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Plans Approved To Give PV Share In PUF

UT and A&M Regents Agree to Share Funds

Officials of the Texas A&M University System and University of Texas System announced plans Tuesday to recommend that the Legislature propose a constitutional amendment to allow Prairie View A&M University to share in the Available University Fund (AUF), which is derived from investment of the Permanent University Fund (PUF).

The PUF, a constitutionally mandated endowment, consists of nearly 2.1 million acres of oil-rich West Texas land and yearly earnings from the land. Supporters of Prairie View,

located 35 miles northwest of Houston, contend the authors of the Texas Constitution intended for Prairie View to be included in the fund.

The proposed amendment also would have to be approved by the voters in a statewide election.

In addition to benefitting Prairie View A&M, the proposal could be a major step in paving the way for creation of a new construction fund for the public universities that do not share in the PUF, Texas A&M University System Chancellor Arthur G. Hansen and UT System Chancellor Don

Walker noted in announcing the proposal.

Under the plan, Texas A&M's one-third share of the Available Fund would be increased by \$6 million a year for 10 years. The supplement would come from the two-thirds share normally allocated to the UT system. The plan stipulates that the Texas A&M Board of Regents will deal "equitably and justly" between Texas A&M

and Prairie View when allocating PUF bond proceeds and the Available Fund.

Governor-elect Mark White expressed strong support for the Proposal.

"I commend the leadership at The University of Texas and Texas A&M University Systems and State Rep. Wilhelmina R. Delco, who chairs the House Committee on Higher Education, for this permanent solution to a long-standing

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problem which avoids costly, divisive and time-consuming litigation, and I pledge full

support to the passage of the constitutional amendment," the governor-elect said.

Editorial Comments Across the State

Vote for Fairness

(From Waco Tribune Herald)

A proposed constitutional amendment that will be presented to the Legislature deserves that body's quick approval and the support of the voters of Texas, who are required to approve all such amendments. The proposal is to allow predominantly black **Prairie View A&M University** to share in the money coming from investment of the Permanent University Fund.

The proposal stems from an agreement between the University of Texas and Texas A&M University, who share in proceeds from the PUF on a two-thirds (UT) to one-third (A&M) basis. UT has agreed to give A&M a \$6 million increase annually for the next 10 years, and the extra money A&M receives will help fund projects at Prairie View. The willingness of these two universities to share their wealth is commendable.

Monies from the PUF have kept UT and A&M in the forefront of education, and that is appropriate. Their reputations are touted worldwide, with resulting benefits returning to the universities, and, ultimately, to the whole state.

But there is no reason that wealth should be concentrated and hoarded while an old and venerated black university like Prairie View A&M struggles. As part of the Texas A&M University system, Prairie View deserves its dollars as well as its name.

Soon the Legislature will be given its turn to take action on this worthy plan. Its positive answer should be swift; Prairie View has waited its turn long enough.

Sharing With Prairie View

(San Antonio Light — December 28, 1982)

Officials of the Texas A&M University and University of Texas systems have announced plans to help Prairie View A&M University share in the Available University Fund (AUF), which is derived from the Permanent University Fund's investments.

The institutional authorities will propose that the Legislature offer a constitutional amendment reflecting the modification of the permanent fund's restrictions.

The intent is to enhance programs and facilities at Prairie View to give it top stature among institutions with predominantly black enrollments.

New revenues would provide funding for extensive improvements, including 10 new scientific, technological and medically related degree programs.

In addition to benefitting Prairie View, the proposal could be a step toward creation of a new construction fund for the public universities that do not share in the Permanent University Fund.

For a long time, a dispute over sharing in the permanent fund has simmered among educators and politicians.

The new proposal would cool down the flames and permit the responsible educators to upgrade Prairie View's academic program. At the outset, wide support for the plan seems evident among educators at the university level.

Ultimately, Texas voters will be called upon to register their opinions, since any amendment to the constitution must have voter approval in a statewide election.

If investigation indicates the Permanent University Fund can have greater effectiveness, voters may look favorably on the amendment. Meanwhile, authorities of the two university systems are to be commended for their positive thrust at a long-standing problem.

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Governor-elect Mark White
"I Pledge Full Support"



State Rep. Wilhelmina Delco
"Working for PV All the Way"

Brig. General Parker, PV-55 Named Major General

Brig. Gen. Julius Parker Jr., son of Vernilla Parker of 646 N. Central Ave., New Braunfels, Texas, has been selected for promotion in the U. S. Army to the rank of major general.

