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To the class of '40:

To all of you—newcomers to Oxford and Miami—we extend a most earnest welcome. Here you will discover a wholesome, friendly community unique in its traditions and ideals and dedicated to the service of youth through the privileges of higher education. To help you profit in the fullest measure by these opportunities will be our earnest endeavor. To help you become acclimated to your new surroundings and feel really at home is first in our thoughts.

No doubt this is a brand new experience for you. For many weeks or months you will be experiencing radically new impressions. Relationships with fellow students and faculty members will stimulate your thinking and contribute to the sum of experiences and impressions which you are accumulating in preparation for your life work. You will find there are many activities and interests in college life which contribute in their way toward a well-balanced education. But keep uppermost the fact that mental training—scholarship—is at the very heart of the program and a very necessary part of any success you may attain. Incidentally, you will find that consistent application each day and a well planned program will enable you to keep abreast of your studies and permit time to share in worth-while extra-curricular activities without an undue burden.

This book is designed to introduce you to Miami life, ideals, policies, and spirit. We hope you will find it interesting and that it will prove to be of help to you.

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PRESIDENT A. H. UPHAM

THE PRESIDENT'S GREETING

To all new students:

When you decided to enter Miami University, you took one of the most important steps of your life. You take another when you actually register and begin your college experience here.

There is much that is collegiate about a modern high school. But you will still find many things here that are new to you: new friends, new methods of work, new liberties, and new responsibilities.

I beg of you not to take this important step carelessly. So much depends on getting a good start. So many college careers are made or broken in the first four or five weeks.

Get acquainted promptly with those whom the University has appointed to advise and help you. Attend to the instruction offered during Freshman Week. Help your freshman adviser to know you. Do not avoid your instructors; they want to be your friends.

The possibilities for a good, well-rounded education here are rich and abundant. It rests largely with you to take advantage of them.

Cordially yours,

A. H. UPHAM, President

Old Miami

Words, A. H. Upham—Music, R. H. Burke

(Alma Mater)

Old Miami, from thy hill crest
Thou hast watched the decades roll,
While thy sons have quested from thee
Sturdy hearted, pure of soul,

Old Miami! New Miami!
Days of old and days to be
Weave the story of thy glory,
Our Miami, here's to thee!

Aging in thy simple splendor,
Thou the calm and they the storm,
Thou didst give them joy in conquest,
Strength from thee sustained their arm.

Thou shalt stand a constant beacon,
Crimson towers against the sky,
Men shall ever seek thy guiding;
Power like thine shall never die.

Miami March Song

Words and Music, R. H. Burke

Miami old, to thee our love we bring,
To thee our hearts and minds will ever
cling,
Thy fame of other days, thy gifts so
free
Call us today to sing our praise to
thee.

Chorus:

Love and honor to Miami,
Our college old and grand,
Proudly we shall ever hail thee
Over all the land;
Alma Mater now we praise thee.
Sing joyfully this lay,
Love and honor to Miami
Forever and a day.

Thy elms, thy hills, thy skies of azure
hue.
To them is deepest inspiration due,
Thy stately towers upon the hilltop fair,
To them do we our grateful homage bear.

On land and sea our hearts will ever be
The truest, bravest man can show to thee,
Our duty ever in our loyalty,
To guard thy name through all eternity.

Varsity Pep

Words and Music, Irvin C. Hamilton

In the wild frontiers of yesterday
Was founded Miami old,
She has stood her ground in every way,
Defended by heroes bold.
And now, by our united strength
May her banner ever wave, yea.
Hep, hep, hep, let's join in step
And cheer Miami on for aye.

(broken strain)

Sons and daughters of Miami
Ever loyal to Miami,
Come along, join in song
As we sing the praise of our dear
Alma Mater.

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

1936-37

- September 10, Thursday—Last date for filing credentials, new upperclassmen.
- September 14, Monday—Opening of Freshman Week.
- September 16, Wednesday—Registration of new upperclassmen.
- September 17, Thursday—Returning upperclassmen complete registration and pay fees.
- September 18, Friday—Class work begins, 8:00 a. m.
- November 26, Thursday—Thanksgiving Day, a holiday.
- December 19, Saturday—Christmas recess from 12:00 M. to January 5, 1937, 8:00 A.M.
- January 5, Tuesday—Class work begins, 8:00 A. M.
- January 29, Friday—First semester ends.
- February 1, Monday—Last date for filing application for graduation in June.
- February 1, Monday—Second semester begins.
- February 22, Monday—Washington's Birthday, a holiday.
- March 27, Saturday—Spring recess from 12:00 M. to April 8, 8:00 A. M.
- April 6, Tuesday—Class work resumed, 8:00 A. M.
- May 31, Monday—Memorial Day, a holiday.
- June 11, Friday—Annual meeting of Board of Trustees.

