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## PV Students Getting Ready for Finals After Extended Vacation

After what seemed to be a very short vacation for the college, students and staff members began a new year.

Students came back preparing for final examination which is scheduled to start Monday, January 17 through 24.

Permits to pay fees are now available for former students in

the Registrar's Office (B-8) for the second semester.

The Panther staff advises each student to start burning the midnight oil. The previous statement is contradictory to the usual "If you haven't got it now, you won't get it." Prove it even more contradictory by exhibiting just the opposite.

Examination and registration schedules along with other instructions have been posted on page 6 of the Panther.



Dr. Flossie Byrd

### Dean Flossie Byrd Appointed to Home Economics Commission

Dean Flossie M. Byrd was appointed to the Home Economics Commission of the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges during the Annual Meeting in Minneapolis, November 14-17. The Commission composed of twelve home economists in administrative positions and three university presidents replaces the former Division of Home Economics. The Commission has as its responsibility the deliberation of significant problems throughout the United States. Other members of the Commission include:

Naomi Albanese-University of North Carolina; Agnes L. Art-haud-University of Nebraska; Erma Ayers-University of Delaware; Novice Fawcett-President, Ohio State University (Chairman); Bessie D. Fick-New Mexico State University; Laura Harper-Virginia Polytechnic University; Eva Goble-Purdue University; Eva Larson-South Dakota; James McCain-President University of Kansas; Francena Nolan-University of Connecticut; Robert Parks-President, Iowa State University; Catherine Personius, Cornell University; and Jane Werden-Washington State University.

### Dignitaries Accompany Guest

Mr. L. Howard Bennett, the principal speaker for the mid-year commissioning exercises to be held in the New Health and Physical Education Building on January 20, 1966, will be accompanied by General Jefferson Johnson Irvin, Chief, Manpower for the Department of Defense; Colonel Norman Duncan Aboosh, Chief Reserve Forces, Fourth United States Army and one additional officer from the ROTC Branch of the USCONARC.

The visiting party will be received by Lieutenant Colonel Arthur N. Fearing, PMS at Prairie View A&M College, Dr. E. B. Evans, President of Prairie View A&M College on his representation and Honor Guard made up of members of the ROTC Brigade. The party will be briefed by Col Fearing and Dr. Evans and will then be taken to the New Health and Physical Education Building for the commissioning exercises.

## Nine Cadets to Receive Commissions Jan. 20

On January 29, the commissioning exercises to be held in the New Health and Physical Education Building will be highlighted by a distinguished speaker, Mr. L. Howard Bennett. Mr. Bennett was born on February 22, 1913, in Charleston, South Carolina. Graduating with honors in June 1931, from the High School Department of Avery Institute at Charleston, he received a scholarship to Fisk University. While there, Bennett pursued studies which lead to his receiving an A. B. Degree in

1935 when he was graduated Cum Laude.

At the completion of his junior year in college the Julius Rosenwald Fund awarded him a fellowship for study in International Relations at the Institute for International Relations at Northwestern University. Bennett did his graduate work in Political and Social Science as a Julius Rosenwald Fellow at the University of Chicago and later earned the Doctor of Law degree from the Law School of the University of Chicago, dur-

ing which time he was again a Julius Rosenwald Fellow.

### CADETS NAMED

Samuel T. Scott, an Engineering major from San Antonio, Texas, Dwight Arvan Freeman, an Engineering major from Austin, Texas, Sammie Charles Harris, an Engineering major from Houston, Texas, Robert Earl Standifer, a Biology major from Itasca, Texas, Otha L. Poole, a Biology major from Hempstead, Texas, Ronald Howard Mitchell, a Business Administration major from Houston, Texas, Jasper Lafayette Dillard, an Industrial Education major, from McAllen, Texas, and Bry-

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## Political Science Club to Sponsor Viet Nam Forum

As a contribution to the education of the Prairie View community on one of the great current topics of debate throughout the nation, the Political Science Club will sponsor a forum on the topic, "United States Policy in Viet Nam — Pros and Cons." The forum will be held on Thursday evening, January 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Ballroom of the Memorial Center. It will feature a clash of arguments between four political science majors who support present U. S. policy in Viet Nam in great measure and four other students with serious reservations about major aspects of the policy. Speaking in support of the policy will be Lawrence Bernard, junior from Dallas, Texas; Mable Yvette Bolivar, freshman from Houston, Texas; Terrell Jefferson, sophomore from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; and Thomas Hawkins, senior from Waco, Texas. Challenging U. S. Viet Nam policy will be Mack Bradford, junior from Henderson, Texas; William Gage, senior from Beaumont, Texas; Eddie Jacobs, junior from Henderson, Texas; and Ivy Pollard, senior from Kerrville, Texas. The faculty sponsor for the forum is Mrs. Ally Faye Mack.

An extended question and answer period will be incorporated in the format of the forum, and faculty and students are invited to attend.

## American Society of Civil Engineers Holds Annual Inauguration at PV

A Prairie View A & M Student Chapter of The American Society of Civil Engineers officially came into being Thursday during Inaugural ceremonies conducted by State and National ASCE officers.

Dean C. L. Wilson presided at the historic banquet held in the ballroom and attended by visiting guests, college officials and students.

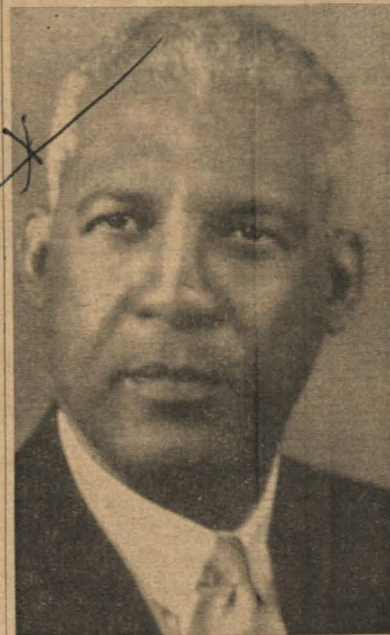
The principal address was delivered by Noble D. Jones, P. E., president of the Texas Section of the American Society of Civil Engineers. President E. B. Evans extended greetings and congratulated the Engineering School for this signal accomplishment.

The local chapter's charter was presented by Dr. James Sims, National ASCE director. Professor Sophie Thompson,

dean of the School of Engineering, Southern Methodist University, presented ASCE badges. Albert Foy, president of the Prairie View Student Chapter, accepted the charter.

James Cummins, president of The Houston Branch ASCE introduced the main speaker of the evening.

The American Society of Civil Engineers is a national professional organization founded in 1852 for the advancement of the science and profession of Engineering. There are 145 student chapters established in this country with a membership in excess of nine (9) thousand. The Prairie View Student Chapter of ASCE is the tenth chapter established in Texas Colleges and Universities, having an engineering curriculum.



Mr. L. Howard Bennett

son Duncan Brown, an Agriculture major from Giddings, Texas, have successfully completed all requirements for graduation and commissioning and will become recipients of a commission in the United States Army at the exercises to be held in the New Health and Physical Education Building on January 20, 1966.

Upon receipt of their degrees and their commissions, each cadet will have completed two important tasks — that of being able to pursue a career as an officer in the United States Army, and that of being able to follow a civilian vocation. These tasks were obtainable after the choice was made to enter into the advanced course of Military Science. The idea of being able to prepare themselves for two careers concurrently was conceived upon terminating their freshman semester.

Now with all requirements met, these men are prepared to take their places in society; some in civilian pursuits after fulfilling their military obligation, others in a military career.

For several years, Mr. Bennett served as Field Secretary for Fisk University and was later Director of Avery Institute, the senior high school and junior college from which he was graduated.

During the war, Bennett served as an associate Regional Director of Avery Institute, the senior high school and junior college from which he was graduated.

During the war, Bennett served as an associate Regional Director of the United Service Organizations (USO), supervising the work of that agency in all of the states west of the Mississippi River in the Continental United States. He was also Field Secretary for the American Council of Race Relations and first came

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grams, and other activities leading up to the observance of the Christmas and New Year holidays.

## NEWS IN BRIEF

### FACULTY HEARS MEDICARE EXPLAINED

Austin E. Busby, Jr., of the Regional Social Security Administration Office in Houston discussed the new provisions of the Social Security Law and the Medicare program at the monthly meeting of the college staff Tuesday night.

Sweeping changes were made in the Social Security Law during the last session of Congress.