The general presently serves as the deputy chief of staff for intelligence in Headquarters, U. S. Army Europe at Seventh Army, in Heidelberg, West Germany. Prior to assuming that position, he held a similar job with Headquarters, U. S. Army Forces Command, at Fort McPherson, Georgia.

Parker is a 1951 graduate of Booker T. Washington High School in New Braunfels, and a 1955 graduate of Prairie View A&M University, Texas. In addition to his civilian educational credentials, he also attended the Army Command and General Staff College, in 1968, and the Army War College. Following his graduation from the War College, he remained as a faculty member

in the Strategic Studies Institute.

His overseas assignments have included South Korea and Vietnam, in addition to his present tour in Europe.

Parker's wife, Dorothy, is the daughter of Manuel C. and Virgie O. Henry of 5507 Ardmore St., Houston. The Parkers have three children: Julian, 22, Dorvita, 19, and Jules, 17.

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Governor's Inauguration Jan. 18

Governor-elect Mark White and Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobby will be honored with "A Texas Celebration" marking their inauguration Tuesday, January 18, 1983.

White and Hobby will be sworn into office at high noon at the south entrance to the capitol.

Several Prairie View staff members and residents have special invitations to the various events scheduled.

PV AWARDED \$620,000

Federal Grant to Aid Instructional Programs

Prairie View A&M University has been awarded \$620,000 by the United States Department of Education's Challenge Grant Program of the Strengthening Developing Institution Program (SDIP). This award will be matched by the University to provide a total of \$1,240,000.00 for the project. The SDIP is authorized by the Title III Higher Education Act of 1965. The project will be carried out over a period of three years.

The Strengthening Developing Institution Program will permit the University to address some needed developmental activities within selected units. Broadly, the program will focus on Engineering Faculty Development, Library Development, and Instructional Equipment Development.

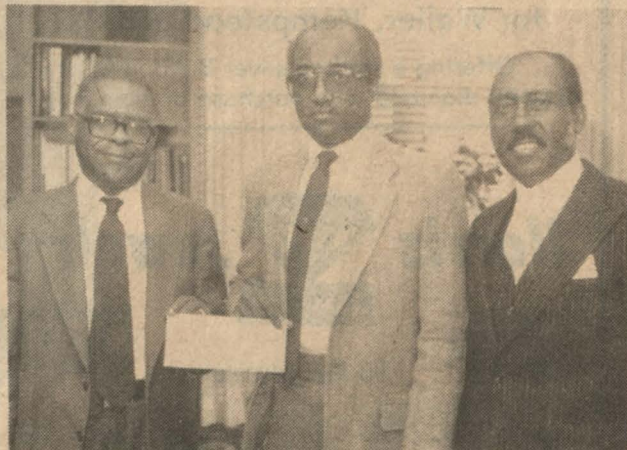
The College of Engineering will institute a program of faculty development to facilitate more effective teaching and research in the college. The program will include

development of innovative teaching methods through workshops, institutes, and review of selected programs from around the nation. Individual faculty members will benefit from a program of faculty development leave for study toward the doctoral degree as well as increased faculty salaries.

The University Library will add approximately 15,000 volumes to supplement its present holdings in selected areas. It will also develop a basic quality collection for the disciplines of chemical engineering, toxicology, and industrial engineering. The library hopes to provide a collection supportive of the curriculum as well as the cultural and research needs of its faculty, staff, and students.

Instructional Equipment Development will allow the University to develop an instructional computer laboratory for undergraduate students. It will also provide and

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ALL-FAITHS CHAPEL GIFT — Rev. and Mrs. Robert Cole, Sr. of Dallas are contributing \$20,000 to the All-Faiths Chapel Fund Drive. Their son Dr. Robert Cole, Jr., Assistant Vice President, Academic Affairs is shown presenting the check to Acting President Ivory V. Nelson and Rev. W. Van Johnson, Dean of Chapel and Chairman of the Fund Drive.



GRANT AIDS IN LAUNCHING ENERGY STUDY

PV May Produce Methane Gas From Waste

Prairie View A&M University has launched the first phase of a year-long study into the feasibility of producing methane gas by digestion of waste, Acting President Ivory Nelson announced.

A \$30,000 grant was presented to Dr. Nelson by two federal agency representatives including Ms. Rosslee G.

