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HONORING RETIREES. . .

HAS BECOME A TRADITION WITH TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY OVER THE YEARS. THIS YEAR IS NO EXCEPTION. AND ALTHOUGH WE HATE TO SEE THEM LEAVE THE ENVIRONS OF THE UNIVERSITY, DEPARTING FROM THE CAPACITIES IN WHICH WE HAVE BECOME USED TO SEEING THEM OPERATE, WE HOPE THAT WE CAN CONTINUE TO HAVE THEM AROUND FOR A LONG TIME TO COME FOR THEIR ADVICE AND CHARMING COMPANY. THE UNIVERSITY IS STARTING THE NEW RETIREES OFF IN THEIR NEW ROLES WITH A TESTIMONIAL RECEPTION TO BE HELD TUESDAY, APRIL 27 FROM 7 TO 9 P. M. IN THE STUDENT UNION IRIS ROOM. THIS YEAR'S HONOREES ARE MISS LOIS DANIEL, DIRECTOR OF UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES; JAMES FRANKLIN, PHYSICAL PLANT; JIM LEWIS, COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICES; MISS ANNA MONTINART, UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICES; WILL ED OFFICER, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY DEPARTMENT; DR. WILLIAM J. SIMMONS, UNIVERSITY MINISTER; AND MRS. ALBERTA WATKINS, UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICES. ALL MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY ARE INVITED TO COME TO THE TESTIMONIAL RECEPTION FOR OUR 1976 FACULTY AND STAFF RETIREES.

"SOCIOLOGY OF THE HOSPITAL"...

IS TITLE OF THE TALK TO BE GIVEN BY DR. RALPH HINES OF MEHARRY MEDICAL COLLEGE AT 2 P. M. THURSDAY, APRIL 29 IN THE WOMEN'S BUILDING AUDITORIUM. DR. HINES' APPEARANCE HERE IS BEING SPONSORED BY THE SOCIOLOGY CLUB, EVELYN BELL, ACTING PRESIDENT.

TWO FIRSTS...

WERE AWARDED THE UNIVERSITY COUNSELING CENTER'S MRS. MILDRED CROUCH RECENTLY WHEN SHE WAS APPOINTED BY MAYOR RICHARD FULTON TO WHAT HE TERMS THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS ORGANIZATION IN THE STATE, THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION. MRS. CROUCH IS NOT ONLY THE FIRST BLACK TO BE APPOINTED TO THIS COMMISSION BUT ALSO, THE FIRST WOMAN.

ACADEMIC AND CO-CURRICULAR AWARDS DAY...

WILL BE OBSERVED THURSDAY, APRIL 29 WITH THE ANNUAL ACADEMIC AWARDS CONVOCATION SET FOR 10 A. M. IN THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AUDITORIUM AND THE CO-CURRICULAR AWARDS BANQUET TO BE HELD AT 7:30 P. M. IN THE MARY WILSON HALL CAFETERIA. DR. LEVI WATKINS, SENIOR RESIDENT IN CARDIAC SURGERY AT BALTIMORE MARYLAND'S JOHNS HOPKINS HOSPITAL AND RESEARCH FELLOW AT JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY WILL BE CONVOCATION SPEAKER. DR. WATKINS IS A 1966 GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY AND FORMER STUDENT COUNCIL PRESIDENT. BANQUET SPEAKER WILL BE VICE-PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS, DR. GEORGE PRUITT.

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BEING INITIATED...

INTO THE ORDER OF THE ENGINEER ON MONDAY, APRIL 26 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 3 AND 5 P. M. IN THE MARIE BROOKS STRANGE MUSIC BUILDING AUDITORIUM WILL BE 13 GRADUATING SENIORS AND FIVE FACULTY MEMBERS, ACCORDING TO AN ANNOUNCEMENT FROM SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY DEAN DR. EDWARD I. ISIBOR. STUDENTS TO BE INITIATED AND THEIR MAJORS ARE JOSEPH A. MORRIS, JR., ARCH. ENGIN.; GRADY D. MCNEAL, ARCH. ENGIN. L'TANYA CROOM, CIVIL ENGIN.; KARL W. WYALL, ELEC. ENGIN.; FLOYD GRAND-BERRY, MECH. ENGIN.; CHRISTIAN IKE OJI, CIVIL ENGIN.; AKBAR ARAB, CIVIL ENGIN.; JERRY B. INGRAM, ELEC. ENGIN.; PUAY HIN SEO, ELEC. ENGIN.; ANTHONY E. GIBBS, ELEC. ENGIN.; LAVERNE WILLIAMS, ELEC. ENGIN.; IMEH EQUERE, MECH. ENGIN.; AND JIMMY NALLS, MECH. ENGIN. THE FACULTY MEMBERS SHARING ORDER OF THE ENGINEER HONORS WILL BE CHARLES W. SUTHERLAND, DR. MICHAEL BUSBY AND DR. VADALI SASTRY OF THE MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT AND DR. JUDA ROZENBERG AND DR. RONALD JONES OF THE CIVIL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

KEEP IN MIND...

