayton
<del>Thomas Claude Watson</del>	<del>Mobile</del>
William Thomas White	Atlanta, Ga.
Paul Cleveland Williams	Fairfield
Danny Lee Wright	Ozark

Scholastic Honors for 1955

**DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATES OF THE ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class who possess outstanding qualities of leadership, high moral character, and excellent academic records, and whose proficiency in military training and attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Military Graduates" of the August 1955 graduating class.

James Wall Harris	Huntsville, Alabama
William Marshall Raughton	Opelika, Alabama
Joseph Lawson Stone, Jr.	Pulaski, Tennessee
Robert Donald Word, Jr.	Scottsboro, Alabama

**HONOR GRADUATES IN NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class, whose attainment in scholarship, proficiency in naval training, and intelligent attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Naval Graduates" for 27 August 1955.

Commissioned as Second Lieutenants in U.S. Marine Corps

Henry Ellis Austin, Jr.	Wetumpka, Alabama
John Frederick Helfner	Harriman, Tennessee
James Austin LaMar	Washington, D. C.

Commissioned as Ensigns in the U.S. Navy

Theodore Charles Buckshaw, III	Birmingham, Alabama
Jesse Strickland Newsom, Jr.	Sandersville, Georgia
John Thomas Walter, Jr.	Montgomery, Alabama

Commissioned as Ensigns in the U.S. Naval Reserve

John Wyatt Amoss, Jr.	Fairburn, Georgia
James Norman Pease, II	Columbus, Georgia
Joseph James Sulzby, Jr.	Birmingham, Alabama

## THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

O say can you see, by the dawn's early  
light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's  
last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,  
through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so  
gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs  
bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our  
flag was still there.  
O say does the Star-spangled Banner yet  
wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of  
the brave?

## ALMA MATER

On the rolling plains of Dixie,  
'Neath the sun-kissed sky,  
Proudly stands, O Alma Mater,  
A. P. I.  
To thy name we'll sing thy praise,  
From hearts that love so true  
And pledge to thee our loyalty  
The ages through.

### *First Chorus*

Hail thy colors, Orange and Blue,  
Unfurled unto the sky.  
To thee, our Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
O, A. P. I.

Hear thy student voices swelling,  
Echoes strong and clear,  
Adding laurels to thy fame  
Enshrined so dear.  
From thy hallowed walls we'll part  
And bid thee sad adieu,  
Thy sacred trust we'll bear with us  
The ages through.

### *Second Chorus*

God, our Father, hear our prayer,  
May Auburn never die.  
To thee, O Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
Our A. P. I.

—William T. "Bill" Wood, '24

## *Commencement Exercises*

of the

### Alabama Polytechnic Institute

Auburn, Alabama

FALL QUARTER, 1955



STUDENT ACTIVITIES BUILDING

2:30 p.m.

Thursday, December 15, 1955

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Trumpet Tune \_\_\_\_\_ Purcell

Ballet Music (from "Faust") \_\_\_\_\_ Counod

Processional:  
New Horizons \_\_\_\_\_ Glyde

\*National Anthem  
  
(Audience will remain standing for Invocation)

Invocation \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Clinton W. Whitten  
Minister, Auburn Church of Christ

Graduation Address \_\_\_\_\_ William K. Selden  
A.B., LL.D.  
Executive Secretary, National Commission on Accrediting  
Washington, D. C.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Ralph B. Draughon, B.S., M.S., LL.D.  
President, Alabama Polytechnic Institute

\*Alma Mater

Benediction \_\_\_\_\_ Reverend David W. Friedrichs  
Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church

(Audience will remain standing until the Faculty has retired from the platform)

Recessional:  
Scipio \_\_\_\_\_ Handel

\* Words on last page.

THE ALABAMA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, AUBURN, ALA.  
Candidates for Graduation

December 15, 1955

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

*Master of Arts*

Martha Long Laurent \_\_\_\_\_ Athens, Ga.  
A.B., Florida State College for Women, 1944. B.S., Alabama Polytechnic  
Institute, 1953. Thesis: "George MacDonald's Scottish Novels."

*Master of Applied Art*

Clark Veazie Britton, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Moss Point, Miss.  
B. of App. Art, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Thesis: "Expression-  
ism in Theory and Application."