June 12, Saturday—Alumni Day.
June 13, Sunday—Baccalaureate Service,
10:30 A. M.
June 14, Monday—Ninety-eighth Annual
Commencement.
June 21, Monday—First summer term begins.
July 30, Friday—Fourteenth Mid-summer
Commencement.
July 30, Friday—First summer term ends.
August 2, Monday—Second summer term
begins.
September 3, Friday—Second summer term
ends.



The University

HISTORY OF MIAMI UNIVERSITY

Miami University was the second institution of higher learning established by the State of Ohio. It was founded under a Federal Land Grant by act of the Ohio Legislature in 1809. One year later, the site of the college was located at the village of Oxford, in the center of the township set aside for educational revenues.

Because of the lack of sufficient funds, Miami was little more than an academy until 1824. In the fall of that year R. H. Bishop was secured as president and the school was raised to the dignity of a University. About this time the two literary societies, the Erodelphian and the Miami Union, were founded, and the struggles and rivalries of the two societies eventually led to the formation of the Miami Triad of Greek letter fraternities, Beta Theta Pi, Phi Delta Theta, and Sigma Chi.

Until the time of the Civil War, Miami increased rapidly in size and prestige. It was during this period that she came to be known as "The Yale of the West," and credits received from Miami were recognized in all of the leading universities of America. But the coming of the Civil War marked the beginning of a dark period in the history of Miami. Many of the students joined the army of the North and many that of the South, so that the attendance was greatly curtailed. After the war there were no funds available for the continuance of the University, and in 1873 the school was closed.

In 1885 the University was reopened under the leadership of President McFarland. From this time on the rise of the school was rapid and without interruption. In 1887 women were allowed to enter the University for the first time.

In 1902 the School of Education was added, affording a thorough course for prospective grade-school teachers. The Bachelor of Science in education courses for those wishing to prepare for teaching in high schools were added in 1914.

In 1926 the Trustees of Miami University voted to establish a School of Business Administration, with courses leading to the degree, Bachelor of Science in Business. The formal opening of the Business School occurred in the fall of 1928.

The School of Fine Arts was established by action of the Board of Trustees in December, 1928, and inaugurated with the opening of the following academic year. The School of Fine Arts is made up of three departments offering the degrees of Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Fine Arts, and Bachelor of Architecture.

THE ADMINISTRATION

The administration of Miami University is entrusted to a Board of Trustees and to the administrative staff of the University. The Board of Trustees is composed of twenty-seven members, nine being appointed every three years by the Governor of the State of Ohio and confirmed by the Senate. The State Director of Education is ex-officio a member of the Board.

The administrative council is composed of the president, the deans of the various schools, the dean of women, the assistant to the president, the secretary of the Board of Trustees, and a representative of the faculty.

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THE ADVISORY SYSTEM

In order to assure each student that he will have some member of the faculty to whom he may go for advice in his official relations to the University, the student body is divided into Advisory Divisions. These are made according to the course in which the student is enrolled and according to sex.

The University also maintains at a considerable cost, freshman advisers. These men and women are members of the University faculty and are selected for their competence for the position. They reside in the freshman dormitories and are available for conference at all times.

UNIVERSITY RULES

1. Smoking in any University building other than the dormitories is strictly forbidden.

2. Drinking of intoxicating liquors of any kind is punishable by suspension.

3. Any organization wishing to use a room in a University building must present a written request to the Calendar Committee, which meets in the President's office, Benton Hall, at 2:00 o'clock each Thursday.

4. All social events must have the sanction of the Dean of Women.

AUTOS

No student may maintain an automobile or motorcycle in Oxford at any time without the permission of the President. Violation of this rule may be followed by suspension.

This rule which prohibits the possession of an auto in Oxford during the school year is one which is not burdensome, injurious, or unfair to the student. In fact, not only the faculty, but also a large part of the student body consider it a very desirable regulation.

In the first place an auto is not necessary for transportation within Oxford. No distance across the town is so great that it cannot be walked comfortably in ten minutes, while the average distance is about three blocks. In such circumstances an auto would be more of a bother than a help.

But besides that, the possession of an auto usually has a distracting influence on the mind of the possessor. It forms a center of interest which is at odds with the main purpose of the University. This, together with the ever present danger of accidents when out with the "crowd," is likely to be reflected in a lowered standard of academic achievement.