### A WORD OF THANKS

To those contributed in the promotion of our many special activities during the month of December, a word of thanks is sincerely expressed. Special events during the month included International Night, Nutrition Week, Religious Emphasis Week, Public Health Christmas, Y Leadership Conference, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts Finance Campaigns and Recognition pro-

## Yearbook Staff to Begin Taking Photos for Organizations Tuesday

Campus Clubs, Organizations, Student Government Association, Photograph next week.

Photographs of all campus clubs, organizations, and the student government association will be taken next week. Students are urged to watch for the time schedule which is to be posted later. Official excuses to classes will be distributed at the photographing sessions for those who may need them.

The executive, legislative (house), and judiciary branches of the Student Government Association will also photograph.

Photographs are to be taken mainly of large groups as well as the smaller clubs and organizations. In the event of inclement weather, students are advised that the same time schedule

will apply to the next day.

Photographs are expected to be taken starting TUESDAY, JANUARY 11th at 1:00 p.m.

Campus clubs that desire to purchase an extra page in the yearbook can do so by contacting the yearbook editor or advisor in the Administration Building room B-6. The price for additional pages is \$25.00 for each additional page. Additional pages must be bought before January 20th, however. Campus clubs are requested to send a representative to the Panther office to serve as lay-out manager for the particular clubs that have individual photographs.

WATCH FOR THE YEARBOOK CLUB PHOTO SCHEDULE!!!

## Student Directory Expected to Make January Debut

The third student-faculty directory, being published under the auspices of the Press Club is expected to go on sale sometime during the month of January. The directory is in the process of being printed now, and will soon make its debut on campus.

Listings for the directory will include campus addresses, home addresses, home phone numbers, and majors for all students. For all staff members, home addresses and telephone numbers, office locations and telephone numbers will be listed.

To complete the listings, all general operations of the college as well as residence halls will be included.

Dr. C. A. Wood is faculty advisor.



PORGY AND BESS SINGERS

## Noted Singers Present Spectacular Concert Here

By Dr. Noble Armstrong

Certainly one of the highlights of the fine arts series offered on the Prairie View A & M campus for the 1965-66 season was the concert given by the famed Porgy and Bess Singers on January 6, 1966. Since these singers need little or no introduction to American or European audiences, it is fitting merely to re-echo former reviews by critics who have proclaimed and still proclaim them as unique in their musical realm, with no superiors and few if any equals.

Traditions have surrounded this immortal dramatic musical, containing perhaps more familiar songs and melodic themes than can be found in any other similar production. An unusually fine cast presented the solos, duets, trios and ensembles with admirable fidelity to the unmistakable styles of Gershwin, Hammerstein, Kern and other moderns comprising the program.

Miss Lucia Hawkins, soprano,

Mr. Lavern Hutcherson, baritone, and Mr. Avon Long, tenor, demonstrated that unique facets of artistic personalities all add coloring to individual interpretations of all worthy works. So long as one heart beats warmly in return for another's unstinted love, such songs as these will remain doubly dear and undying favorites.

Miss Hawkins repeatedly touched lyrically high notes beginning pianissimo, swelling to forte, receding again to pianissimo, all on one unbroken tone — a rare feat of perfect vocal control. Mr. Hutcherson sounded the depths of pathos, then scaled the kaleidoscopic peaks of inspiration with his golden resonance, revealing splendid, virile power. Like gnomes dancing across the stage, sparkling and penetrating humor gleamed on the transformed countenance and radiated as an aura in the silvery tones of Mr. Long's interpretations, truly of operatic proportions.

None could help but note the harmonic finesse and breadth

of sustained volume in the accompaniments of Kelley Wyatt, at the piano. Heart warming indeed it was to witness at this concert the happy reunion of old friends Dr. Wyatt and Prairie View's own versatile and highly gifted Dean Thomas, former colleagues at Xavier University years ago. This was a prototype of the entire evening's performance wherein every enraptured listener in that deeply appreciative audience greeted as long-cherished friends such perennial favorites as "I Got Plenty of Nothing," "It Ain't Necessarily So," "Half of Me," "Flower Song," "Some One to Watch over Me," Themes from "My Fair Lady," "Basket Full of Spirituals," "Freedom Song," "Embraceable You," "O! Man River," and the climactic finale "I Believe." Miss Hawkins also sang three arias from Puccini and Bizet. Both singers and audience realized full well that an unforgettable triumph had been achieved. Gratitude is due members of Club 26, who served as ushers for the occasion.

## Cadets to Get Commissions

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to Minneapolis in this capacity as a consultant to the then Mayor Hubert H. Humphrey.

As he worked in Minneapolis from 1944 to 1947, Mr. Bennett discovered that this city provided challenging opportunities for a professional career. Therefore, he began practice in Minneapolis; he was active in the Junior Bar and later became co-chairman of the Criminal Court Advisory Committee for two years. Later Bennett, having been active in the Bar Association and having served on its Law Day Committee in 1958, was appointed Chairman of the 1959 Law Day Activities for 1959 for the Hennepin County Bar Association.

In 1957, Bennett was appointed to the Bench by Governor Orville L. Freeman. It was during this period of work that Bennett, with other members of the Bench and bar, worked on the problems of lower court reorganization and prepared a memorandum on the social-legal problem of repeater drunks and alcoholics.

Other accomplishments by Mr. Bennett included holding membership on the boards of the Council House for Senior Citizens, Minnesota Mental Health Association, Minneapolis Branch of the NAACP, the United Fund of Hennepin County and recently a member of the board of the Citizens Committee on Public Education. Judge Bennett is president of the Minne-

apolis Urban League Board and for several years has been the vice-chairman of the Minnesota United Negro College Fund and Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Fisk University. He is also a member of the Minnesota State Athletic Commission.

In June 1963, Mr. Bennett was elected to the Minneapolis School Board, leading a field of eight contestants and became the first Negro in Minnesota elected to public office. In November 1963, Bennett was appointed Principal assistant to the Deputy assistant Secretary of Defense for Civil Rights, which is the position he now holds.

Microscopic plants may change the color of snow after it has fallen, reports World Book Encyclopedia. Greenland and other places in the Arctic often have red and green snow on the ground.

Untended water pipes often burst in the winter because water increases in volume as it changes to ice. The ratio is 11 cubic inches of water to 12 cubic inches of ice, according to World Book Encyclopedia.

So, like it or not, snow is going to be with us for awhile, and in quantity. People who like snow include small children, skiers, and the people who make galoshes and snow shovels.

## Minutes from 4th General Student Meet

The fourth general student meeting was formally called to order by Donald Dorsey, President of the Student Government Association. After a brief devotional period led by the chaplain, James Laymond, the minutes of the third General Student meeting were read by the recording secretary. There were no corrections on the minutes and the minutes were accepted as read.

Issues concerning Old Business were the first items to be

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## NEA Million Dollar Fund to Help College Professors, Other Teachers

The NEA Million Dollar Fund has been created to help college professors as well as elementary and secondary school teachers.

For example, although a Wisconsin professor, some time ago, obtained a limited amount of financial help with his legal expenses from NEA Defense Commission funds, the Million Dollar Fund, had it been in existence then, could have provided further aid.

The professor in this incident was sued for damages by the parents of a student who had

committed suicide. They claimed that the professor, who was in charge of college counseling, had not sufficiently helped their daughter after he became aware of her problems. NEA joined Wisconsin education associations in helping with legal fees, giving financial support of \$500 from Defense Commission funds. The Defendant was acquitted.

T. M. Stinnett, chairman of the Fund Drive Committee and assistant executive secretary for Professional Development and Welfare of the NEA, commented on the relevance of the fund to higher education:

"The Million Dollar Fund for Teacher Rights will be used to protect the human civil, and professional rights of teachers, wherever they may be, whatever their level of teaching or institutional connection. Wherever a teacher is unfairly, unjustly, or illegally mistreated, that case sets a precedent which may influence similar mistreatment of other teachers. Therefore, NEA has a moral responsibility to defend him."

The Fund was launched at NEA's convention this past summer. It will be financed by contributions from the 1.5 million members of the NEA and state affiliates. During the year-long fund drive, each member will be invited to give \$1 or more.

Individuals can contribute directly by sending their checks to the NEA. Checks, which are Tax-Deductible, should be made payable to the National Education Association. Fund for Teacher Rights.

Headquarters in the local campaign is in the office of Dr. W. T. Dever, 104 Education Building.

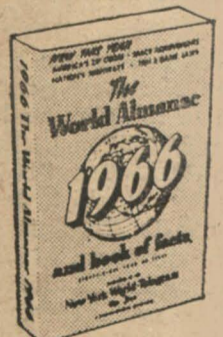
fair to be held in the field house January 6, 1966.

