
P R O G R A M

DEDICATION OF THE
EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK

AT EVERGLADES, FLORIDA,

AS THE 28TH NATIONAL PARK

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 6, 1947

Program

John D. Pennekamp, Presiding

INVOCATION *Deaconess Harriett Bedell*

SELECTION *Fort Myers High School Band*

INTRODUCING ERNEST F. COE
and OTHER DISTINGUISHED GUESTS *August Burghard*

PRESENTATION OF ROYAL PALM STATE PARK PLAQUE
Mrs. W. S. Jennings and Mrs. L. J. McCaffrey to Mr. Newton P. Drury

SELECTION *Fort Myers High School Band*

REMARKS *Senator Claude Pepper*

REMARKS *Senator Spessard L. Holland*

PRESENTATION OF AREA TO NATION . . . *Governor Millard F. Caldwell*

DEDICATION *Secretary of the Interior Julius A. Krug*

ADDRESS *The President of the United States*

BENEDICTION *Rev. E. A. Finn*

STAR SPANGLED BANNER *Fort Myers High School Band*

Wab Nese Red Rock, Soloist

EVERGLADES NATIONAL PARK COMMISSION

August Burghard, Chairman

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