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PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE - PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

VOLUME X

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NUMBER 1

A We desire to welcome to Prairie View State College the following staff members for the Regular Session, 1940-41:

(a) Albert J Carter - A B Howard: M A Columbia - Art

(b) James O Hopson - A B Lincoln; M A Pittsburg (plus) - English

(c) Miss Delia Silance - B S and M S Perdue University - Nursery School

(d) Miss Winifred J Roberts - Mus B Oberlin - Music

(e) David S Stott - A B - B S and M A Cincinnati - French

- (f) Howard E Wright A B Lincoln; M A Ohio (plus) Education
 (g) Clarence F Stephens A B Johnson C Smith; M S Michigan (plus)

 Mathematics
- (h) R A Smith B S Johnson C Smith; M A New York University English

(i) James C Smith - B S Kansas; M S Kansas - Agriculture

(j) S S Murray - B S South Carolina State; M S Penna - Agriculture

B FACULTY SYMPOSIUM

The program for the second FACULTY SYMPOSIUM is attached to this issue of the News Letter. It is to be observed that the entire college staff will participate in the deliberation and discussion on September 9, from 9:00 o'clock A M to 9:00 o'clock P M. Theme: "THE SIGNIFICANCE OF AMERICAN RECRGANIZATION IN THE PRESENT WORLD CRISIS." This symposium will furnish a splendid background for successful and intelligent school work.

C THE HAND BOOK

The FACULTY HANDBOOK will be available for each faculty member within a few days. Kindly read every page carefully for the publication carries the frame work for the school year's operation.

D COMMUNITY CHEST REPORT

Elsewhere attached to this News Letter is the report of the Prairie View Faculty Community Chest Funds for the past year. Professor Buchanan has made an excellent report. We are gratified to say that the employees pay practically 100%. Only two or three managed to escape paying their quotas to date.

E FACULTY ENTERTAINMENTS

The Prairie View Faculty took a worthwhile step the past year in that it sponsored two entertainments. It is the general belief here that we should have sufficient intelligence and resourcefulness to entertain ourselves. This question is no longer debatable for it has been demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt. We are pleased to attach to this letter an INCOME and EXPENDITURE record of the two entertainments. In the Handbook, Faculty Entertainment #1, has for its Chairman, Dr A K Smith. The Faculty Entertainment #2, Mr H E Fuller is chairman. Also the date for each entertainment is included in the general calendar.

F AND FINALLY -

We shall press forward this year with all the resources at our command in the philosophy that Prairie View -

- 1 Attempts to serve the Colored Citizens of Texas and the Southwest at the points of their greatest needs.
- 2 Endeavors to bring the students' training into closer relationship with life's occupations.
- 3 Believes that Education for Negroes must have as its objective the making of a WORTHWHILE LIFE and a respectable living.

Yours truly

Principal

PS - Meetings -

(a) Faculty Symposium - September 9 (b) Workers' Meeting - September 10 WRB

FACULTY SYMPOSIUM PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

September 9, 1940

9:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

THEME: THE SIGNIFICANCE OF AMERICAN REORGANIZATION IN THE PRESENT WORLD CRISIS

- A Origin and Nature of the Present World Crisis Professor S E Warren 30 minutes

 B Varied Aspects of Reorganization Resulting from Present
 World Crisis
 Dr. T. R. Solomon 30 minutes
 - 1 Political Reorganization Dr T R Solomon 30 minutes
 - 2 Economic Reorganization Dr F G Davis 30 minutes
 - 3 Social Reorganization . . . Professor H A Bullock 30 minutes
 - 4 Institutional Reorganization:
 - (a) School Dr R P Perry 30 minutes
 - (b) Church Reverend Lee C Phillip 30 minutes
 - (c) Home Miss E C May 30 minutes
 - (d) Auxiliary Miss A L Campbell 30 minutes
 - 5 Significant Implications of American Reorganization for the Prairie View State College Curriculum -Dr E M Norris - 30 minutes
- C Forum Discussion -

N B No speaker will use more than three (3) minutes

FINDINGS COMMITTEE:

- 1 Mrs A P Wilson
- 2 Dr T P Dooley
- 3 Dr J M Coruthers
- 4 Professor A W Randall
- 5 Mr W H Wiggins
- 6 Mrs R P Perry 7 Dr A K Smith

