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High Schools of County This Week Begin Their Commencement Exercises

Cradock, Deep Creek and Churchland Announce Extensive Programs Marking End of Term

The Rev. T. A. Russell, pastor of South Street Baptist Church, will deliver the annual baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the Cradock High School, in services this morning at 11 o'clock in the Cradock school auditorium. The church choir of Cradock will combine for this service and will render a program of music under the direction of W. H. Bevans, with Mrs. E. G. Healy as accompanist.

Seventeen students will be graduated from the Cradock school, the class being as follows: Miss Madeline Starr Creamer, Miss Emma Katherine Matthe, Miss Priscilla Beaumont Hines, Miss Alice Baker Howard, Miss Ellen Virginia Hurdle, Miss Winifred Elizabeth Randall, Miss Ettie Ruth Collins, Miss Shirley Erena Sull and Miss Isabell Justice Weston, and Marvin Carl Grimes, William Edward Harmon, Lloyd Goodwin Jordan, Thomas Elmer Litchfield, William Watson Pringle, Rogerson Leigh Staples, James Westly Turner and Harry Maine Weaver.

Class Night Program. Class Night will be held Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The program to be presented is as follows:

- Welcome address
Roll call
Class history
Class historian
Class reciprocal
Class toast
Class poem
Class pessimist
Class optimist
Class colors
Class motto
Class prophecy
Class will
Class charge to juniors
Class song

Commencement Program. Commencement exercises will be held at the school Thursday night at 8 o'clock, the address to the graduating class being delivered by Prof. H. C. Krebs, professor of education at William and Mary College.

- The program follows:
Invocation
Musical selection
Salutatory
Musical selection
Address
Musical selection
Valedictory
Musical selection
Awarding of diplomas
Awarding of Field Day medal, A. B. Hill
Musical selection
Awarding of certificates of honor

Month of Brides Brings Rush For Licenses to Wed

The advent of "the month of brides and roses" today had a very strengthening effect on the marriage license market yesterday and a marked increase in the number of licenses issued was noted in both the office of the Norfolk County clerk and the clerk of the Court of Hustings. This increasing influence extended even for three days back, many couples obtaining their licenses Thursday and Friday in preparation for first of June weddings. The number of licenses issued last week was in marked distinction to the few issued during the preceding three weeks of May.

Horace Ralph Poff, of Floyd Court House, and Mary Edna Lewis, of Oxford, S. C., obtained a marriage license yesterday in the office of the clerk of the Court of Hustings. Other licenses were issued with the request that publication be deferred. Marriage licenses were issued in the following yesterday in the office of the Norfolk County clerk:

- Obel Edward Skinner, of 925 Wellington avenue, South Norfolk, and Lucy Blair Talson, of 29 Cushing street, Cradock.
Thomas Mason Tarpley, Jr., of Fort Moultrie, S. C., and Navy Lovejoy King, of Glen-Heath.

Postal Employees Face Rush of Work After Brief Rest

Post office clerks and carriers yesterday paid for their holiday Friday with extra work, catching up with the week-end accumulation of mail.

The rush of work was so heavy that many were unable to take the holiday customary during the warm months. The carriers were especially burdened and worked practically the entire day. By late afternoon, however, the work was very well in hand and in the usual good shape for Sunday.

Commercial Body Plans Election Of Directorate

An entire new directorate will be elected for the ensuing year at the annual election of the Portsmouth Chamber of Commerce directors tomorrow night, at 8 o'clock. The board of directors is composed of 25 members, and names will be brought in to