Another call meeting for the student body was tentatively scheduled for NEXT WEEK in anticipation of a better show of attendance.

The meeting was adjourned by the Student Government Association President.

Donald Dorsey, President - Student Government Ass'n.  
George Alexander, Vice Pres.  
Marjay Anderson, Recording Secretary

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## Blue Bell Creameries

## Kappa Omicron Phi Has Founder's Day; Honor Students Entertained

On Thursday evening, December 2, Beta Epsilon Chapter entertained students having made the Honor Roll during the Second Semester 1964-65 with an Honors Dessert. Twenty-five students were invited.

On Friday evening, December 10, approximately thirty persons witnessed the Candlelight Ceremony conducted as a phase of the Annual Founders Day Observance. Dr. Anne L. Campbell, Professor and Head of the Department of English, served as guest speaker. Congratulating

those present for their academic achievement, Dr. Campbell challenged them to prepare themselves to assume leadership roles in the mainstream of American society. She cautioned that true leaders must have a sense of direction, must know where they are going, and must be able to relate to other persons along the way. She further emphasized the merit of their having been **discriminating** at a time when many college students are caught up in the throes of open revolt; disillusionment; anxiety and general confusion.

## International Program Meant to Promote Peace and Understanding

On Thursday evening, December 9, 1965 at 7:30 p.m. in the "little dome," on the Prairie View A&M College campus, representatives from some thirty different foreign countries presented a program, "International Night at Prairie View," under the theme: "PEACE THROUGH INTER-CULTURAL UNDERSTANDING," sponsored by the Department of Economics, Geography and Social Science, Dr. J. L. Brown, Chairman.

This was the fifth annual "International Night," held at Prairie View under the direction of Mr. Charles E. Tatum, Professor of Geography, who has lived and worked in Japan and Korea for more than five years, and who has traveled widely throughout the continents of Asia, Europe, Africa, South America and North America. The purpose of "International Night," is to bring together as many people as possible from all parts of this planet to share cultures, gain inspiration and hope for a better world, acquire information and experiences that that will enable us to live as brothers of one blood and as members of one race, and that is the human race which some omnipotent one has created to live on this planet. This program was dedicated to Dr. E. B. Evans, President of this institution, and to Mr. Lyndon Baines Johnson, President of the United States of America. Dr. Evans is to retire this year and has always strongly given support to programs of this nature regarding the peace of the world. President Johnson has also been our nation's great leader in trying to promote peace for this trou-

bled world.

This program opened with music furnished by the college band under the very able direction of Professor Joseph A. Daniels. Mr. Scott Thomas, a student in the School of Agriculture, presented an opening statement that really electrified the huge audience stressing the need for peace in these times. After the opening statement the band gave the trumpet call for peace. At the call, the torch bearer and his accompanist lead the professional of nations, carrying a live torch representing or serving as a symbol of peace. The prayer for peace was rendered by Rev. W. Van Johnson after which Miss Archie M. Williams, student in School of Arts and Sciences, most ably presented a welcome to the many guests both foreign and domestic. Dr. E. B. Evans, President of the college followed with an official welcome and also called to the audience's attention the fact that he was proclaiming officially the second Thursday in December of each year as International Day at Prairie View. Representatives from the thirty different nations were presented by Mr. Clarence Batie, Professor of Economics at the college. The representatives from the different countries are students enrolled at Texas A&M University, and were accompanied by Mr. Robert L. Melcher, Foreign Student Advisor, Mrs. Don R. Drew, President of the Latin American Wives Club at Texas A&M University, Mr. Don Dietz, Chairman, "People-to-People Organization at Texas A&M University and Mr. Allan Madeley, Director

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## BUT NOT FREDDIE —

## Most Students Concerned About Job

As graduation approaches, most students are quite concerned about prospects for a job. Freddie L. Thompson is no exception. He expects to receive a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering in January, 1966. However, Mr. Thompson's experiences in job hunting have been exciting. He has received all-expense trips to Bishop and Houston in Texas and Detroit, Michigan.

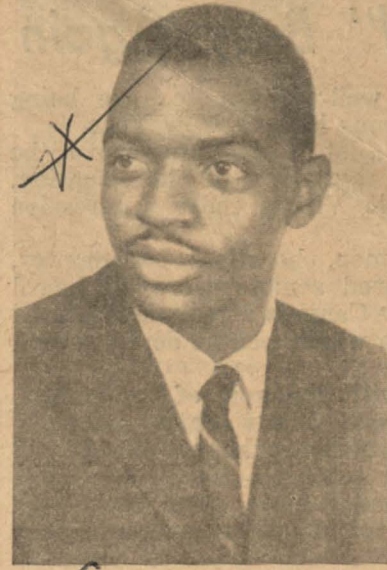
Of course Thompson earned these opportunities. He has maintained a grade point average which is better than 3.0. In February, 1965 he received the Outstanding Student Award in Engineering from the San Jacinto Chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers. Competition for this award came from students at the University of Houston and Rice University in addition to students from Prairie View.

It is interesting to note Freddie's reasons for selecting mechanical engineering as his major. Seems that he turned down scholarships in music and athletics. His decision to enter college was made while as a high school student as he was stacking watermelons in railroad box-cars. Engineering seemed to offer more opportunity than other areas under consideration. Mr. Thompson appears to have drifted into mechanical engineering because in high school he "showed little aptitude in electrical areas, couldn't draw well enough to enter the architectural field, and disliked walking too much to become a civil engineer."

On November 22, 1965 Mr. Thompson received a plane-trip to visit the Celanese Chemical Company in Bishop, Texas. He was met at the plane by the only Negro employee of the firm, Mr. Edward Sample, who is a Prairie View graduate in Mechanical Engineering (August 1965). Mr. Thompson had to take two examinations while he was there.

On December 6, 1965 he was off by plane again to visit the Chrysler Corporation in Detroit, Michigan. The examinations there took two hours and the interviews were extensive. He was told that since he had a good grade point average, he would become the first Negro to attend Chrysler Institute if he accepted a position with Chrysler.

Freddie visited Celanese Plastics in Houston on December 8, 1965 and December 13, 1965 he



Freddie Thompson

will be off for Anderson, Indiana to visit Delco Remy, Division of General Motors. Mr. Thompson worked there during the summer of 1965 as a student engineer. During his stay there the company will provide him with a personal car.

Thus, it appears that job hunting can be fun, especially if sincere efforts have been made to earn the best possible grades.

In addition to these job offers, he has been offered a half-time research assistantship in mechanical engineering at the University of Missouri. This offer would pay \$1300 per semester and begin immediately after graduation.

## Roving Reporter

by: Roscoe Harrison

On Thursday, January 6th Dr. William Ferguson, head of the Business Education Department and Mr. Albert W. Randall, Mathematics instructor took four P. V. students to Hempstead to pay their poll tax.

The four students were: Albert Jacquet, Evelyn Mitchell, Claudine Johnson and Phillip Harden. Phillip Harden was the only one of the students permitted to pay his poll tax. The other three students were told that they were not residents of Waller County, therefore they were not permitted to pay their poll tax.

These three students who were not permitted to pay their poll tax are residents of Waller County. The law states that a person must be a resident of that county for at least six months. These students have lived here well over that period.

The students went into the poll tax office and went to the respective tax windows to pay their taxes, however when they were found out to be students they were refused their voting rights.

Incidentally it has been found out that Prairie View is the only college where the students are prohibited from exercising their voting power.

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## PROCLAMATION

In recognition of the need for a renaissance in international understanding and an appreciation for human understanding, Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College hereby proclaims the second Thursday in each December as

### International Day

at

Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College  
Said International Day will be sponsored by the Department of Economics, Geography and Social Science.

Signed and sealed this 9th day of December in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and sixty-five.

E. B. EVANS  
President of the College  
O. W. BROWN  
Chairman, Department of Economics, Geography and Social Science  
CHARLES E. TATUM  
Director of International Day Activities

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# EDITORIALS

## Hallowed "hill" Busy Again

Resolutions, predictions, well-wishes, etc., are being given for this, a most prosperous looking New Year.

Judging by the fact that a lot of students seem to be determined to stand together regardless of the situation, it would mean one of Prairie View's most progressive years.

However, hopeless freshmen, heartless sophomores, hopeful juniors and self-assured seniors were all heard once again on the Prairie View Campus after what seemed to be a fine Christmas vacation which was no doubt needed by everyone.

