

GREAT AND GOOD

It is good to be a great man; it is great to be a good man.

-- William C Kiessel, Jr, U S Army

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE

1. Ninth week grades of veterans are to be reported to directors and from directors to the Office of Veterans Affairs not later than Saturday, March 2.
2. Examinations for the Spring Quarter will begin March 12 and end March 15.
3. Registration for the Spring Quarter will be Monday and Tuesday, March 18-19.
4. There will be a general faculty meeting Tuesday, February 26, at 3:00 p m in A300.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF TEACHERS COLLEGES

Dean George W Gore, Jr represented the institution at a meeting of the American Association of Teachers Colleges in session at Hotel Cleveland, Cleveland, Ohio, February 21-24. A and I State College is one of five Negro institutions holding membership in the Association which is composed of approximately two hundred and fifty colleges and schools of education. Other Negro colleges holding membership are Cheyney Teachers College (Pennsylvania), Stowe Teachers College (Missouri), Minor Teachers College (Washington) and Wilberforce University (Ohio).

COACH KEAN WRITES ON PHYSICAL FITNESS

"During the early days of World War II we were greatly alarmed at the physical condition of our citizens, something had to be done if our manpower was to match the enemy", is the observation of Arthur W Kean, Director of Health and Physical Education, Tennessee A and I State College at Nashville in the March edition of Campus Life in his timely discussion "Federal Supervision - The Shortest Way to National Physical Fitness."

FOUR ELECTED TO THE HALL OF FAME

Four persons have been elected to the Hall of Fame for Great Americans at New York University. Those chosen are: (1) Booker T Washington, educator, first Negro elected to the Hall of Fame; (2) Thomas Paine, writer of the American Revolutionary period; (3) Walter Reed, Army doctor, investigator of yellow fever; and Sidney Lanier, poet. Bronze busts of these four men will soon be placed in the colonnade on the University Heights campus. The election brings to 77 the number of historical figures chosen for the honor since the Hall of Fame was founded in 1900.

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ENROLLMENTS IN TEACHERS COLLEGES

Data released late in December by the American Association of Teachers Colleges showed that the enrollment in the 156 member institutions was only about 62 percent of the enrollment in these institutions on October 1, 1941. During this 4-year period, Montana, with one institution, suffered the greatest loss - 85 percent. The only State showing an increase for these years was Alabama, with a gain of 3 percent.

The total enrollment figures reported for the 156 teachers colleges covering the period October 1, 1941, to October 15, 1945, were as follows:

Enrollment, October 1, 1941	106,960
Enrollment, October 1, 1943	52,869
Enrollment, October 15, 1945	66,803
Percentage of decrease, 1941-45	37.5
Percentage of decrease, 1941-43	50.6
Percentage of increase, 1943-45	26.3

The greatest period of loss for the 156 members of the association was from 1941 to 1943, the loss being about 51 percent. The greatest loss for a single State during these 2 years was an 81 percent decrease in the enrollment of Montana State Normal College, and the next greatest loss - 76 percent - was for the 3 teacher-education institutions of South Dakota. The smallest State loss during the period was 20 percent, reported for the 6 teachers colleges of New Jersey.

There was a general increase in enrollment from 1943 to 1945, the percentages running from 1 percent for the 2 teachers colleges of Indiana to 88 percent for the 4 teachers colleges of Tennessee. The only States showing decreased during this 2-year period were: Montana, 32 percent; Maryland, 15 percent; South Dakota, 14 percent; and Nebraska, about 1 percent. No loss or gain was shown for the 3 teachers colleges of North Dakota.

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WORKSHOPS

A workshop is not a place where distinctive orthodoxy
 Is nil -
 At least so say Diederich (Paul B) and William
 Van Til.
 Workshops must grapple with problems which really grip
 Participants;
 Anathema are warmed-over courses or educational boondoggling
 For sissy pants.

Two young authors have done some shooting from the hip in The Workshop, a pamphlet jointly sponsored by the American Education Fellowship and the Bureau for Intercultural Education. Within brief compass they attempt to bring some order out of chaos in thinking about workshops, describe what they believe to be essential characteristics of a workshop, and examine what makes the wheels go 'round. The pamphlet is published by Hines, Hayden, and Eldredge, 105 Fifth Avenue, New York 3.

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