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# Six Coeds Vie for Miss PV; Baker, Thomas for Prexy

dent Government Association, Lilly, Mollie Johnson, Ether the capacity of President of the Rosa Lilly is a Library Sci- education major from Green-

Six coeds and two outstanding respectively. Nominated in the Lewis, Donetta Beverly, Bettye SGA were E. Scott Thomas and ence major from Huntsville and students were nominated for General Student meeting Thurs-Poole, and Cheryl McIntyre. Sullivan Baker. All candidates a member of Club Chic. She the coveted title of Miss Prairie day night, April 21, for the title Nominated to lead Student Gov- are bona-fide members of the was Miss Scabbard and Blade. View and President of the Stu- of Miss Prairie View were Rosa ernment activities next year in Junior class.

Mollie Johnson is an elementary ville. She holds membership in the Kappa Omega Beta Social club, the SNEA and club Chic, and Epsilon Pi Tau Sweetheart. Ether Lewis, a coed from Houston and also a Mathematics major, is a member of Club Chic and Les Belles Lettres Cultural Club. Donetta Beverly is from Kilgore and is a Nursing Education major. She was Miss Third Battalion (ROTC) and is a member of Les Belles Lettres See ELECTIONS, page 7



Donetta Beverly



Mollie Johnson



Rosa Lilly



**Ether Lewis** 



Cheryl McIntyre



**Betty Poole** 



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APRIL 22, 1966

#### Dr. Benjamin E. Mays to Address **12th Annual Honors Convocation**

The Twelfth Annual Alpha Kappa Mu Honors Convocation will be held on May 4, 1966, at 11:00 a.m. in the New Health and Physical Education Building. The Con-

vocation has two purposes: to commend those students who recognized by the American As-

In keeping with its tradition, the Convocation will feature a nationally distinguished speaker and a colorful academic procession. The speaker this year will be the eminent Doctor Benjamin E. Mays, President of Morehouse College. The procession See HONOR'S CONVOCA., page 2 will consist of members of the Prairie View College faculty in full academic regalia, members of the scholastic honor societies on Prairie View's campus, and To San Fransisco students on the honor roll for the first semester.

Convocation.

Doctor Mays is an internationally known scholar, theologian, educator and orator. He has been a national figure since he made the School of Divinity at Howard University nationally

Colonel Salvado Taronto and his team from Ft. Sam Houston will conduct formal inspection of the ROTC at PV, April 28.

earned places on the First Sem- sociation of Theological Schools. ester Honor Roll, and to encour- He resigned this position to acage and stimulate higher academic achievement by all stu-house College in 1940. Since 1940, Doctor Mays has spoken widely, written extensively, and achieved international distinction. As president of Morehouse and an orator, he has boldly insisted upon firstclass citizenship for American Negroes.

Many of the nation's leaders

# **PVISEA Members Off**

Three students and two staff members from the school of In-Alpha Kappa Mu is particu- dustrial Education and Technollarly proud to bring Doctor ogv left this week to attend the Mays back to this campus as 28th Annual AIAA (American speaker for its Twelfth Annual Industrial Art Association) Convention held April 20-23, in San Francisco.

> Industrial Arts teachers, supervisors, teacher educators, future teachers, leaders from other educational areas, industrial representatives from throughout the United States will gather to Seven-Up Company, a \$100 Savshare ideas and strive towards ings Bond from Fairbanks State strengthening industrial arts in our educational system.

The three students attending the meeting are Fred Carter, a junior Industrial Arts major, president of PVSIEA, Houston, Tex.: Norman Johnson, a freshman Industrial Arts major, president of the Industrial Education Honor Society, West, Texas: and Brady Davis, a freshbers attending include S. R. Collins. Walter J. Hall, and Dr. A. I. Thomas, Dean School of Industrial Education.

The four day convention will feature addresses given by leading educators and professional people such as Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon. In addition, educational tours, symposiums, group meetings and many exhibits of new techniques and processes in the field of Industrial Arts. The exhibits this year are valued at \$1,000,000.

Education.'

The theme of the convention veteran of the European Theater he was ordered to Nanking, Materiel Test Division, United is: "Frontiers in Industrial Arts of Operations during World China, Military Advisory Group. States Army Artillery Board,

\$300 Scholarship Presented by 7-Up

# Crockett Girl Wins Miss Texas High

#### 36 Contestants From High Schools Across The State Represented

Jesslyn Box, a 16 year old junior at Ralph Bunche High School in Crockett, was crowned Miss Texas High Saturday night at Prairie View A&M College.

The winner was selected from a field of 36 contestants representing high schools across the state. Miss Box scored high in all categories of judging. including talent, poise, personality, charm and attractiveness. She played a xylophone and flute solo and performed an original modern dance for her talent presentation.

First runner-up was Franchelle Stewart, 16, a junior from Yates High-Houston. Miss Stewart ran a close race with the winner, also scoring high in all categories. Josephine Taylor of Kemp High-Bryan was second runnerup and Hallie Jackson of Carver-Houston was third.

