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Black Schools Conference, 1969

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ALABAMA AGRICULTURAL & MECHANICAL COLLEGE

MEMORANDUM

TO: Elementary and Secondary Principals, Guidance Counselors,
Teachers in Social Sciences, English and Reading, Librarians

FROM: Binford H. Conley, CEMBA Coordinator

SUBJECT: Conference for the Evaluation of Materials about Black Americans

The enclosed sheet of information describes a conference to be held at Alabama A. & M. College during the week of April 20 through 25, 1969. The purpose of the conference is to examine, evaluate, and recommend changes in instructional materials where needed to fully relate the proper historical perspective concerning black Americans.

Outstanding consultants in the fields of Children's Literature, History and the Humanities will speak at the general sessions scheduled at 11:00 a.m. on April 21, 22, and 23. Monday's speaker will be Mrs. Dharathula Millender, author, lecturer and librarian in the Gary, Indiana, school system. She will talk about children's literature. On Tuesday, Lerone Bennett, senior editor of EBONY Magazine and presently on the faculty of Northwestern University, will be featured. And on Wednesday, Saunders Redding, the eminent literary critic, historian and Professor of Creative Writing at Hampton Institute, will lecture. Mr. Redding is currently a Fellow in the Cooperative Humanities Program at Duke University.

I know that this information has already been sent out but I want to send a personal invitation to you at this time. Please utilize the registration form below to indicate whether you will be present.

Registration Form

() Yes, I will attend the conference as indicated below:

() General Session - 11:00 a.m. - April 21, 1969
"Elementary texts in all subjects"

() General Session - 11:00 a.m. - April 22, 1969
"Text books in Social Sciences" - secondary level

() General Session - 11:00 a.m. - April 23, 1969
"Humanities" - secondary level

() I would like to attend the small group discussion corresponding to the general session checked above, scheduled for the afternoon on the same day.

Please return registration form to:

Mr. Binford H. Conley, Coordinator	_____
CEMBA, Alabama A. & M. College	_____
Normal, Alabama 35762	_____

Name
Title
School

Names:

Alabama Agricultural
& Mechanical
College

Bennett, Lerone
Conley, Binford H.

Millender,
Dharathula, Mrs.
Redding, Saunders

Places:

Normal, AL

Types:

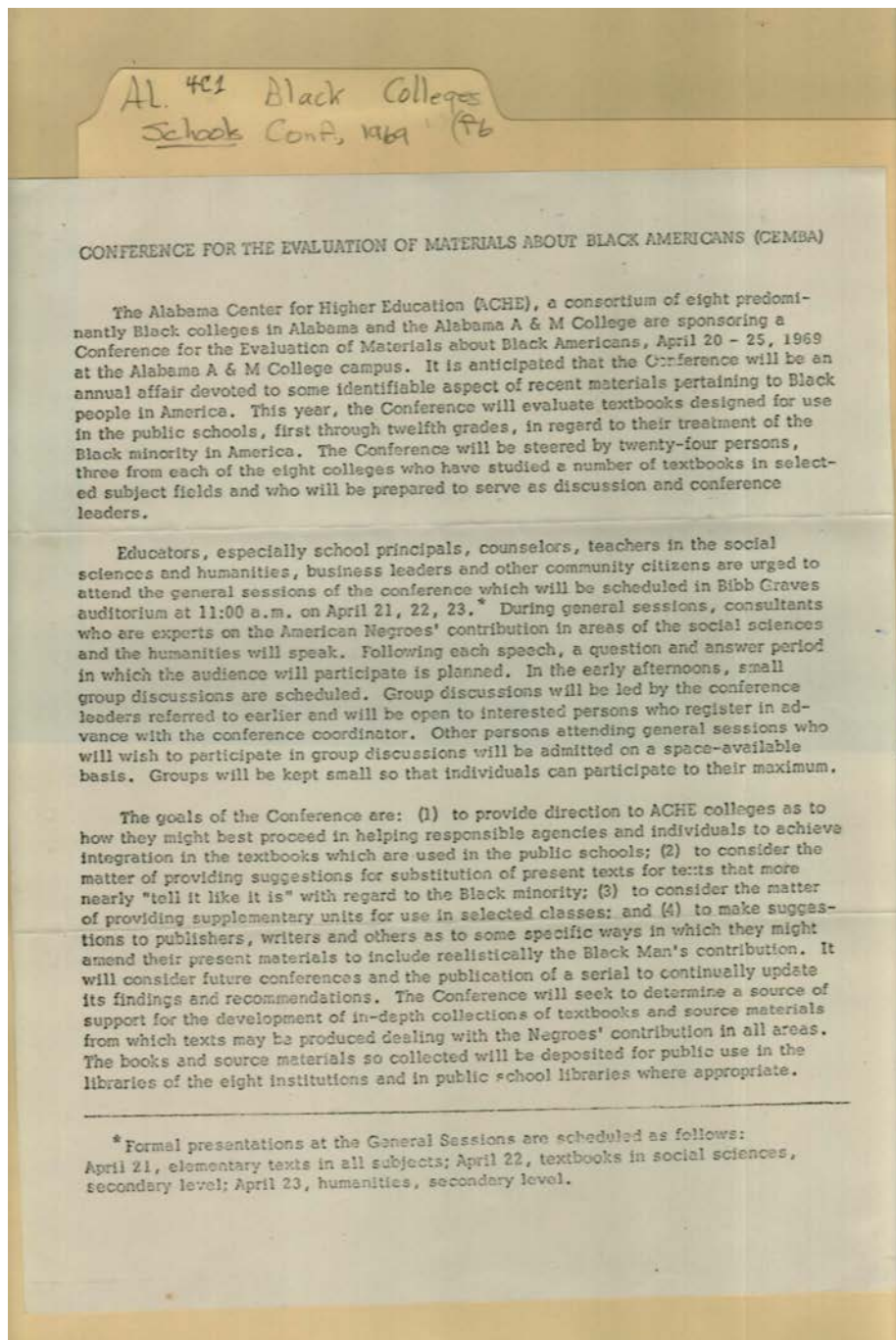
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Names:

ACHE Conference

Negroes' Contribution

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Normal, AL

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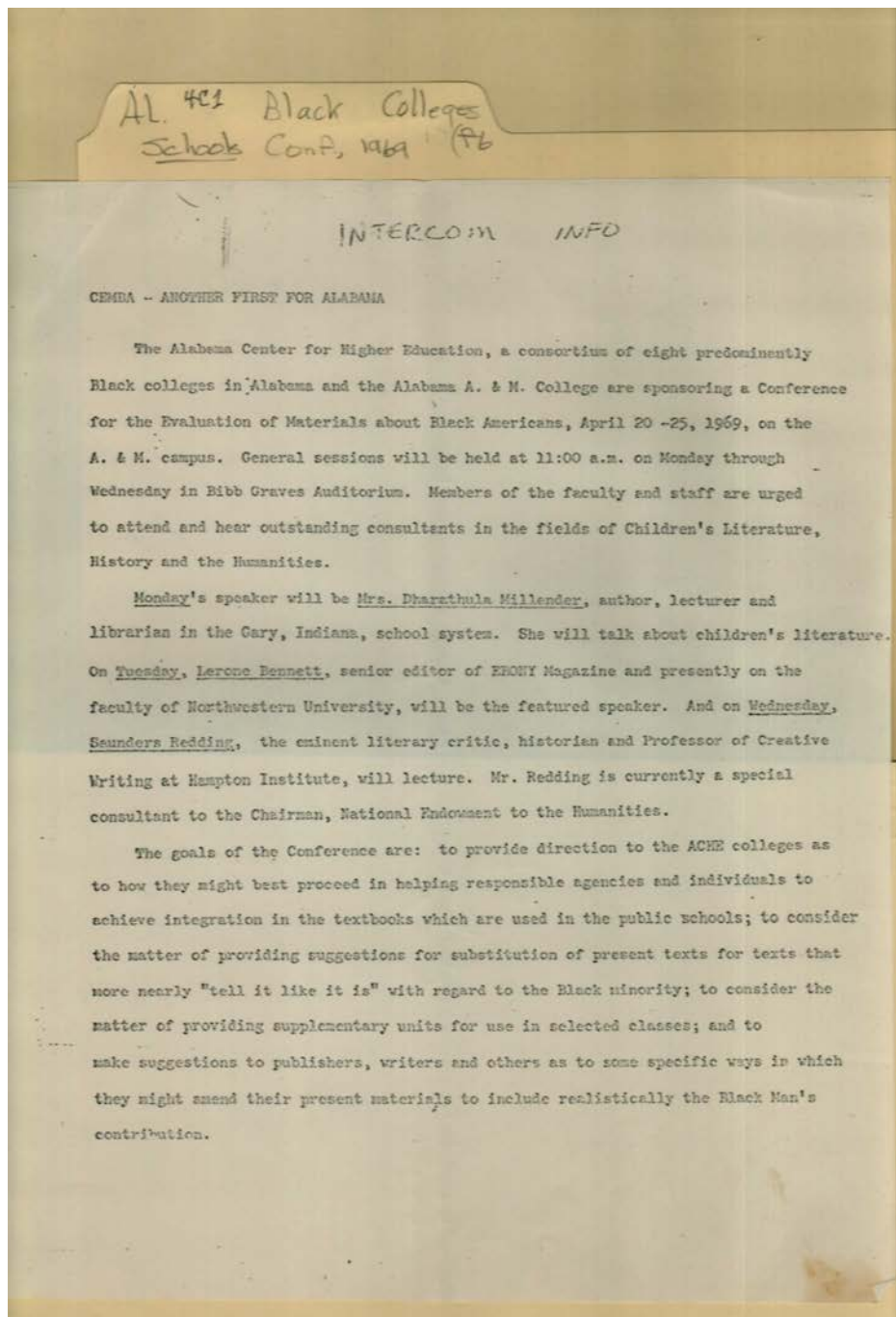
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CEMBA

Millender,
Dharathula, Mrs.

Redding, Saunders

Places:

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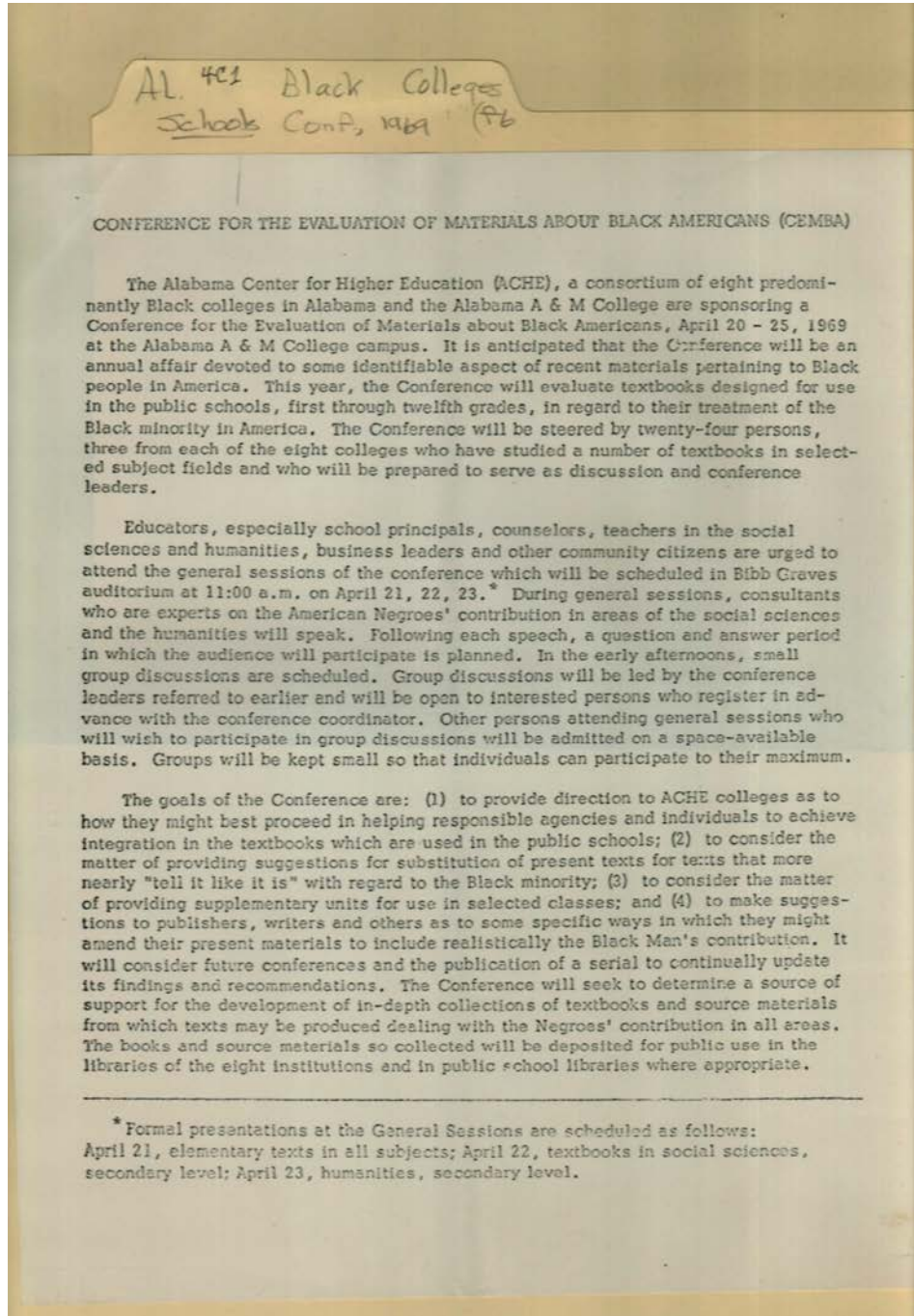
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ACHE

Alabama Center for
Higher Education

Places:

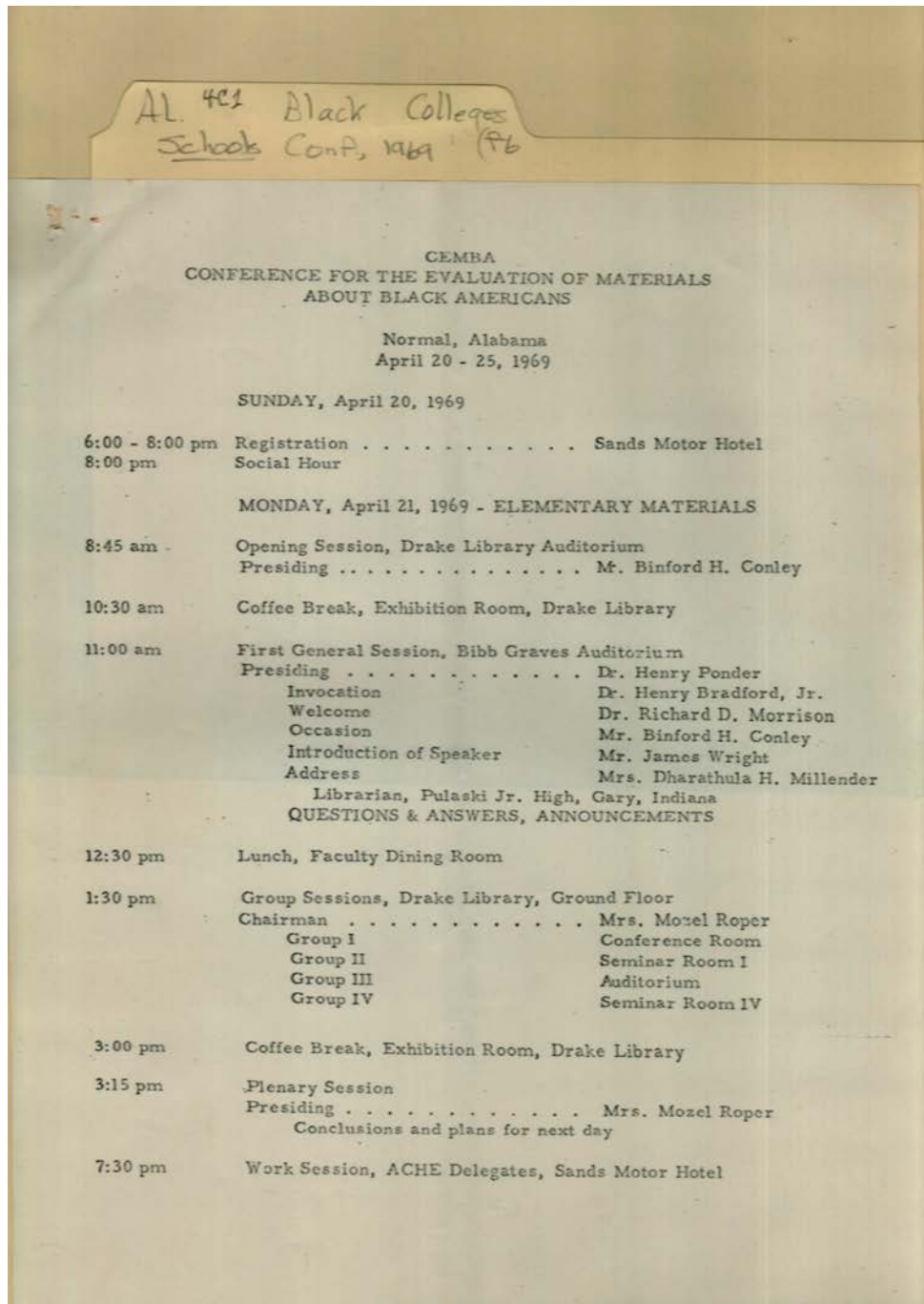
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conference

Dates:

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Names:

Bradford, Henry, Jr.,
Dr.
CEMBA Conference
for Material

Evaluation
Conley, Binford H.
Millender,
Dharathula, Mrs.

Morrison, Richard D.,
Dr
Ponder, Henry, Dr.
Roper, Mozell, Mrs.

Wright, James

Places:

Normal, AL

Types:

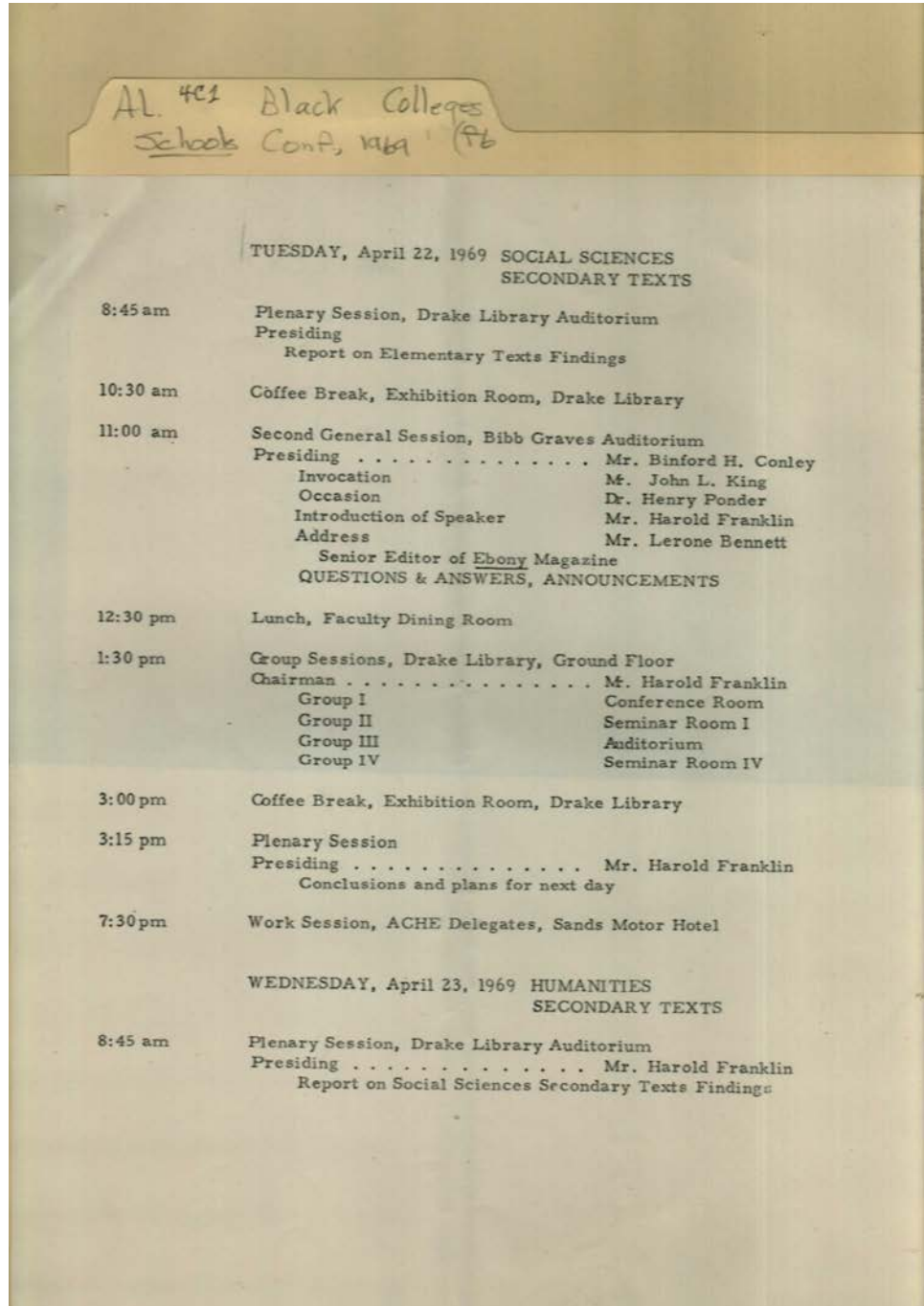
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Names:

Bennett, Lerone Franklin, Harold Ponder, Henry, Dr.
Conley, Binford H. King, John L.

Places:

Normal, AL

Types:

conference

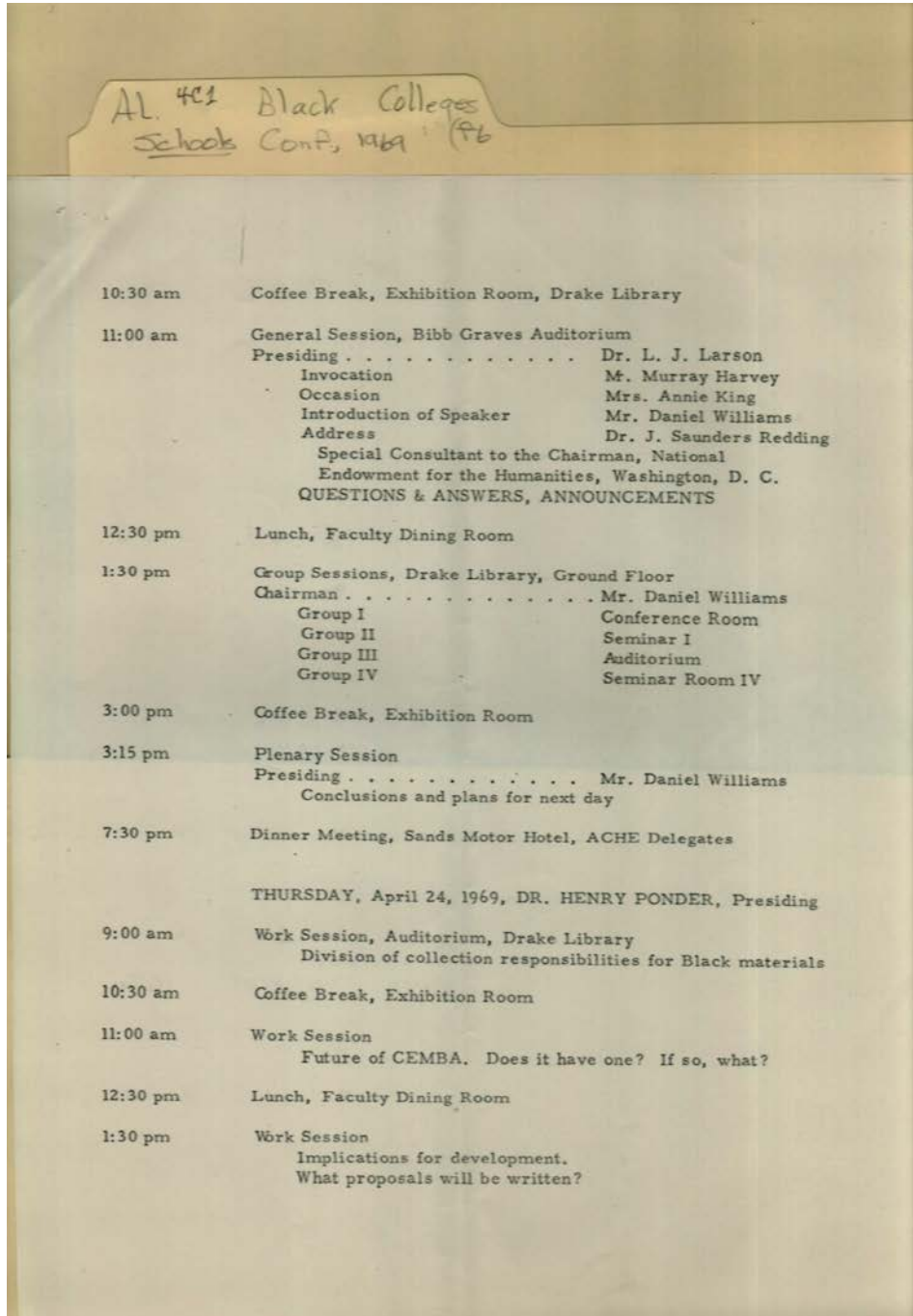
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Names:

Harvey, Murray
King, Annie, Mrs.

Larson, L. J., Dr.
Ponder, Henry, Dr.

Redding, J. Saunders,
Dr.

