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Conference On Education Set For March 1

Several representatives of business, industry and education in Texas will participate in Prairie View A. and M. College's annual conference on Education scheduled Friday, March 1.

Consultants invited to discuss present and future employment opportunities in their specific areas include S. Perry Brown, Chairman, Texas Employment Commission; Mrs. Elizabeth Carnegie, associated editor Nursing Outlook, New York, N. Y.; Roy R. Evans, Secretary-Treasurer, Texas State AFL-CIO, Austin; Harry E. Graham, Dow Chemical Company, Houston; Vernon McDaniel, Executive Secretary, Teachers State Association of Texas, Austin; A. E. Prescott, Texas Instruments, Inc., Dallas; and J. A. Simmons, Recruiting Officer, U. S. Civil Service Commission, Dallas region, and Mrs. Charles E. White, Houston School Board member.

Questions to be answered by these consultants concern the thousands of Negro Youth who will finish Texas high schools in the next decade. Are we educating the right ones and are we educating them in the right way.

Leaders of the conference, who represent the College's educational research committee, and representatives of the state's ten senior Negro Colleges are seeking these answers for the students and educational and community leaders who will attend this 34th in the series, of conferences sponsored by Prairie View to improve education of Negroes in Texas.

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A former vice-president of the National Council for Teachers of English, Dr. Tuttle is presently director of "Project English," a program aimed at updating, on a national scale, the English curriculum development and the preparation of teachers of English.

Recently, Dr. Tuttle stated that too many teachers are being asked to teach what they do not know. He further stated that one year under an incompetent teacher in a sequential subject like English or Mathematics can cause a student to lose his confidence in his ability to learn the subject.

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Oceanography to be Topic for Annual Science Institute

The annual Institute for the Advancement of Science Teaching to be held at Prairie View A. and M. College on March 9th will place emphasis upon phenomena associated with the sea.

Dr. Dale F. Leipper, Head of the Department of Oceanography and Meteorology at the A. and M. College of Texas will open the Institute with the keynote address. Dr. Leipper has had wide and valuable experience in his field. At present he is directing an Oceanographic and Meteorological Survey of the Gulf of Mexico sponsored by the Office of Naval Research.

Institute consultants include Dr. Alberta Seaton, professor of Biology at Texas Southern University, Dr. Hugh McLellan, professor and Meteorologist at the A. and M. College, and Dr. Robert E. Davis, supervisor of the ship work at A. and M. College Branch, Galveston.

The Prairie View Institute has been held for several years and has always been directed toward improvement of science teaching, on both the elementary and secondary levels.

It is anticipated that the theme of this year's Institute—Expanding the Science Program in the Elementary and Secondary Schools—A Look at the Sea—will attract attendance by many of the state's teachers who are anxious to learn more about this important, but often neglected topic in school science curricula.

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projection study which confirmed that Texas institutions are faced with heavy increases in enrollment in 1964 and thereafter. The long predicted crisis in the capacity of these institutions to meet the demands upon them is no longer in the future. It is now.

The March 1 meeting will seek to answer the questions of adequate preparation—from elementary school through college for the mass of students who will soon be looking for employment in Texas communities. How must we prepare them--the question is to be raised.

Prairie View research group in charge of the conferences includes G. R. Woolfolk, chairman; O. J. Baker; J. M. Drew; J. W. Echols; L. C. McMillan; T. W. Miller; E. M. Norris; C. L. Wilson, and C. A. Wood.

Members of the joint college committee, including representatives of cooperating institutions, are—Dr. J. A. Pierce, Texas Southern; Dr. G. W. Johnson, Wiley; J. D. Hurd, Bishop; J. L. McNealy, Huston-Tillotson; Selinus Curtis, Mary-Allen; Armond Self, Tosie Bostic, Carl R. Gholsman, Bennie E. Prater, Arthur L. Sewell, Archie T. Brown, Carl E. Williams, Leonard A. Mack, Cecil L. Jackson and George E. Reeder.