The seniors came back with the goal of graduation, which is less than 20 weeks away. Many seniors are right in the middle of working with their thesis. Many will leave soon to do their student teaching.

Freshmen, sophomores, and juniors came back with a sigh, a groan and perhaps a lot of determination to pass the semester exams.

The Christmas vacation has given our teachers a much needed breather, and the New Year and its resolutions have given some of them hope that their students will pass after all.

Judging by the work being piled on us, some PVC students think the instructors made a resolution that none of their students would pass.

But all in all, 1966 has the beginning that could make it a mighty fine year. It isn't too late for making some resolutions that would make this year the very best ever.

## The Party is Over

by Lonnie Hunt, Jr.

At one time or another all of us have dreamed. We don't have to be taught to dream, because we do it naturally. As children, we dream of growing up. As adults we dream of reaching our goals successfully. Because of his complex brain, man has been able to better his status. We enjoy many luxuries never even thought or heard of by our forefathers. We have automobiles because of Ford's dream, light to see by because of Edison and because of Baird, Jenkins and Nipkow's dream, we see television for entertainment and educational purposes.

Our youngest generation talks of living completely in the space age. Of course, this can only be accomplished if our society can produce men who can dream. These men should not be able to just dream, but should also be able to accomplish something worthwhile.

A few weeks ago, in December, 1965, when the rendezvous in orbit of the United States' Gemini 6 and 7 took place, all kinds of achievements were made. The mission reaped the richest harvest in the history of manned flight. The achievements were: (1) History's first rendezvous, (2) The longest manned flight by far — 330 hours, 35 minutes, and (3) The first formation flight in space. The four astronauts, Schirra, Stafford, Borman, and Lovell, were perhaps the most feted American heroes since Charles Lindberg crossed the Atlantic in solo flight over 35 years ago. Each astronaut's dream, of course, is to reach the moon.

Dreams do not always benefit man in every instance. In literature, an outstanding character filled with destructive ambition was Macbeth. Other men like Hitler and Musolini have brought tragedy to themselves and to others because of their ambitions.

It is worthwhile to remember that life without ambition remains boring and average. In this instance, there is no goal to reach, no inspiration and not even a purpose.

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## What Did You Resolve?

by Odie B. Woods

Ah! That gracious new year did finally come — a time to which we were looking forward, and now that it's here, I'm sure we have made various predictions and resolutions concerning our academic and social standings especially.

How did New Year's Resolutions ever come about? Romans exchanged presents on New Year's Day. The Roman senators received flowers and fruits and sometimes beautiful materials from persons who wanted favors. Roman merchants carried this custom of giving gifts as far east as Persia. (now Iran) There the ancient Iranians, of Persians, followed the custom of giving eggs to their friends. Since an egg hatches into life, this custom meant much the same thing as "turning over a new leaf".

The early English took over

## What Does the New Year Mean?

Have you asked yourself this question? If so, what does the new year mean to you? Are you really satisfied with yourself, or are you fed-up with being the same ole' discontented person? Have you been unfriendly to your peers? Or have you been what I might call a self-centered person? Why not make a change in '66?

I am sure that we could find many more questions to ask ourselves, but many of us are afraid to find out the truth.

To me, the new year means a new start, a beginning of a year that has never been. The new year to me means a chance to change those antiquated philosophies that I have had for sometimes.

According to Norman Vincent Peale, "Thinking is the Key to Success." I had a very heavy class load in '65, therefore I was unable to think my best. Since I have a chance to make a new start in '66, I know now that things must change and grades must come up and pleasure must go down!

There are many more things of value that can be accomplished during the new year. Why don't you check your list and see what you can do? I've checked mine.

Darnell E. Moore

many of the Romans New Year customs. Later, English people followed the custom of cleaning the chimneys on New Year's Day. This was to bring good luck to the household during the coming year. Today, we say "cleaning the slate," instead of "cleaning the chimney". This means making resolutions to correct faults and bad habits, and resolving to make the new year better.

Let's take a peek at some of what we, the PV students resolved.

NOLAN WARD — To graduate before I make another New Year's Resolution.

ANTHONY HOLLIDAY — I will continue to put business before pleasure because of the fact that I'm trying to get out of this place next semester!!!

ANNA PHILLIPS — Strive to succeed in my many endeavors.

MAE K. GIPSON — Think twice before I speak.

MARY HUNTER — Never to break another New Year's Resolution as I have done in the past.

JOANNE WILLIAMS — Act a champ; be a champ!

VEIMA ERVIN — Never to make another New Year's Resolution!

KENNY ARNOLD — Not to tell lies for the next three years.

PHILLIP COURSEY — I will strive more diligently to meet more girls next semester.

CALVIN COLEMAN — I will put forth a greater effort

## Mess Hall Really Serving "Mess"

Many students are asking exactly WHAT is happening to our student dining hall??? The food there is becoming unbearable. The lunches are a joke, and the dinners wouldn't even rate a loub "boo"! Breakfast is about your best bet. When you look at your plate, the food seems to say, "I was prepared in a haphazard hurry." In some cases by the time you finish trying to cut your meat, you end up with a bad case of fatigue, and then you are too tired to eat. No wonder the larger part of our student-body has become roomers. Paying our parents hard-earned \$41.72 monthly on meals when they get worse by the day is no fun. I'm sure many of us cannot recall when the food in the dining hall has ever been so unappetizing. Every meal in the dining hall is becoming a great let-down. Believe me, I am speaking from experience.

I hope the dining hall or whoever is behind it, gets wise and furnishes us with better meals. After all, we have a full curriculum here at Prairie View, and we could certainly use a few GOOD meals.

than I did in previous years. WILLIAM STICKNEY — To study harder and if possible, to stay out of devilment.

CLARISSA GAMBLE — To improve my study habits, personality, and to write my parents more.

## The Vietnicks Revolution: Facts or Myth??

by Lora N. Beasley

The current trend these days is to rebel. It really doesn't make any difference against what or who. The main idea is to seize some cause either relevant or irrelevant and make a big deal over it. But, of course, you must be in the "in-crowd" by wearing dirty sneakers, oversized filthy sweat shirts and dirty, dirty, dungarees; yes, girls too.

There is a time and a place for everything. Unfortunately there are those who take the most serious and crucial moments to exhibit unbelievable gall and malcontent. At a time

when we are having so much trouble abroad, can we truly afford the troublesome few who give us a pain in the neck and riddle our strong cohesive unity to threads. Time will one day tell the true story of how our fractured opinions affected the picture of unity that most foreigners believe exist in the United States.

If personally thinking about rebelling, pick a worthwhile project, dress with taste, refrain from profanity and violence and for heaven sakes don't pick on my government and its policies. The Communists are doing all right without your assistance.

## Sizing Up '65

### What's ahead...

Who's to succeed Dr. E. B. Evans? It's a question that will roll more and more off the tongue in the New Year.

The Prairie View Panther had gathered many headlines throughout the year 1965.

The Panther is sizing up 1965 by listing in order the most eventful things that took place at PV in 1965. Listed as number 1: **President Evans Announces Retirement for August.** Dr. Edward B. Evans, 71, president of Prairie View A&M College since 1946, has announced his retirement to the Texas A&M University Board of Directors.

Editorial: Our leader for so many years is about to step down. While our first natural reaction is — "Who will take his place," we quickly realize that we are about to lose a very wonderful personality and then we know why the feeling is so empty.

## PV Platters

Ring out the old year and ringing in the New Year. We will long remember those "oldies but goodies" as we set our ears to the tunes of the very latest disc on campus and elsewhere. First let us reminisce a bit with a few of those "oldies but goodies" that sometimes brought laughter, tears, and heartaches and many other memories that will linger with us till the end of time. Remember:

1. Take What I Have - Nancy Wilson
2. Rainbow '65 - Gene Chandler
3. Shotgun - Jr. Walker and The All Stars
4. Yes I'm Ready - Barbara Mason
5. Ain't That Peculiar - Marvin Gaye
6. Cleo's Back - Jr. Walker and The All Stars
7. Papa's Got A Brand New Bag - James Brown
8. I'm Not Tired - Wilson Pickett
9. Tracks of My Tears - The Miracles
10. Rescue Me - Fontella Bass
11. Virginia Woolf - Jimmy Smith
12. Unchained Melody - Righteous Brothers
13. Midnight Hours - Wilson Pickett
14. It's Not Unusual - Tom Jones
15. Orgon Grinder's Swing - Jimmy Smith
16. In Crowd - Dobie Gray
17. My Girl - Temptations
18. No Satisfaction - The Rolling Stones
19. I Can't Help Myself - The 4 Tops
20. Come See About Me & Stop In The Name of Love - The Supremes
21. It's Growing - Temptations

Now here are the tunes that will become favorites for 1966.