Miss Box received a \$300.00 scholarship presented by the Bank, a scholarship given by the Student Press Club, spon-See MISS TEXAS HIGH, page 5



Jesselyn Box - MISS TEXAS HIGH 1966-67

Ft Sam Houston To Conduct

# Annual Inspection for ROTC Set April 28

in July, 1940, he has been as-

signed to the 4th Field Artillery

Group, upon its activation in

A team from the Fourth Un- University of Florida in 1937 the 7th Infantry Division in Houston, is scheduled to conduct General Inspection on April 28, 1966. The purpose of this visit is to evaluate the results of works completed, the advance- at Fort Bragg, North Carolina ment made since the last inspection and anticipated progress for the following year. Heading this team of three officers is Colonel Salvador F. Taranto. The other two members of his team are Lt. Col. Luis Desa-Soto and Major Charles E. Hill.

War II, was graduated from the His other tours carried him to See INSPECTION, page 2

man from Houston. Staff mem- ited States Army, Fort Sam with a Bachelor of Science De- Japan, 68th AFA Battalion, 1st gree and a commission as a Sec- Armored Division, Ft Hood, the ROTC Annual Formal and ond Lieutenant in the Army Re- Texas, and the 936th FA Batserve. Since entering active duty talion in Korea.

Following his graduation from the Command and General Staff College, Colonel Taranto and the 408th Field Artillery has had various other assignments and duties, consisting of 1943, there he remained as the Chief Maintenance Branch, G-4 Group S-4 throughout World Section, Headquarters, Fourth United States Army (1954-57), Following World War II Col- Deputy G-4, Ft Sill, Oklahoma onel Taranto served with the (1958-60), Assistant Chief of Field Artillery School in Fort Staff, G-4, Headquarters South-Colonel Taranto, a combat Sill, Oklahoma until 1947 when ern Area Command (1960-63),

#### **Annual Dinner for Honor Students** Set Wednesday in Union Ballroom

ie View calendar is the Annual as. Dinner for Honor Students which President E. B. Evans room of the Memorial Center.

Honor Society, and an honor year.

One of the most traditional graduate of Prairie View Coland elegant affairs on the Prair- lege and the University of Tex-

Through the years President hests each year. The President's Evans has employed these din-Dinner this year will be held at ners as one of the means 7:30 p.m. on May 4 in the Ball- through which he encourages scholarship, and commends The speaker at the Presi- those students who have excelldent's Dinner will be Doctor Er- ed scholastically. The guests of vin S. Perry, Assistant Profes- honor at the President's Dinner sor of Engineering at the Uni- will be those students who earnversity of Texas. He is a former ed places on the Honor Roll at member of the Alpha Pi Mu the college during the first semchapter of the Alpha Kappa Mu ester of the current academic small fines or both. Decisions

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PRAIRIE VIEW, TEXAS

Sundays: 8:00 a.m. - Holy Eucharist

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Center

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#### UMC Leads the Way For Prairie View Men

The U. M. C. was organized during the school year of 1964. 65 in an attempt to stimulate unity, leadership and development among the male students here at Prairie View.

One of its most promising facilities is the U. M. C. court evstem which is composed of nine justices and two lawvers. handle disciplinary problems ranging from constant use of 'profanity" to fighting and drinking. Punishment range from social probation to are binding and sanctioned by the Department of Men. It is hoped that by working with the Department of Men more problems will be solved.

On Sunday April 3, 1966, the sponsored organization Men's Day program with Mr. E. E. Cleaver of Booker T. Washington High School, Wichita Falls, Texas as special guest. Mr. Cleaver is the former director of the Memorial Student Center and former director of student activities here. He gave a very dynamic speech on the theme: "Unity, Leadership and Development, corner stones of the college male in a great so-

On Friday, April 22, 1966 the Congress will hold its annual election for the office of president and vice-president. Candidates for the presidency are Vacal D. Carldwell, Lorenza Phillips and Alphonsonso Askew. Candidates for the vice-presidency are Carl Moore and Herman L. Jones. The election booths will be located in the male dormitories.

Reporter, Herman L. Jones

# Co. "Q" To Sponsor Annual ROTC Church Day Program April 24

Company Q-17, National Society of the Pershing Rifles is sponsoring the traditional ROTC Church Day Program at Prairie View A&M College on April 24, 1966. This year's theme is entitled "A SENSE OF DUTY". The guest speaker for The purpose of the facility is to the occasion will be Chaplain (Captain) George Ambrose, Jr. from Ft. Hood, Texas.

> Chaplain Ambrose was born in Lake Charles, Louisiana where he attended high school and later received a Bachelor of Science Degree in 1951 from Leland College in Baker, Louisiana. He then enrolled in the Virginia Union University and was graduated in 1954 with a Bachelor of Divinity Degree. Following his graduation from Virginia Union University, Chaplain Ambrose was elected Pastor, Quioccasion Baptist Church, Richmond, where he remained until coming into the Army in 1956.

Since becoming a member of the Armed Forces, Chaplain Ambrose has served in Europe, Korea and the Far East. He has had many interesting state side assignments which served to bridge the foreign tours of duty. Presently, he is assigned to Headquarters, Support Command, Second Armored Division, Fort Hood, Texas. He and his family, consisting of wife and son, are residing at Fort Hood. He is a member of the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity and is a member of the National Baptist, USA

Company Q-17 is inviting the entire Prairie View A&M College community to come out and



Chaplain George Ambrose to appear at Church Day.

take part in its program and to hear an enlightening address titled "A SENSE OF DUTY" expounded by Chaplain Ambrose.