ASSEMBLY

Student assemblies are held each Thursday at ten o'clock. The programs, varied in character, include music and dramatics, given by the various campus organizations, debates, oratorical contests, and speeches, delivered by faculty members and outside guests. During the winter, two vesper serv-

ices a month are held on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

All students, regardless of scholastic standing, are required to attend two assemblies or vespers, each month, unless there should be only three assemblies scheduled, in which case they are required to attend one. Failure to attend the required number each semester will result in the addition of one hour to the total required for graduation.

ABSENCE REGULATIONS

1. Every student is expected to attend all classes; if he does not he is liable to discipline unless he has acceptable reasons for each absence.

2. Whenever a student is specifically reported in writing by an instructor to an adviser as being absent from class to such an extent as to make his own work inefficient or impair the morale of the class, the adviser shall drop the student from that course with a grade of "F".

3. Absences caused by authorized trips from town for athletics, debates, or other performances under the direction of a member of the faculty will be cancelled.

4. Absences from classes due to confinement in the hospital for sickness or on order of the University physician are cancelled. Absences occasioned by domestic affliction and absences for any other reason than those listed herein, are cancelled only when recommended by the adviser and approved by the Academic Council.

5. (a) When the uncanceled absences from any course of a student who is in

his first semester of residence at Miami, (whether freshman or upperclass transfer) or of any other student whose average for the preceding semester was below "C" exceed the number of semester hours' credit allowed for that course, such student shall be dropped from the course with a grade of "F".

(b) When the uncancelled absences from any course of a student whose average at Miami for the preceding semester was between "C" and "B" aggregate one-tenth of the whole number of class meetings of the course for the semester, such student shall be dropped from the course with a grade of "F".

(c) Reinstatement can be secured only upon recommendation of the instructor and adviser; and a student reinstated under the operation of this rule shall be permitted no further absences from the course in which he has been reinstated.

(d) When the uncancelled absences of a student aggregate one-tenth of the whole number of class recitations for all his courses for the semester, the student shall be dropped from college.

6. Any student who makes an average of "B" or better in any semester at Miami shall be exempt from the operation of Rule 5 during the following semester, except that the committee of advisers may withdraw this privilege from any student who in their judgment is abusing it.

7. Absences incurred the full day preceding and the day following a holiday shall be trebled in the operation of Rule 5, provided, however, that no student shall be charged with triple cuts when more than one absence is in the same course.

8. Because of limited seating capacity, students are required to attend each month

only one-third (two a month) of the regular student assemblies, including Sunday afternoon vespers. Failure to attend this required number of programs in any semester will result in the addition of one semester hour to the total graduation requirement. Students with a "B" average are not exempt from assembly attendance.

9. Failure to keep appointments with University officers may be recorded as uncancelled absences accumulating at the rate of one per day beginning with the hours of the appointment missed.

BUILDINGS

Here are given the principal buildings of the University. No doubt you will have them all well in mind by the end of your first week in Oxford, but this list, together with the map in the rear of the book, will help you in getting around the first few days.

Harrison Hall is the oldest building on the campus, having been erected soon after the University was founded in 1809. It is chiefly occupied by classrooms used by the College of Liberal Arts. The University Commons, a dining room for men, is in this building.

The Y. M. C. A. Book Store and candy room, and the Workshop Theatre, may be found on the first floor.

Brice Hall, a science building, provides laboratories and classrooms for the Departments of Geology and Zoology. A zoological museum on the second floor, and a geology museum on the first floor, are open to inspection.

Benton Hall contains the Auditorium, used for University assembly services, and

for student dramatic productions. The administrative offices are to be found in the building.

McGuffey Hall is devoted largely to the School of Education, founded at Miami in 1902. It has been built in four sections at a total cost of \$360,000.

The south wing and the southeast wing accommodate the William McGuffey training school of five hundred pupils.

Hughes Hall, a chemistry building named for one of Miami's former presidents, is directly east of the old chemistry building in the lower campus. It contains lecture rooms, a library, offices, and laboratories. Another wing will be built in the near future in the place where the old building now stands.

Irvin Hall is largely devoted to classrooms for the College of Liberal Arts and for the School of Business. The north and east sections provide classrooms and offices, while the south section is used by the Departments of Botany and Physics. The School of Business is located on the third floor. The Recensio and Student offices are located on the ground floor, near the secretarial laboratory.