Douglas, director of the office of Minority Economic Impact, Department of Energy (DOE) and Dr. B. J. Bond, manager of Agricultural and Chemical Development for the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA).

"The feeling is that methane gas production from wastes has considerable potential for the farm community but

farmers need more technical and economic information for making decisions," says Dr. Nelson.

Dr. John Williams, head of the Energy Department at the University, says the first phase is designed to determine the practicality of the project.

"We have all the primary ingredients which include table scraps, animal manure and

crop residue, but we want to learn how practical it would be and disseminate the information to the farmers," Dr. Williams explained.

He added that a basic "digester" must be constructed first, then "cooking" of the wastes would take place.

Dr. Williams said methane gas can be used for heating, lighting and air conditioning.

Dr. Nelson Addresses Faculty Describes Changes Ahead

Prairie View A&M University's Acting President Dr. Ivory Nelson is doing just that ... acting!

To enhance and streamline the university, Dr. Nelson announced at a recent faculty meeting that he is eliminating some of the eight colleges, numbers of courses, making military science as optional, and is setting a goal of the institution having a faculty with 50 per cent doctorate degrees.

He also vowed to strengthen the general education programs, and the hiring of faculty with portfolios containing more research than before, and stabilize enrollment at 5,600.

"The quality of students has not been maintained and the erosion of Prairie View must be reversed," Dr. Nelson said with emphasis. "The basics of reading, science, and mathematics must be upgraded."

In speaking about eliminating colleges and courses, he placed great emphasis on "not eliminating programs", but pointed out that there are approximately 1,000 courses offered at the university, with at least one department having one course for each two students.

"We must increase the

quality of education, generate reform, and manage to better utilize the staff," Dr. Nelson added.

Applause came with some frequency, but mostly for his announcement that \$750,000 each has been awarded for renovation for the Memorial Student Center and existing dormitories.

Dr. Nelson has been acting president of the university since June 1, and "cleaned a little house, and started a number of new programs," as one faculty member said.

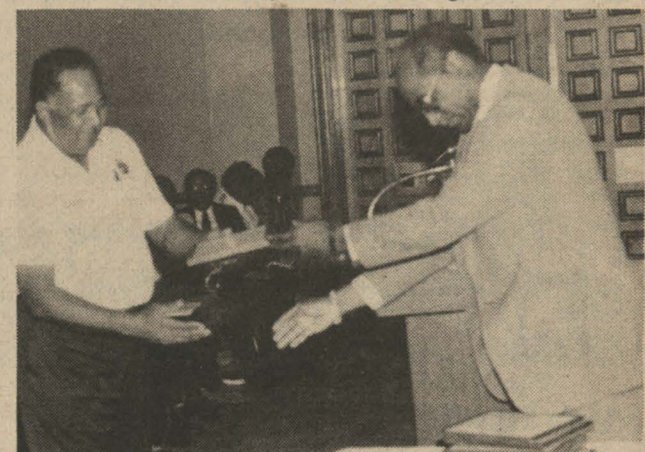
Since Dr. Alvin I Thomas stepped down, the Texas A&M University System has intensified a nation-wide search for a new president, and several names have been mentioned.

The most prominent has been Dr. Percy Pierre, former assistant secretary of the Army and dean of the Engineering Department at Howard University. There have been conflicting reports that he has been offered the job.

Dr. Nelson has made it extremely clear that he seeks the post, and as one longtime campus observer says, "if he has accomplished what he has done as an acting president, there is no telling where this university will go under his permanent guidance."

Staff Service Awards

Acting President Nelson makes presentations at Monthly Staff Meeting



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Cooperative Project Planned By PV and Federal Agencies

Representatives of two Federal agencies were on the campus of Prairie View A&M University, December 15, 1982 to launch a new cooperative project.

The Honorable Rosslee G. Douglas, Director, Office of Minority Economic Impact, U. S. Department of Energy, Washington, D. C., and Dr. Billy J. Bond, Manager, Agricultural and Chemical Development for the Tennessee Valley Authority, Knoxville, Tennessee, came to the

campus for the purpose of signing a contractual agreement between Prairie View A&M University and the Tennessee Valley Authority to establish an information exchange system to monitor developments in energy alternative technology and provide the minority community with relevant information on job and business opportunities related to this technology. TVA, under a TVA-DOE agreement, will provide techni-

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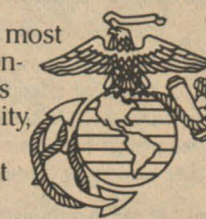


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Telephone 857-4823 or 4922

During the holiday break Security Officers completed their Annual Weapons Proficiency Test. Officer Charles Gamble and Rusaw Knowles were high scores. Officer Gamble scored 290 out of a possible 300 for an expert rating. Officer Knowles scored 270 out of a possible 300 for a sharp shooter rating. Both officers received a letter of commendation from Chief Burditt.

