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A. CALENDAR -

1. July - 1946

(a)	Examinations - First Term of Summer School July 5-6
(b)	Registration - Second Term July 8
(c)	4-H and Wild Life Encampment July 15-17
(d)	Deep River Singers July 16
(e)	Coaching School July 22-26

- 2. August 1946
 - (a) Special Sermon to Graduating Class-Principal W R Banks. August 4
 (b) Commencement Address Mrs Glovina P Banks
 - (c) Final Examinations
 - (d) Farmers Short Course August 11-15
- 3. September 1946

B. MARY GIBBS JONES SCHOLARSHIP FUND -

There is attached to this News Letter Rules and Regulations governing the selection of Home Economics students for the Mary Gibbs Jones Scholarship Fund. It is significant to note that the student, aside from being required to be in residence at least two full semesters, carrying a normal load, will be selected on the basis of the following factors: good health, scholarship, attitude, character and need. This scholarship award should serve as a stimulus for students in other divisions of the institution.

C. NEED FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES -

It is our candid opinion that if we had a sufficient number of scholarship awards in the nature of the Mary Gibbs Jones Scholarship it would greatly stimulate and improve the study habits of our students in all of the fields of training at Prairie View University. It is the opinion that scholarships should be made available in each major division of the institution. Also, effective results would be obtained in many of the student activities here if we had available satisfactory prizes to award for excellence. A committee will be appointed very soon to work out ways and means by which funds may be secured, in a permanent way, for prizes in excellent performance.

D. VACCINATION OF DOGS -

As a safeguard to the people on the campus a notice has been served to all people who own dogs that they must be vaccinated by Dr Poindexter on or by June 1, 1946. The following people have had their dogs vaccinated, and instructions are now given to those in charge of the grounds to dispose of all dogs not vaccinated: L C Mosley, H E Fuller, J M Wilson, W S Kidd, N A Jones (2), M A Davis, E J Johnson (2), C S Wells (2), A J Wynn, D W Martin, T R Lawson (3), J M Coruthers, G L Smith, J E Dailey (2), W D Thompson, M Jones, W R Gerald (2), W J Nicks and W R Banks.

E. FIRST AID -

The National Red Cross is offering in this term of the Summer School a First Aid Course to in-service teachers. It is gratifying to note the number of teachers taking advantage of this very valuable activity which goes a long ways in supplying information that is of immediate service. This First Aid and Accident Prevention Course will be offered again in the Regular Session 1946-47.

F. DEEP RIVER SINGERS -

Mr R W Hilliard has been fortunate in securing the Deep River Singers to appear before the Summer School on July 16, 1946. This singing aggregation has national reputation and it is very much desired that every person here make arrangements to witness this entertainment for it will be worthwhile.

G. VISITORS -

The Summer School at Prairie View University this year has been greatly enriched by visits from important people, serving as consultants, such as -

Dr Lou LaBrant, New York University, New York, New York Dr J M Nabrit, Morehouse College, Atlanta, Georgia Professor W H Brown, Secondary School Study, Atlanta, Georgia Mrs A Porter Wilson, Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana Mrs Lonah L Pittman, Bishop College, Marshall, Texas Mr Emil Fonsworth, Wheatley High School, Houston, Texas Mr E F Evans, School of Educational Specialist on Texas Forestry Service, A & M College, College Station, Texas Mr J H Law, Yates High School, Houston, Texas Mr D B Taylor, State Health Department, Austin, Texas Miss Mattie Ruth Moore, State School Supervisor of Librarians, Austin, Texas Mr Francis H Henshaw, State Librarian, Austin, Texas Dr Gordon Worley, State Department of Education, Austin, Texas The following members of the faculty are scheduled for summer study:

Miss P E Foreman, Home Economics, California Miss A P Furt, Home Economics, Columbia Miss G E Shirley, Home Economics, Minnesota Miss R O Lane, Home Economics, Columbia Miss S E Chase, Business Administration, Chicago O J Thomas, Vocational Agriculture, Cornell W D Thompson, Vocational Agriculture, Cornell T E Holley, Trades and Industries, Colorado J J Woods, Agriculture, Kansas Colquitt Yancy, AAA, Colorado Miss D B Phillips, Nursing Department, New Jersey

The following teachers have applied for leaves to study the Regular Session - 1946-47:

Miss A L Campbell, English, New York University R von Charlton, Music, Columbia University E D Sheen, English, Chicago University

I. MISS T M PRATT -

Miss Theresa Mae Pratt of the Home Economics Division was given a leave for the Summer School and Regular Sessions of 1945-46 to study in the School of Art at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado. We are happy to announce that Miss Pratt received the Master of Science degree in Art Education on June 1, 1946 and she now has returned to Prairie View to continue her work in the Division of Home Economics. Miss Pratt made a splendid record in the field of Art at Colorado and we wish to make note of this achievement and congratulate her.

J. COMMENCEMENT ADDRESSES -

It is significant to note that there is an increasing demand for staff members of Prairie View University to deliver Commencement Addresses at public school closings throughout the State. This is a fine and helpful type of service that the institution is making available to the citizens of Texas for these people represent not only splendid training but experience and have a sound philosophy of life. These are some of the people who have made talks: Dr H A Bullock, L C Phillips, G W Reeves, J H Windom, Dr J L Brown, G W Buchanan, R W Hilliard, C D Yancy, G R Woolfolk, Mrs W R Banks and O J Thomas.

K. AND FINALLY ..

"Success is failure turned inside out -The silver tint of the clouds of doubt, And you never can tell how close you are, It may be near when it seems afar; So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit -It's when things seem worst that you must not quit."

- Anonymous -

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W R Banks Principal

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RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE MARY GIBBS JONES SCHOLARSHIP FUND ADMINISTERED BY THE HOUSTON ENDOWMENT FUND INCORPORATED, HOUSTON, TEXAS

- The student shall be a citizen of Texas, of good health, and should have the purpose of finishing the course in Home Economics at Prairie View University, leading to a degree.
- The student must be in residence at Prairie View University at least two full semesters, carrying a normal load of 15 hours, before being eligible for consideration.
- 3. No student shall be eligible for more than \$250,00 for two semesters. The money shall be used for maintenance, required and regular fees, classroom supplies and regular books for the course.
- 4. The continuation of the scholarship grant shall be contingent upon the satisfactory progress of the student selected in the basic factors of selection, evaluated at the end of each semester.
- 5. The determining factors of selection shall be based on:
 - a, Need
 - b. Scholarship No grade below C
 - c. Personality
 - d. Attitude
 - e. Character
 - 1. Extra-curricular activities
- 6. Each candidate must file, with the scholarship committee at the University, at least three recommendations of reputable citizens on the points of need, worthiness and character.
- 7. An advisor shall be assigned to each scholarship student.