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## **Newsletter - December 1937**

Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College

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## A. CALENDAR -

- (a) Better English Week - Dr E L Sasser - December 2 and 3
- (b) Texas Philosophical Society - December 4  
This Society was organized 100 years ago, December 4, 1937
- (c) "Y" Leadership Institute - December 10-12
- (d) Committee on Graduate Courses in Summer School - December 13-15
- (e) Football - Prairie View-Florida State - Houston - January 1, 1938

## B. GUESTS -

- (a) President Rufus Clement - Atlanta University - December 4-8
- (b) Acting-President - Charles D Hubert - Morehouse College December 10-12

## C. NEGRO HISTORY DISCUSSIONS -

- (a) "The value of Cooperatives Among Negroes"- December 9  
Professor W R Harrison
- (b) "Factors that Influence the Negro's Standard of Living"- December 10  
Professor F A Jackson

## D. HOLIDAYS -

- (a) CHRISTMAS - 4:30 P M December 22 to 7:30 A M December 29
- (b) NEW YEAR - January 1, 1938

## E. RETREAT -

For twelve (12) years, after a day of struggles and vexation, I have withdrawn to my modest Retreat, to Refuel, Rebuild and Renew strength for Tomorrow's Activities in Waiting. Many times these battles and problems have followed me to my Retreat for an all night's combat. This Retreat has been made more inviting and comfortable. Our appreciations go to Messrs Wilson, Collier, Muckleroy, Martin and Fuller and others for the great pains and interest they have taken to make this possible. Mrs Banks and I invite you and your wife to the Retreat Monday Evening - December 6 - at 8:00 o'clock -

- (a) To shake hands with President Clement
- (b) To "take a peep" at the Retreat

## F. YOUR ATTENTION IS DRAWN -

- (a) To the organization of a Faculty Orchestra
- (b) To the organization of a Faculty Musical Club
- (c) To the Community Chest
- (d) To the Credit Union

## G. AND FINALLY -

Mrs Banks and I wish for each of you - our colleagues - the Season's Greetings.

Faithfully yours,

*W R Banks*  
W Rutherford Banks  
Principal