#### **Honors Convocation**

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have graduated from Morehouse College, including Doctor Martin Luther King Jr. A historical account of Doctor King's life credits Doctor Mays with direct influence on Doctor King's decision to become a minister. It was from the pulpit that Doctor King gathered force and a following that made the non-violent movement for the civil rights of Negroes a potent force on the American scene.

Since 1950 Doctor Mays has been president of the United Negro College Fund, recipient of the Christian Culture Award, and listed on the Schomberg Honor Roll of Race Relations as one of the twelve Negroes who has done outstanding work in building better race relations. In 1962 he was a member of the National Council to the Peace Corps and United States National Commission for UNESCO.

#### INSPECTION

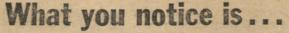
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Fort Sill. Oklahoma (1963-64), and finally the position he holds now - Deputy President of the Artillery Board.

The Chief inspector is highly decorated and has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal and Purple Heart for his service in Europe. He also has been awarded the Army Commendation Medal, Special Breast Order of Yun Hui with Ribbon by the Nationalists Chinese Government and the Order of the British Empire for service with the Common-Wealth Division in Korea.

Members of the cadet corps and the ROTC Detachment are busy readying themselves and areas of responsibility for the great event. Some of the areas that are tentatively scheduled for the inspection are the personnel (both Cadets and De-tachment), Supply, Training records and classes (MS I, II, III and IV). A formal inspection of the Brigade in ranks on the Parade Ground between 1330 and 1545 hours. (1:30 and 3:45).

Ice almost two miles thick has been discovered in Antarctica.





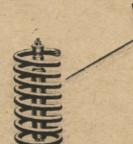
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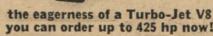


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#### Pres. Evans Comments On **ROTC** Inspection

We at Prairie View are extremely pleased to welcome the Team of the Annual Formal Inspection by Headquarters Fourth U.S. Army of the ROTC Program. Every year about this time effort is made to evaluate the results of the work completed, the forward strides projected and accomplished. In this way, we are able to measure the progress made from year to year. In harnessing the various related members of our staff to further the ROTC program we are able to determine whether or not through evaluation the help has been effective.

Through cooperative efforts, Dallas Fair. the Department of the Army and Prairie View A. and M. College have embarked upon a program to train officers for the U. S. Army. We are happy to be a part of this cooperative effort and feel proud of the achievements. The visit of the inspection team which will make objective evaluations of the program, facilities and progress has been the prime mover in the attempts to provide the very best for the training of the cadets in the ROTC program. The annual visit is looked forward to with great anticipation because we who are closest to the program are sometimes unable to make the needed objective evaluation.

We, here at Prairie View, are quite proud of the ROTC program. Much like a full college program, the ROTC has the features for expert instructions and student services. There are guidance and counseling services to the students along with membership in different military organizations. One of the greatest aspects of the ROTC program is its benefits to the individual through its leadership training. Leadership - the ability to organize and direct the activities of others - is in high demand by business, industry, the social fields, the military service and almost all human enterprises.

During the year, the ROTC promotes several public programs. Chief among them this year was the appearance of Judge L. Howard Bennett, Principal Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Civil Rights. He was the guest speaker for the mid-year commissioning exercises which were sponsored by the Scabbard and Blade National Honorary Society. Accompanying Judge Bennett were Mr. Jack Moskowity Deputy Assistant Secreof Defense for Civil Rights and Brig General Jefferson Irvin, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Defense for Reserve Affairs. On April 24, 1966, the ROTC Church Day is scheduled. Chaplain (Captain) George Ambrose Jr., from the Support Command, 2nd Armored Division, Fort Hood, Texas will deliver the sermon. Finally, the ROTC Field Day is planned for May 5, 1966. This program, designed to allow the cadets to display their accomplishments and skills, is playing host to high schools from all over the state which have ROTC instruction as a part of their curriculum.

These events are just a few of the many public functions sponsored by the ROTC and which contribute to the cultural life of the campus. In this same connection the ROTC drill team has not performed admirably for the campus community only, but has performed off campus exhibitions to the delight of thousands of persons in the various schools, colleges and the



Dr E. B. Evans

Being quite proud of the ROTC program here at Prairie View, we again welcome the inspection team which will make objective evaluations of the program facilities and progress made. We feel this visit is a prime mover in the attempts to provide the very best for the training of the cadets in the ROTC program.

#### Three Texas Schools **Get Journalism Awards** At Reporters Conference

dent publication activities dur-Conference held Friday and Saturday at Prairie View A&M College.

Yates High-Houston was cited for "an outstanding program journalism education." George McElroy, instructor at editor of the Houston Chronicle, Yates, was named Journalism Teacher-of-the-Year by the Student Press Club at Prairie Veiw, tions and special markets represponsor of the annual event.

Moore High-Waco was honored for outstanding yearbook urday morning. production, and Pickard High-Brenham, for outstanding student newspaper work. The trophy awards were furnished by the Royal Crown Bottling Co.

Mack Price, Houston Post reporter, delivered the luncheon the group of 150 high school page five.

#### Horticulture Students Visit Texas A&M

Recently the Prairie View A&M College Horticulture stu- Thomas, Dwight Three Texas high schools re- versity to continue a state-wide bins. ceived awards for outstanding program of hybridizing fruit journalism teaching and stu- trees in an effort to develop deing the High School Reporters climate that exists in the Gulf Coast areas of Texas. This program includes emasculation and cross pollination.