Additional parking control signs have been erected on Avenue C, D, and H. These signs read No parking this side of street. The signs will be strictly enforced.

Because of the many construction projects on campus, there tends to be traffic congestion in some areas. Due to illegal parking. We are asking everyone's cooperation in making maximum use of the available parking lots to avoid this situation.

A reminder to students planning to own or operate vehicles on campus. Vehicle registration fee should be accessed along with other fees. There are penalties for operating a vehicle on campus, without proper registration. For more information call either one of the above numbers.

Best Sellers

(New York Times Book Review, January 2, 1983)

FICTION

- 1. Space, by James A. Michener
2. 2010: Odyssey Two, by Arthur C. Clarke
3. E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial Storybook, by William Kotzwinkle
4. The Valley Of Horses, by Jean M. Auel
5. Mistrial's Daughter, by Judith Krantz
6. Foundation's Edge, by Isaac Asimov
7. Master Of The Game, by Sidney Sheldon
8. Different Seasons, by Stephen King
9. Life, The Universe And Everything, by Douglas Adams
10. Deadeye Dick, by Kurt Vonnegut

NONFICTION

- 1. And More By Andy Rooney, by Andrew A. Rooney
2. Living, Loving & Learning, by Leo Buscaglia
3. Jane Fonda's Workout Book, by Jane Fonda
4. Megatrends, by John Naisbitt
5. Growing Up, by Russell Baker
6. Keeping Faith, by Jimmy Carter
7. A Light In The Attic, by Shel Silverstein
8. When Bad Things Happen To Good People, by Harold S. Kushner
9. The Fall of Freddie The Leaf, by Leo Buscaglia
10. The One Minute Manager, by Kenneth Blanchard and Spencer Johnson

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Editor Gets Degree . . . And Navy Commission



David C. Wells

NEWLY COMMISSIONED — Ensign David C. Wells, United States Naval Reserve. He received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Journalism. He is from Houston, Texas. He will report to defense information school at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indianapolis, Indiana. Upon completion of school he will report to the USS Mount Whitney for public affairs officer duty. Home port in Norfolk, Virginia.

NEW CARRIER JANUARY 1

TAMUS Employee Insurance Programs Remain The Same

Texas A&M University System employees insured under most group insurance plans have a new insurance carrier which began January 1 due to the acquisition of the group insurance plans of Southwestern Life Insurance Company of Dallas by Lincoln National Life Insurance Co. of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

There will be no changes in premium rates, programs or interruptions of benefit services to TAMUS employees due to the change, said John Honea, TAMUS director of insurance and risk management.

Insurance packages that will now be carried by Lincoln National include group medical, long term disability and the three life insurance plans, Honea said. Approximately

14,000 TAMUS employees and retirees and their 28,000 dependents are covered under such plans. The optional accidental death and dismemberment insurance program will not be affected by the change.

Expenses already applied toward deductibles will remain in effect and participants can continue to use their PCS cards, Honea said. He added that claims already submitted will be processed in the normal matter without delays in payment.

"The change is purely a business transaction on the part of the two companies involved and will make no changes in TAMUS group insurance programs," Honea said.

College of Nursing Operating in Building in Texas Medical Center

September 1982 marked the opening of a new facility for the Prairie View A&M University College of Nursing, Clinical located in the Texas Medical Center, at 6436 Fannin Street.

Plans for the new facility began in 1979, when the Texas

A cynic once said that every girl waits for the right man to come along but in the meantime she gets married.

A&M system purchased the Hermann Medical Professional Building Annex for renovation, to house the College of Nursing Clinical Studies Division.

The new nine-story modern facility houses a current enrollment of 150 students. The school has recently added the distinction of becoming a member of the Texas Medical Center. An Open House is being planned for the Spring 1983.

Editorial Comment — The Future of PVA&M

A SHARE FOR PRAIRIE VIEW?

Chink Arises in PUF Armor

(Lubbock Avalanche-Journal — December 22, 1982)

Words out that, in an apparent attempt to head off potential efforts by other schools to get a piece of the action, the University of Texas and Texas A&M may propose to let Prairie View A&M share in their Permanent University Fund.

