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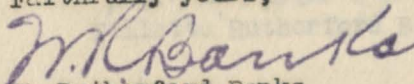
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THE CHALLENGE -

The development of sound bodies that can stand the stress and strain of a rigorous age, and efficient minds that will be able to successfully grapple with the intricate problems of a complex civilization -- the growing of dependable character in people, the training for productive citizenship and worthy membership in society -- receive but little emphasis in the administration of our educational Curricula. Institutions are meticulous about "quarter and semester hours", and "grade points", but apparently not so vitally concerned about the conservation and guidance of Human Life. There is but little relationship between what a person learns in our schools and the job from which he must earn his "daily bread." Too many people are leaving school today handicapped with mental inertia and slovenliness, spiritual paralysis and physical lethargy. We live in a general state of hysteria, doubt and confusion. We are getting more education and growing more incompetent and poorer every day. There are multitudes of human beings not earning a decent living. They are half-fed, ragged, unsheltered and hopeless. Those situations exist in the very sight of our social institutions that have been established for the purpose of alleviating such conditions. Crime, Misery, and Distress parade with an amazing abandonment in the very sight of the Church, Home and School.

Faithfully yours,

W. Rutherford Banks
Principal

P. S. Meeting -

- (a) September 14 at 7:30 P. M.
- (b) September 15 at 7:30 P. M.

PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE
Prairie View, Texas

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My dear Colleagues:

I desire to gratefully acknowledge your appreciation of my Ten Years of Service to Prairie View and Texas on the occasion of my Birthday, August 8, 1936. Such evidences of appreciation give me strength and courage to "Press Forward", with increasing enthusiasm, in the discharge of my duty to you, My devoted Colleagues, and the "Causes that need my Assistance."

Thanks!

I am

Faithfully yours,

W. K. Banks
Willette Rutherford Banks

September 8, 1936

THE ATTENDANCE RECORD AT THE TENNIS TOURNAMENTS SPONSORED BY
 PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE, PRairie View, TEXAS, FOR
 THE YEAR 1936

THE 1936 RECORD OF PRAIRIE VIEW COLLEGE'S
 TENNIS TEAMS

Tournament Name	Men's Singles	Men's Doubles	Women's Singles	Women's Doubles

SOUTHWESTERN INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT PRAIRIE VIEW COLLEGE				
Winner of Men's Singles	1			
Winner of Men's Doubles		1		
Runners-up in Men's Doubles		1		
Runners-up in Women's Singles			1	
Runners-up in Women's Doubles				1
XAVIER TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA				
Winner of Men's Singles	1			
Winner of Men's Doubles		1		
SOUTHWESTERN OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT PRAIRIE VIEW COLLEGE				
Winner of Men's Singles	1			
Winner of Men's Doubles		1		
Runners-up in Men's Doubles		1		
SOUTHERN INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT TUSKEGEE, ALABAMA				
Winner of Men's Singles	1			
Winner of Men's Doubles		1		
MIDWESTERN OPEN TOURNAMENT AT JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI				
Winner of Men's Singles	1			
Winner of Men's Doubles		1		
Runner-up in Junior Singles			1	
INTERCOLLEGIATE SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP AT WILBERFORCE, OHIO				
Winner - National Intercollegiate Champion	1			
AMERICAN TENNIS ASSOCIATION NATIONAL TOURNAMENT AT WILBERFORCE, OHIO				
Winner of Men's Singles - National Men's Singles Championship	1			

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THE ATTENDANCE RECORD AT THE VARIOUS ACTIVITIES SPONSORED BY
PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE, PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS, FOR
THE FISCAL YEAR, 1935-36

NO.	ACTIVITY	WHITE	COLORED	TOTAL
1.	Waller County Meet	0	500	500
2.	Jeanes Supervisors' Institute	4	48	52
3.	Waller County Day	0	165	165
4.	Vocational Home Economics Judging Contest	0	150	150
5.	Vocational Home Economics Institute	0	90	90
6.	Mid Wives Conference	0	26	26
7.	Medical Clinic	0	31	31
8.	Extension Agents Meeting	6	74	80
9.	Interscholastic League Meet	0	5,840	5,840
10.	Conference of Key Farmers	8	45	53
11.	State Inter Racial Commission	90	60	150
12.	Vocational Basketball Tournament	0	200	200
13.	Seventh Educational Conference	175	960	1,135
14.	Vocational Judging Contest	2	400	402
15.	N. F. A. Conference	0	361	361
16.	P. V. Collegiate Relay and Tennis Tournament	21	800	821
17.	Boy Scout Leadership Conference	7	125	132
18.	Agricultural Unit Short Course	3	47	50
19.	Leadership Conference	10	121	131
20.	College Curriculum-Teacher Training	2	42	44
21.	Curriculum Unit Institute	1	650	651
22.	Rural Life (2) Institute	2	15	17
23.	Rural Engineering	46	0	46
24.	Open Tennis Tournament	0	55	55
25.	Coaching School	0	118	118
26.	Vocational Agricultural Conference	5	147	152
27.	4-H Girls Encampment	0	107	107
28.	Farmers' Short Course	22	2,893	2,915
29.	Soil Conservation Conference	25	1,500	1,525
30.	Librarians Conference	6	22	28
		435	15,592	16,027