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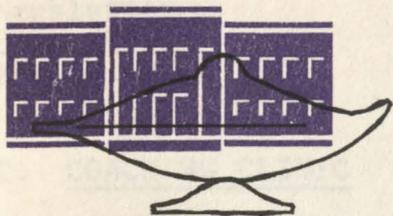
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

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A. CALENDAR

1. Fourth of July Holiday July 4
2. Coaching Clinic. July 5-7
3. Final Examinations, First Term July 14-15
4. Clinic for Cheerleaders, Baton Twirlers. July 17-22
5. Registration, Second Term. July 18
6. Second Term Classes Begin. July 19
7. Institutes and Workshops --
 - NDEA Counseling and Guidance
Institute For Secondary School
Personnel. July 18-August 27
 - Home Economics Workshops:
Adapting New Instructional Media
to Teaching Secondary Home Economics. July 11-22
 - Disadvantaged Youth and Their Families. July 18-29
 - NSF Summer Institute for Teachers
of Physics July 18-August 27
 - Lone Star State Association for
Student Councils Workshop. July 31-August 5
8. Special Demonstrations and Programs--
 - Hairstyling Demonstration
(Cosmetology Institute). July 15
 - Baton Twirling and Cheerleading. July 21

B. OFFICIAL HOLIDAY

Monday, July 4, is an official State holiday for all employees.
Classes are suspended for this one day.

C. COACHING CLINIC

The 34th Annual Coaching Clinic is scheduled at the College on July 5-7. Visiting staff members for the three-day school include Coaches Don Haskins, Texas Western; William D. Murray, Duke University; W. T. King, Texas Tech; Ellis Davis, Roosevelt High--Dallas; Elmer Redd, Dunbar--Lufkin; Walter E. Day, Terrell--Fort Worth; and Calvin White, Fidelity Manor--Galena Park.

D. CHEERLEADERS AND BATON TWIRLERS

The 10th Annual Clinic for Baton Twirlers, Cheerleaders, Majorettes and sponsors will be held on July 17-22. An outstanding faculty, large student enrollment and plenty recreation are features of the six-day clinic. This program is sponsored by the Departments of Extramural Services and Physical Education.

E. SPECIAL DEMONSTRATIONS

Two special demonstrations are scheduled in July which usually claim a great deal of attention: (1) The Cosmetology Demonstration, and (2) Baton Twirlers and Cheerleaders. Both of these activities are quite interesting and entertaining.

F. A SPECIAL WORD OF THANKS

To all employees who contributed to the promotion of our regular and special activities during the month of June. Our 1966 Summer Session is moving along very nicely with good enrollment and a wide variety of offerings for all students.

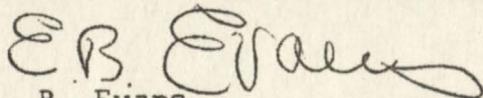
G. IN CLOSING

Two divergent views concerning the future of Negro Colleges should be of specific interest to all of us. The Office of Federal Contract Compliance (replacing The President's Committee on Equal Opportunity) says that Negro Colleges should accept their limitations -- "stop trying to train teachers and social workers and concentrate on turning out technicians."

However Earl J. McGrath, President of the Institute of Higher Education, states that because of economic, social, psychological, and geographic reasons, the predominantly Negro College will continue to be a major avenue to higher education for Negro Youth--for a considerable span of years. "A general

improvement in Negro Colleges will help eradicate the handicaps now imposed on Negroes -- and also make the institutions more attractive to white students so that the "Negro Colleges" will eventually cease to exist."

Very truly yours,



E. B. Evans
President