Williams, Daniel

Places:

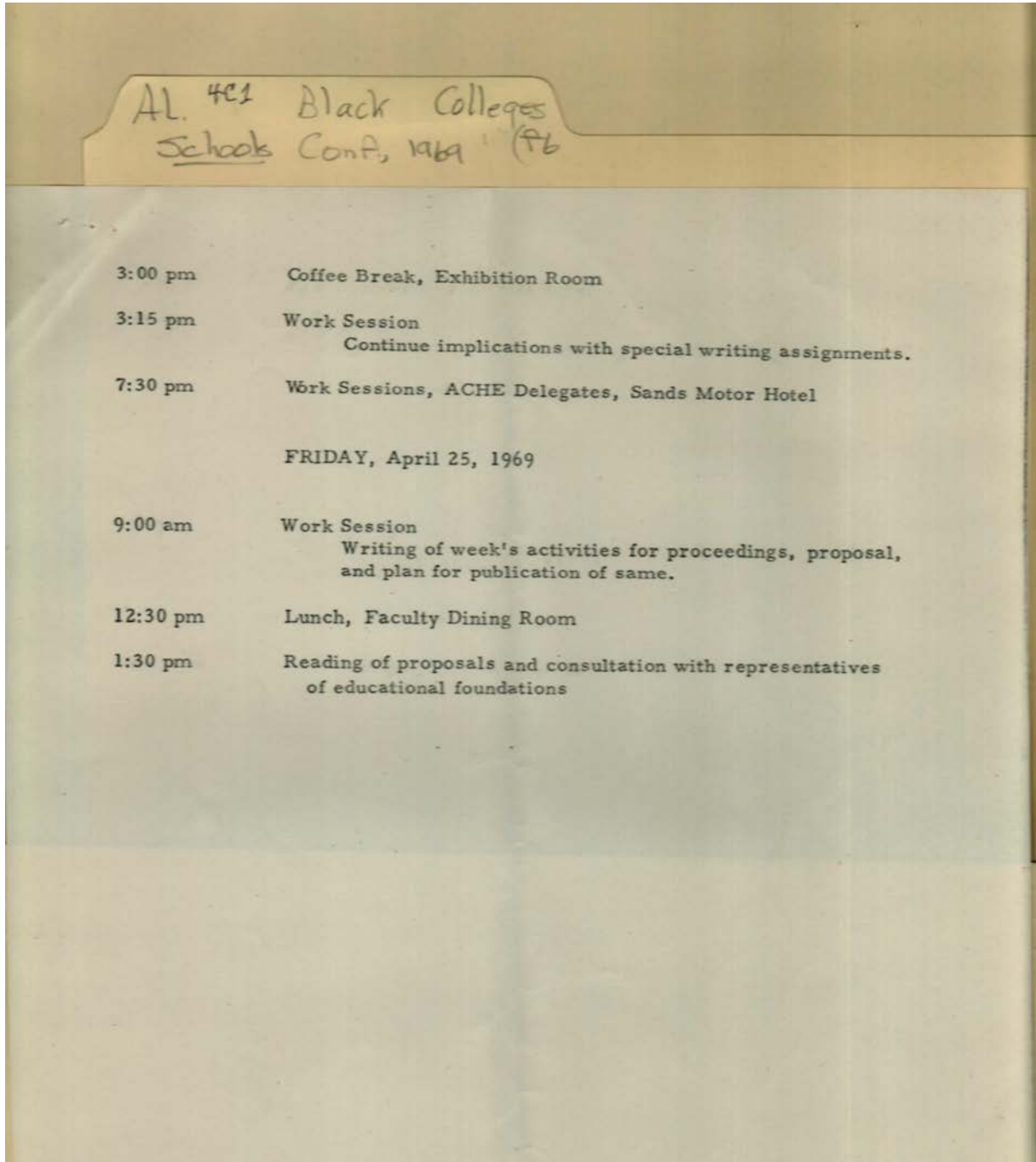
Normal, AL

Types:

conference

Dates:

Apr 22, 1969



Places:

Normal, AL

Types:

conference

Dates:

Apr 25, 1969

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Collection Scope and Content: The Collection of 114 Linear ft. includes a total of 156 Archival Boxes. The Frances Cabaniss Roberts collection covers the historical records of the Cabaniss Roberts family. This collection contains extensive correspondence records of the Cabaniss Roberts family circa 1830 to 1930.

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