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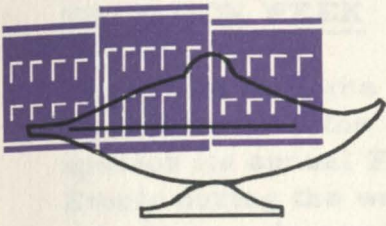
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

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A. CALENDAR - DECEMBER, 1961

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| 1. "Y" Leadership Institute | December | 1-3 |
| 2. Nutrition Week and Food Show | December | 4-8 |
| 3. Faculty-Staff Banquet | December | 11 |
| 4. Christmas Cantata | December | 17 |
| 5. Christmas Holidays Begin (at Noon) | December | 19 |
| 6. Community Christmas Party | December | 25 |
| 7. Prairie View Bowl 34th Annual Game | January 1, 1962 | |
| 8. Basketball - - | | |

Prairie View vs S. W. Missouri State, Springfield, Missouri	December	4
Georgia Invitational Tournament, Atlanta, Georgia	December	7-9
Alcorn College, Alcorn, Mississippi	December	11
Huston-Tillotson (HERE)	December	15
Dillard University (HERE)	December	16
Dillard University, New Orleans, La.	December	18

B. A WORD OF THANKS

The several special events held in November were well promoted and sponsored by various members of the staff. Homecoming was a major activity during this period, and a special word of thanks is due to the alumni, faculty and students for a job well done.

C. "Y" LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

The 26th annual "Y" Leadership Institute is scheduled for December 1-3. The keynote speaker for this year is the Reverend Samuel Horace James, Minister, Second Baptist Church and Community Center, San Antonio, Texas. Almost a thousand young people and adult leaders will meet on our campus for the three day period. Faculty members and students are urged to cooperate in every way in extending every courtesy to these visitors.

D. NUTRITION WEEK

The School of Home Economics, with the cooperation of the School of Agriculture and the Department of Commercial Cooking and Baking, will sponsor its annual Food Show and Nutrition Week on December 4-8. Events during the week will include special film showings, visiting speakers, lecture demonstrations, and exhibits.

E. FACULTY-STAFF BANQUET

The annual Faculty-Staff Banquet and Dance will be held in the Ballroom of the Memorial Center on December 11. All faculty members and staff are urged to participate in this social affair. Twenty-five year service personnel are guests of honor for this occasion.

F. CHRISTMAS BRIGHTEN-UP

The Prairie View Garden Club is calling on all residents including students, to plan now to make our campus attractive for the Christmas Season by displaying appropriate decorations at homes, dormitories, and public buildings. The displays may be quite simple and inexpensive in the form of a window, a door entrance, or a figure on the lawn. One may easily place the lighted Christmas tree before the window. The Garden Club is urging all residents to plan their decorations sufficiently early for students and teachers to see and enjoy before the holidays begin on December 19. Information concerning the Brighten-Up project may be secured from any Garden Club member or by contacting Dr. J. M. Coruthers.

G. BOY SCOUT DRIVE

The Twelfth Annual Boy Scout Finance Campaign netted a total of \$1,008.14, Dr. T. R. Solomon, general finance chairman, announced. Appreciation is expressed to all who participated as campaign workers and as donors in this important project.

H. REMEMBER

Pay your POLL TAX before January 31, 1962.

I. THE PRAIRIE VIEW BOWL

The 34th Annual Prairie View Bowl is scheduled on December 31 in Houston's Jeppesen Stadium (Scott and Wheeler Streets). An opponent for the Panthers has not been selected at this time, but an announcement to this effect is expected soon. The Athletic Council invites your cooperation and participation in this major college event.

J. WELCOME

The Prairie View Family is happy to welcome little Frederick Earl Carter, born November 6, 1961, weighing 7 pounds, 12 ounces. The proud parents are Mr. and Mrs. Purvis M. Carter. Mr. Carter is an instructor in the History Department.

K. CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

The Christmas holidays will begin at noon, December 19. Classes will resume at 8:00 a. m. on January 2, 1962. The holiday period for regular twelve-month employees is December 25 - January 1, inclusive (Monday through Monday).

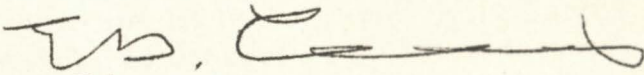
L. WORKER'S MEETING

Worker's Meeting Tuesday, December 5, 7:30 p. m., Administration Auditorium.

M. IN CLOSING

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and yours, **A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.**

Very truly yours,


E. B. Evans
President