The **McFarland Observatory** south of the lower campus houses a twelve-inch refracting telescope. Dr. Anderson, professor of mathematics, has charge of the Observatory, which is open to the student body on clear nights.

The **Industrial Education Building** is a three-story, fireproof structure, housing the mechanical drawing, wood-working, metal-working, and printing departments.

Withrow Court is Miami's new gymnasium, the first unit of which was completed in 1931. This unit includes the gymnasium, offices of the professors of

Physical Education, several student faculty, varsity and freshman dressing rooms, and a large boxing and wrestling room.

The building, which is used entirely by the men, will have cost nearly a million dollars when completed. Later units will include a swimming pool, an auxiliary gymnasium, and a field house.

Herron Gymnasium, formerly used by both men and women, is now devoted entirely to co-ed athletic activities.

Fisher Hall is a freshman men's dormitory, and the choice of many of the first year men.

Oxford College, the Caroline Scott Harrison Memorial, is a freshman girls' dormitory and girls' student center.

Ogden Hall, upperclass dormitory for men, is the men's student center on the campus. The offices of Arthur C. Wickenden, professor of religion and general secretary of the Miami Y. M. C. A., are located in Ogden Hall.

The Ogden Hall dining room is located in the basement of Ogden. It is used for athletic and organization banquets.

Miami's new **Food Service Building** was completed two years ago. The building is located on University property in the west section of Oxford, and is to be connected by a spur with the B. and O. railroad tracks. The building is used exclusively by the University Boarding Department.

East and West Halls are girls' dormitories located southeast of Irvin Hall. They are used principally by freshman and sophomore women.

Bishop, Hepburn, and Wells Halls are girls' dormitories, housing upperclass women.

Elliot and Stoddard are the men's dormitories located in the center of the campus. Elliot will be available to live in next fall

but Stoddard is being repaired and will not be finished until December.

David Swing Hall is the new freshman men's dormitory. Last year is the first year that it has been occupied since it was completed in the summer of 1935. It is now the most modern and completely equipped building on the campus.

THE LIBRARY

Miami has a large and well equipped library. The main reading room seats approximately 250 people and the reserve reading room about 150. In all, the library contains about 128,000 volumes.

Library rules which apply to all students, and, if learned, will save new students much inconvenience, are as follows:

1. Books may be secured by signing for them at the desk in the lobby. A fine of two cents per day is charged for books kept longer than the specified time.

2. Books may ordinarily be kept for two weeks.

3. A card-index of all volumes is provided, listing them by title and author. Books can be called for by number only.

4. Admission to the stacks may be obtained by application to the librarian. In special cases, a card is issued allowing the bearer to enter the stacks at any time.

5. Back numbers of magazines may be obtained at the desk.

6. Reserve books may be obtained at the reserve desk in the basement.

7. Reserve books may not be removed from the library except at the close of the day, and must be returned at 8:00 the next morning. Books withdrawn Saturday

evening may be retained until Monday morning at 8:00.

8. A fine of ten cents an hour for the first two hours, and five cents an hour after the first two, is charged for every reserve book kept after the time limit expires.

9. The Library is open on Sunday afternoons from 2:30 until 5:00, but the stacks are not open and no books may be withdrawn.