Rev. Phillip Speaks at Iowa State University

The Reverend L. C. Phillip, college chaplain participated in the Religion in Life Series program at Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa on January 21-25.

Mr. Phillip was the general assembly speaker on January 20. He also delivered a major address before the Ames Rotary Club on January 22.

The Religious observance program at the University is called—"Religion in Life Series."

PV Students Listed In Who's Who


These students are: Armstrong, Marchuss; Batts, William M. III; Bell, Addie M.; Brousard, Allen; Brown, Samuel L.; Carrier, Louis A.; Cash, Larry L.; DeRouen, George Faye; Donley, Patricia M.; Gray, Maceo; Hawkins, Loyce Joyce; Henderson, Lee; Herren, George R.; Hinton, Lula Vernell; Holmes, Lorraine F.; Hornsby, Harvey C.; Jackson, Flynn A.; James, Eartha; Jennings, Johnny E.; Jolivet, Mary Ann; McConie, Evon Dee; McGlothin, Mary Joyce; Mosby James E.; Norman, Herman H.; Odem, Jamesetta; Osborne, Tommy Taylor; Slaughter, Franklin D.; Stein, Paul C.; Warner, Joe Jr.; Wilburn, Betty Jo; Williams, John Howard.

State NHA Meet Planned

Plans are about complete for the annual NHA State Convention scheduled at the College on March 14-16, according to an announcement from Mrs. Ruth Payne, State adviser.

EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE CONSULTANTS ... Roy R. Evans (left) secretary-treasurer, Texas State AFL-CIO and Harry E. Graham, planning engineer with the Dow Chemical Company, Texas Division. The two specialists are part of a group of fifteen consultants invited to serve the March 1 Conference.

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE'S LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ... The group includes (clockwise)—Mr. A. B. Turner, Willis Texas; Mr. W. H. Harrison, Dallas, Texas (not a member of council); Mr. J. M. Jacquet, Fort Worth, Texas; Mr. T. H. Burton, Hawkins, Texas; Mr. Rufus C. Couley, Houston, Texas; Mr. O. J. Thomas, State Director (at head of table), Prairie View, Texas; Mr. David Daniels, Grand Prairie, Texas; Mr. Daniel Johnson, Snyder, Texas; Mrs. Alberta Roberson, Buffalo, Texas; Mr. T. W. Humphrey, Cuero, Texas; Mr. George W. Adams, Port Lavaca, Texas.

VISITS CAMPUS ... Major Reginald Sapenter, Class of 1959, visited the campus with his family while enroute to Fort Dix, New Jersey from his former post in Kansas.
Students Graduating In January Listed

Members of the January 1963 graduating class at Prairie View include the following: Loveidge N. Ababio, Acras; Ghana; Dorlene Alley, Houston; James E. Allison, Orange; James Anderson, Prairie View; Bailey; Edward M. Beaufort; Irving Jean Bennett, Hempstead; Patrick H. Booker, Cameron; James S. Byrd, Madisonville; Gladys E. Byrd, Houston; Louis A. Carrier, Galena Park; Margaret W. Chachere, Houston; Melvya J. Collins, Waco; James H. Dawson, Wichita Falls; Willie Faye Elum, Houston; Norris Lee Evans, Houston; J. L. Ferrell, Mexia; Linda L. Garrett, Oakwood; Eli Gordon Jr., Wharton; Charles Granger, Beaumont; Lillian Marie Green, Houston; Anna Marie Guillory, Houston; Elma Lois Mitchell, Oakhurst; Melva Jo Hancock, Austin; Herbie Holloway, San Antonio; Harvey C. Hornsby, Bay City; Jean Ester Houston, Newton; Darlene L. H. Jackson, Breton; Margaret M. Jenkins, Texarkana; Johnnie O.S. King, Benchesley; Angela P. Lee, Port Arthur; James E. Lee, Naples; Johnny W. Lee, Center; Wendel H. Lester, Clarksville; Emma L. Lincoln, Tyler; Dorothy D. Moore, Waco; Verlene Norman, Midland; Alfred L. Roberts, Somerville; Dalton J. Roberts, Houston; Paul A. Roquemore, Houston; Barbara S. Sansom, Rockdale; Sandra A. Simmons, Galena Park; James L. Simpson, Booth; Jimmie G. Smith, Terrell; Jeannel B. Smith, Dayton; Raymond Smith, Needville; Odell Standerfer, Prairie View; Gloria G. Steamer, Bay City; Hazel F. Taylor, Houston; Hattie M. Thomas, Waco; Chester D. Thompson, Jacksonvile; Obra D. Tompkins, Hempstead; Sylvia F. Traylor, Hughes Springs; Elizabeth A. B. Turner, Hempstead; Wade, Billy, Nacogdoches; K. A. Wesley, Navasota; Ross White, Navasota; Nelson Williams, Calvert; Robbie E. Williams, Rosha­ ton; Gayle Sherian Woods, Hous­ton.