The predominantly black university might get as much as \$22 million annually to "enrich" its academic programs if the PUF is shared with it.

It already gets a small fraction, about \$3.2 million this year, of the capital improvements bond proceeds that are repaid out of future revenues dedicated to PUF.

This is the first time that UT and A&M have signalled any willingness to share the constitutionally dedicated Permanent University Fund.

Meanwhile, Texas Tech and 16 other colleges and universities which formerly shared in the proceeds from a constitutionally dedicated ad valorem tax have seen that source of funding for capital improvements voted out of existence.

The next Legislature is to consider proposals for replacing those revenues with a dedicated building fund of some sort!

Otherwise, it's only a matter of time before some student at one of the underprivileged universities files suit saying his or her right to equal education has been denied by UT's and A&M's failure to share their PUF revenues.

By cutting Prairie View in on the action, the two privileged schools might hope to keep such a lawsuit from being a minority class action case.

Until recently, it was a valid argument that splitting PUF up too many ways would not leave enough to really help any one institution.

Now, though, PUF is bulging with oil and gas revenues to the point that a fairer distribution of it could reduce pressures for tax increases to support the other institutions while still leaving A&M and UT adequate enrichment funds.

It could become one of the hottest issues in the next or some future session of the Legislature.

A Fair Program for Colleges

(From San Antonio News — December 27, 1982)

THE ISSUE: Higher Education Funding

The action of the Texas A&M University System and the University of Texas System initiating a plan to make Prairie View A&M University nationally pre-eminent among predominantly black institutions is good news.

Not only does the plan satisfy concerns that the support of Prairie View has fallen short of equal opportunity standards, but it should smooth the way for the long-delayed entry of the University of Texas at San Antonio and the UT Health Science Center into the Permanent University Fund.

Past attempts to gain legislative approval of a constitutional amendment to expand the PUF to cover newer UT institutions have failed in large part because of continuing controversy over funding arrangements for Prairie View.

The UT System is to play a key role in the new arrangement for Prairie View, which actually is part of the A&M System. The UT System has agreed to transfer \$6 million a year for 10 years from its share of the Available University Fund to the A&M System, which is committed to major spending for program development at the university.

Still to be hammered out is a companion plan to establish a permanent funding source for construction needs of universities which are not part of the two major systems.

Past experience has shown that the difficulty of achieving consensus on plans for long-range funding of higher education cannot be overestimated.

It is encouraging that unlike his recent predecessors Governor-elect Mark White has issued a strong statement backing the agreement between the UT and Texas A&M Systems and promising full support for passage of the constitutional amendment.

Student Affairs Corner



Open Letter to PV A&M Students

By Dr. John D. Harris

"Ideals are like stars: you will not succeed in touching them with your hands, but like the seafaring man on the desert of waters, you choose them as your guides, and following them, you reach your destiny."

— Carl Schurz

Welcome to Residence Hall Life at Prairie View A&M University. Past experience has taught us that you have many questions and we will attempt to provide answers to those questions through the Division of Student Affairs and my staff.

As a member of the residence hall community, you will spend more hours in the residence hall than any other place on campus. You will soon discover that the residence hall is a living-learning center which provides you many opportunities for personal, social, cultural and academic growth and development.

The residence hall staff is committed to the belief that residential life can be stimulating and enriching. The residence hall has much to offer you, and you in turn, can make a significant contribution to your fellow residents.

The Division of Student Affairs and its staff, are available and eager to help you, and wish for you, a most rewarding educational experience at Prairie View A&M University.

Financial Aid News

Students may pick up their 1983-84 Financial Aid Form (FAF) in the Financial Aid Center.

The FAF is the initial application which all students must complete in order to be considered for financial aid for the 1983-84 school year.

Be an EARLY BIRD, apply for your financial aid for the 1983-84 school year now in order that your aid will be available in September.

Remember, students will be required to have a semester and cumulative grade point average of 2.00 to receive financial aid in September 1983.

PV Grant

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develop physical chemistry laboratory modules for support of chemical engineering and a materials testing and heat transfer laboratory in the College of Engineering.

The Coordinator for this program is Dr. William Parker, Associate Professor of Education and Director of Special Services.