1. Cleo's Mood - Jr. Walker and The All Stars
2. Too Far Gone To Turn Around - Bobby Bland
3. Good Night My Love - Ben E. King
4. Love Makes Me Do Foolish Things - Martha and The Vandellas
5. Uptight Out of Sight - Stevie Wonder
6. Going To A Go-Go - The Miracles
7. Recovery - Fontella Bass
8. Are You There? - Dionne

No. 2: **Change of Name for PV Proposed.** The Board of Directors of the Texas A&M University System contemplated the changing of PV's name to Texas A&M University at Prairie View or Texas State University at Prairie View. The change was to have come in September, 1965.

No. 3: **Twin Dormitories Under Construction.** Twin co-ed dormitories for men and women were constructed in 1965, and were ready for occupancy in September of 1965. The four-story, air-conditioned, modern dormitories will house 450 men and women.

No. 4: **Preparations for the 1965 Yearbook are Being Made.** The first year-book since 1961 was released in April, 1965. Lonnie D. Hunt was Editor-in-Chief of the 1965 Pantherland.

No. 5: **Miss Prairie View Contest in Full Swing.** Candidates for Miss Prairie View 1965-1966 were Misses Isabella Hicks, Waco, Texas; Gustie Rice, Houston, Texas; and Tobartha McDowell, Lincoln, Texas. Miss McDowell was presented with the coveted title.

No. 6: **Dorsey Elected Student-Council Prexy.** Donald Edward Dorsey, Waco, Texas, was elected Student-Council president for 1965-1966.

No. 7: **Student Exchange Improves Services.** Under the new management of Mr. D. Sowell, the campus Exchange store was remodeled to improve its' services. Everyone has especially commended the Book Lines.

No. 8: **Cheryl McIntyre: Prairie View's entrant for the Miss Texas Co-ed Contest.** Miss Cheryl Kay McIntyre competing against a host of other co-eds from various Texas colleges, holds first place in the Miss Texas Co-ed Contest with Sam Houston College Co-ed Lynda Holbrook.

No. 9: **Additional Federal Loans, Grants Ready for Students.** Beginning this month, Prairie View students may secure additional federal grants and loans to help pay school expenses. This program was made possible through the Higher Education Act of 1965.

No. 10: **Dr. Nicholas receives Stanford Doctorate.** Dr. Charles Nicholas received his Doctorate in the field of Science. Dr. Nicholas is the first of his race to receive a degree from Stanford University.

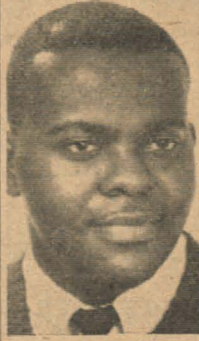
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9. You been Cheatin' - The Impressions
10. I Only see Good In You - The Supremes
11. My Baby - The Temptations
12. If You Want to Make A Fool of Someone - Maxine Brown
13. Rainbow '65 - Gene Chandler
14. Don't Look Back - The Temptations
15. Hole In The Wall - The

### THE EDITOR SPEAKS —

# What's With the Apathy?

Have you ever tried to purchase books at the beginning of each semester at PV? Well, it's awful, isn't it. The line is posterously long. Or have you



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wanted to pick up your student check. That line was a "DIL-LY".

Do you remember — those of you who attended — that just this past week apathy broke loose in the old gym? There were approximately 50 out of our more than 3,000 students who attended the monthly student meeting. No, there wasn't even a line, let alone a crowd.

Onions should certainly go to the approximately 400 students who didn't remain after prayer meeting, especially when it was announced that the meeting was to take place. A few of the students thought it was a most inopportune time for the meeting. But all times are inopportune because everyone can never be satisfied.

Some of the students said that the Student Government Association did not put the word out in time. If this is the case, it certainly should not happen again.

For your benefit, the Student Council had a few points and observations to be made. The points made were to help everyone and ultimately they would make a better Prairie View.

Previously while student body meetings have been held, a bit of foolishness on the part of some students have made the meetings entirely too long. The only way this can be stopped is by you telling your friend (the student next to you) to let the meeting go on.

At the student body meeting which was held this week, for the benefit of those more than 3,000 "APATHETICS" who did not attend, the SGA president

roughly carried out the meeting as always. However, under the heading of old and new business, there were certain things which concerns each and every student here.

First of all a few weeks ago, many students were all up in the "air" talking about Greek letter organizations on our campus. This is not the first time PV has put on the Greek movement, and probably not the last. Certainly Greek letter organizations could be useful to our campus. But why can't we as students push the issue that we need a classroom building or other issues like pavements for some of our "muddy" parking lots. Why don't we petition the "board" for some of these things? We need a classroom building for worse than we need Greeks.

Secondly, our SGA seemingly is in need of a finance referendum. The Student Government should be the largest functioning organizational set-up on campus. With the increase in power structure this year, the government is widely distributed and is composed of more students than ever. All of these stu-

dent's ideas shouldn't go to waste.

Perhaps one of the first functions attempted by the Council this year was sponsoring the Miss PV Float. They sponsored it literally, "moneyless". The SGA's purpose for the referendum is to bring cultural, social and academic forums, and even additional affairs to the campus. An additional sum of \$1.50 would be added to the fees if students approved.

Third, our PANTHER basketball team is in dire need of support at every game. At our last game, the big field house was really skimpy. It would be a good idea if all clubs and organizations would yell for the "team" rather than against each other.

Fourth, the SGA prexy mentioned campus discipline and conduct. This is very important. During one of our basketball games, a student of Huston Tilton was harassed. The SGA has sent letters of apology to the student and also the college. So govern yourselves accordingly.

Is it still too crowded to get into the gym?

## U. S. Policy in Southeast Asia Forever Controversial Topic

by Velma Burrs

The greatest controversial topic in the United States today is perhaps the United States' position in Viet Nam. This topic, it seems, has become very important to college students and other young men and women, therefore many have attempted to help the cause.

It is true that the younger generation is being affected by the conflict; more and more young men are being drafted daily. Many of them have attempted to help the situation by burning draft cards and demonstrating, but is this really helping or actually hindering the situation? Do they really understand the cause of the conflict, and most of all do they understand how their so-called help has affected the American Soldier in Viet Nam? Here is the opinion given by one American Soldier, concerning the situation,

when asked how he and the majority of the soldiers felt about being in Viet Nam.

"I would say that 98% are here and don't mind it or accept it as their patriotic duty. They would probably rather be back in the United States; but for the most part they see the importance of our being here — to deter the spread of Communism.

We are here at the invitation of the Vietnamese Government to help them first of all rid South Viet Nam of the Communist inspired Viet Cong, and then, to pacify the people in the countryside so they will not give aid to the Viet Cong, but support the government.

When we hear of the marches against our being in Viet Nam, put on by fellow Americans safe and secure, it is very disturbing to us here. They have forgotten

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### Packers

\*Note! These tunes are not an order of a top 15.

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## A Look at Other Campuses

MEMPHIS STATE, Memphis, Tennessee — Remember Telephone Booth Stuffing, and Gold Fish eating, well now the latest craze on Memphis States' campus is "Car Cramming". The purpose was to raise funds. 19 campus organizations participated in the contest, and was won by Alpha Epsilon Pi for stuffing 31 men into a '58 Ford.

TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY, Houston, Texas — The African Studies Program at Texas Southern University will be incorporating into its' program the Arabic Language for the 1966 spring semester.

HOWARD COUNTY JR. COLLEGE — A recent poll was taken among their students by the Dining Hall for the purpose of finding out their likes and dislikes of the present menu service. Results of this survey are going to be used to increase the frequency of liked items on the

menu and reduce the frequency of disliked items. Lucky people!

VIRGINIA UNION UNIVERSITY — The Panthers on Virginia Union University's campus have something new in the way of sports. A Karate Club.

LINCOLN UNIVERSITY, Jefferson City, Missouri — The Newman Club at Lincoln University orientated a new program during Christmas — "Operation Christmas Gift List" for our soldiers in Viet Nam. They sent cookies, candy, and other gifts to the soldiers.

The majority of college campuses seem to be quite concerned with the Viet Nam problem. They are presenting authoritative speakers, symposiums, etc., on the subject. Guest speakers on the problem seems to comprise the largest part. Why can't we do it? We are interested too. Aren't we?