*Master of Education*

Ethel Harrell Fuller \_\_\_\_\_ Troy  
B.S., Troy State Teachers College, 1944. Non-thesis Option.  
Georgia Mae Preston Woods \_\_\_\_\_ St. Petersburg, Fla.  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Education*

Ethel Irene King Fulghum \_\_\_\_\_ Douglasville, Ga.  
B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1944. Non-thesis Option.  
Otto Bamber Smith \_\_\_\_\_ Center Point  
B.S., Howard College, 1939. Thesis: "Predicting Grade Success of High  
School Students in Radio and Drafting."  
Dorothy Nell Boyd Ware \_\_\_\_\_ Riverview  
B.S., Jacksonville State Teachers College, 1950. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Agricultural Education*

Olan Bradford Cunningham \_\_\_\_\_ Winfield  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Electrical Engineering*

Avery Conley Barwell, Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Union Springs  
B. of E.E., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1952. Thesis: "An Evaluation  
of Semiconductor Diodes Versus Vacuum Tube Diodes in Amplitude Noise  
Limiters."  
Waite Hoyt Todd \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn  
B. of E.E., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Design and  
Construction of a 21-Inch Magnetically Deflected Oscilloscope."

*Master of Home Economics*

Mary Elizabeth Haygood Laney \_\_\_\_\_ Greenville  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1938. Non-thesis Option.

*Master of Science in Agronomy*

Orus Lamar Bennett \_\_\_\_\_ Cullman  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Thesis: "The Availability of  
Phosphorus in Various Sources of Rock Phosphate as Shown by Green-  
house and Laboratory Studies."

*Master of Science in Botany*

Eugene Bondurant Sledge Mobile  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1949. Thesis: "Pathogenicity of the Spiral Nematode (*Helicoverpa nannus*) Steiner, 1945, in Relation to Selected Varieties of Corn."

*Master of Science in Chemical Engineering*

James Henry Hinton Hialeah, Fla.  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Thesis: "The Adsorption Isotherms of Cyclopropane, Isobutylene, Monomethylamine, and Vinyl Chloride on Activated Charcoals."

*Master of Science in Chemistry*

Charles Jefferson Jenkins, III Opelika  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1951. Thesis: "Reduction of Organophosphorus Compounds at the Dropping Mercury Electrode."  
Lamar Bishop Payne Centre  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1953. Thesis: "The Preparation of Some Substituted Alkanephosphonodiamides."

*Master of Science in Fisheries Management*

Elvin Warren Coleman Havana  
B.S., Delta State College, 1949. Thesis: "Toxicity of Various Chemicals to Fresh-Water Snails."

*Master of Science in Physics*

Dale Roland Koehler East Gadsden  
B. of E.P., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1954. Thesis: "A Scintillation Gamma Ray Spectrometer."

*Master of Science in Zoology*

Wendell Lorraine Sowell Birmingham  
B.S., Alabama Polytechnic Institute, 1947. Thesis: "The Acute Toxicity of Bayer L 15/59 to Rabbits and Rats."

SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE

*Bachelor of Science in Agriculture*

Morris Otis Allred Lincoln  
Charles Frank Bentley Notasulga  
William Clegg Clark Castlesberry  
Charley P. Collier Auburn  
Staley Edward Fincher Auburn  
Gerald Dean Foshee Red Level  
William Milton Goodson Dadeville  
James Rayburn Hathcock Cullman  
Walter Leroy Mitchell Montevallo  
John Milan Richardson Boaz  
Joseph Anderson Scott Elmore  
Ben Seay Tabor Owens Cross Roads  
Jack Alexander Thompson Sheffield  
Harold Wayne Tucker Gadsden  
George Thomas VanPelt Pensacola, Fla.  
Hoyt Earl Williamson Tanner

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Administration*

Sidney Classic Bell Ashford

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Engineering*

Henry Carl Cook Centreville  
Franklin Delano Roosevelt Denney Milltown  
James Agge Griffin Thorsby  
William Alvin Hilyer East Tallassee  
Dalton Taylor Judy Orangeburg, S. C.  
William Otto Schmale Cullman  
Sher Singh Virdi New Delhi, India

*Bachelor of Science in Fisheries Management*

Ariya Sidhimunka Bangkok, Thailand  
Willard Wayne Thomaston Kinston

*Bachelor of Science in Forestry*

James Riley Cathcart, Jr. Columbia, S. C.  
Charles William Summerour, III Montgomery

*Bachelor of Science in Ornamental Horticulture*

Dorothy May Miller Albert Penna Grove, N. J.  
Jesse Herman Newsome Phenix City

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE ARTS

*Bachelor of Architecture*

Marvin Hugh Sears, III Augusta, Ga.