Word of Thanks

We, the W. R. Banks Library-LRC Staff thank the Staff, Students, Alumni, and Friends for your support and courtesies in helping us honor a deserving co-worker (Mrs. Boothe). The memories of your kindness will long be remembered.

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CAMPUS CONSTRUCTION — Much of the central campus is now undergoing a facial change — now ugly, but with promise of beauty in months to come.

Electronic Technology Association Elects Officers

By Nicole Bennett

In a recent meeting, the Electronics Technology Association elected officers for the current year. The officers include Dexter Scroggins, President; Gayla Turner, Vice-President; Glenda Sandler, Secretary; Nicole Bennett, Reporter; Tyrone Sonniher, Parliamentarian; Horace Broussard, Treasurer; Kenneth London, Chaplain; and Kenneth Lister, Sergeant-at-Arms.

The club, designed to foster information about current trends in the electronics field and to promote social harmony among current electronic majors, meets each

Tuesday at 4:00 p.m. in the Electronics Buildings.

The advisor for the organization, Dr. David Kirkpatrick, emphasized that the members of the organization must participate in departmental endeavors as well as those sponsored by the university at large. He further encouraged members to bring other interested students to the meetings.



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HONORED — Mrs. Gazella Boothe, librarian (center) received a glowing tribute from family (above), co-workers and friends for dedicated service upon her retirement from the University.

PC's Win Second Straight Panther Bowl Tournament

The P.C.'s under the rifle arm of quarterback Tracy Jones guided the p.c.'s to their Second Consecutive Panther Bowl Tournament. Before getting in the finals they defeated the Dogs 6-0 on a pass from Jones to Keith King. In the championship game, Jones went wild, throwing two TD passes to Juan Hill and one TD to Ricky Ellis, Mike Cahee ran one in from the one year line to balance the P.C.'s attack.

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Rice Defense Holds PV For Coors Second Flag Title

"Rice's defense holds Prairie View on 1/2 inch line for 2nd Annual Coors Intra City Flag Title 1982." In first round action the contest was off to a slow start due to rain from the previous day. The heavy fog that rolled in with the morning was slow to lift. First round action pitted Prairie View against Texas Southern. When the entire fog has cleared Prairie View had rolled up TSU with the fog, 14-0.

Since University of Houston was a no show for the championship series, Rice won their contest on a forfeit, thus setting the stage for the championship game.

In the final game Prairie

View and Rice played to a tie-less 0-0 for the first half. At the start of the second half, Prairie View with their quarter back options and sweeps moved into a 6-0 lead. Rice bounced right back the next position and dropped a bomb on the panthers and scooped the extra point to take the lead, 8-6. The rest of the game was good strong defensive plays from both teams. Prairie View last threat came with 1:47 left in the gam. Fourth and eighth Prairie View went for the first down. If the down box had been allowed to stand the Panthers would have probably had a first down and goal. However, for safety purposed the down boxed was dropped

Boys Intramural Basketball

EASTERN CONFERENCE		WESTERN CONFERENCE	
1. The Dogs	8. North Winds		
2. The Rascals	9. Black Knights		
3. Sigma	10. Professionals		
4. Fearless Five	11. Supersonics		
5. Rebels	12. All Stars		
6. Warriors	13. Third World		
7. "38" Special	14. The Sixers		

DATE	TIME	HOME	AWAY	SCORE
JAN. 13	6:30	4 vs. 6	*3 vs. 7	13 vs. 10
JAN. 17	7:30	11 vs. 13	@10 vs. 14	3 vs. 5
JAN. 18	8:30	9 vs. 8	2 vs. 6	8 vs. 14
JAN. 19	6:30	1 vs. 7	1 vs. 3	8 vs. 14
JAN. 24	6:30	2 vs. 4	9 vs. 11	1 vs. 7
JAN. 25	7:30	12 vs. 14	7 vs. 6	*8 vs. 10
JAN. 26	8:30	1 vs. 5	8 vs. 12	7 vs. 2
JAN. 27		14 vs. 11	@6 vs. 5	7 vs. 2
JAN. 31		13 vs. 12		13 vs. 12

* Denotes 4:30 game @ Denotes 5:30 game

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Intramural Sports

FINAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	WON	LOST
1. P.C.'s	5	0
2. C/G's	3	2
3. Texas Outlaws	3	2
4. The Dogs	2	3
5. Texas Raiders	1	4
6. Chicago Club	1	4

PANTHER BOWL RESULTS

The Dogs	12	Texas Raiders	6
Texas Outlaws	8	C/G's	0 (Forfeit)
P.C.'s	6	The Dogs	0

CHAMPIONSHIP

P.C.'s	26	Texas Outlaws	0
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and the speedy half back ran in front of the box and out of bounds. Rice gained possession and ran the final seventeen seconds off the clock for a victory.

