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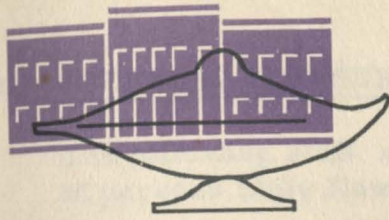
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

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A. CALENDAR

1. State Vocational Agricultural Teachers Workshop In Progress
2. Firemen's Training School August 3-8
3. Reading Conference August 11 - 12
4. Summer School Commencement August 20
5. Final Examinations August 21 - 22
6. Summer School Closes August 23
7. Open Air Demonstrations -
School of Home Economics August 7
Department of Education August 14

B. COMMENCEMENT

Commencement exercises for the 1958 Summer Session are scheduled for Wednesday night, August 20. Dr. W. R. Banks, President Emeritus, Prairie View A. and M. College, will be the Commencement speaker.

A special sermon for Summer School graduates will be delivered by Reverend Raymond F. Harvey, Pastor, Greenwood Missionary Baptist Church, Tuskegee, Alabama.

C. READING CONFERENCE

The ninth annual Reading Conference is scheduled by the Department of Education for August 11-12. The theme of this year's conference is, "Reading as a Tool for Security in a Global World." Among the outstanding consultants scheduled to be present are Mrs. Gwen Horsman, Supervisor of Reading, Detroit Public Schools and Dr. Albert Harris, Director of the Education Clinic, Queen's College, Flushing, N. Y.

D. STUDYING THIS SUMMER

The following staff members have been reported as additions to the list of persons (July Newsletter) studying this summer:

1. Miss A. C. Preston - Attending a workshop beginning August 6 at the University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
2. Mrs. D. M. Hunt - Attending Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.
3. Dr. W. L. Cash, Jr. - Serving as workshop consultant, Human Relations Workshop, University of Michigan.
4. Dr. G. R. Woolfolk - Doing research, Library of Congress, Washington, D. C.
5. Dr. George R. Ragland - Attended Human Relations Workshop at the University of Iowa, Ames, Iowa.
6. Dr. Anne L. Campbell - Served as associate director of Human Relations Workshop at University of Kansas City.

E. THE YEAR'S END

The 1957-58 fiscal year will soon come to a close. We have enjoyed a very successful year in all respects. I would like to take this occasion to express to all members of the staff my appreciation for your contribution to the success of our total college program.

F. THE 82D YEAR

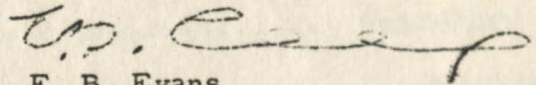
Already, we are looking ahead to another great year in 1958-59. As a reminder, the schedule of September school opening activities are listed, as follows:

Faculty Orientation Conference	September 8-10
Freshman Orientation	September 11-14
Registration	September 15-17
Fall Term Begins	September 18

G. BEST WISHES

In closing the Newsletter for 1957-58, I would like to express again my sincere appreciation for the fine spirit of cooperation exhibited by members of the college staff during the year. To the large number of staff members taking a well earned vacation. To those of you who will take leave from the Institution for various purposes . . . and to those who remain to carry on during the short interim between sessions, I would like to wish for each of you a pleasant period of rest and relaxation. May we all return on September 8 filled with new energy, initiative, and determination to make the year 1958-59 the best in terms of service in our long and fruitful history.

Very truly yours,



E. B. Evans
President