Students participating in this

students heard W. T. Still, state deliver the keynote address. Mrs. Inez Kaiser, public relasentative of Kansas City, Mo., spoke at a general session Sat-

The theme of the two-day conference for high school reporters was "Careers in Journalism and Public Relations -Needs and Responsibilities in a Changing Society."

See activities pictures from address at the closing session of the Reporters Conference and the conference Saturday. Earlier Miss Texas High-Pageant on use it all up getting to and from

program include: Earnest E. Waverly Jefferson, Barnes. Henry Lovelady, Tommy Wilson, Otis Evans, Everrett Scott Fontenot, dents visited Texas A&M Uni- Charles Burns and Willie Rob-

This state-wide program sirable varieties for the mild brings together instructors, students, and several Experiment Stations and Universities. Dr. Hollis Boarn is in charge of the Department of Horticulture of the fruit work at Texas A&M University, and Dr. E. W. Owens at Prairie View A&M College. From the observation and experience that the group received at Texas A&M University, they are now conducting hybridization and cross pollination experiments at Prairie View A&M College's Fruit Orchards, under the supervision of Dr. E. W. Owens.

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# EDITORIALS

#### Time For A Change

Roscoe Harrison

With general student elections just around the corner, our eyes and ears must be open to hear and see what the candidates have to offer. We know by now it is time for a drastic change in our student government.

The many problems and situations that exist here have to be done away with. These situations as we know have become unbearable and the student government has fallen into a slump. Certain situations that exists for example are: no fraternities and sororities and there is not a variety of student activities, and the constitution is not stable. These are just examples of the many problems and situations that definitely exist.

It is our duty to put a leader in office that is going to make a progressive change at dear "old" P. V. We need a leader that is going to act, not just paint a pretty picture of promises with flowery speech and silver tongue oratory, then smear that pretty picture of promises by doing nothing at all to make Prairie View move ahead pro-

This year just as in previous years the big problem of election procedures has plagued many students. Last year many problems came up because the constitution had not

The new constitution which Prairie View is now under was adopted last year right after student elections.

It should be the objective of each student to obtain a constitution. The class representatives should make an al! out effort to obtain copies of the constitution in order that they may keep their class informed.

We as students should make an effort to secure the constitution and be aware of not only election procedures but other laws as well.

On the other hand, the student government should take a more active role to inform class representatives

by having more meetings. Thus, it is felt that the Student Government Association is not directly trying to oppose any action taken

The election problem this year was concerning the elections of class officers. If each class does not want to elect their class officers, then they should have the consent of the Student Government.

It is also our duty to go to the polls and vote for that progressive leader. Don't be short changed. Vote for a progressive leader for a progressive Prairie View.

#### Selective Service Exam Set

The announcement which appeared in the Prairie View Weekly (April 10 thru April 16) concerning the administration of the Selective Service Examination Thursday, April 14, at 8:30 a.m. is in error. Please disregard

The Selective Service Examinations are scheduled to be conducted at Prairie View and at many other centers throughout the nation on three separate test dates as follows:

Saturday Man 14-1-Saturday, May 21 Friday, June 3

Test Application Forms and Bulletins of Information are available at local Draft Boards. The registration deadline is April 23. Students will register for the test by indicating a preferred Test Center for each date on the Application Card and forwarding the form to:

Selective Service Examining Section Science Research Associates, Inc. 259 East Erie Street Chicago, Illinois 60611

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Sealy News Print

Meet The Candidates

# Who Is Best Qualified

I am a senior, majoring in Industrial Arts. Houston, Texas is my hometown. Since entering Prairie View I have actively participated in the govenrments of various recognized organizations on campus. Through these participations I have become kenly interested in the role students play in toward the betterment common condicommon condi-

tions for themselves and for their fellow students. Also, through these participations, I feel that I have gained considerable experience and insight into functions of student government that will allow me to be of great service to our general student body in a leadership position on our student governing body - the Student Council. Accordingly, I aspire, and hereby announce my candidacy, for the presidency of the Student Council.

It has been my observation that past student councils have not functioned as a body serving the governmental interest of the student population as a whole, but rather one that served the interests and ideas. of the few who were most closely associated with its functions as a body. I offer this observation not as a criticism of past councils or its governed bodies, but as a recognized weakness that is generally inherent with people. This weakness can only be offset by full participation of the governed body into the affairs that governs it, and not be left solely to the small body that represents it. To bring together these two essential factions of government requires pro-



gressive leadership. If I am given the opportunity to serve as the President of the Student Council for the year 1966-67, I will give the vigorous leadership that good and progressive government require. Most grateful, then, I solicit your support in the coming election of student council officers.

Vote for Sullivan Baker Candidate for Student, Council President \* \* \*

#### PLATFORM

- 1. To establish national social fraternities and sororities at Prairie View.
- 2. To promote a variety of activities.
- 3. Improvement of Dining Hall conditions.
- 4. More phones in dormitor-
- 5. To establish a more valid and stable Constitution and make it available to all stu-
- 6. Library hours extended. 7. Campus buildings left open so students will be able to study.

ment I advance with obedience to the task of being your sent Student Association President.

