

**Bryant College**  
**Smithfield, Rhode Island**

**Class Day**  
**Program**

**One Hundred and Ninth Commencement**



**Friday, June 2, 1972**  
**Two o'clock**  
**Smithfield, Rhode Island**

## *Order of Exercises*

### *PRESIDING*

MARK T. SINGER, '72

*Chairman, Class Day Committee*



### *ACADEMIC PROCESSION THE NATIONAL ANTHEM*

(The audience will please remain standing)



### *INVOCATION*

THE REVEREND DONAT A. BARRETTE



### *GREETINGS*

MARK T. SINGER, '72



### *"A VALEDICTION: FORBIDDING THE APOCALYPSE"*

ALAN J. KLUGER, '72



### *"BEHOLD A STRANGE NOTION"*

RICHARD M. BIBEN, '72



## *Order of Exercises*

### *GREETINGS FROM THE BRYANT COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION*

PHILIP H. HAYDEN, '59

*President, Bryant College Alumni Association*



### *PRESENTATION OF ANNUAL AWARDS*

DR. HARRY F. EVARTS

*President of Bryant College*



### *THE ALMA MATER*



### *BENEDICTION*

RABBI MARC S. JAGOLINZER

## *Annual Scholarship Awards*

*Honor Awards are presented on Class Day to those students who have maintained the highest scholastic standing throughout their college term.*

### *FIRST HONORS*

**GOLD MEDAL—For highest general scholarship**

**Baccalaureate Programs:**

Accounting Major .....Marsha Ruth Schoeninger  
Business Teacher Education Major .....Diane H. Fernandes  
Economics Major .....Roland Lucien DiOrio  
Management Major .....James F. Moriarty  
Marketing Major .....Barbara Anne Laliberte

**Baccalaureate Programs, Evening Division:**

Business Administration Major .....Richard J. Matzko  
Law Enforcement Major .....Theodore Stephen King

**Associate Degree Program:**

Secretarial Studies Curriculum .....Denise L. Desaulnier

**Associate Degree Programs, Evening Division:**

Business Administration Major .....William Robert Thornley  
Law Enforcement Major .....Henry Vincent Crudale

### *SECOND HONORS*

**SILVER MEDAL—For second highest general scholarship**

**Baccalaureate Programs:**

Accounting Major .....Frederick Charlwood Fish  
Business Teacher Education Major .....Mary Elizabeth Cameron  
Economics Major .....James V. Rosati  
Management Major .....Stephen Lawrence Candela  
Marketing Major .....Alan Jay Kluger

**Baccalaureate Programs, Evening Division:**

Business Administration Major .....Meddy Joseph Payette, Sr.  
Law Enforcement Major .....Alan J. Gudaitis

**Associate Degree Program:**

Secretarial Studies Curriculum .....Janice Lynn Jeffrey

**Associate Degree Programs, Evening Division:**

Business Administration Major .....John M. Leask  
Law Enforcement Major .....James Lester Wynne, III

## *Annual Scholarship Awards*

THE GEORGE M. PARKS AWARD, \$50, is awarded to the business Administration senior who, by his intelligent use of leadership qualities, has done the most to enhance the reputation of Bryant College.

STEWART E. COHEN

THE JAY HARRISON MANCHESTER POLITICAL SCIENCE AWARD, \$50, is awarded to the senior who has achieved a distinguished record in the field of political science studies.

RICHARD MARK BIBEN

THE CHARLES CURTIS AWARD, \$50, is presented by friends of the College to a student from the Department of Secretarial and Office Education who has manifested courteous conduct and a cooperative spirit in personal relations and demonstrated a capacity for business leadership. This award was inaugurated when the late Mr. Curtis was Vice President of the United States.

RHONDA RAE RUTKOWSKI

THE ALUMNI AWARD, \$50, is awarded in the Department of Secretarial and Office Education to the graduating student whose personality and scholastic ability demonstrate the greatest potential for a successful career in his chosen field.

MARIA E. PHILLIPS

THE JOHN ROBERT GREGG AWARD, a gold medal suitably inscribed, is presented to the graduating student in the Department of Secretarial and Office Education who has maintained a high level of achievement in shorthand.

BRENDA SUE GARDNER

JANICE LYNN JEFFREY

THE JEREMIAH CLARK BARBER AWARD, \$50, is presented to the graduate completing a Bachelor's degree curriculum who has the most consistent record of improvement in mastering the subject matter of his College program.

HOWARD B. RIVKIN

THE ROGER W. BABSON AWARD, a gold medal suitably inscribed, is presented to the Business Administration senior who has distinguished himself because of character, an orderly mind, sound judgment, and systematic business habits.

EDWARD ALBERT ALVES

THE BRYANT COLLEGE AWARD, a selected set of books on business subjects is awarded to the Business Administration senior who has shown the greatest improvement in methods of thinking and research and who displays thoroughness in analyzing facts and figures.

ROBERT ANTHONY NADEAU, JR.

THE HENRY L. JACOBS ENGLISH AWARD, a selected set of books on literary subjects is presented to the graduating student in the Department of Secretarial and Office Education who attains the highest standing in English composition throughout the curriculum.

