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The May Day festival will be held as part of the commencement program, this year, in order to enable parents, friends, and alumnae to witness both events; whereas, due to gas rationing, they might be able to be present only at one. This change in custom is more advantageous not only for this reason but also because at this time of year the grounds will be at the height of their beauty, thus furnishing a more attractive background for the occasion. The date of May Day has been set for Saturday, May 15, at four o'clock in the afternoon, and will be presented on the lawn in front of Anderson Auditorium.

This year's May Court will be an exceptionally beautiful one. It will be an enthralling moment when the attendants, in their dresses of gay colors, proceed across the lawn to the sweet strains of the "Triumph March", followed by the lovely Maid of Honor and our May Queen, Nell Hogshoad and Virginia Abernathy.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

The Baccalaureate sermon will be preached on May 16, at 10:45 a. m. by the Reverend H. E. Dendy of Weaverville. Dr. Julian S. Miller of Charlotte, North Carolina, will deliver the commencement address this year. Dr. Miller is the editor of The Charlotte Observer and is a very popular speaker. The commencement exercises will be held at 10 o'clock in Anderson Auditorium on May 17.

ANNOUNCED

The observance of Easter will begin this year on Palm Sunday. The Choir and the Glee Club will unite in singing songs representative of the season, such as "Hosanna" by Groser and "The Palms" by Faure.

In the morning of Easter, April 25, the College and High School Y. P. C. Councils will conduct a customary Sunrise Service at Chapman Home. The impressive service will consist of scripture, poems, the Easter story, prayer, and songs. "Holy, Holy, Holy", "Sunrise", and "Christ Is Risen" will be sung, the latter just as the sun rises. The program is under the direction of the two Chairman of Life Enrichment, Sara Dixon and Mary Cowan.

Among the songs to be sung by the Choir at the regular Church service are "An Angel Said to Mary" and "Scene and Prayer" from Cavalleria Rusticana by Mascagni.

The College Y. P. C. will present "The Thorn-Crowned King," the first Easter cantata given at Montreat. Approximately thirty Choir members will participate in the cantata. There will be solos by Virginia Abernathy, Elizabeth Martin, sopranos; Martha White, Betty Epps, and Jane Barham, altos. Betty Epps, Chairman of Music, is in charge of arrangements. The cantata is under the direction of Miss Woodhouse and accompanied by Miss Lord.