### Take a Peek —

## The Availables for '66

After talking with many of the inhabitants of Pantherland we found that several people were married, and too many people became engaged during the holidays. However many people are still available. So, the Panther Staff has compiled a list of "availables" for 1966. Now take a peek, you may be interested.

#### DOLLS

1. E. S. - Jr., New Dorm for Women - Rm. 401
2. R. N. J. - Evans Hall, Sophomore, Rm. 103
3. D. M. S. - Sr., New Dorm for Women, Rm. 103
4. C. J. L. - Fresh., New Dorm for Women - 130

5. A. B. - Fresh., Anderson Hall - 202
6. W. S. - Jr., Suarez Annex-122
7. K. D. - Jr., Suarez Annex-122
8. E. J. - Jr., New Dorm for Women - 400
9. J. D. - Sophomore, Evans Hall - 144
10. P. B. - Jr., New Dorm for Women - 400
11. P. D. - Fresh., New Dorm for Women - 404
12. S. M. R., Fresh., New Dorm for Women - 310
13. B. J. R. - Sr., Suarez Hall-317
14. W. B. M. - Sr., New Dorm for Women - 305

## Students to Retake Photos

INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS FOR THE YEARBOOK MONDAY FROM 3-5:00 p.m. in the COLLEGE INFORMATION OFFICE ROOM B-4 OF THE ADMINISTRATION BOLD.

#### WOMEN

- ADAMS, VERA (SR.)
- COZART, HARRIETTE (SR.)
- DIXON, LA VERN (SR.)
- GRANT, LEUNIA (SR.)
- LEWIS, JACQUELINE (FRESH.)
- MORRIS, RUBY (SR.)
- PARKER, CONSTANCE (SOPH.)
- ROBERSON, RUBY (JR.)
- RUNDY, ERMA (JR.)
- TATUM, BARBARA (SR.)
- TAYLOR, LOIS M. (SR.)
- WILLIAMS, JACQUELINE (SR.)
- SAPP, BENNIE R.
- SHEPHERD, ARINE (SOPH.)

#### MEN

- ACKERMAN, BENNIE (SOPH.)
- HARVEY, CLINNON (SR.)
- HOLLIDAY, ANTHONY (JR.)
- HOUSE MILLAGE (SR.)
- JACQUES, WILLIAM (JR.)
- MCSHAN, GEORGE (FRESH.)
- RADFORD, HORACE (FRESH.)
- SHERMAN, THOMAS (SOPH.)

#### GUYS

1. C. P. - Fresh., Alexander - 374
2. D. D. - Day Student - Sr.
3. K. M. - Soph., New Dorm for Men
4. H. H. - Jr., Alexander
5. W. M. - Soph., New Dorm for Men
6. V. W. - Soph., New Dorm for Men
7. S. W. J. - Soph., Alexander
8. R. H. G. - Sr., Lky., - 101
9. S. B. - Jr., New Dorm for Men - 214
10. C. H. O. - Sr., Day Student
11. T. W. - Soph., New Dorm



## FASHIONS

with MOLLIE

On almost all college and university campuses today, the co-eds are carrying shoulder bags, which are in the best fashion magazines. These bags really are "in"!

Here at Prairie View it seems to be traditional that young ladies do not carry purses to class. Since the shoulder bag is

- for Men - 314.
- 12. R. N. - Sr., Alexander - 333S
  - 13. E. K. - Sr., New Dorm for Men - 210
  - 14. R. H. - Jr., New Dorm Men - 120
  - 15. E. W. - Adv. Soph., New Dorm for Men - 337
  - 16. T. S. - Adv. Soph., New Dorm for Men - 337
  - 17. C. W. - Adv. Soph., New Dorm for Men - 108
  - 18. L. D. H. - Sr., New Dorm for Men - 320 (?)

Actually gang what prompted us to do this along with our survey, was this letter:

Dear Panther Staff, I have been on PV's campus for several semesters and I still have not found my true love. I am a girl of average complexion, 5'9", light brown hair, and a charming smile. Of course I do not like to smile much since I had 4 front teeth knocked out of my mouth. I also have a small skin problem. But the doctor has assured me that hydro-chloric acid will do the trick. Oh yes, I weigh 100 pounds which is certainly an asset to my figure.

I like guys that like to spend Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays reading books on Chemical Experiments in Outer Space. Someday I plan to visit Outer Space. I do not like movies, dancing, rock n' roll, or parties. I would like to hear some replies very soon. I can't understand why I have never had any girlfriends.

Sincerely yours,  
(I would rather remain anonymous)

so popular and so many ladies have them, the question is, "to carry them or not to carry them." The young ladies are afraid of what the fellows might say. Because no one likes to be embarrassed or "called-out", everyone seems to be waiting for the next person to make the first move. They all say, "If you will, I will". Let's see how some of the co-eds feel about carrying the shoulder bag.

Pauline Smith, a junior sociology major from Houston, Texas, says that she thinks it is a wonderful idea, that it is something new and that she would love to carry one to class.

Yvonne Livingston, a junior elementary education major, says that she would suggest that we carry shoulder bags because they look so collegiate, and because they are the latest style.

Faye Rogers, a freshman business major from Dickinson, says that the shoulder bag is one of the newest fads and if you want to be in the swing of things, I suggest that we start carrying them.

Frances Rasberry, a sophomore special education major from Houston, Texas, says "I have always adored shoulder bags and I am very glad that they are back in style. I really hope they catch on, and purses will begin to appear on our campus."

Since it is commonly known that young ladies dress to look nice for the members of the opposite sex, in our next issue I would like to know how you, the men of Prairie View, feel about the ladies carrying shoulder bags on campus.

Mollie Johnson

## International Night

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of Housing, Texas A&M University. Other guests and participants were Mr. Samuel Socher, Consul of Israel, Consulate of Israel-Houston, Texas who accompanied Mr. Moshe Zilka from Tel viv, Israel and others from Israel. Mr. Moshe Zilka, who will be returning to Israel very soon has participated on our programs for a number of years and we will sincerely miss him and his cooperation. Mr. Socher, Consul of Israel participated for his first time as he is somewhat new to Houston and we are grateful for his coming and participating in same.

Ten representatives from the Agency for International Development, with Mr. L. W. Engram, as Technical leader, participated in our program in a very worthy manner. These representatives were from Nigeria and Cameroon.

Students from Liberia, Togo, Nigeria and Honduras studying at Prairie View also made significant contributions along with the faculty from India, the Republic of China, Cuba, Ghana, Pakistan, Israel and Liberia who are teaching at Prairie View. Foreign students from Texas Southern University and the University of Houston also participated. Mr. David B. Esterson, British Vice-Consul of Houston, Mr. Yoshio Mita, Mitsubishi International Corporation, Houston, Texas and many others both on and off the campus help to

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## Final Examination Schedule

### MONDAY, JANUARY 17

- Nat. Sci. 113, 123 — 8:00-10:00 — Field House
- Chemistry 114 — Classes — 8:00-10:00 — As Announced by Instructor
- Music 253 Classes — 8:00-10:00 — Music Aud.
- 8:00 TTHS Classes — 10:00-12:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 9:00 TTHS Classes — 3:00-5:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 8:00 MWF Classes — 1:00-3:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All Pol. Sci. 113 Classes — 6:00-8:00 p.m. — Field House

### TUESDAY, JANUARY 18

- Eng. 113, 123 Classes — 8:00-10:00 — As Announced by Inst.
- 9:00 MWF Classes — 10:00-12:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 11:00 MWF Classes — 1:00-3:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 2:00 MWF Classes — 3:00-5:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All Pol. Sci. 123 Classes — 6:00-8:00 p.m. — Field House

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19

- All Soc. Sci. 113 Classes — 8:00-10:00 — As Announced by Instructor
- 10:00 MWF Classes — 10:00-12:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 11:00 TTHS Classes — 1:00-3:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All I. E. 111 Classes — 3:00-5:00 — A. I. Aud.
- All Geog. 163 Classes — 3:00-5:00 — Field House
- All G. E. III & Ag. Ed. 111 — 3:00-5:00 — Reg. Classroom

### THURSDAY, JANUARY 20

- 10:00 TTHS Classes — 8:00-10:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 1:00 MWF Classes — 10:00-12:00 — Reg. Classroom
- 3:00 MWF Classes — 1:00-3:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All 12:00 Classes — 3:00-5:00 — Reg. Classroom

### FRIDAY, JANUARY 21

- 1:00 TTH Classes — 8:00-10:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All 3:00 TTH Classes — 10:00-12:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All 4:00 Classes — 1:00-3:00 — Reg. Classroom
- All 2:00 TTH Classes — 3:00-5:00 — Reg. Classroom

### SATURDAY, JANUARY 22

#### For Saturday Graduate Classes Only

- 8:00 Classes — 8:00-10:30 — As Announced by Inst.
- 11:00 Classes — 11:00-1:00 — As Announced by Inst.