RECIPIENTS OF SEARS-ROEBUCK FOUNDATIONS SCHOLARSHIPS . . . Holding freshman scholarship awards are (left to right) Billy K. olomon, Oakwood; Sandra L. Tucker, Groesbeck; and Charles L. Mark, Apple Springs. Each Scholar­ship is valued at $300.00.

National Alpha Kappa Mu Convention Scheduled at PV

The national convention of the Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society will be held at Prairie View A. and M. College on March 28-30. Prairie View's Alpha Pi Mu Chapter will serve as host.

The convention will bring to the campus a highly distinguished group of Negro leaders and outstanding students from approximately twelve states and sixty colleges. The theme for the 1963 convention is, "The scholar faces the challenges of academic achievement."

Alpha Kappa Mu is the only predominately Negro honor society affiliated with the National Association of College Honor Societies. The organization has been termed the "Phi Beta Kappa" of predominately Negro Colleges in the nation. The national society was organized in 1937 under the leadership of Dr. George W. Gore, Jr., President of Florida A. and M. University.

Prairie View's chapter, Alpha Pi Mu was established in 1940. The local organization is making elaborate plans for the convention. These will include their usual honors convocation sponsored annually at the College, and the President's annual banquet for honor students.

The national officers of Alpha Kappa Mu are: Dr. Thomas F. Freeman, Texas Southern—President; Dr. Ronald Fleming, Tuskegee Institute—Vice-president; Dr. George W. Gore Jr., Secretary-Treasurer; and Mrs. Kathrene Mills, West Virginia State College—Assistant Secretary. The official publications of the society include the proceedings of annual conventions, newsletters, The Alpha Kappa Mu Journal, the National constitution and history of the Society.

County Agents' Meeting Held

Prairie View A. and M. College's annual state conference for county agricultural and home demonstration agents was held January 28 through February 1 in the College campus. The theme of the conference—"Pursuing Excellence" emphasized the developing of greater efficiency in the performance of the agent's responsibilities to the citizens of Texas.

A special feature of the five-day sessions was a practical short course on meat, sponsored by the National Livestock and Meat Board. Mrs. Hattie McSwain, a graduate home economist with this educational service organization was in charge of this phase of the conference.

Besides an on the spot demonstration of meat cookery, the visiting specialist highlighted nutrition factors to consider in preparing family meals. Her knowledge of nutrition as well as food care and cookery is built on a first-hand acquaintance with the latest findings coming out of research in the medical laboratories and the experimental kitchens of many of the nation's universities, colleges and equipment manufacturers.

Negro History Week Observed

Attorney Barbara C. Jordan of Houston served as Negro History Week Convocation speaker on Sunday, February 3.

Mrs. Jordan spoke on the theme for the occasion—"Human Relations in an Age of Challenge: New Horizons of Personal Freedom."

