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Campus

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A. CALENDAR, September, 1950

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|----|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. | Faculty Orientation | September 11 |
| 2. | Student Orientation | September 19-24 |
| 3. | Classes Begin | September 25 |

B. FOOTBALL SCHEDULE, 1950

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|-----|---|--------------|
| 1. | Prairie View vs. Samuel Huston -- Austin | September 23 |
| 2. | Prairie View vs. Bishop College -- Here | September 30 |
| 3. | Prairie View vs. Wilberforce -- -- Ohio | October 7 |
| 4. | Prairie View vs. Wiley College -- Dallas (night) | October 16 |
| 5. | Prairie View vs. Arkansas State -- Here | October 21 |
| 6. | Prairie View vs. Texas State University -- Houston (night) | October 27 |
| 7. | Prairie View vs. Texas College -- Homecoming | November 4 |
| 8. | Prairie View vs. Grambling -- -- -- Grambling | November 11 |
| 9. | Prairie View vs. Langston -- -- -- Langston | November 18 |
| 10. | Prairie View vs. Southern -- -- -- Here | November 25 |

C. COMMUNITY CHEST REPORT

We are pleased to report the operations of the Prairie View Community Chest for the Fiscal Year 1949-50. It is to be observed that this local agency serves, not only a specific function, but a fine and useful purpose.

| | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| 1. <u>Income - 1949-1950</u> | | \$ 985.42 |
| a. Balance forward, August 31, 1950 | \$ 233.00 | |
| b. Dues for 1949-50. | 752.42 | |
| Total | \$ 985.42 | |
| | | |
| 2. <u>Expenditures - 1949-1950</u> | | |
| a. Freight, Miss Suarez's Furniture | \$ 9.00 | |
| b. Police Services | 20.00 | |
| c. Band to Dallas | 50.00 | |
| d. Red Cross Supplement | 50.00 | |
| e. Telephone and Telegraph | 52.21 | |
| f. Lectures and Sermons | 90.00 | |
| g. Floral Sprays | 125.91 | |
| h. Other Donations: Urban League; "Y", Interracial, Southern Regional Council; Study Negro History; NAACP; etc. | 211.25 | |
| Balance August 31, 1950 | | 608.37 |
| | | \$ 377.05 |

D. NEW EMPLOYEES

We wish to welcome to the College Staff, all employees who are casting their lots with us for the first time as well as those who are returning from study. You will find in operation here a most interesting and unique program of work, and we are happy to have you join us in its execution.

1. School of Arts and Sciences, Dr. T. P. Dooley, Dean

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|-----|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| (a) | Miss Alverna Ackerman | Music |
| (b) | Miss Lois Jean Baird | English |
| (c) | Miss Grace Haynes Parker | English |
| (d) | Mr. Charles Minor | English |
| (e) | Mrs. E. O. Wheadon | English |
| (f) | Mr. Aaron Alexander | English |
| (g) | Mr. John C. Rawls | Business Administration |
| (h) | Miss Georgia Maxine Atkins | Languages |
| (i) | Mr. Melvin Tolson | Languages |
| (j) | Miss Mary E. Fickling | Physical Education |
| (k) | Mr. Hugh L. McKinnis | Physical Education |
| (l) | Mr. Vernon Wells | Physical Education |
| (m) | Mr. Thomas Garland | Physics |
| (n) | Miss Miriam Gould | Art |
| (o) | Mr. Frank Henderson | Biology |
| (p) | Mr. George Riley | Biology |
| (q) | Mr. James D. Singletary | Education |
| (r) | Miss Maxine Martin | Languages |

2. School of Engineering, Mr. C. L. Wilson, Dean

- | | | |
|-----|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (a) | Mr. Luther Francis | Clerk, Dean's Office |
| (b) | Mr. Cecil Browder | Architecture |
| (c) | Mr. C. W. Miller | Electrical Engineering |
| (d) | Mr. Frederick Graham | Machine Shop and Welding |
| (e) | Mr. E. B. Johnson | Pressing |

3. Library, Mr. O. J. Baker, Head

- | | | |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| (a) | Mr. Leroy Waites | Circulation Assistant |
| (b) | Miss Lenora Benson | Circulation Assistant |

4. Registrar's Office

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|-----|------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| (a) | Mrs. Jimmie Dykes-Fields | Receptionist and Secretary |
| (b) | Mrs. Lillian Burley | Key Punch Operator |

5. Hospital

- (a) Dr. Leroy Sterling Dentist
- (b) Miss Naomi Harmon Assistant Nurse
- (c) Miss Sophia Conley Assistant Nurse

6. Military Science and Tactics

- (a) Lt. Colonel Hyman Y. Chase P. M. S. T.
- (b) Captain Reuben L. Horner Assistant
- (c) Lt. Eldridge T. Pankey Assistant

NOTE: School of Agriculture No Changes
 School of Home Economics No Changes

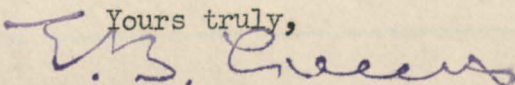
E. CHALLENGE!

Within the next few hours, more than 2,000 bright and restless young men and women will be our guests -- students -- for the next nine months, coming from every section of Texas, and many from other states. They come, for the most part, from the segregated areas of our democracy--the minority group. Many of them are from wretched environments; from overcrowded and understaffed schools -- hence, poor scholarship; many are from broken and disrupted homes, denied the blessings of loving guidance of interested parents; all born during the period of the world's greatest economic depression; and, grew to young adulthood during the hectic months of war hysteria and demobilization. These "lambs" have been denied -- through no fault of theirs-- much of their rightful heritage, and, in consequence, come to us "as empty pitchers before a full fountain." We shall have in our "hands and laps" -- on our hearts, we hope -- the greatest and most exacting CHALLENGE of our experience. God grant that no one here, this year, shall fail or falter in the faithful discharge of his or her duty and responsibility "to these little ones."

F. FINALLY -

Let us begin this school year with the thought in mind that -- "Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College has gone forward with the philosophy that the education of Negroes must have for its objectives, the making of a worthwhile Life and a respectable Living. To these ends the institution plans and strives to --

- (1) serve the colored citizens of Texas at the point of their greatest need; and,
- (2) bring the student's training into closer relationship with life's occupations and problems."

Yours truly,


P.S. Workers' Meeting First Tuesday
 in October, 7:30 p.m. Adm. Auditorium

E. B. Evans, President