I thank you and may God

#### What Does Prairie View Need?

- 1. Improved student-
- faculty relations? 2. Student participa-
- tion in his education?
- 3. Increased cultural and social activities?
- 4. Rescend or compromise on school rulings?
- 5. Campus btautification program?
- 6. Freedom of expression without fear of being reprimanded?
- 7. More school spirit? The time is approaching when we will elect our student government officers for the

school year 1966-67. I would like to impress upon you that whoever you select make sure that he is the best qualified candidate for the position. I believe that with competent and aggressive leaders we can rid ourselves of the antiquated, irrelevant, and unfair practices that are a menace to us all.

I will not demand that you vote for me though your vote I need and would very much like to have, nor will I degrade the other candidates, though more qualified I consider my-

I'll simply say that the task is not above my talents and, if elected, I will approach it with those anxious and awful presentiments which greatness of the charge and the weakness of my powers so justly inspire.

The list at the top is only a segment of expressed needs of Prairie View. Whichever you need one, two, all, or more a vote for Scott Thomas is a vote for you.

Relying then on the consciousness of your better judg-CONTINUED in right column

#### Sample of Draft Deferment Test

Test consists of objective ques- F. This is the limit, however, tions which test ability to read as the melting point of glass with understanding and to is comparatively low. For temsolve new problems by using peratures exceeding 800 degeneral knowledge. Some ques- grees F., some form pyrometer tions are based upon reading is generally used. The simplest passages, charts, tables, or of these is the metallic or megraphs. Other questions re- chanical pyrometer. This conbased upon the meanings of ferent rates of expansions, words and their relationship such as iron and brass, atmathematical problems de- end and with the other ends questions furnished below.

Reading Comprehension: Directions: Read the passages below and then answer the questions following them. Each question is followed by five suggested answers, only one of which is correct.

The ordinary form of mercury thermometer is used for temperatures ranging from 40 degrees F to 500 degrees F. For measuring temperatures below 40 degrees F. thermometers filled with alcohol are used. These are, however, not satisfactory for use at high temperatures. When a mercury thermometer is used for temperatures above 500 degrees F., the space above the mercury is filled with some inert gas, usually nitrogen or carbon dioxide, place in the thermometer under pressure. As the mercury rises, the gas pressure is increased, so that be used for measuring tempit is impossible to use these eratures of about 500 degrees thermometers, for tempera- F?

The College Qualification | tures as high as 1,000 degrees quire the solution of problems sists of two metals having difto other words. There are also tached to each other at one signed to test ability to com- free. By a system of levers and prehend and to use numerical gears the expansion of the relationship. Try the sample metals is made to move a hand ed; d. mottled; e. kind over a dial graduated in degrees. This should not be used for temperatures exceeding tled; e. kind 1000 degrees F to 1,200 degrees F.

- (1) According to the passage, what chiefly determines the upper temperature at which mercury thermometers can be used?
  - A. Weight of mercury
  - B. Gas pressure
  - C. Melting point of glass
  - D. Amount of gas
  - E. Rates of expansion
- (2) What topic is treated in this passage?
- A. Manufacturing
- B. Mercury thermometers
- C. Temperatures
- D. Temperature ranges E. Measuring temperatures
- (3) With what, besides mercury, would a thermometer 3744; (e) 3750 be filled if it were designed to

- A. Pyrometer
- B. Inert gas C. Iron and brass
- D. Gas
- E. Alcohol

DIRECTIONS: Each of the two samples below consists of a word printed in capital letters, followed by five words lettered A through E. Select the lettered word which has a meaning most nearly the same as the meaning conveyed by the capitalized word.

4. LACERATED: gruntled; b. mangled; c. fring-

5. BENIGN: a. democratic; b. indignant; c. regal; d. mot-

6. How much water must be added to 10 quarts of alcohol that is 95% pure in order to obtain a solution that is 50%

pure? (a) 0.5; (b) 5; (c) 9; (d) 10; (e) 15

7. A six ounce can of frozen orange juice concentrate contains 300 calories while an eight ounce glass of fresh crange juice contains 100 calories. How many ounces of water should be added to a six ounce can of concentrate in order to produce a drink with the same caloric value per ounce as fresh orange juice? (Note: Water has no caloric value.)

(a) 18; (b) 24; (c) 400; (d)

ANSWERS

6. D; 7. b I'C' 5' E' 3' B' 4' B' 2' E'

#### Miss Texas High

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sors of the event to Prairie View A&M College, and other awards and prizes. The three runners-up received Prairie View scholarships, trophies and

Special awards went to girls with high ratings in various categories. Ruth Mayfield, C. B. Dansby High, Kilgore, was cited for charm; Brenda Joyce Johnson of Pickard High-Brenham, for personality; Debra Dawson, Turner High-Carthage, for poise; Hilda Ann Shivers of Kemp High-Bryan, for attractiveness; and Linda Jackson of Carver High, Houston, for tal-

The 1966 Miss Texas High title holder is the daughter of Mrs. Frankie Freeman of Crockett, Texas. She is a member of the National Honor Society and NFA Sweetheart at Ralph Bunche High. Her faculty sponsor was Mrs. Minnie H. Woodall.

Judges for the Contest included W. T. Still state editor of the Houston Chronicle; Eugene Robinson, public relations representative for Mrs. Baird's Baking Company, Mrs. Pearl Solomon of Prairie View; and two college students, Misses Jill Melichar, reporter for the Cougar Daily, University of Houston and Cheryl McIntyre, Prairie View's 1962 Miss Texas High Title Holder and co-winner of the 1965 Miss Texas Co-ed title.

