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PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPT.
Langston, Oklahoma

JULY 1-7, 1967

SATURDAY - JULY 1

A Social Affair for college students will be held in the William H. Hale Student Union from 8:30-11:30 p. m.

SUNDAY - JULY 2

Religious Activities. Because of the Independence Day holidays, Sunday School and Morning Meditations will not be held.

Movie. Remodeling of the I. W. Young Auditorium will necessitate the showing of movies for the month of July in the William H. Hale Student Union. The movie for this evening will be "The Heroes of Telemark" starring Kirk Douglass and Richard Harris. The movie is under the auspices of the Residence Halls Program and is free.

TUESDAY - JULY 4

"Fourth of July" Celebration. Starting at six o'clock in the evening a picnic will be held on the Tennis Court for all members of the Langston University family.

Movie. A movie, "Captain Newman" starring Tony Curtis, will be shown in the Ballroom. This movie is also sponsored by the Residence Halls Program and is free.

WEDNESDAY - JULY 5

"Wednesday at the Movies" will feature the film "Straight Jacket" beginning at 8 p. m. in the Student Union.

FRIDAY - JULY 7

THE PORGY AND BESS SINGERS. Langston University's Fine Arts Series will present The Porgy and Bess Singers in concert at 8:00 p. m. in the I. W. Young Auditorium. The Porgy and Bess Singers are a trio of singers who have been featured in concerts throughout the United States. The group features Avon Long, Lucia Hawkins, and Lavern Hutcherson.

Avon Long first achieved fame with his outstanding portrayal of "Sportin' Life" in the Broadway production of "Porgy and Bess".

Lucia Hawkins, offers a voice of real beauty and musical line that is flowing and wonderfully colorful. Miss Hawkins toured as soloist with the Leonard DePaul Chorus.

Lavern Hutcherson received high critical acclaim for his performance as Joe, the original tenor lead in the famed Broadway production of "Carmen Jones".

ITEMS OF INTEREST . . .

Offsprings, between the ages of 18 and 22, of retired, disabled, or deceased parents who have worked under Social Security may now receive benefits if they are enrolled in a recognized educational institution. Students who are already receiving Social Security checks on this basis need to make a report of intention to return to school in the fall. If a form has not been received in the mail asking about future school plans, students who qualify for this benefit should stop by the Social Security Office.

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Miss Andrew Lee Brooks, a sophomore at Langston University, is "Miss Debutante of 1967". Thirty-six debutantes were presented by the Nu Vista Club of Oklahoma City on Saturday, June 17. The affair is a fund-raising project of the Club to establish a Langston University Loan Fund for students. Leading the royal procession were President William H. Hale and Miss Barbara Jean Johnson, "Miss Deb of 1966". President Hale was selected as outstanding citizen of 1967 and King and Marshall of the 1967 presentation.

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Leroy W. Kirk, class of 1948, was recently promoted to the position of Deputy Equal Opportunity Officer at Tinker Field's Air Materiel Area. In coordination with the Civilian Personnel Office, he will assist in implementing the OCAMA Equal Employment Opportunity Program; deal with agencies who are seeking to enhance the equality of their opportunity programs; receive and investigate complaints of discrimination and will serve as Executive Secretary of OCAMA's EEO Committee.

Before his elevation to this position, Kirk was programmer in Data Services Division of the Comptroller and since 1962 has been a Computer System Analyst.

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An Oklahoman and a Kansan will be featured in THE ANDERSON PLATOON a CBS News Special. The day-to-day terror and tedium facing front-line Americans at war in Vietnam will be seen Tuesday, the fourth of July, at 9:00 P.M. on KWTW, Channel 9.

The film, originally broadcast on French television (and later throughout Europe and Great Britain) is named for Captain Joseph B. Anderson, a 24-year old graduate of U. S. Military Academy at West Point - a Negro and a native of Topeka, Kansas. The Platoon Sergeant is Kemper Watson, of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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