Rice's quarterback, Richard K. McGee was voted the tournament's outstanding palyer. After presentation of the trophies and T-shirts, all the teams and supporting staff retired to the dressing room for a fine hospitality session of beverages and snacks. The old familiar cry went up from players as they departed, "wait until next year."

Congratulations to the Rice players and the Prairie View bunch for the extended efforts in sportsmanship.

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ASCE Community Service

The Prairie View A&M University student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers has traditionally brightened the spirits of a family in need during the Thanksgiving and Yuletide seasons.

We wish to thank Frederick Mitchell, a Prairie View alumni, and former ASCE student member, for his generous donation of a black and white television set to the ASCE. We in turn gave the set to the Rosa Williams family of Waller, Texas, as part of our community service program.

This "giving" represents one of the greatest gifts of the Yuletide season. We are grateful to be in this position of giving, which has brought joy to the Williams family. This demonstrates yet another service rendered to the community by the ASCE. We wish the Williams family happiness, and many more blessings.

Second Successful Year

Mr. and Mrs. PV Body Building Contest Big Hit

By Odell Arnold

The second annual "Mr. Prairie View" body building contest was held December 8th in the girls gym. This year there were two divisions added to the competition. They were the "Miss Prairie View" and a new division for men. The new division made the contest much more interesting, and gave an opportunity for students wishing to compete in other divisions to gain experience in competition.

When the contest came to an exciting end, the results were carefully tallied by the judges. Winners were chosen according to body tonation, poise and showmanship. Judy Reed received the first place trophy for the "Ms. PV" division. Jean Hansley won second place and Bridgett Bass received the trophy for third place. In the open division B. K. Livingston received first place, E. Livingston second place and Phillip W. Frear received third place.

Rory L. Mosley, an advanced sophomore from Chicago, Illinois was the first place winner in the "Mr. PV" division. Rory successfully defended his title, making this his second consecutive year as "Mr. Prairie View." His future goals in body-building include competing in the 1983 Mr. Teenage America and the Mr. Collegiate Texas Championship. Runners up for the title were — Edwin Bryant, who was first runner up, Kenny Smith second and Broedwick Moore third runner up. You can now expect to see



Mr. and Miss PV Body Builders

much better looking bodies here at PVU, now that body-building is a good fade at PVU.

Project

CONTINUED from Page 2 cal advice and assistance for the project. Under the guidance of the Center for Energy Affairs Director, Dr. John Williams, selected faculty, graduate and undergraduate students in engineering and associated biomass energy related programs at the university will collect and disseminate information on production of methane gas by anaerobic digestion of wastes.

The announcement of the project and the signing of the agreement were carried out by the Acting President of the University, Dr. Ivory V. Nelson and the Federal Representatives. Accompanying the guests and Dr. Nelson, was Dr. John R. Williams, Director of the Center for Energy Affairs. Phase I of the project has a one-year, \$30,000 effort. Funds for the project will be supplied by DOE's Minority Economic Impact office through TVA, which has a major biomass fuels development program.

Officials indicated they felt methane production from wastes has considerable potential for the farm community, but farmers need more technical and economic information for making decisions.

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1982-83 Men's Basketball Schedule

Nos.		Pos. Player		Ht.	Wt.	Class	Hometown (High School)	RECORD: 2-8		Averages	
								Score	Reb.		
PROBABLE STARTERS											
24	25	F	Al Reynolds	6-4	190	Sr.	Houston (Kashmere)	12.1	7.6		
34	35	F	Ricky Bonds	6-6	205	Jr.	Milwaukee, Wis. (King)	14.8	6.5		
22	23	C	Gary Lockhart	6-6	203	Sr.	Houston (Smiley)	15.6	7.5		
12	21	G	Gary Outlaw	6-0	172	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga. (Therrell)	0.7	0.7		
32	33	G	Donald Johnson	6-4	190	Sr.	Galveston (Ball)	14.2	4.6		

