



# GRADUATION EXERCISES

THE WEST COAST ARMY AIR FORCES TRAINING CENTER  
AT

THE ARMY AIR FORCES ADVANCED FLYING SCHOOL  
Stockton Field, California

SEPTEMBER 29, 1942

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Section I

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Graduates of Class 42-I, W. C. A. A. F. T. C.

Student Officer, Aviation Cadets, and Aviation Students

Second Lieutenant

Dunn, Lamar Jackson

Aviation Cadets

Axton, John Wellington  
Boggess, Robert Woodfin, Jr.  
Brumbaugh, Ronald Lee  
Brunsvold, Merle Basil  
Bustrum, William Albert  
Carey, Woodrow Thomas  
Christopher, Kenneth Everett  
Clewett, Kenneth Walter  
Dobbie, Donald Vernal  
Ewert, Anthony Ray  
Ewing, Jack Hester  
Faulkner, Eldridge Rhoades  
Finefrock, William Earl

Fisher, Earl  
Fisher, Robert Orr  
Flannes, Robert Lyle  
Forsyth, George A.  
Forward, Robert Heller  
Friend, Richard Sidney  
Garretson, Walter Raymond  
Hardin, George Leon  
Hardwick, Jack Buck  
Hickman, Charles Leroy, Jr.  
Hickox, Ernest Waldo  
Hirschberg, Carlyle Roberts  
Hitt, Samuel Bruce

Hix, Thomas James  
Hogan, Robert Daniel  
Hunt, George Hilman  
Johnson, Gordon Keith  
Johnson, Howard, Jr.  
Jones, Roy Lee, Jr.  
Jorgensen, Max Lamont  
Kennamer, David Lipscomb  
LaNasa, Victor Cosmo  
Lee, Merle Julian  
Lilly, Robert Everly  
Linderman, Edward Willard  
Lutz, Elmer Vincent

Markham, George Lantz, Jr.  
Marshall, Richard Kenneth  
McCord, Thomas Alfred  
McNeel, Robert Caldwell  
Mellinger, Melvin Franklin  
Murset, Edward John, Jr.  
Nelson, Gordon Klock  
Noah, Stuart Genung  
O'Driscoll, John Albert  
Pennington, John William  
Reidenbaugh, Howard Richard  
Slack, Walter Wallace  
Wade, Jack  
Welsh, Edward John

Aviation Students

Adams, Hughie Darell  
Anderson, Charles Parker, Jr.  
Arens, Urban Leo  
Augsburger, Herschel Laverne  
Ballard, Thomas Robert  
Bates, Willie Lee  
Beck, Lyman Ellison  
Benedict, Paul Edward  
Berg, Robert Stanley  
Bessler, Joseph Francis  
Boyd, Henry LeRoy  
Brophy, Vincent Fern  
Brown, Russell Alvin  
Bukovac, Thomas John  
Byron, Kenneth Joseph  
Caine, Donald Franklin  
Caldwell, George Philip  
Camp, Aaron Boone, Jr.  
Chancey, Norman Lester  
Chase, Robert Pennell  
Check, Joseph Peter, Jr.  
Chesley, Darvel N.  
Clay, Leon C.  
Clifton, Roy Milton  
Conklin, Charles Holt  
Craig, Robert John  
Crane, Roy Benjamin  
Crosby, Duane Leland  
Curran, Francis Eugene  
Davenport, Harry Edward  
DeBusk, Ray B.  
Donnelly, Thomas Edward  
Dupuy, Robert Leonard  
Erwin, Archie Thomas  
Ferrante, James Daniel  
Fish, Russell Hamilton, Jr.  
Fisher, Gordon Edward

Freeman, Jacob Milton  
Frost, Ernest William  
Frost, Thomas Merle  
Gahm, Othol LaVern  
Gautier, Bill Perry  
Gebelein, Herbert  
Gillespie, Joseph Hemphill  
Grabenstein, Joseph Leo  
Grabowski, Victor Joseph  
Green, Augustus Bently, Jr.  
Grovac, Donald Eugene  
Hammond, Henry LeRoy  
Harrington, Jack Kesler  
Hasley, Walter Fichter  
Hawkins, David Carroll  
Holben, Carl Rauch  
Holcomb, Earl Leon  
Houle, Joseph Louis  
Huddleston, Robert Byron, Jr.  
Hudson, Charles, Jr.  
Huey, Charles James  
Hulbert, Clarence Elwood, Jr.  
Hutchinson, Tom  
Jackson, John Henry  
Jacobs, George Daniel  
Johnson, John Samuel  
Johnson, Ralph Manley  
Johnston, Bernie Boyd  
Johnston, Gerald Wayne  
Johnston, Ramon Leslie  
Jones, Charley Horton  
Jones, David Huske, Jr.  
Jones, Horace Bradley  
Jones, James William  
Kagy, Kenneth Wick  
Kazimerczak, Walter Frank  
Kelley, John Pershing

Kestler, Emory Joseph  
Keyser, John Richard  
Kidd, Thedford Franklin  
Kimble, Richard ElRoy  
Kinamon, Charles Leroy  
Ladd, Kenneth Richard  
Leone, Emil Oris  
Loveland, Howard Clifford, Jr.  
Manning, Tom Charles  
Martin, George Franklin  
McClure, Eugene Lee  
McElmurry, Thomas Uriel  
McFarland, D. H.  
McIver, Drue Eldon, Jr.  
Meeks, N. V., Jr.  
Mitchell, Lenyard Chilton  
Moline, Siegfried Leslie  
Mong, Rex Elmer  
Monroe, Horace B.  
Moose, Marlin Howard  
Morganti, Galileo John  
Mourer, Ray Snyder, Jr.  
Mullins, Clayton Deward  
Murphy, Stanley William  
Narramore, Roth Jeffrey  
Neidigh, Kenneth Edwin  
Nixon, Glynn Hayden  
O'Connor, William Leon  
Ogle, Sherman Levi  
O'Neal, George Frederick  
Parker, James Aaron  
Peters, Marvin Leroy Wells  
Peterson, Donald Clarence  
Pinkston, Joe Keith  
Porter, Harold Douglas  
Powelson, Joseph Donald  
Price, Sterling Eugene

Rasch, Rolland Minor  
Reagle, Robert Carroll  
Richardson, Richard Keith  
Rockney, Arlo Dean  
Roeske, Leopold Alvern  
Rubis, Clifton Leroy  
Ruse, William Otis  
Shirey, William Maynard  
Shoop, Jay Ivan  
Shuck, Harold Eugene  
Simmons, Raymond  
Smith, Yost Eldon  
Snook, Robert Ray  
Streitwieser, James Edward  
Stubblefield, Clarence Edward  
Sturm, Robert Lee  
Tausche, Walter  
Theuer, Robin Hilary  
Thompson, Bernard Ferris  
Thornton, Harold Anson  
Toner, Luke Martin  
Toney, John Thomas  
Turner, Dwight Edwin  
Tyhurst, William Albert  
Wagner, Marion  
Warlick, J. D.  
Weidler, Ira James  
Welch, Wilford Woodruff, Jr.  
Wentworth, Floyd B.  
Westhaver, Donald Cecil McLeod  
White, Thomas Leonidas  
Wiggins, Julius Jenkins  
Wilczynski, Edwin Stanley  
Williams, Clifton Everett  
Wilson, Arthur Douglas  
Winks, William Burl  
Wyckoff, Florest Gene  
Wylie, John Allen, Jr.

PROGRAM

INVOCATION

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

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PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND WINGS

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THE NATIONAL ANTHEM