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NO DEFENSE EXCEPT IN HIGHEST DEVELOPMENT

There is no defense or security for any of us except in the highest intelligence and development of all. If anywhere there are efforts tending to curtail the fullest growth of the Negro, let these efforts be turned into stimulating, encouraging, and making him the most useful and intelligent citizen. Effort or means so invested will pay a thousand per cent interest. Those efforts will be twice blessed - "blessing him that gives and him that takes."

--Booker T. Washington

OFFICIAL MEETINGS

1. Coordinating Committee, Tuesday, June 19, 3:00 p m, A207.
2. General faculty, Thursday, June 21, 3:00 p m, A206.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE

1. Get quarter sheets and class record book sheets from the Registrar's Office Tuesday, June 19. Enroll all students for whom you have received cards from the Registrar's Office.
2. Return to the Office of the Dean by Wednesday, June 20, cards of all students who have never reported to your class.
3. Chapel will be held regularly on Monday and Thursday at 10:00 a.m.
4. Special convocations for Institutes will be held on Monday, June 18, Monday, June 25, and Friday, June 29, at 7:00 p.m.

MEAL HOURS AND CLASSES

The cafeteria will serve three meals daily through June 29. Beginning June 30 only two meals will be served per day. When three meals are being served the 12-2 classes will meet from 1-2. When two meals are being served, the 12-2 classes will meet from 12-1.

SUMMER ENROLLMENT STATISTICS

According to the Registrar's Office figures as of June 15, the distribution of students for the Summer Quarter is as follows: graduates, 168; seniors, 134; juniors, 150; sophomores, 94; freshmen, 68; special, 34; total, 648. Of this number, 147 are men and 501 are women.

SUMMER COMMENCEMENT

Students completing requirements for master's or bachelor's degrees as of July or as of August, 1945, will participate in the Summer Commencement to be held on Sunday, August 19, at 3:30 p m. Dr Rufus E Clement, President of Atlanta University, will deliver the address.

ACCREDITING ASSOCIATIONS

The two Nation-wide and five regional voluntary accrediting associations do not exist for the sole purpose of accrediting institutions. They were set up in part to serve as mediums for the interchange of information of mutual interest. In time, accreditation became one of their chief activities. The Association of American Universities, one of these Nation-wide agencies, accredits colleges and universities for the specific purpose of providing its membership (composed of 34 universities) with a list of institutions which are adequately equipped to prepare students for admission into the graduate schools of the Association's membership. The Association has accredited 318 institutions distributed through the United States.

The other Nation-wide accrediting association is the American Association of Teachers Colleges, which is concerned only with those institutions offering teacher-education programs. Its chief purpose in accrediting is to provide a list of institutions equipped to train teachers adequately for the several educational levels. The Association has accredited 185 teacher-education institutions, 29 of which it accredits also for their graduate instruction.

The five regional accrediting associations, representing as many geographical divisions of the country, accredit institutions for purposes of improving higher educational standards in the areas they cover, guiding prospective students in their choice of institutions, and aiding institutions in their relationships with one another and with secondary schools. The regional associations accredit a total of 854 institutions distributed as follows:

Middle State Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, 153, consisting of 128 colleges, 17 junior colleges, and 8 teachers colleges, located in 5 States and the District of Columbia.

New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools (this is not an accrediting association, but its requirements for admission to membership have the effect of standards for accrediting.), 57, consisting of 48 colleges and 9 junior colleges, located in 6 States.

North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, 310, comprising 262 colleges and universities and 48 junior colleges, located in 20 States.

Northwest Association of Secondary and Higher Schools, 78, divided into 62 colleges, 5 normal schools, and 11 junior colleges, located in 7 States and the Territory of Alaska.

Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, 256, located in 11 States, consisting of: 143 colleges, 3 of which are on probation; 60 junior colleges, 1 of which is on probation; 44 colleges for Negroes, 28 class A and 16 class B; and 9 junior colleges for Negroes, 4 class A and 5 class B.