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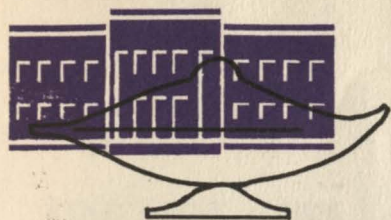
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From the Desk of *the President*



NEWSLETTER

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CALENDAR - MAY, 1957

1. Fine Arts Week April 28 - May 4
2. Interscholaastic League Meet May 3 - 4
(A, AA, and AAA Class Schools)
3. May Day Fete - Sunday School May 4
4. Final Examinations for Seniors May 9, 10, 11, and 13
5. Honors Day May 9
6. Housing Conference May 11
7. Junior-Senior Prom May 11
8. Dormitory Open House (Men and Women) May 12
9. Senior Week May 13-18
10. President's Tea for Seniors May 14
11. Alumni Day May 18
12. Commencement and Parents Day May 19
13. Training School Commencement May 20
14. Final Examinations May 20-24
15. Second Semester Closes May 25
16. Athletics:

Track and Tennis

Southwestern Conference Meet, Baton Rouge, La. . . May 3 - 4

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FINE ARTS WEEK

The Fine Arts Festival Committee has arranged a series of outstanding presentations scheduled during the week, April 28 through May 4. In addition to a full array of local talent, the Festival features a nationally famous vocalist, Adele Addison, soprano, in recital, and the Texas Southern University Choir. Music, dramatics, cinema and art are included in the week's schedule.

HOUSING CONFERENCE

The Tenth Annual Housing Conference is scheduled for May 11. This event represents a major effort by the college to cooperate with officials in the housing business in bringing to attention many of the problems and needs related to this field in Texas and the Southwest. It is hoped that many of the faculty will find it possible to attend some of these sessions.

BOND ISSUE - WALLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Voting will be held on May 11 on a proposed Bond Issue to finance a new high school building at Prairie View and other improvements in the Waller Independent School District. All of us who are concerned about better educational facilities for youth of this community will be interested in the favorable passage of this important measure.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS

Final examinations for Seniors will be held on May 9, 10, 11 and 13. Final examinations for all other students are scheduled from May 20 to May 24, and it is to be reminded that these examinations are to be given as scheduled by the Registrar's Office. It is important that other routine procedures pertaining to the closing of the semester and the long session be carried out according to schedule and in the best interest of all concerned.

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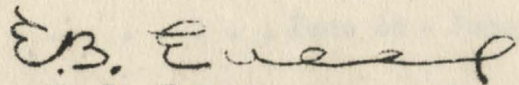
COMMENCEMENT AND PARENTS DAY

Commencement Exercises will be held on May 19. The Reverend E. C. Estell, Sr., Pastor of St. John Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas, will serve as Commencement Speaker. Parents day is also observed on this occasion, and it is our wishes to make every possible convenience for the enjoyment of visiting parents and friends. All staff members are requested to contribute in making these closing activities successful.

IN CLOSING

I would like to take this occasion to thank each and every member of the staff for the fine spirit of cooperation exhibited throughout the year. This has been another in the long history of successful years of Prairie View A. and M. College's services to the citizens of Texas. Each of you has contributed in a large measure to this success and I want to express my appreciation for it.

Very truly yours,



E. B. Evans
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P. S. Workers' Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 7, 7:30 p.m.,
Administration Auditorium.