Activities of the contest covered two days and included talent competition, individual sessions with judges, competition in bathing and play suits, afterfive and evening dresses. The closing Pageant featured the awards presentation, performance of the college orchestra and presentation of club queens at the college.

Other participants in the contest included Mary Bailey, Pickard-Brenham; Margaret Booth, Daniels-Center; Carolyn Butler, Carver-Houston; Marilyn Glenda Green, Riverside-Colum- Houston.

# **LETTERS** To The Editor

#### Trouble Brewing

Mr. Editor:

There seems to be quite a problem stirring about the student elections. It is my observation that the members of the Freshman Class along with other student body members on campus are not at all pleased with the election procedure. I was just wondering why the procedure was not made available to the student body. It seems to be a fault - Whose? I along with many others just do not know. Gee, could you at this late date please tell us if this fault lies with the Student Association or the Panther? I for one representative of the student body feel that we, the voters should be thoroughly familiar with election proceedings and all other student body affiliation in this matter. This being the year of the new "great General Student elections" has become more of a problem than a re-

Please come to the rescue of the student body, we need to know.

-James Melton

bus; Sue Green, Carver-Houston; Alice Honore, Bunche-Brookshire; Rose Hurd, Hungerford High; Agnes Jackson, Powell Point-Kendleton; Linda Jackson, Carver-Houston; Diana Johnson, Ball-Seguin; Melba Leonard, Banks-Grapeland; and Renee McKnight, Powell Point-Kendleton.

Also Mary Reed, Elmore-Byrd, Ralph Bunche-Crockett; Houston; Willie Robertson, Car-Myrtle Carlton, Pickard-Bren- ver - Houston, Elaine Sharp, ham; Laura Deeds, Pickard- Pickard-Brenham; Ruby New-Brenham; Lois Dillard, River- ton, Beverly Sheppard, Sharon side-Columbus; Loretta Divine, Shipman, Ada Johnson and Jo-Carver-Houston; Eva Gantt, sephine Taylor of Kemp-Bryan; Pickard - Brenham; Ella F. Bernice Crayton, Ball-Seguin, Goode, Blackshear - Hearne; and Ester Mae Clayton, Yates-Bernice Crayton, Ball-Seguin,

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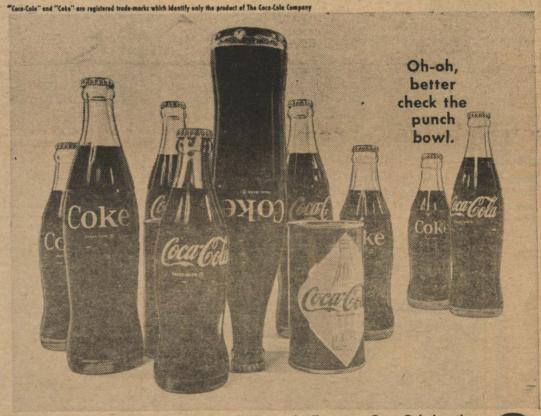
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Don Washington from Smithville, Texas demonstrates to his students at Yates High School how to set type by hand.



John Kelly, a commercial foods major from Naples also did his student teaching at Yates High. Pictured are pupils in the commercial foods department of Yates.



Clarence Sapenter, a graduate of Wheatley High, San Antonio, did his teaching at his "old" alma mater. Pictured are students in his drafting class.

# 3 Students Attend National Convention Of Alpha Kappa Mu at Philander Smith

with the support of Dr. Evans, was very active in its academic the Alpha Pi Mu Chapter of Al- and social participation. All deloha Kappa Mu National Honor egates were on committees and Society was once again privi- it is felt that the college was leged to represent the college at very well represented, and only the 28th Annual National Con- honor was brought to its name. vention of Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society, held on the camous of Philander Smith College, Little Rock, Arkansas March 24-26. The delegation attending the convention consisted of Albert Lester, Richard Lockett, Leo C. McAfee, and Mr. Hulen Davis, as faculty advisor.

The delegation left the campus March 23, and traveled to Texarkana, Arkansas where they rested for the night. The next morning the delegation departed and arrived at Little Rock in time for registration between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

The theme of the convention was "Creative Scholarship." During the convention panel discussions, addresses and essays were presented supporting the theme. The attendance at the convention was the largest ever and the convention was a most successful one.

During the month of March, | The Prairie View delegation

The Alpha Pi Mu Chapter was delighted to have one of its delegates receive a scholarship from the National body. Alpha Kappa Mu gives three scholarships yearly to persons who plan to attend graduate school, and Leo McAfee, Jr. was the recipient of the third place award of \$125.

The students of Philander Smith College were ideal hosts and helped to make the convention a success.

The election of officers for the National convention was Saturday morning, March 26. Through the diplomatic efforts of Mr. Richard Lockett, Mr. Rogers Whitmire, absent from the convention, missed being elected sergeant-at-arms by three votes, an indication of the impression made by the Prairie View delegation upon the con-



Eddie Young, another PV student also related knowledge to students at the school where he graduated. Pictured are some of Young's students observing a model house which was constructed by his class.





Major Earnest R. Howell

#### Major Howell Assumes Duty as Professor of MS

With the ending of the echoes of the drums that accompanied the music during the retirement ceremony held for Lt Col Arthur N. Fearing, March 31, 1966, a new figure emerged to take over the reins of Professor, of Military Science at Prairie View A&M College, Prairie View, Texas. Major Ernest R. Howell, having held the positions of Executive Officer and Assistant Professor of Military Science for several years, accepts this honorable position without hesitation or apprehension.

