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Langston, Oklahoma

FEBRUARY 17-24, 1967

Tuberculin skin tests were administered to Langston University faculty and students on Monday and Tuesday, February 13-14. Dr. R. L. Carpenter and staff will be on campus Thursday, February 16, to read tests given on Monday. Tests given Tuesday, February 14, will be read Friday, February 17. Dr. Carpenter and staff will be in the Student Union between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 3:00 p. m. If your skin test is not read on these days, it will have to be re-administered.

Meetings of Academic Organizations will be held on Friday morning, February 17, at ten o'clock.

Albert L. Scott, a 1934 vocational agriculture graduate of the University, died in Idabel on February 12 after a long period of illness. Scott, who was graduated from L'Ouverture High School in McAlester in 1930, established an enviable record at Langston as an outstanding quarterback. The greater portion of his professional life was spent teaching and working with the youth in Idabel. Funeral services for Mr. Scott are scheduled for 11:00 a. m., Saturday, at the Booker T. Washington High School, Idabel, Oklahoma.

Mr. O. C. Arnett, Coyle grocer and service station operator, is again assisting in promotion of the Langston University Development Foundation's financial campaign. Mr. Arnett will contribute to the Foundation five cents for each gallon of gasoline sold during the week February 20-25. A similar program was instituted during the 1966 campaign when Mr. Arnett contributed a percentage from sale of groceries over a designated period. "Langston University is the financial and cultural backbone of this entire area," Arnett said. "In my small way I want to show my appreciation for the great progress being made and the solid contribution the Institution is making to the surrounding communities particularly the Town of Coyle. I can't do much but what I can do I will do."

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity will officially welcome new freshmen and transfer students, Friday, February 17, in the Ballroom of the Student Union beginning at 8:30 p. m.

Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society is presenting a panel discussion on the Draft System Saturday, February 18, at 10:00 a. m. in the Ballroom of the Student Union. Such topics as the following will be discussed: "New Draft Rules and Their Applications", "Dodging the Draft", and "Women in the Draft." Members of the Langston University family are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

University Senate Meeting will be held Saturday, February 18, in Room 201, Administration Building.

The last three games of the season will be played away from the campus: February 18, Northeastern at Tahlequah; February 24, Northwestern at Alva; and February 25, Phillips at Enid.

Dr. Jno. W. Coleman, University Chaplain, will deliver the sermon for Morning Meditations on Sunday, February 19. He will speak to worshipers on the subject, "Things That Might Have Been." You have a special invitation to attend church Sunday.

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Movies for the Week: Sunday, February 19, "Help!" at 4 p. m.; Wednesday, February 22, at 7 p. m., "The Glass Bottom Boat."

The University Men Dormitory Council in its effort to promote better social behavior has elected a new slate of officers for the second semester. The new officers are as follows: President, Joe Gibson; Vice President, Kenneth Roland; Secretary, Garfield Thompson; Assistant Secretary Jerome Lane; Treasurer, Kenneth Spears; and, Reporter, Cornell Nash.

The Great Books Discussion Group for students will meet on Monday, February 20, at 7 p. m. in the Faculty Lounge of the G. L. Harrison Library. All participants are asked to read books six and seven of Plato's REPUBLIC for discussion on February 20.

The "New Folk", a lively new sound and spirit in folk music, will perform on campus Monday night, February 20 at eight o'clock in the Student Union. This group has toured various campuses in the United States and Canada.

All organizations that plan to sponsor record hops in the Ballroom of the Student Union should contact James Hall, the campus disk jockey, for records one week prior to the date of the social. There will be a number of records (45 r. p. m.) given as prizes at many of the record hops during the semester.

Presidents of residence halls should give their residence hall counselor a list of games they want in their dormitory. Your counselor will send the list to Miss Gloria D. Prewitt, Director of the Residence Hall Program. The deadline for submitting the list to Miss Prewitt is February 24.

A new book on Negro history, Crispus Attucks: Boy of Valor, is a current addition to the Negro Collection at Langston University. The author of the book is Mrs. Dharathula Millender of Gary, Indiana, whose daughter, Justine, is a sophomore in the Department of Elementary Education at the University. President Hale stated that the Negro Collection Room in the new Library Annex will be named for the late Dr. M. B. Tolson, one of Langston University's most outstanding professors.

Mrs. Joy Flasch, Langston University Assistant Professor, has been commissioned by the Twayne publishers to write a critical biography of the late M. B. Tolson for the publishers United States Authors Series. Mrs. Flasch expects to begin writing during the summer of 1967 with January 1, 1969, as the target date for completion of the book. Mrs. Flasch is on leave this year studying toward the Doctor's degree under Title III of the Higher Education Act of 1965.

Recruiters will be on campus on the following dates: February 20, Prudential Insurance Company, Oklahoma City; February 21, Donrey Media Group, John Whitt, Personnel Director, Ft. Smith, Arkansas, for journalism, marketing, accounting, and English majors; February 22, Green Giant Company, Belvidere, Illinois, for permanent and summer employment; February 23, William R. Wilson, Bureau of Federal Credit Unions, Social Security Administration, Norman, for accounting majors.