FINANCIAL REPORT OF PRAIRIE VIEW COMMUNITY CHEST FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR - 1939-1940

Departments		Disbursements		
Brought forward 9-1-39	\$ 264.27	9-26 _ O A Fuller - J J Burnett's funeral \$ 10.00		
Administration	20.13			
Business Office	36.55	10-13 - O A Fuller - Band to Dallas 29.70		
Department of Education	40.98	11-4 - NAACP 40.00		
Department of English	20.41	11-4 - National Committee on Interracial Cooperation 10.00		
Library	11.67			
Physical Training	11.30	11-4 - National Urban League 15.00		
Science Department	19.33	11-4 - Ass'n for Study of Negro Life and History 25.00		
Social Sciences	21.90	12-4 - W J Faulkner 25.00		
Languages	7.48	12-6 - Vashti L Thomas , 3.00		
Mathematics	4.44	1-2 - Dr J L Horace 30.00		
Music	8.85	1-2 _ Dr W E B DuBois 50.00		
Home Economics	36.16	1-16 - Floral - Mrs L Jones 5.70		
Agriculture	67.23	2-3 - Floral - Dr Osborne 5.45		
Mechanic Arts	107.58	5-24 - Dr E B Evans - Track Meet 50.00		
Nurse Training	19.40	6-3 - Miss E C May 5.00		
Extension Service	26.87	6-25 _ Floral - B R Smith 5.95		
College Exchange	5.63	7-16 _ Floral - J D Ryan 5.00		
Dining Hall	12.50	7-20 _ Floral - Mrs Anderson 5.70		
Student Personnel	14.11	8-15 - Cigars and Cigarettes		
Miscellaneous	7.70	Doctors' Entertainment 10.00		
Grand Total	\$764.49	8-22 - Floral - Mrs Brown 5.00 Total \$335.50		
		\$761.19		

Total income \$764.49

Less Disbursements 335.50

Balance on hand 9-1-40 .. \$428.99

W R Banks - Principal

G W Buchanan, Treasurer W
Prairie View Community Chest Fund

PRAIRIE VIEW FACULTY ENTERTAINMENTS 1939-1940

G W Buchanan - Treasurer

A TOTAL IN	COME		\$ 141.50
(a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h)	Health Division Home Arts Miscellaneous Administration Business Office Agriculture Mechanic Arts Arts and Sciences	\$ 4.00 7.50 9.50 12.00 15.00 21.00 26.00 46.50 \$141.50	
B EXPENDIT	URES		
(a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (k) (l) (m)	Labor Express F G Rhone N Y A Utensils Carnations Prizes Sandwiches Programs Decoration Invitations and favors Music Refreshments Food	\$130.50	130.50
	Balance		\$ 11.00

ATTENDANCE RECORD AT SPECIAL EVENTS PRAIRIE VIEW STATE COLLEGE Prairie View, Texas

1939-1940

No	Event	White	Colored	Total
1	Supervisors Conference on Vocational Education	8	12	20
2	Mid Wives Institute	0	21	21
3	Conference on Graduate Work for Negroes in Texas	20	11	31
4	County Judges Conference	35	0	35
5	Home Makers' Institute	4	32	36
6	Unit Short Course	0	40	40
7	Waller County School Officials	47	0	47
8	State Conference of Librarians	5 !	43	48
9	Conference of Agricultural Extension Agents (So Div)	0	54	54
10	Institute on Teacher Education	5	65	70
11	Coaching School	0	76	76
12	Post Graduate Medical Clinic	10	78	88
13	Annual Meeting of State Nurses	0	92	92
14	Conference on AAA Program	4	92	96
15	Class A Texas Interscholastic League Basketball	0	112	112
16	Leadership Institute (Presbyterian)	5	135	140
17	"Y" Leadership Institute	5	165	170
18	4-H Encampment	0	213	213
19	Class AA Basketball Tournament	0	275	275
20	State High School Band Festival	3	284	287
21	Texas Federated Women's Clubs	0	290	290
22	National Negro Medical Association	0	385	385
23	Southwestern Intercollegiate Relays and Tennis	0	390	390
24	Waller County Interscholastic League Meet	0	410	410
25	Annual Conference of Texas Homemakers	5	475	480
26	Coordinated Institute	12	470	482
27	Boy Scouts Camporal	8	613	621
24	Accordance on adelega TV Support	0	360	860