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NEWS LETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE - PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

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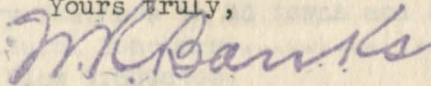
1. CALENDAR ..

- (a) Home Coming .. Alumni Day - and Dedication of Anderson Hall May 26, 1934
- (b) Women's Conference (Presbyterian Church) - May 27 to June 3 1934
- (c) Baccalaureate Address .. W. R. Banks ----- May 27, 1934
- (d) Commencement Address .. Dean R. O'Hara Lanier
Houston Colored Junior College, Houston, Texas
- (e) Workers Meeting for June at 7:30 P. M. ... June 1, 1934
- (f) Opening of Summer School, Monday June 4, 1934

2. Thus comes to the close the most successful and fruitful school year that it has been my privilege to observe - May I express to each of you my sincere appreciations for your fine contribution to this year's work?

I am

Yours truly,



W. R. Banks
Principal

P. S. 1 May Workers Meeting usual time and place
2 June Workers Meeting June 1, 1934.

SOME FACTS ABOUT PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE
Prairie View, Texas

1. Established 58 years ago - April 1876. The only State supported Institution for the higher education of Negroes in Texas.
2. Property conservatively valued at \$2,000,000.00 - Comprising -
 - (a) 1,434 acres of land
 - (b) 34 Buildings
 - (c) 52 Cottages
3. Annual enrollment 1,500 students.
4. Nursery School, Laboratory including all the grades.
5. Offers courses -
 - (a) Agriculture
 - (b) Arts and Sciences
 - (c) Home Economics
 - (d) Mechanic Arts
 - (e) Nurse Training
 - (f) 18 Trades Courses
6. Public Service Enterprises -
 - (a) Veterinary Hospital - serves within a radius of 100 miles.
 - (b) Hospital - 50 bed capacity - serves a radius of 250 miles.
7. 70% of the 5000 Public School Teachers in Texas receive their training at Prairie View.
8. Under Prairie View Supervision and Direction -
 - (a) State Agricultural and Home Demonstration Agents 69
(58 are Prairie View Graduates)
 - (b) State Vocational Home Economics Teachers 64
(All are Prairie View Graduates)
 - (c) Trades and Industry Teachers in 36 towns and Cities 66
 - (d) Vocational Agricultural Teachers 107
(106) are Prairie View Graduates)
 - (e) All of the Negro Schools in Waller County with an enrollment of 1415 pupils.
9. Campus Activities for the State Attendance

(a) Medical Clinics -- Doctors	40
(b) Conference for Negro Women under the auspices of White Presbyterian Church	75
(c) Inter Collegiate Relays and Tennis Tournament	385
(d) State Vocational Basket Ball Tournament	200
(e) State Vocational Agricultural and Home Economics Judging Contests	600
(f) State Educational Conference	800
(g) Enrollment in Trades and Industry Cities	1000
(h) State Farmers Short Course	2000
(i) State Inter Scholastic League	5000

Total Annual Attendance 10,000

10. The State Home and County Extension Agents Organizations touch -
 - (a) Women
 - (b) Men