*Bachelor of Applied Art*

Austin Sheridan Lowrey, Jr. Ft. Payne  
Grant Hillman Tittle Haleyville

*Bachelor of Building Construction*

Munsey Gordon Overstreet, Jr. Montgomery  
Robert Emmett Petty, IV Tuscumbia

SCHOOL OF CHEMISTRY

*Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering*

George Francis Bickham Auburn  
James Thomas Johnson Sylacauga  
John Schuyler Parke Belle Glade, Fla.  
Wesley Alonzo Parker Decatur  
John Curtis Strickland Nahunta, Ga.

*Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology*

Mary Louise Collins Opelika  
Sylvia deNay McCalla Horn Centreville  
Frances Rebecca Thompson Auburn

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

*Bachelor of Science in Education*

Nancy Bernice Atkinson Madison  
Imlah Elder Barber LaFayette  
Henry Alexandria Cathey Auburn  
Janice Jones Dorminey Birmingham  
Edward Lee Freeland Jacksonville  
Carolyn Virginia Hammett Auburn  
Billy Barney Hayes Trico, Ga.  
Frances Juliette McCarter Long Birmingham

Lois Lynne Mooty MacElvain	Eufaula
Patricia Jean Ashcraft Miller	Birmingham
Alice Jane Muir	Birmingham
Betty Jane Norwood	Decatur
Jean Taurman Pettyjohn	Birmingham
Tommy Leo Phillips	Decatur
Betty Jane Rogers	Dothan
Carolyn Ann Ross	Orlando, Fla.
Marilyn Royston	Roanoke
Ruth Janet Waite	Huntsville
Beatrice Rose Wheeler	Gadsden
Margie Catchings Wingard	Rockford

*Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education*

Byron Leroy Carroll	Clayton
Milburn Nelson Chesser	Fort Payne
Joe Coupland	Inverness
Robert Howard Harris	Wadley
Charles Leonard Jacks	Toney
Larry Durwayne McNutt	Haleyville
Henry Solomon Mobley	Shorterville
Herbert Eugene Patterson	Athens
Richard Marcus Runyan	Ashland
Wayne Walter Upton	Centre

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics Education*

Betty Jean Coe	Hartford
Thelma Louise Gandy	Auburn
Claude Ernestine Williams Gillaspy	Union, Miss.
Mary Earline Speer Phillips	Equality
Mary Jane Stallings	Centerville
Freda Jean Steele	Phil Campbell
Mary Elizabeth Terry	Riverview

**SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**

*Bachelor of Aeronautical Administration*

Brian Brewer	Montgomery
David Ronald Brown	Columbus, Ga.
Robert William Harrison, Jr.	Birmingham
Olan Dale Purvis	Dothan
George William Pyle	Demopolis
Robert Howell Reid, Jr.	Elmore

*Bachelor of Aeronautical Engineering*

Fletcher Monroe Cook, Jr.	Birmingham
James Scott Harmon	Danville, Ky.
Fred McLean McLaurine	Union Springs

*Bachelor of Civil Engineering*

Stephen James Buckley, III	Birmingham
Alvin Richard Buckner	Birmingham
Clifford Ray Clark	Ft. Payne
William McLane Coolidge, Jr.	Savannah, Ga.
William Franklin Ford	Opelika
Herbert John Furman, Jr.	Florence
Andrew Marvin Moore	Talladega
Alexander McQueen Salley	Saluda, N.C.
Girja Nandan Singh	Patna, Bihar, India

Ram Tapasya Singh	Shahabad, Bihar, India
Clarence Noel Vaughn	Birmingham

*Bachelor of Electrical Engineering*

James Delman Billingsley (Communications Option)	Birmingham
Emaley Foster Cobb (Power Option)	Jacksonville, Fla.
Bobby Sewell Combs (Communications Option)	Birmingham
Charles Colvin Gambill (Communications Option)	Terre Haute, Ind.
James William Griffin (Power Option)	Haverstraw, N.Y.
Fred Monroe Harper (Communications Option)	Tallassee
John Lindsey Hart, Jr. (Communications Option)	Mobile
John Thomas Hartley, Jr. (Communications Option)	Alma, Ga.
Donald Allen Hickman (Communications Option)	Montgomery
James Arnton Lipham (Communications Option)	Anniston
Calvin Thomas Morton (Power Option) (With High Honor)	Bellmore, N.Y.
William Roscoe Prafer (Communications Option)	Ellisville, Miss.
Ray Albert Robinson (Power Option)	Livingston
William Arthur Smith (Communications Option)	Calera
James William Wagon (Communications Option)	Wetumpka
Glenn Lamar Walker (Communications Option)	Birmingham
Robert Edward Wallace (Communications Option) (With High Honor)	Brownsboro
William Charles Wallace (Communications Option)	Birmingham
Donald Eugene Watson (Communications Option) (With High Honor)	Clanton
James Ralph Wills (Communications Option)	Daleville

