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THE LANGSTON LETTER is published each Thursday primarily for the interest of the Langston University faculty, staff and students.

MARCH 10-17

March 9

Concert - Reverend Joe Edwards, Baritone, 8:00 P.M., I. W. Young Auditorium. Reverend Edwards was formerly a member of the "Wings Over Jordan" Choir. At present he is Pastor of the Providence Church of the Nazarene in Oklahoma City.

March 10

Departmental Meetings which include faculty and students will be held Friday morning, at ten o'clock. These meetings are designed to provide opportunity for discussion of common problems including applying for graduate study, employment, department plans, curricular changes, recent literature and research emphases, new developments in the field, etc.

All-School Pre-Dawn Dance is scheduled for Friday night (12:00-3:00 a.m.) in the Ballroom of the William H. Hale Student Union. Music by "The Magnificent Seven" from Tulsa, Oklahoma.

March 9,10,11

Job Interviews. Personnel from the PEACE CORPS will be on campus to interview students interested in joining this service organization. Interviews will be held in the Student Union.

March 11

State Formal Alumni Ball, Persian Room, Skirvin Hotel, Oklahoma City, from 9:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. Faculty, staff and seniors are invited.

March 12 - FOUNDERS DAY

- 10:00 a.m. Morning Meditations, I. W. Young Auditorium
- 11:30 a.m. Annual Meeting - Board of Directors - Langston University Development Foundation
- 2:30 p.m. Founders Day Program. Lt. Colonel George M. Hubbard, class of 1940, will be the guest speaker. Colonel Hubbard is currently serving as Public Service Director of the City of Riverside, California. First report of Fund Raising Campaign will be made.
- 4:00 p.m. Movie: "Around the World Under the Sea"

Art Exhibition -- Exhibit of Contemporary Paintings in Page Hall Art Gallery 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m. The Brothers of Beta Kappa Chapter will join with Brothers over the state in the observance of Founders Day of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. Special Founders Day Vespers will be held in the I. W. Young Auditorium.

March 13

Recruiters from Miami, Florida school system will be on campus beginning at 9:00 a.m. Teachers are being sought in all teaching fields. Interviews will be conducted in the Student Union.

Gandy Hall-Residence Halls Program. "Family Life in Jordan." The discussion will be led by Miss Ibtihaj Arafat at 9:30 p.m.

The second meeting of the University Council at 7 p.m. in the Ballroom of the Student Union. Special Features: 1. Report of the University's Representatives--Miss Charlesetta Henry, Mr. William Huling and Mrs. A. L. Fisher--to the Phelps-Stokes Conference on Automation held in Atlanta, Georgia, February 24-26. (2) Report of President William H. Hale on "Plans for Future Development of Langston University." The membership of the University Council is made up of students who are elected by their classes to represent them on the University's Standing Committees of Faculty and Students and members of the Faculty Senate.

March 14

Recruiters for teachers in all teaching fields: Guthrie, Oklahoma, school system - 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. St. Louis, Missouri, school system - 1:30 p.m. -4:30 p.m.

March 15

Recruiters from A.A. Fishback, Geological Survey, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Interested in majors in chemistry and mathematics.

Wednesday Assembly. Visiting Scientist Program -- 10:00 a.m.

Faculty Great Books Discussion Group will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the Faculty Lounge of the Library. ~~BOOK FOR DISCUSSION: SONGS OF THE VOLSUNGS.~~ All faculty and staff members are invited to participate. For additional information, see Mr. Clark, Librarian.

March 15-31

Art Exhibition - Oriental Art. Page Hall Art Gallery, daily, 9:00 a.m. - 4 p.m. This exhibit is being made possible through a Title III of the Higher Education Act of 1965 grant.

March 16

Recruiters from Tulare, California, school system. Interested in all teaching fields. 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

March 17

Recruiters - Federal Services Day. Representatives from many of the Federal Services will be on campus. U. S. Army Recruiters will also be on campus on this date.

10:00 A.M. - Meetings of Academic Organizations. Departmental clubs, honorary fraternities and other academic organizations are scheduled to meet during this time to plan activities and share professional experiences.

NOTES OF INTEREST

Barry Breaux, son of Dean and Mrs. Inman A. Breaux of our faculty, is one of the 292 outstanding Negro students winning four-year college scholarships in the third National Achievement Scholarship Program. The aid given to each student is individually determined according to his need and may range from \$250 to \$1,500 per year.

President William H. Hale was notified by the Office of the Small Business Administration in Washington D. C. this week of his two-year appointment to the Oklahoma Small Business Advisory Council. The selection of President Hale for this important assignment was based on recognition of his knowledge of and interest in the small business program and his ability to make a substantial contribution to the Advisory Council.

Dr. Daniel Wynn, class of 1941, who is presently serving as Executive Secretary of the Board of Education of the Methodist Church in Nashville, Tennessee, has just published another book entitled TIME-LESS ISSUES. Dr. Wynn has served as Chaplain at Tuskegee Institute and has visited the campus in recent years as keynote speaker for Religious Emphasis Week.

Mrs. Theresa Williams Abram, class of 1941, author of the book ABRAM'S TREASURERS will be honored as "The Outstanding Member of the Year" by the National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Gamma Epsilon Chapter, Sunday, March 12, 1967 from 3:00 - 6:00 p.m., McFarland Branch, YWCA, 1701 North Eastern, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

FOUNDATION CONTRIBUTIONS. All contributions made to the Langston University Development Foundation for this year's campaign by MARCH 10 will be included in the printed report to be issued on Founders Day, March 12, 1967.

As of March 8, the faculty had pledged \$5,360. Received already from classes: Seniors, \$75.25; Juniors, \$53.50; Sophomores, \$3.00; Freshmen, \$31.00; Special, \$1.70. Total, \$134.45. From student organizations: Choir, \$170.00; Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, \$105.00

NOTICE OF UPWARD BOUND GRANT OF \$151,271 was received by President Hale from the Office of Economic Opportunity recently. The grant makes possible a 1967 summer program for 134 high school students who have potential for college or post secondary education. The 1967-68 academic year program will involve 100 high school students and will include two weekly tutoring sessions and one weekly tele-lecture. The program includes in-class and out-of-class experiences for these students.

NEW CONSTRUCTION. The Atlas Organization of Oklahoma City has been awarded the contract for construction of the three buildings (Music, Science-Technology, and Library Annex) and redecoration of the Auditorium and the Library. Construction is expected to begin within the next few weeks.

CLEAN UP DAY. The brothers of Alpha Pi Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity are asking all fellow Greek-letter organizations and students to join them in a "Clean-Up of the Campus". Starting place for the Clean-Up is the I. W. Young Auditorium at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 11. Let us all take part in the "Clean-Up for our Founders Day celebration.