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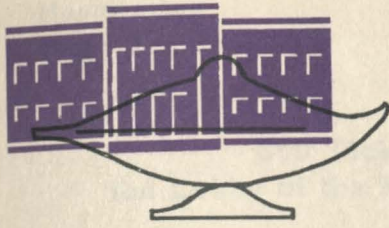
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

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A. CALENDAR - October, 1958

1. Boy Scouts Camporee and Field Day October 10-11
2. STATE FAIR CLASSIC
Prairie View vs Texas Southern - Cotton Bowl -
Dallas October 13
3. Football Game - Prairie View vs Grambling College . . . October 25

B. STATE FAIR ACTIVITIES

The 1958 Texas State Fair, scheduled October 4-19, will carry the theme, "Higher Education in Texas." Exhibits and events throughout the 387-acre fairground will feature the theme and remind visitors of the relationship between Texas and higher education--its importance today and its vitality in the future.

Prairie View is a part of this celebration which will also feature programs and activities of 71 other Texas colleges and universities. Many activities of special interest to our staff and students will take place on October 13. This includes our annual--

STATE FAIR CLASSIC

Texas Southern University is the opponent in this important game scheduled for 8:00 p. m. Monday, October 13, in the Cotton Bowl. This occasion is the 34th annual State Fair Classic. Provisions are made for both faculty members and students to attend. Members of the staff who plan to attend should make application for leave at an early date. Acceptable arrangements for classes must be submitted and approved.

Bus Tickets to Dallas (\$8.30) will go on sale October 9 in the Lobby of the Recreation Center.

Pre-sale game tickets (\$1.50) are now available at the Athletic Office and at the School of Engineering.

C. BOY SCOUTS FIELD DAY

The Sam Houston Area Council, Boy Scouts of America will conduct their second annual Camporee and Field Day on October 10-11 for Cub and Boy Scouts from about ten neighboring communities. This activity is a program of the E. B. Evans Scouting Division.

D. NEW STAFF PERSONNEL (Supplementary Roster)

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Department of Business Administration and Business Education

Mrs. Melba C. Clarkson

Department of English

Mrs. Juanita D. Jones

DIVISION OF NURSING EDUCATION

Miss Amelia L. Clarkson

E. ATHLETIC SEASON TICKETS

Staff members are encouraged to take advantage of the excellent saving in the purchase of season tickets for all Home Athletic events. The Athletic Council has these tickets on sale for \$5.00, which covers football, basketball, track and baseball--a group of events well worth \$20.

F. CREDIT UNION

Your attention is called to the services of the Prairie View A. and M. College Federal Credit Union. Staff members who are not already affiliated are invited to join at the earliest possible opportunity. Let your Credit Union help you with financial problems.

G. CONGRATULATIONS

To Dr. George R. Woolfolk, whose new history book - "The Cotton Regency: The Northern Merchants and Reconstruction" - has been released by Twayne Publishers of New York.

To Mr. Israel Glover who has satisfied all requirements for the Ph.D. degree with major in Mathematics at Oklahoma State University.

H. NEW ARRIVAL

The college is happy to welcome its newest family member, Rickey Michael Fontenot, a seven pound, three ounce baby boy born September 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Fontenot. Mr. Fontenot is a member of the Division of Industrial Education, Automobile Mechanics Department.

I. REMEMBER

- Your Community Chest
- The Prairie View Training School PTA

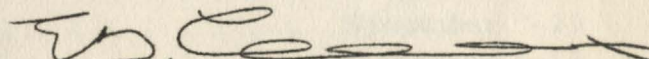
J. IN CLOSING

The importance of physical and mental fitness was brought forcibly to the nation's attention through the President's Conference on Fitness of American Youth held a short time ago at the U. S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland. Among other objectives the conference considered --

"The effects of present day life in these United States on the health and fitness of our youth, and sought to develop programs to determine insofar as possible youths' health and fitness status and needs."

It is my hope that we as an institution can continue to contribute to this great national objective.

Very truly yours,



E. B. Evans
President

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P. S. The first Workers' Meeting for 1958-59 will be held on Tuesday, October 7, 7:30 P. M., Administration Auditorium. All staff members are urged to be present.

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