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THE HON. BEN BARNES, Speaker of the Texas House, and three legislators paid a brief, fact-finding visit to the Graduate Research Center of the Southwest on September 7. Signing the guest register above is Rep. Maurice Pipkin of Brownsville. Left to right are Erik Jonsson, Chairman of the GRC Board of Governors, who welcomed the visitors; Speaker Barnes and Representative Pipkin; Vice Chancellor Raymond Vowell (State and Federal Affairs) of The University of Texas, who accompanied the legislators here; Rep. Ben Atwell of Dallas, and Rap. Bill Heatly of Paducah. During a luncheon and program for the visitors, GRC President Gifford K. Johnson spoke on plans for the advancement of graduate education; Prof. Anton L. Hales summarized research programs, and Prof. Daniel L. Harris explained how the Center shares its faculty resources with other regional institutions. Center Founder Eugene McDermott and Vice Presidents Bryghte D. Godbold and James S. Triolo also served as hosts to the visitors.

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