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Second
SCIENCE WORKSHOP
FOR
ELEMENTARY TEACHERS

June 8—June 26

Prairie View Agricultural and
Mechanical College
Department of
NATURAL SCIENCES

PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS



FOR WORD....

There is recognized an increasing scarcity of young people training for careers in science or as teachers of science. One of the greatest single factors for creating interest in science and stimulating students into seeking careers in science is an enthusiastic and skillful teacher. This interest and stimulation must begin in the elementary school.

The science workshop is planned to meet the needs of elementary teachers for a program that covers the broad content of science as taught in the elementary school, and that provides enriched backgrounds and teaching techniques of practical value to inservice teachers. Emphasis is placed on methods, techniques, and materials for teaching science in the elementary school, making use of community resources and integrating new materials into existing curricula.

OBJECTIVES....

To provide experienced teachers with new subject matter for their courses through survey of important trends in teaching elementary science.

To provide an opportunity for teachers to discuss current problems and to exchange ideas concerning the teaching of elementary science.

To enrich the participating teachers' background in science.

To aid teachers in developing special techniques for making models, charts, slides, terraria, aquaria, and other useful teaching aids.

To strengthen the capacity of the participants to teach more challengingly and effectively.



OPPORTUNITIES....

To get assistance in the solution of problems peculiar to individual schools.
To acquire ideas on how to interest able elementary pupils in careers in science.

To survey methods and techniques of identifying science talent.

To gain ideas and techniques for evaluating pupils' progress in science.

To personally contact recognized authorities in the field of science education.

To evaluate films, filmstrips, demonstration apparatus, and other visual aids, helpful in teaching science.

CREDIT....

Three hours for all participants.

WORKSHOP ACTIVITIES....

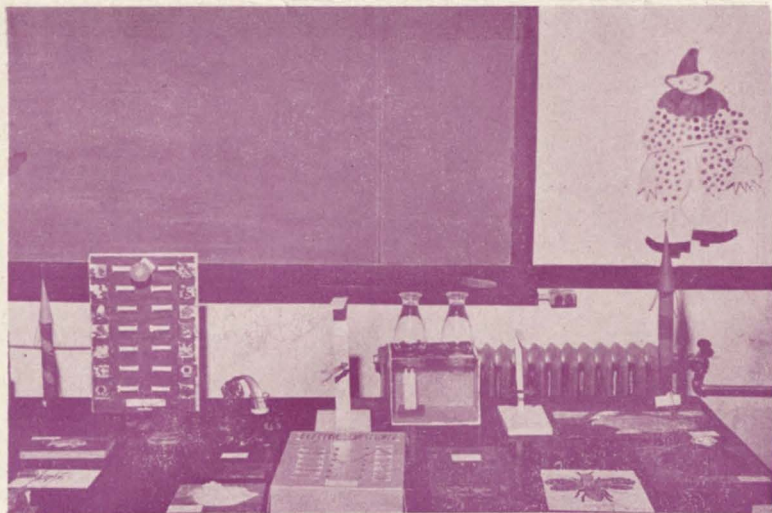
LECTURES

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REGISTRATION....

To assure acceptance in the workshop, you should fill out the form below and mail to the director not later than May 25. The workshop will be limited to 30 participants. Payment of fees and room reservations should be made through the Office of the Registrar.

There will be a registration fee of \$21.00 for the 3-week course and 3 hours credit. In addition, all persons attending the workshop must pay a health fee of \$2.00 and an activity fee of \$1.00. Adequate housing is available in the College Dormitories at the rate of \$4.04 per week.

Cut along this line

Mail your application and further inquiry to—

MR. L. L. BYRD, Director
Elementary Science Workshop
Prairie View A. and M. College
Prairie View, Texas

Please enroll me in the **Elementary Science Workshop**.

Name (Mr., Miss, Mrs.)

Address

City State

Position Grade taught

I am interested in the following problem:

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