ALL PHYSICAL EDUCATION PRACTICE EXAMINATIONS are scheduled Thursday evening from 6:00-8:00 a.m. January 20, as announced by instructors. All Military Science examinations are scheduled Wednesday, January 12, 1966 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. as announced by the Department.

NOTE: All examinations are to be given at the time scheduled. In case of conflicts in the schedule, please notify the Registrar.

## Registration Steps Second Semester 1966

### REGISTRATION STEPS FOR ALL STUDENTS

See your Advisor in accordance with the schedule posted on all bulletin boards and in your instructions below.

Report to the Field House in accordance with the posted alphabetic schedule (below) with all your registration materials fully executed and approved by your adviser. Be prepared to pay your laboratory fees. (New students are required to have Health Cards received in exchange for Physical Examination form from Hospital.)

Follow your schedule in accordance with the Alphabetical time schedule below (alphabetical reference is to first two letters in your last name):

#### ADVISER SCHEDULE

Time	Monday Jan. 24	Tuesday Jan. 25	Wednesday Jan. 26	Thursday Jan. 27	Friday Jan. 28
8:30- 9:20	Pr-Rz	Mo-Pq	Gm-Ha	El-Gl	All who missed
9:20-10:10	Wi-Zz	Hb-Iz	Cs-Ek	Schedule subject to late fee	
10:10-11:00	Ti-Wh	Ma-Mn	Ca-Cr		
11:00-11:50	Sn-Th	Ka-Lz	Bf-Bz		
1:30- 2:20	Sa-Sm	Ja-Jz	Aa-Be		
2:20- 3:10	All Sm-Zz	All Hb-Rz	All Aa-Ha		
3:10- 4:00	Who missed Schedule	Who missed Schedule	Who missed Schedule		

#### REPORT TO FIELD HOUSE FOR LAB. FEE ASSESSMENT

Time	Tuesday Jan. 25	Wednesday Jan. 26	Thursday Jan. 27	Friday Jan. 28
8:30- 9:20	Wi-Zz	Ma-Mn	Cs-Ek	Classes Begin
9:20-10:10	Ti-Wh	Ka-Lz	Ca-Cr	Late Registration
10:10-11:00	Sn-Th	Ja-Jz	Bf-Bz	Registration Starts in Registrar's Office for all
11:00-11:50	Sa-Sm	Hb-Iz	Aa-Be	Who Missed
1:30- 2:20	Pr-Rz	Gm-Ha	All Aa-Ek	Who Missed
2:20- 3:10	Mo-Pq	El-Gl	Who missed	Who Missed
3:10- 4:00	All Pq-Zz	All El-Mn	Schedule	Schedule
	Who missed Schedule	Who missed Schedule		

# CLUB CHATTER

## Kappa News

Now that the Yule Tide Season is over and everyone has had a Merry Christmas and has planned for a prosperous New Year, I am sure we are all ready for **Work**.

For the 1966 season, we, the members of Kappa Omega Beta Social Club have planned many worthwhile activities. Among these activities are: (1) The Annual Styleshow (2) The Annual Banquet and The Annual KOB Ball.

We are asking that you keep your eyes peeled for further announcements concerning the date of the styleshow. The styleshow will be opened to all students and some of the most beautiful fashions of the year will be styled. So don't miss it!

Now that I've mentioned some of our activities, let's see what you've planned for the remainder of this school year. If you can answer yes to these questions, then I know that you will be happy in...When? - MAY!

1. Do you plan to study more?
2. Do you plan to make good grades?
3. Do you plan to be loyal to our school?
4. Do you plan to make the Honor Roll?

The Kappas wish you a most successful New Year.

For Now...And until Later...Watch for me...

Patricia Avington, KOB  
(Kappa Reporter)

## BOI Report

We are now embarking upon the threshold of a brand new year — a year in which all of us will have our own individual shortcomings or ups and downs in life itself. We are like the little ship that navigates under the guidance of a star. On the one hand, the road on which we are bound to travel may be an inevitable one for most of us; on the other hand, it may be that the path we are to follow is totally alterable. Be that as it may. It is solely upon us responsibility and initiative fall. We have no choice but to face facts as they are.

Our ultimate objective would be to analyze ourselves by retrogressing into the past at the present with an alert, sober mind and trying to prepare ourselves in light of that which is yet to come. We may praise or blame according as we find qualities related to us by the best or worst in ourselves; but it is only in virtue of some thorough relationship with ourselves that we can best be our own judges, even to condemn. Feelings which we share and understand enter for us into the tissue of our own character; those to which we are strangers in our own experience we are inclined to regard as blots, exceptions, and inconsistencies. We conceive them with strong aversion, explain them with difficulty, and raise our hands to heaven in wonder when we find them in conjunction with talents that we respect or virtues that we admire. So, let us postpone doomsday and brighten the future by bringing out and perfecting within ourselves some of those little, rare ingredients that go to make up the determining qualities of a true mind, heart, and spirit. It is only then that we can truly say that we are

made ready for the great expectations of joy and happiness throughout this year.

—Floyd Guidry  
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## Dallas PV Club

The Dallas PV Club clinched the intramural football championship by beating the Aggies 44-0. The team is coached by Roland "Rip" George. The team has won eight straight games and has one more game to play. This game will be played Saturday. The Dallas PV opponent will be the Allstars. Some of the fellows on the defenses team are: Sands, Freddie; Emmett, Bonner; Maneater, Chaney; L. C. Crockett; Hawkins, Bostic, and Townsend. These fellows have held their opponents to 12 points.

The offensive starters are: Quarterback, Lewis Crockett, leading receiver Charles Harris, kicking specialist and end Washington Jones, Center, Herbert Hawkins, Guards, Chaney, Bostic, Townsend, and Freddie Lee. The backs are speedy Nathan

Dixon, and powerful Eric Miller. These fellows have scored 128 points. The 44-0 over the Aggies broke an intramural record set by another Dallas team in 1963. That team beat the Barons 28-14 for the championship.

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## Texarkana PV

Hello fellow students. We know that all of you have made your New Year's Resolution to make this a more prosperous year than the previous ones have been.

The Texarkana PV Club lighted the Christmas spirit with our annual Christmas dance at the Sigma House on December 22, last year. Everyone seemed to have been enjoying themselves, knowing they were "in with the incrowd".

We wish to welcome to the club all of the students from the Texarkana area who will be coming down next semester.

We hope all of you did resolve to stay clear of the "JC" and I'm sure if you did make that resolution, that it's not too late. So when the end of this year is here, don't say, "I could have done better".

BE IT THEREBY SO RESOLVED, that we have begun the new year with new plans and ideas, heretofore, executed and enjoyed by members and friends and/or guests.

## Lufkin-PV Club

The holidays were a "Gasser". Enjoyable, they were. In Lufkin we greeted the holidays with a succession of parties which were attended by all. We celebrated the festive occasion with a gay but serious attitude. Ranging from a jovial attitude to one of deep devotion to spiritual things. We renewed old acquaintances that had gone to college elsewhere or those who had set out to seek their fortunes. But time was a factor; soon it would end. We thought of this factor, of school and made several resolutions. These resolutions were considered by our sub-conscious mind; resolutions that will not be voiced but are sworn to be adhered to by each individual. At the beginning of each year one should analyze himself critically, those things he finds distasteful to himself or to others, he should re-evaluate for their merit.

The Lufkin-PV Club hopes that everyone had wonderful and most prosperous holidays and hopes that the New Year will be good to everyone. Remember our most valued possession is those that are shared and appreciated by our fellow man. Therefore, share and be rewarded. Lufkin-PV Club signing off.

Albert Buggs

## Club "CHIC"

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!! The entire membership of Club Chic sincerely wishes the PV student body a most prosperous new year and holds a devout hope for all that 1966 will indeed be a year indicative of excellence.

