

Phoenix High School ⁸

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MEMBERS OF THE GRADUATING CLASS

1944

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| 1 Marie Elizabeth Anthony | 33 Lavon Thomas Johnson, Jr. |
| 2 Viola Cathinea Anthony | 34 Margaret Oveta Kellogg |
| 3 Gertrude C. Bagley | 35 Russell Mayo Kemp |
| 4 Elois Barkers | 36 Margaret Audrey Lattimore |
| 5 Fredericka Barnwell Bassette | 37 Alice Veronette Maven |
| 6 Violet Battle | 38 John McNeil, Jr. |
| 7 Alice Miriam Bright | 39 Aurelia McNeil |
| 8 Richard E. Broadfield ^{recalled} | 40 Jacqueline Mary Miles |
| 9 Gladys Delores Brown | 41 Norton Newsome |
| 10 Burl Bowens, Jr. | 42 Thomas Boone Nottingham |
| 11 Dorothy Ellen Chapman | 43 Nevada Patterson |
| 12 Bernice Elizabeth Christian | 44 Dorothy Anna Peed |
| 13 Lerial Ernestine Christian | 45 Grace Bernice Pinner |
| 14 Erma Doris Cones | 46 Herman Prescott |
| 15 Anna May Corbin Davis | 47 Evelyn Louise Pritchett |
| 16 Juanita Aleene Davis | 48 Albert T. Reid |
| 17 Lucien Caswell Evans, Jr. ^{decided} | 49 Virginia Rowe |
| 18 Jacqueline Elizabeth Fields | 50 Charles J. Sargent, Jr. |
| 19 Alva Ruth Foster | 51 Thelma Celestine Saunders |
| 20 William Townsend Gaines | 52 James Savage |
| 21 Isom Gilbert Gladden, Jr. | 53 Charles Edward Smith, Jr. |
| 22 Adaline Alvonra Greene | 54 Gideon Edward Smith, Jr. |
| 23 Theodore Greene | 55 Thelma Yzonnechris Stokes |
| 24 Louis B. Harris | 56 Charles Clinton Sturdivant |
| 25 Allen Leon Hawkins | 57 Celestine Surls |
| 26 Evelyn Dorethia Hilton | 58 Alfred Riley Taylor |
| 27 Mary Claudia Hines | 59 Martha Ann Taylor |
| 28 Laura Virginia Hooker | 60 Wendell Lawrence Thompson, Jr. |
| 29 Muriel Viola Hopkins | 61 Bernice Washington |
| 30 Harry T. Jackson | 62 Janie Elizabeth West |
| 31 Synade Lenora Jackson | 63 Blanche Virginia Williams |
| 32 Carrie Thelma Johnson | 64 Fannie Francis Williams |
| 35 Pearl Cathleen Wilson | |

Highest Honors

GRADUATION EXERCISES

of

George P. Phenix High School



HAMPTON INSTITUTE ♦ OGDEN HALL

Friday, June Ninth

Nineteen Hundred Forty-four

Eight o'clock

PROGRAM

Processional

Lift Every Voice and Sing Johnson
Audience

Invocation Rev. Isom G. Gladden

Largo from "Xerxes" Handel
Alice Bright, Violin

Address Rev. John B. Henderson

Awarding of Scholarships and Prizes Mr. John M. Botts

Awarding of Class Gift Gideon Smith

Awarding of Diplomas Mr. John M. Botts

Class Song Alice Bright

Recessional

I

Lift every voice and sing
Till earth and heaven ring,
Ring with the harmonies of Liberty;
Let our rejoicing rise
High as the list'ning skies,
Let it resound loud as the rolling sea;
Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us,
Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us;
Facing the rising sun
Of our new day begun
Let us march on till victory is won.

CLASS OF 1944

Officers

President Herman Prescott

Vice-President Wendell Lawrence Thompson

Secretary Thelma Cellestine Saunders

Treasurer Albert Turner Reid

Motto: "Opportunity we will grasp today,
For tomorrow it may not come our way."

Colors: Red and White

Flowers: Red Rose and White Carnation

III

God of our weary years,
God of our silent tears,
Thou who hast brought us thus far on the way;
Thou who hast by Thy might
Led us into the light,
Keep us forever in the path, we pray
Lest our feet stray from the places, our God, where we met Thee,
Lest, our hearts drunk with the wine of the world we forget Thee;
Shadowed beneath Thy hand,
May we forever stand,
True to our God, true to our Native Land.