

Prairie View A&M University

Digital Commons @PVAMU

---

PV Week

Academic Affairs Collections

---

1-8-1950

## Official Announcement - January 8 - January 14 - 1950

Prairie View A&M College

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.pvamu.edu/pv-announcement>

---

### Recommended Citation

Prairie View A&M College. (1950). Official Announcement - January 8 - January 14 - 1950., *Vol. VI No. 1*  
Retrieved from <https://digitalcommons.pvamu.edu/pv-announcement/109>

This Conference Proceeding is brought to you for free and open access by the Academic Affairs Collections at Digital Commons @PVAMU. It has been accepted for inclusion in PV Week by an authorized administrator of Digital Commons @PVAMU. For more information, please contact [hvkoshy@pvamu.edu](mailto:hvkoshy@pvamu.edu).

# The Prairie View Week

VOL VI

January 8 - 14, 1950

1

## THIS WEEK

### Sunday January 8, 1950

- 9:15 A M Sunday School in the Auditorium Gymnasium. Attend today!
- 10:00 A M Catholic Services in the Library Auditorium.
- 11:00 A M Religious Worship Services. Sermon by the Reverend M. G. Carter, Area Council, Y M C A, Dallas, Texas. Subject: The Face of Jesus in the Divine Possibilities of Human Nature. Music by the College Choir.
- 7:00 P M The Vespers Hour. Program to be sponsored by the Junior Class.

### Monday January 9, 1950

- 7:30 P M The Science Club presents Dr. C. M. Tomerat, Professor of Anatomy, The University of Texas Medical School, and President of Texas Academy of Science. Subject: The Living Cell.

### Tuesday January 10, 1950.

- 6:30 P M Baptist Bible Services. Auditorium Gymnasium. Reverend M M Pierson in charge.

### Wednesday January 11, 1950

Joint "Y" Meeting. Place to be announced.

### Thursday January 12, 1950

Dean of Men's Meeting. Auditorium Gymnasium. Dean H E Fuller.

### Friday January 13, 1950

- 7:00 P M Basketball Game. Texas State University versus Prairie View. Auditorium Gymnasium. Activity cards must be presented.

### Saturday January 14, 1950

- 2:00 P M Basketball Game. Texas State University versus Prairie View. Auditorium Gymnasium. Activity cards must be presented.
- 7:00 P M Cinema Evening. Auditorium Theatre. T U L S A starring Susan Hayward and Robert Preston. MARCH OF TIME, also.

## YOUR WEEK

### Facing Fifty!

Bertrand Russell, one of the world's practicing genius, has written a new book Human Knowledge, Its Scope and Limits. One of the cogent observations recorded therein indicates that the universe of pre-Christian days was, to the contemporary philosophers, a cozy little place, and man's position in it was dominant, relevant and important. Astronomers of our day, however, know that the universe is, indeed, anything but a cozy little place, and a great number of our theologians are none to sure of our dominance among the inhabitants of our particular little planet. Little wonder, then, that there should be hesitancy, uncertainty, fear and definite feelings of insecurity deep in the breasts of those human beings who are mentally alert enough to con the concrete evidences of the shakiness of human existence. And, yet, the half-century facing us will be one of the most stirring fifty years in all human history. To provide simple answers to problems of the momentousness of those which confront us today would, of course, be a momentous task. Fools, however, walk in where wise men dare not tread.

Operations in our college dining hall, instead of beginning, simply never end. Potatoes, meats, leafy vegetables and canned foodstuffs are prepared for cooking the day of serving, and if necessary these items are prepared and put into cold storage the day before. The cooks, ably directed by philosophic-bent Chef Mickens, are in the kitchen by 5:45 or 6:00 o'clock each morning, and by 6:10 the place is a beehive of activity. On the large range is a utilitarian white coffee pot from which each man in turn pours himself a cup of the steaming brown liquid. By 6:45 each week day morning breakfast is ready for serving, and preparation of dinner is well underway. As one can imagine the cooks and their helpers are industrious, fast-moving people. Yet, with all that must be done, they go about their work business-like, but not without some evident enjoyment of their work. And herein lies the key to "facing fifty" realistically. Work. Not just any work, but interesting, purposeful endeavour, and as many avocations as one can successfully appreciate. This plus an abiding faith in the worthwhileness of all human beings, including ourselves, and belief in the eventual loftiness of human destiny, provide us with methods of successful living. For life with its innumerable segments is a full time 24-hour per day job. Man's position in the universe is as secure as man will make it. Syllogistically, then, we are men, therefore we shall determine how well we face fifty, or any other decade for that matter.