RESERVES															
10	11	G	Joy Williams	6-0	150	Jr.	Brookshire (Royal)	0.0	0.2						
14	15	G	Gilbert Good	6-0	165	Jr.	Houston (Worthing)	0.2	0.5						
30	31	F	Michael Lee	6-5	180	Jr.	San Bernadino, Cal. (Ike)	1.4	1.1						
40	41	G	Marcus Payne	6-2	180	So.	Naples (Pewitt)	3.3	2.3						
20	13	G	Gary Hill	6-0	165	Jr.	Macon, Ga. (Northeast)	0.0	0.5						
								C	Wendell McDowell	6-8	220	Jr.	Seattle, Wash. (E. Anchorage)		

RESULTS TO DATE: 2-8 — HOME: 1-3 — AWAY: 1-4 — NEUTRAL COURTS: 0-1

Miller One-On-One Basketball Tournament Set

College students who usually sit in the stands and dream of being Dr. J. or Pete Maravich, will get a chance to bring their fantasies to life when Miller Brewing Company, Kristen Distributing Company and the Prairie View Optimist Club bring their second Miller High Life One-On-One Basketball Tournament to Prairie View.

Participants in this tournament will engage in a five minute basketball game. The winner will be the first player to score ten points, or who is leading by two or more points at the end of the game.

To be eligible, all participants must be currently enrolled at Prairie View A&M. Students having lettered in collegiate basketball are not eligible to enter.

The first place winner will receive a Miller satin jacket, a plaque and a small scholarship award. The top fifty participants will receive a Miller jersey.

The tournament will be held in the girl's gym and will run for three weeks.

Those interested in participating in the Miller High Life One-On-One Tournament should contact Intramural Coach Phil Chapman, Miller Campus Representative Quinn Jenkins or any of the Miller Girls for details.

Receives Fellowship

Carlos Pierott, Senior Political Science Major, who has been awarded a fellowship to attend graduate school at the Ohio State University in January, 1983.

Besides man, only the armadillo gets leprosy.

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1982-83 Women's Basketball Roster

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Class	Hometown (High School)
10	Regina Duncan	G	5-5	Fr.	Dallas (South Oak Cliff)
11	Diana Williams	G	5-4	Jr.	Waco (Waco)
12	Alice Harrison	G	5-5	So.	Houston (Madison)
13	Lorna Ford	G	5-5	Fr.	San Francisco (Sequoia)
14	Marcia Armstead	F	5-6	Jr.	Galveston (Ball)
15	Traci R. Holmes	G	5-5	Fr.	Galveston (Ball)
20	Betty Taylor	F	5-8	So.	Conroe (McCullough)
21	Debra S. Thomas	F	5-6	So.	Dallas (South Oak Cliff)
25	Kathy Butler	C	5-8	Fr.	Houston (Kashmere)
33	Tina Seriale	F	5-8	Sr.	Highland
34	Audrey Pruet	C	6-0	Jr.	Brenham (Brenham)
40	Diana Forney	C	5-8	So.	Houston (Worthing)
44	Debra Williams	F	5-8	Fr.	Houston (Wheatley)

COACH: Johnnie Williams (first year as women's basketball coach at Prairie View)

GRADUATE ASSISTANTS: William Watson and Charles Gooden.

Prairie View Retired Teachers Association PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES — 1982-83

Month/Date	Chairperson	Activity Program	Hosts
1982			
Dec. 15	Mrs. H. T. Jones	Christmas Party	Mr. J. R. Battle, Chairman, COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ORGANIZATION
1983			
Jan. 26	Mrs. Bessie Thomas	Anniversary Reflections	Mr. & Mrs. H. T. Jones Mrs. Carrie Robinson Mr. Harold Perkins Mr. H. R. Turner Mrs. Alice Kirkpatrick
Feb. 23	Mr. J. C. Williams	Energy Conservation	Miss Dorothy Burdine Mrs. J. R. Phillip Mr. J. R. Battle Mr. C. Johnson Mr. J. C. Williams Mrs. Libby Brown
Mar. 30	Dr. T. P. Dooley	HEALTH	Dr. Anne L. Campbell Mr. & Mrs. J. Williams Mr. S. P. Walton Mrs. Lovie Hill Mr. A. L. Taylor Mrs. Clara King
April 27	Mrs. Cansetta Evans	Hobby Show	Mrs. Florida Yeldell Mrs. Alberta Brady Mr. E. K. Jones Mrs. K. Snell Gibson Mr. J. R. Powell Mrs. P. Love
May 25	Mrs. C. L. Wilson	Tour-Outing or Picnic	Hosts to be determined when activities decided

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