THE BANQUET OF CHAMPIONS, A \$20 PER PLATE AFFAIR, BEING SPONSORED BY THE BIG BLUE CLUB ON SATURDAY MAY 29 AT THE HYATT-REGENCY HOTEL AT 7:30 P. M. SPECIAL GUEST FOR THE OCCASION WILL BE PITTSBURGH STEELER PRO FOOTBALL PLAYER, LYNN SWANN. FOR TICKET INFORMATION PHONE EITHER MRS. KATIE GLOVER, EXT. 3473 OR MRS. CAROL WADE, EXT. 3445 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A. M. AND 4 P. M., MONDAYS THROUGH FRIDAYS.

A BICENTENNIAL FLAG...

WAS PRESENTED TO DR. FREDERICK S. HUMPHRIES, UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT BY U. S. REPRESENTATIVE CLIFFORD ALLEN AS PART OF FOUNDERS DAY CONVOCATION ACTIVITIES APRIL 19 IN RECOGNITION OF THE UNIVERSITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE NATIONALLY-HONORED TENNESSEE STATEWIDE CONSUMER EDUCATION PROGRAM. JAMES LEMONS, ALSO ON HAND FOR THE PRESENTATION HEADS TSU'S PORTION OF THE STATEWIDE PROJECT. THE FLAG WAS RAISED AFTER THE CEREMONY BY A CONTINGENT OF AFROTC DETACHMENT 790 CADETS.

A RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT...

FROM THE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT, DR. FREDERICK S. HUMPHRIES REVEALS THAT STATE APPROPRIATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEVERAL BUILDINGS ON THE CAMPUS. THESE INCLUDE THE NEW LIBRARY, APPROXIMATE COST OF WHICH IS \$2,350,164; THE BUILDING TO BE USED FOR RESEARCH AND INSTRUCTION BY THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS, \$1,678,810. BOTH OF THESE BUILDINGS ARE ON SOUTH CAMPUS. ON NORTH CAMPUS, ADDITIONS ARE BEING MADE TO THE HEATING PLANT FOR CENTRAL HEATING AND CHILLING. APPROXIMATE COST FOR THIS FACILITY IS \$1,024,119. APPROXIMATE COST OF THE GRADUATE SCHOOL WHICH WAS CONSTRUCTED IN 1967 WAS ALSO INDICATED IN THE ANNOUNCEMENT, \$795,000, ALONG WITH INFORMATION THAT SUGGESTIONS FOR NAMES FOR THESE BUILDINGS MAY BE MADE TO THE MERITORIOUS AWARDS COMMITTEE; MRS. MIRIAM G. TOWNS, CHAIRMAN, BOX 523, CAMPUS P. O. APPROPRIATE FORMS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF NAMES MAY BE OBTAINED FROM MRS. TOWNS ON REQUEST.

PAPERS WERE PRESENTED...

AT THE FOURTH ANNUAL XAVIER-MBS BIOMEDICAL SYMPOSIUM IN NEW ORLEANS, LA. EARLIER THIS MONTH, BY 10 STUDENTS AND TWO PROFESSORS FROM THE UNIVERSITY'S BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT. THE PAPERS WERE PRESENTED IN THE AREAS OF PROTOZOOLOGY, ENVIRONMENTAL CHEMISTRY, ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY, ANTI-MICROBIAL BIOLOGY, BOTANY, AND MICROBIOLOGY. STUDENTS PRESENTING PAPERS WERE HELEN BESTER, WILLIE BAILEY, HARVEY BOWLES, CAROLYN BOHLEN, NANCY GRAY, EUGENE GILES, SAMMIE HALE, ELBERT MYLES, GRETA WILLIAMS AND MICHAEL WINROW. PROFESSORS WHO PRESENTED PAPERS WERE DR. JAMES A. CAMPBELL AND DR. PREM S. KAHN. SEVEN ADDITIONAL STUDENTS AND DR. ROTHER JOHNSON ALSO ATTENDED THE SYMPOSIUM BUT DID NOT PRESENT PAPERS.

A SPRING FESTIVAL...

OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN ARTS WILL BE HELD SATURDAY, APRIL 24 AT HADLEY PARK FROM 12 NOON TO 8 P. M. ARTS AND CRAFTS, DANCE, DRAMATIC PRESENTATIONS, FASHIONS, LITERATURE AND POETRY. ON SUNDAY, APRIL 25, AT 3 P. M., AFRICAN STUDENTS WILL DIRECT A "CHURCH SERVICE" IN THE A-BL AUDITORIUM.