JANICE LYNN JEFFREY

THE PELL MEDAL FOR UNITED STATES HISTORY is presented annually to a member of the graduating class who displays excellence in the study of United States History. Rhode Island's Junior Senator, The Honorable Claiborne de Borda Pell, presents this medal to honor the memory of his father, the late Herbert C. Pell, statesman and diplomat, who served our country as Ambassador to Hungary and Minister to Portugal.

THOMAS J. WESTGATE

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL AWARD, a silver medal suitably inscribed and a year's subscription to the *Wall Street Journal*, is awarded to the Business Administration senior who has distinguished himself in the fields of economics, finance, and investments.

ROLAND LUCIEN DIORIO

## *Annual Scholarship Awards*

THE BRYANT TYPEWRITING AWARD, a gold medal suitably inscribed, is awarded to the graduating student in the Department of Secretarial and Office Education who throughout the course has maintained the highest level of achievement in typewriting.

RUTH CUSHING

THE BRYANT COLLEGE GOOD CITIZENSHIP AWARD, a United States Savings Bond given by Edwin H. Keast, a member of the Class of 1949, is awarded to the senior who has demonstrated the qualities of sincerity and vigorous industry in the interest of good citizenship and who has by example furthered better government on and off the campus.

STEWART E. COHEN

THE ALLAN H. BOYLE AWARD, \$50, is awarded to the student in the Business Teacher Education Department who has done the most to enhance the reputation of this Department. This award is given by Dr. Boyle, assistant psychological director in Union, New Jersey.

MARGARET ANGELA CHIARADIO

AFL-CIO AWARD, The Meat Cutters and Food Store Workers Award of \$50 is presented to the graduating student who has made the most creative study of labor-management relations. This award is given annually by local 328, AFL-CIO, for the purpose of focusing attention upon the field of labor-management relations and showing proper recognition to this important area of modern business education.

JAMES LAURENCE MAY

PHI KAPPA TAU BROTHERHOOD AWARD, a silver Revere Bowl suitably inscribed, is given by this fraternity of Bryant College to the senior who has exhibited outstanding brotherhood and leadership in promoting policies beneficial to Bryant College and the entire student body.

LOUISE LAMPERT

SENIOR CLASS INVESTMENT AWARD, one or more shares of stock presented by the members of the Senior Class to the senior achieving the highest distinction in the study of investments.

MARSHA RUTH SCHOENINGER

THE RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS AWARD—An engraved plaque to the student obtaining the highest score in the American Institute of Accountants Level II Achievement Test.

ROBERT ANTHONY NADEAU, JR.

THE VINCENT VOTOLATO SCHOLASTIC-ATHLETIC AWARD, This award, an engraved plaque, suitably inscribed, was inaugurated in 1965 by Vincent Votolato, Sr., of Hopkinton, Massachusetts, Bryant Class of 1914. It is given each year to an athlete for excellence of academic performance and participation in varsity athletics at the College. This year's recipient was selected by all the varsity coaches and was a member of the Tennis team.

WAYNE STEVEN BYERS

THE SELF-RELIANCE AWARD, This award, \$100, is given by A. R. A. Services to a mature individual who is well liked by fellow students and teachers to whom he has shown dependability and trust. This person has shown qualities in the areas of being punctual in his work, leadership ability, and that of assuming some financial responsibility for his education. In addition to the above qualities, this person exemplifies, both in thought and deed, a strong belief in himself and his fellow man.

EDWARD ALBERT ALVES

*FLAG BEARERS*

Daniel Francis Harrington, Phi Sigma Nu      John Larisa III, Tau Epsilon  
William Francis Sweeney, Phi Epsilon Pi



*STUDENT MARSHALS*

Betty Louise Applebey      Deborah Paula Meldonian  
Stephen Francis Benn      David Gilbert Brown



*FACULTY MARSHALS*

Stewart C. Yorks      Earle A. Messer  
Robert F. Birt



*USHERS*

BETA SIGMA CHI

John M. Day  
Colin L. Riley  
Timothy I. Moss

TAU KAPPA EPSILON

Bruce E. Monaco  
Kenneth J. Farley

TAU EPSILON

Saul H. Lindenfeld

DELTA SIGMA PHI

Robert M. Rhault  
Mark T. Gilchrist  
Joseph A. Miller

PHI SIGMA NU

Robert A. Feldman

PHI EPSILON PI

Jeffrey A. Asher  
Lawrence B. Norstrom

KAPPA TAU

Richard B. Leto

SIGMA IOTA BETA

Donna L. Ligeiro

SIGMA LAMBDA THETA

Barbara J. Masi  
Donna M. Messore

SIGMA IOTA XI

Marcia E. Senk  
Robert A. Lambert  
Carol L. Carlson

PHI UPSILON

Eva Mae Morris  
Iris S. Gresack

ALPHA PHI KAPPA

Ann Susan Consigli

BETA SIGMA OMICRON

Maureen J. Foye

*President of Bryant College*

DR. HARRY F. EVARTS



*CLASS DAY COMMITTEE*

MARK T. SINGER, '72, Chairman

RICHARD M. BIBEN, '72



Bearer of the Harriet E. Jacobs Memorial Mace

PATRICK J. KEELEY

President, Bryant College Faculty Federation



MUSIC—The Ed Drew Orchestra