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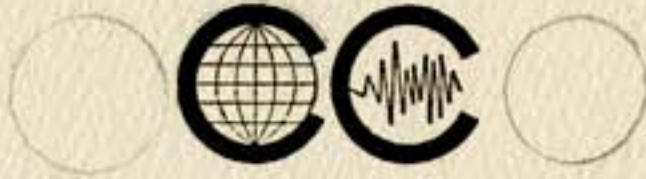
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FOUNDED 1890

SEVENTY-EIGHTH



COMMENCEMENT

TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 1968

PRUDENTIAL BUILDING AUDITORIUM

PRUDENTIAL PLAZA

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS



COLUMBIA COLLEGE  
SEVENTY-EIGHTH YEAR COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

PROGRAM

PRELUDE:

*Toccata in F Major*.....J. S. BACH

IVY BEARD, Organ

Associate Conductor, Center for New Music, Columbia College

PROCESSIONAL:

*March* .....WILLIAM RUSSO

*(The audience is requested to remain seated during the Processional)*

PRESIDING:

WILLIAM WILKES, Dean of the College

"The Star Spangled Banner".....FRANCIS SCOTT KEY

INVOCATION:

THE REVEREND ROBERT TAYLOR,

Episcopal Diocese of Chicago, Faculty Member, Columbia College

*Scarborough Fair Canticle*.....PAUL SIMON

Setting by WILLIAM RUSSO

(Columbia College Center for New Music)  
WILLIAM RUSSO, Director



CONFERRED UPON THE CLASS OF 1968  
THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE

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PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES:

*Mirron Alexandroff and Faculty*

RECESSIONAL:

"Jesu richte mein Beginnen" from the *Christmas Oratorio* . . . . . J. S. BACH

IVY BEARD, Organ

*(The audience is requested to remain seated until the conclusion of the Recessional)*

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