*Bachelor of Engineering Physics*

Douglas Edward Fain (With High Honor)	Wetumpka
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*Bachelor of Industrial Management*

Garrell Eugene Anthony	Birmingham
Robert Edward Barnes	Dawson Springs, Ky.
Floyd Ruhane Bedsole	Florida
David Valentine Blair	Columbus, Ga.
Julian King Burgess	Waycross, Ga.
Robert Nicholas Butler	Lakeland, Fla.
Henry Jasper Callaway, III	Birmingham
Clifford George Coulter	Waycross, Ga.
William Justin Cutts	Eufaula
Donald Frederick Denman	Birmingham
Fredrick Franklin Denton, Jr.	Mobile
Arthur Douglas Dickey	Fell City
John Steele Dickson	Huntsville
Norman James Dreber	Birmingham
Richard Leroy Fisher, Jr.	Auburn
Frank Reed Fitton	Huntsville
Charles Barton Flynn	Mobile
James Thomas Freeman	Geraldine
Gary Sterling Gay	Birmingham
William Harry Hill, Jr.	Letobatchee
Alexander Holder, Jr.	Atmore
Joseph Clayton Hooper	Talladega
Hubert Leon Johnston	Brundidge
Robert Leon Laird	Birmingham
Robert Bruce Lassiter	West Palm Beach, Fla.
John McClelland, Jr.	Fairfax
Frederick William Mitchell, Jr.	Columbus, Ga.
Owen Dale Parker	Birmingham

Robert Conner Rowe	Lakeworth, Fla.
Edgar Albert Stevens, Jr.	Birmingham
James Calvin Taylor	Trussville
James Washington Vaughn	Columbus, Ga.
Wardie W. Ward	Cullman
James Herbert White	Enterprise
David Eugene Wingard	Clanton

*Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering*

Thomas Adrian Brown	St. Petersburg, Fla.
Ralph Anderson Burns	Talladega
John Robert Burton, Jr.	Altoona
Franklin Louis Davis, Jr.	Auburn
<del>Charles Richard DeVane, Jr.</del>	<del>Gloster</del>
Louis Robert Dishman, Jr.	Anniston
William Maebugh Duncan	Birmingham
Leland Ezell Glass, Jr.	Mobile
Edwin Ray Goodgame	Birmingham
Thomas Jesse Griffin, Jr.	Birmingham
Oliver Henry Hamrick, Jr.	Mobile
James Lyman Hazen	Prichard
Donald Hugh Jones	Birmingham
Claude Herschel Landrum	Quinton
Harvey Edward Leslie	Birmingham
James Harold Marks, Jr.	Frankewing, Tenn.
Carl Hugh Maroney	New Hope
Melbourne Lynell Phillips	Oneonta
Jack Lewis Rogers	Mobile
Frank Montgomery Vann	Citronelle
Herbert Owen Walker	Jackson, Miss.
Philip Appling Watts	Birmingham
Melvin Webb	Auburndale, Fla.
Glenn Arthur Wilcox	Robertsdale

*Bachelor of Textile Engineering*

William Francis Dolan, Jr.	Cedartown, Ga.
Robert Fouché Hardy, Jr.	Cedartown, Ga.
Lamson Carner Robinson	Auburn

*Bachelor of Textile Management*

Zebbie Mann Bush	East Tallapoosa
Guy Henry Kaylor	Talladega

SCHOOL OF HOME ECONOMICS

*Bachelor of Science in Home Economics*

Kathleen Brown (Clothing & Textiles)	Montgomery
Virginia Fay Cook (Nursing Science)	Ore City, Texas
Elizabeth Amyrillis English Davis (Home Demonstration)	Atmore
Ann Johnston Floyd (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Opelika
Eleanor Carolyn Hurley Garrett (Home Management)	Sheffield
Julia Katherine Hanlin (Home Management) (With Honor)	Birmingham
Marjorie Price Humphrey (Clothing & Textiles)	Sante Fe, Tenn.
Lora Inna Kirby (Home Demonstration)	Wedowee
Mary Edna Warner Luckie (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Montgomery
Mary Olive Smith Nisbett (Home Management)	Prattville
Nancy Carla Poole (Family Life & Nursery Education)	Spring Hill

SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

*Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy*

Richard Henry Burwell	Auburn
Bartlett Herbert Ford, Jr.	Sylacauga
Ralph Eugene Harmon	Chattanooga, Tenn.
William Howard Hudgens	Luverne
William Henry Jones, Jr.	Fairhope
Eugene McLemore	Opp
Wallace Donald McNair	Alabama City
George Henderson Morris	Morristown, Tenn.
William Mack Price	Clio
George C. Smith, Jr.	LaGrange, Ga.
Joseph Miles Thomas	Cottonwood
John Harold Wright	Albertville

SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND LITERATURE

*Bachelor of Arts*

Sarah Elizabeth Jennings	Post, Texas
Thomas Glenn Mizell	Birmingham
Ronald Knight Owen	Cullman

*Bachelor of Science*

James Gorman Houston, Jr.	Eufaula
Robert Gene Medlock	Gaylesville
Janiece Vernon Bryant Nichols	Thomasville
Martha Ann Lee Parker	Birmingham
Peggy Joy Smith	Collinsville

*Bachelor of Science in Business Administration*

Henry Harold Andrews	Ozark
Frederick Austin	Columbiana
Weldon Lafette Bozeman	Searight
John Jackson Busey, Jr.	Brewton
Dan Earl Clayton	Birmingham
Gene Edward Coffee	Selma
Rex Stanley Cooper	Union Mill, N.C.
William Eugene Cooper, Jr.	Talladega Springs
Joseph Harold Gallagher	Fairhope
Daniel Ray Gaskin	Savannah, Ga.
Michael Joseph Gavin	Auburn
Marion Hadley	Atmore
Joel Allen Hall, Jr.	Iroodale
Joy Faye Harrison	Auburn
Russell Junior Hill	Albertville
Alfred Phillip Jones	Mobile
Herman Bryant Justice (With High Honor)	Calcis
Donald Alden Langford	Pensacola, Fla.
Harold Cleveland Manly, Jr.	Birmingham
Wallace Robert McKinney, III	Mobile
Gerald Pitts Nichols, Jr. (With Honor)	Marion
Roberta Pearson	Mobile
Edwin Rex Peters	Hartford
Arthur Tilton Powell, Jr.	Prichard
James Madison Sullivan	Preston, Ga.
Mary Lou Teal	Thomaston, Ga.
Lester Wiley Teel	Auburn

Bobby Bruce Thornton	Prattville
Harold Edward Trigg	Birmingham
Hal Knox Waller, Jr.	Mobile
Thomas Volly Wilkinson	Roanoke
Merrill Lee Wingard (With Honor)	Prattville

### Scholastic Honors for 1955

**DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATES OF THE ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class who possess outstanding qualities of leadership, high moral character, and excellent academic records, and whose proficiency in military training and attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Military Graduates" of the December 1955 graduating class.

Edwin Ray Goodgame	Birmingham, Alabama
William Otto Schmale	Cullman, Alabama

**DISTINGUISHED GRADUATES, AIR FORCE RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following named Distinguished Air Force ROTC Cadets whose attainment in scholarship, leadership, proficiency in Air Force training, and attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished AFROTC Graduates," of the December 1955 graduating class:

Brian Brewer	Montgomery, Alabama
David Ronald Brown	Columbus, Georgia
Fredrick Franklin Denton, Jr.	Mobile, Alabama

**HONOR GRADUATES IN NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS:** The following members of the graduating class, whose attainment in scholarship, proficiency in naval training and intelligent attention to duty have merited it, are designated as "Distinguished Naval Graduates" for the year 1955.

*Commissioned as Ensign in the Regular Navy*

Emsley Foster Cobb	Jacksonville, Florida
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*Commissioned as Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve*

James Riley Cathcart, Jr.	Columbia, South Carolina
Marvin Hugh Sears, III	Augusta, Georgia

### THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

O say can you see, by the dawn's early  
light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's  
last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,  
through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so  
gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs  
bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our  
flag was still there,  
O say does that Star-spangled Banner yet  
wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of  
the brave?

### ALMA MATER

On the rolling plains of Dixie,  
'Neath the sun-kissed sky,  
Proudly stands, O Alma Mater,  
A. P. I.  
To thy name we'll sing thy praise,  
From hearts that love so true  
And pledge to thee our loyalty  
The ages through.

#### First Chorus

Hail thy colors, Orange and Blue,  
Unfurled unto the sky.  
To thee, our Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
O, A. P. I.

Hear thy student voices swelling,  
Echoes strong and clear,  
Adding laurels to thy fame  
Enshrined so dear.  
From thy hallowed walls we'll part  
And bid thee sad adieu,  
Thy sacred trust we'll bear with us  
The ages through.

#### Second Chorus

God, our Father, hear our prayer,  
May Auburn never die.  
To thee, O Alma Mater, we'll be true,  
Our A. P. I.

—William T. "Bill" Wood, '34