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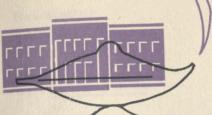
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From the Desk of

the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

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A. CALENDAR

1.	Industrial Education Conference May 2-3
2.	Maheagris May 2
3.	Waller County Health Day May 2
4.	Honors Day
5.	Dormitory Open House (Men and Women) May 4
6.	Training School Program May 7
7.	Housing Conference May 10
8.	Senior Week
9.	Seniors Meet With the President May 15
10.	General Alumni Day May 17
11.	Commencement and Parents' Day May 18
12.	Training School Commencement May 19
13.	Final Examinations May 19 -23
14.	Second Semester Closes May 24
15.	Athletics -
	Track - Tennis - Golf
	Southwestern Conference Meet and Tournaments May 9=10
	Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

B. INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE

The 24th Annual Conference of Industrial Education Teachers and Students will be held May 2-3. The conference is sponsored by the Division of Industrial Education in cooperation with the Texas Industrial Education Association and the New Mechanics Club of Texas. The theme of the conference is "Broadening Vocational Horizons Through Careers in Industry." Over 800 high school students, teachers, principals, and guidance counselors are expected to be present.

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C. MAHEAGRIS

Annual "Open House" will be held in the various instructional divisions of the college also on May 2. Neighboring high schools have been invited to bring groups to the campus on this day.

D. WALLER COUNTY HEALTH DAY

The Waller County Negro Health Association will sponsor a County-wide Health Day on May 2 with activities scheduled on the campus from 1:00 to 7:00 p.m. Scouting leaders will conduct outdoor games for all age groups and the health education program will feature presentations by medical and nursing personnel. A benefit activity, the program will also feature a baby contest, high school king and queen and various types of entertainment. The entire community is invited.

E. HOUSING CONFERENCE

The largest in the series of Housing Conferences is planned for May 10. Some fifty leaders in the field of housing will participate as speakers and consultants during the annual conference which will center around the theme, "Better Housing and the National Economy."

F. DORMITORY OPEN HOUSE

Scheduled May 4, Open House in the dormitories will be conducted from 1:30 to 5:00 p.m. Women's dormitories will be open from 1:30 to 3:30 and the Men's buildings from 3:30 to 5:00.

G. GENERAL ALUMNI DAY

Alumni Day, May 17, will feature programs of several Reunion classes as well as annual Commencement activities sponsored by the General Alumni Association.

H. COMMENCEMENT AND PARENTS' DAY

Commencement exercises will be held on May 18. Dr. Earl E. Dawson, President, Lincoln University, Jefferson City, Missouri, will be the Commencement speaker. Parents' Day is also observed on this occasion, and it is our hope that every member of the staff will work cooperatively in making every possible convenience for the enjoyment of visiting parents and friends.

I. THE SUMMER SESSION

The Forty-eighth Summer Session will open Monday, June 2. We look forward to a good enrollment and profitable summer term. Several outstanding features, including short courses and workshops, special recreational activities and others, have been designed to broaden the scope of wholesome experiences for the summer school students.

J. THANK YOU

Thanks to all who helped in the promotion of our many activities during the month of April, particularly the Interscholastic League Meets which required the combined effort of all of you.

We also wish to express sincere appreciation for your Red Cross contributions which, when totalled, will be reported to the Waller County Red Cross Chapter headquarters; and for the cooperation given to the Community Recreation Program fund raising campaign.

K. IN CLOSING

A "thank you" is also in order at this time when we approach the close of another long session at Prairie View. This has been another good year in terms of public service. We have continued to grow, not only in physical expansion, but also in educational and professional improvement. The college staff has worked as a unit in carrying on our large program of services, and the success of these activities has been your success and the future welfare and growth of the college.

Very truly yours,

E. B. Evans, President

P. S. Workers' Meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 6, 7:30 p.m., Administration Auditorium.