Also in keeping with Negro History Week observance, the history department will present a special radio broadcast Saturday at noon featuring a Voice choir with spiritual music as the background. Miss Barbara Clay will direct the group in this very impressive program.
Kirbyville Wins Class ‘A’ State Title

Leona Crowned ‘B’ Champs

West Kirbyville overpowered Smithville 64-43 in the finals of the Class A state league basketball tournament at Prairie View A. and M. College Saturday.

Leona dropped Italy 72-58 to win the Class B state title.

Twenty-four teams, all district winners, participated in the two-day tournament. Trophies were awarded to the first two teams in both divisions by Interscholastic League director O. J. Thomas. Individual awards were also made.

C. Booker of Kirbyville scored 90 points in the tournament and was named captain of the all-tournament team. Booker threw in 27 points in the final game. Others on the Class A all-tournament selection were Johnny Moore, Texarkana; Eddie Thomas, Smithville; Pervis Roseman, Kirbyville; and Max Carter, Smithville.

The Class B all-tournament team included Melvin Hall and H. Willis of Leveland; Bobby Kirby and N. H. Jones of Italy; and P. Davis, Leona.

In other Class A games Kirbyville dropped Colorado City 51-40, College Station defeated Commerce 46-42, Smithville beat Prairie View High 75-54, Texarkana whipped Seagoville 52-50, Kirbyville dropped College Station 52-32, and Smithville eliminated Texarkana 66-50.

Leona dropped Coleman 89-72, and Italy beat Leveland 75-65 in Class B semi-finals.

Other teams participating were: Alto, Madisonville, Crockett, Beckville, Hawkins, Freeport, Dickinson, Groesbeck, Edna, Floydada, Pampa and Giddings.

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Moore Named 1962 Coach of the Year

Coach Leroy Moore has been named 1962 basketball Coach of the-year by the 100 percent wrong club, a leading sports organization in Atlanta, Georgia.

The successful basketball mentor attended the annual awards banquet group by the year in Atlanta on February 1. Several other outstanding sports personalities were honored by the Atlanta group.

Moore has previously been named 1962 Coach-of-the-year by the Houston Informer, the NAIA-District 6-B, the Prairie View Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Kappa Alpha Psi-Austin Chapter, and Texas Southern University.

Another Award

For ‘Big Z’

Zelmo Beatty was chosen a member of the Converse “Chuch” Taylor All-American Basketball team for 1962. Gel’s name is first on the list which includes players from all the major colleges and universities. A duplicate of Beatty’s Award is exhibited on the campus.

1963 Baseball Schedule

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Panther Cagers Split In Key Southwestern Conference Matches

The Panthers won their four straight home games against Southern, Jackson, Grambling and Alcorn, but lost to these same four opponents on their recent road trip.

Grambling, the front runners in the dwindling conference race, dropped a close one to the Panthers 92-89, when the Louisiana group came to Prairie View. They got full revenge however in Grabling, winning the contest by an unexpected 111-88 score.

With only three games left on their schedule—all at home—the Panthers seem destined to settle for something less than first place in the league. Their success in the league left the local quintet with a 6-5 conference record.

Final court action here will feature Arkansas State—February 23, Wiley College—February 25, and Texas Southern—February 27.

Panthers Place in Gulf Coast Meet

Panther Charles Ingram edged out former Southwest Conference hurdles champion Ray Cunningham in the 60-yard high hurdles during the first annual Gulf Coast Federation Indoor Track Meet.

Alfred Green of Prairie View was barely nosed out in the 60-yard dash by Sophomore Boyd Timmons of the University of Houston. Both runners were clocked at 6.4, while Dennis Richardson, of Abilene Christian, finished third in 6.5.

Over 3,500 spectators saw the meet in Sam Houston Coliseum.

Radio Facilities

To be Expanded

“The Voice of Pantherland,” Prairie View’s weekly radio series, may be improved soon with the help of additional broadcasting facilities. P. G. Fry, Radio Engineer announced recently.

State Band Festival

Set for March 7-9