Born in Goldsboro, North Carlina, he received his elementary and secondary education in its public school system; later, in 1953 he was graduated from the Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina with a Bachelor of Science Degree. At the same time he was graduated, Major Howell was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the United States Army

Embarking upon active duty in May 1953 this individual has received a gratifying military education during the thirteen (13) devoted years of his dedicated career. Some of the schools he has attended are the Associate Infantry Company Officers Course (1953), the Basic Airborne and Jumpmaster Courses (1953), the United States Army Cold Weather and Mountain Training Course (1959), the Infantry Officers Career Course (1960-61) and the Vietnamese Language Course (1962). During 1962, he was integrated into the Regular Army.

Not only have his years of service been faithful in the educational aspect, but they have furnished him with many wonderful assignments in the Infantry, Airborne-Infantry and Armor Divisions. In 1962 Major Howell was assigned to the Military Attache Advisory Group, (MAAG) in Vietnam as the Senior Training Center Advisor to the Vietnamese self-defense Corps. It was for this outstanding service to both the United States and Vietnam that he was the recipient of the Bronze Star.

#### **Chemistry Department** Receives \$19,000 Grant

The Trustees of the Robert Foundation recently made a grant of \$19,000 to the department of Chemistry at Prairie View A&M College to enhance the research capabilities of Dr. C. T. Stubblefield and Dr. C. E. Urdy. The money will be used for the replacement of old equipment and the extension of the present.

# CLUB CHATTER

#### Campus Clubs Begin Spring Ball

Ah! Let's see what our campus clubs are up to. This title. She is a member of is the "Spring Balls" season and it's time for everyone to Omega Beta Social Club. think in terms of renting tails and preparing gowns. So, what are we waiting for?

Which of these are you invited to? Green and White candidacy were E. Scott Thomas Ball, (Barons of Innovation), April 23; ROTC Ball, April and Sullivan Baker. Thomas is 28; Black and White Ball (26'ers and Crescendos), April an Agricultural Science major 30; LBL-LBA Ball, May 7; Phi Beta Lambda Fraternity Ball, May 14; Junior-Senior Prom, May 20; and who knows what else? My! What a festival an invitation to all of these would turn out.

Orchids to the Panther Staff, Press Club, Dr. C. A. of the Epsilon Pi Tau Frater- ril 28, in Room 135 of the Mem-Wood, sponsor; Barons of Innovation; and the Women's Council, for the promotion and success of their MISS TEX-AS HIGH CONTEST and REPORTERS CONFERENCE. Inc. of the Epshon F1 fad Flater in 25, in techn 155 or in 125, in 125, in techn 155 or in 125, in techn 155 or in 125, in 125, in 125, in 125, in 125, in 125, in 125 (See Front page story for details.)

Now, let's take a peek in on the individual clubs.

Clubs 26 and Crescendo but by

members of other clubs and in-

dependents also. So, sit tight,

Club 26 wishes to publicly en-

dorse all members of the club

who are currently seeking posi-

tions in Student Government,

Student Life, and the coveted

title of Miss PV. It has been so

very well proven many times

before, that if anything is done, it is usually nine times out of

ten done by a 26'er! Good luck

sisters and we are behind you!

Until next issue, we bid you

MAYBE we'll see you there.

#### Chic Club Capers campus not only by members of

Club Chic's fashion show was nothing less than a success. The theme for the occasion was "Campus Fashions in Fruit Colors fit for a Queen". Janice Criner and Marjay Anderson narrated the affair amid a vividly colored background of regal, royal and splendid decorations depicting the theme. Members of the club and the pledge club modeled exquisite exotic, and enchanting fashions with the poise and personality that are characteristic of the royal jet set. The program was lightly adieu. sprinkled with talent numbers by Chic member Carolyn Robinson, and Chic pledge members, Janice Criner, Faye King, Jackie Hunt, Paulette Jones, and guest artist Debra Dawson.

A special added attraction was the presentation of the Gibson's Charm School. Models from this institution presented very exciting attire for fun, parties, church-wear, and formal affairs. Mrs. Gertrude Gibson of Houston is 'the owner of the

Mollie Johnson, Club president modeled the Club's canary yellow uniform while Jeanette Taylor modeled the pledge's club's sea mist green ensemble. A success, that's what it was!

A special thanks is extended to the members of the brother club, the Pershing Rifles, for their untiring, helpful, endeavors. Thanks, brothers!

Be on the look-out Club Chic has more surprises in store.

#### Club 26

School is almost out and nany are looking forward to that very special summer vacation or to that inevitable summer school term. Whatever your particular interests may be, the Ladies of the Black and White are confident that each and every PV-ite will enjoy himself to the fullest extent regardless of the endeavor.