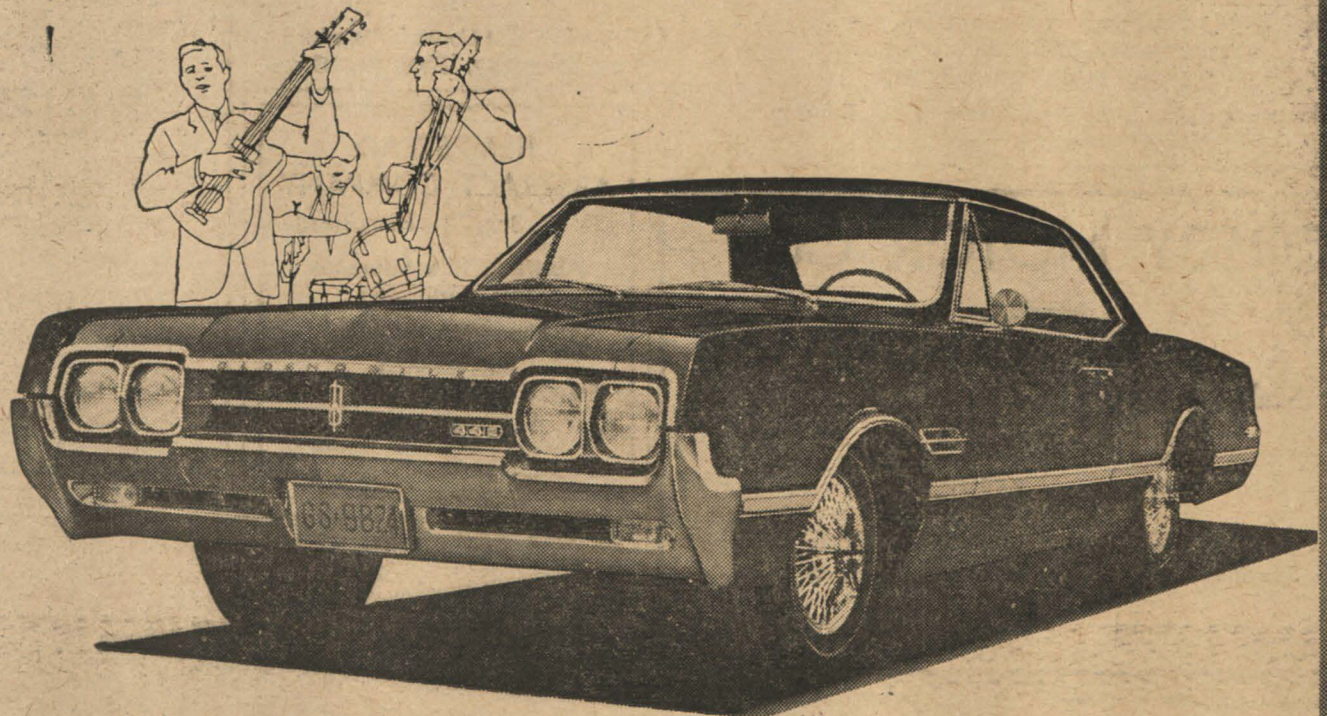
As far as the activities of club "Chic", there are so many ideas to be considered that the club members are having a hard time trying to decide just exactly which one will be the best effort to put forth and which will be so very benefitting to the student body.

Club "Chic" has a surprise in store for the student body which will occur very, very, soon. So, all you hep people, LOOK OUT!!

As of the first semester of this school term draws to hopefully a pleasant close, the members of Club "Chic" admonishes the student body to look forward to next semester as a semester of good things which comes to those who wait. Seriously, the club hopes that the first semester is a successful one for all the endeavors of the student body and that the second semester will be even better in surpassing the standards set by the first semester.

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## Five Panther Football Grid Men Win NAIA Honorable Mention

Ed Johnson, tackle, Panther co-captain; Alonzo Wallace, center; Ray Scott, defensive end; James Williams, deep back; and



Allen Aldridge, guard were among the Honorable Mention in The National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics' 1965 All-American Teams.

Grambling's tackle, Frank Cornish, was the only Southwestern Conference player named on the First and Second All-American Teams. Cornish, a 280 pound senior, was named on the first eleven.

Other SW conference stars receiving honorable mention were Rhome Nixon, Pete Barnes and James Battle of Southern; Leroy Carter, Willie Young, and Henry Dyer of Grambling; Ed Robey, John Thomas and Roy Hopkins, TSU; Ronnie Higgins and Ceasar Belser of Arkansas AM&N; Craig Walker and Sam Shivers, Alcorn A & M; Lemuel Barney and Taft Reed of Jackson State.

### Calendar

1. New Year's Day — January 1
2. Classes Resume (8:00 a.m.) — January 3
3. Workers' Meeting (College Staff) — January 4
4. Final Examinations (First Semester) — January 17-22
5. First Semester Closes — January 23
6. ROTC Commissioning Exercises — January 20
7. Freshmen Orientation (Second Semester) — January 23-24
8. Registration for Second Semester — January 25-27
9. Second Semester Classes Begin — January 28
10. Nurses Capping Ceremonies — January 30
11. Basketball Games —

**PANTHER CO-CAPTAIN, Ed Johnson,** is credited with having superb blocking ability, which he showed during the past football season.

## International Night

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make this program a very worthy program for the promotion of peace in these troubled times.

The program consisted of various Latin American Musical numbers on guitars, a solo by a very able soloist from the Department of Music on our campus, Hawaiian Hula dances and songs, piano selections, Mambo selections, Ragas on the Indian sitar and tabla, Giguma dances, the Highlife dances, Iraelia Folk songs, Kola ceremonies, and by all means the Dance of the Rice birds, presented by the group from the Republic of the Philippines. All presentations were superbly presented and brought great praise and enthusiasm from the more than 3,500 persons who attended.

Mid-way during the program "Silence for our day," (two minutes) was called by Mr. Charles E. Tatum in which deep silence was observed after the call-asking for peace on this planet and goodwill toward all members of this human race. After two minutes of silence, the college band softly played John Oxenham's (1908) great hymn "In Christ there is no east or west."

Final remarks were presented by Dr. J. L. Brown, Chairman of the Department of Economics, Geography and Social Science in which he gave recognition to the many many persons who had helped to make this program a success.

International Exhibits were placed in the corridors of the "little dome," on the "Youth of Israel," by the Consulate of Israel, The Exhibit of the Republic of China by Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Luke, who are members of the faculty of this institution; The Exhibits of Africa by Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Fry, who has lived and worked in Africa for a number of years and the African students from Nigeria, Togo, Liberia and Cameroon; and the exhibit on Japan which was located in the Memorial Union.

Greetings and notices of supports were received from Mr. Lyndon Baines Johnson, President of the United States of America, the Consulates of Mexico, Germany, Sweden, Brazil,

## Policy in Southeast Asia

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that they are safe and secure due to people just like us in previous wars who fought and died for that security they are now enjoying. If we pulled out of Viet Nam now the Communist would take over in two days.

Panama and the Netherlands.

The flags of the nations were secured by Lt. Col. Arthur N. Fearing, PMS&T, Prairie View and his staff, from Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

It must also be mentioned that this institution was very proud to have the many many guests from the following places to attend this program:

Guests from Waller, Hempstead, Brookshire, Brenham Public Schools and by all means, Professor Johnnie W. Lee and a representative group of students from C. H. Daniels High School, Center, Texas. Professor Lee and his group traveled more than 190 miles for this occasion. Mr. Perry Sampson is the Principal and they have initiated many international activities at their school promoting international understanding.

The Proclamation concerning International Night at Prairie View will be placed in the Student Memorial Union and the W. R. Banks Library and it is hoped that such programs will continue as long as Prairie View serves the citizens of this state, nation and world as an institution of higher learning.

They would then hit Guam, Manila, the Philippines and Hawaii, in short, the whole of Southeast Asia. They would have the power then to do great damage to the United States. The average U. S. Soldier can see this and for this he is willing to fight.

No one likes to be shot at. The principle involved makes it necessary and they are willing to take the risk for this necessity. That remaining 2% is the portion you will find in any situation. So far the majority of the soldiers here in Viet Nam are here to protect Democracy and if fighting will help protect it then fight we will."

After reading this Soldier's opinion it is hoped that Americans will continue to help in solving the conflict but in a different way from previously exemplified, as the demonstrations.

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After leaving the courthouse, Dr. Ferguson and two of the students were followed by two Texas Highway Patrolmen and pulled to the side of highway on the outskirts of Hempstead. The patrolmen said that the lights on Dr. Ferguson's car were out of order. However a taste of retaliation could not go unnoticed.

Dr. Ferguson is referring this voting problem to Attorney Weldon Berry and the U. S. Justice Department in order to have immediate action taken.

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