April 30th is the date! Those VIP's who are lucky enough to attend the annual Black and White Ball will certainly be the chosen ones. The gala affair is definitely looked forward to on

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#### Student Election, Thursday, April 28

CONTINUED from page 1 holder of the Miss Texas Coed title. She is a member of Kappa

Presenting dynamic platforms from Sulfur Springs. He is a campus debate team. Baker is James Melton (Sophomore). an Industrial Education major

Seeking the office of Vice Cultural club. Bettye Poole, a President of the SGA are James member of Club 26, is a Music Campbell, Robert McMillan and major from Hempstead. She is Sadie Woodard. Candidates for Miss MENC. Cheryl McIntyre the SGA Secretarial position is a Dietetics major from Bonare Odie Woods, Joyce Kyle, ham and is presently Miss Bar- Evelyn Collier, Patricia Avingon, Miss First Battalion, and co- ton. Candidates for President of the Memorial Center are Ivy Idlebird and Charles Washington. Running unopposed for Editor of the PANTHER and Editrevealing the validity of their or of the Pantherland (yearbook) are Romey Johnson and Daniel Anderson, respectively Class President nominees are W. Michael Melton (Senior) member of the FFA, and the Ernest Mayfield (Junior) and

Student Government Electfrom Houston. He is a member ions will be held Thursday, Ap-

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SPACE TALE

listened quietly.

# Sports Roundup

#### **Tennis Team Scores Victory Over Texas Southern at Grambling Relays**

lay Tournament and held a per-

matches in singles and doubles.

be played off at a later date be-

tween Batteaux and Wright and

Bennett and Washington all of

Prairie View. Batteaux entered

ning (6-2) (6-1) over Forest of

Grambling; Wright won over

Galbreath of Huston Tillotson

The Bennett and Batteaux:

Wright and Washington pair

will decide the doubles champ-

ionships and runner-up at a lat-

The semi-finals in singles will

top four Tennis players - Al- the dual meet as he won his sinvin Washington, Robert Bat- gles match (6-1) (6-3) to retain teaux, Benjamin Wright and the unblemished dual meet rec-Donald Bennett - scored a 1-0 ord of the squad over a three victory over Texas Southern and year period. ended the week with a perfect tournament in the Grambling the courts of the Grambling Re-Relays in Louisiana.

#### PVC's Tennis Team **Defends Double** Championship at Pelican the semi-final bracket by win-

Solits With Host Team As Team Point Champs

The Prairie View A. & M. Col- (6-3) (6-1); Bennett over Rice points. lege tennis team accumulated of Huston Tillotson (7-5) (6-2); six points to Southern Univer- and Washington over Mitchell sity's six and tied the host of Grambling (6-2) (7-5). school in the '66 annual Pelican State Relay tournament held in Baton Rouge, Louisiana recent-

In the decathelon tennis meet er date. held two days on the Southern University courts Donald Bennett a senior from La Marque, Texas and Benjamin Wright, a freshman from the same city played through odds to win the runner-up title in singles and successfully defend the doubles title of the Relay meet for the second consecutive year won in 1965 by Bennett and Robert Batteaux, a junior on the 1966 team from Houston. Alvin Washington, a freshman entered the two man meet as an alternate for the Prairie View team; Washington is also a La Marque, Texas product.

The Prairie View team scored three points in singles and three points in doubles to Southerns' six points in singles and no points in doubles. Arkansas AM&N scored a total of 5 points; Grambling three points and Texas Southern and Alcorn no points.

The results of the 1966 meet sustained the Prairie View teams undefeated three year record but added a tie to the total record of the 1964 dual meet when Arkansas succeeded in tieing the Panther team.

The Pelican State Relay Meet of 1966

Champion and Runner - up

Singles

Champion Marvin Neal, Southern University (6-4) (6-2) Benjamin Wright, Prairie View

Doubles

Champion, Donald Bennett and Benjamin Wright, Prairie View A&M. Runner-Up, Clarence Wright and Steven Wright, Arkansas AM&N (6-3) (6-2)

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By One Point

#### Rifle Team Defeats Southern Univ.

he nine (9) members of the low: ROTC Rifle Team here at Prair-'e View A&M College, Prairie view. Texas defeated their opponents from Southern Univerity by a score of 1077 to 1076 This small margin of one point represents the definite compeition but on by both these eams in a concentrated effort o be the victor.

The team ended the week on composition "Shoulder to Shoulder" type of Washington scored the one fect playing record, winning all match which encompassed such positions as the Prone, Kneeling, and Standing for possible score of 300 points per person. The individual high scorer is a member of the Southern University Squad; Cadet Wolfe was able to 7ather 246 points to outshoot Prairie View's top firer in the person of C/1st Sergeant Joseph Dickson, who tallied only 244

> Both teams are relatively voung and have not been able to weld themselves into the type club desired. However, as the results will indicate, both clubs are well on their ways to much success in rifle matches. Others who contributed highly on both

In its first home rifle match, ends of the field are listed be-

#### PRAIRIE VIEW

- 1. Williams, 233
- 2. Glover, 203
- 3. Hall, 208
- 4. Mayes, 190
- 5. Hayes, 177
- 6. Lewis, 172
- 7. Reed, 189
- 8. Hopkins, 168 9. Dickson, - 244

#### SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY

- McKinley, 200
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   Stull, 202

- 4. Chiphe, 143
- 6. Wolfe, 246
- 5. Matthews, 216

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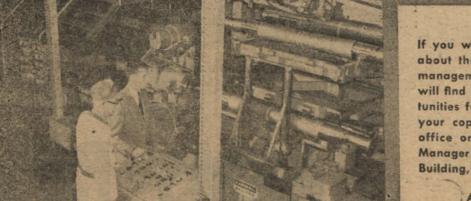
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