HEALTH SERVICE

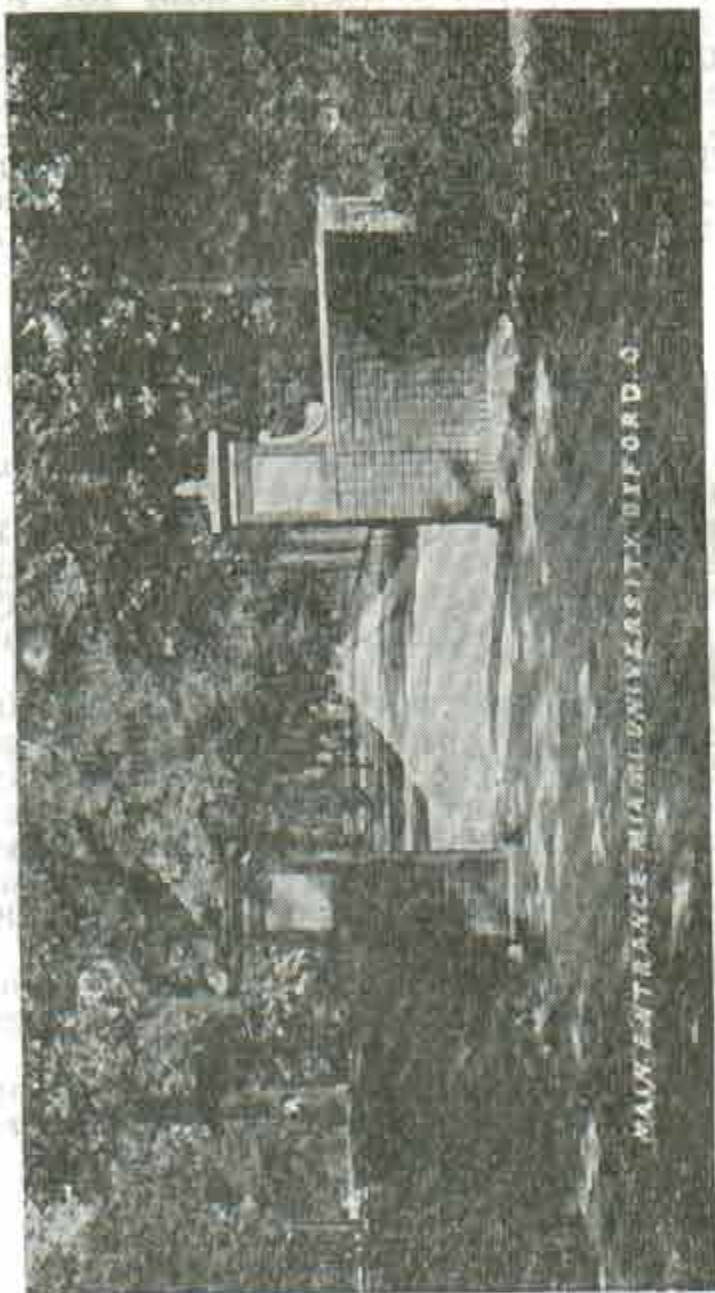
The Hospital is situated south of the campus, opposite the Power Plant.

Much can be done for sick people if they are treated in time; therefore, all students who are sick or ailing in any way are expected to report at once at the hospital.

The doctors and nurses are always in attendance at the hospital and emergencies are taken care of at any time of the day or night, but other than emergency cases are expected to come for admission to the hospital or treatment in the dispensary at the regular hours, which are 9:00 to 12:00 A. M., and 2:00 to 5:00 P. M.

A new X-ray machine has just been purchased and is available at prices 50 per cent lower than ordinary rates.

The hospital is supported entirely by the student health fee, and is financially independent of the university and the state.



"SLANT WALK"



Student Government

MIAMI STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Miami, as a progressive, liberal minded institution, is proud of its student government. The preamble to the constitution states that the primary purpose "shall be to serve Miami by providing a government for students through a student-faculty cooperative plan." Those students participating are leaders on the campus and are well aware of their responsibility.

The following pages attempt to convey some concept of the importance and scope of the council's activities. Anyone desiring a complete copy of the constitution, may obtain one by calling at the Varsity Book Exchange in Harrison hall.

The student body of Miami University is governed by the Student-Faculty Council, a group consisting of six faculty members, six men students, and six women students. The six men and six women chosen at the general campus election to represent the student body on the Student-Faculty Council are elected according to the Hare proportional system of voting. Previous to the election the two political parties on the campus, the Liberal Party, and Representative Party, are busy carrying on extensive campaigns for their candidates. Campaign literature is circulated, political rallies are held, and the candidates are introduced to the student body at an assembly before the election. After the members of the Council have been elected, they hold a meeting sometime before the final examination period of the semester. At this time they elect from their number a chairman, a vice-chairman, and a secretary-treasurer. In this way the organization of the Council is completed so that work can be started immediately the next fall.

"The duties and powers of the Council shall be to study and discuss campus problems; to recommend to the students, faculty, and administration any changes deemed best for Miami; to cooperate with campus-wide organizations in the promotion of their programs; to apportion the Student Activity fees; and to determine the time, place, and manner of student elections." (From the Constitution of the Student-Faculty Council) During the past year the Council accomplished several things in accordance with their duties and powers set forth above.

"To study and discuss campus problems; and to recommend to the students, faculty, and administration any changes deemed best for Miami." One of the first problems to be discussed concerned the tradition of freshman cap wearing. The Council approved the continuance of this tradition and notified the Interfraternity Council of its approval. Suggestions were made to publicize the tradition next year.

Of more significance to campus organizations was the action taken by the Council to limit political campaign expenditures. A committee investigated the situation and after much discussion the Council passed an amendment, Article II, Section 4 of the Constitution, which states: "Any political party which shall be adjudged guilty of permitting the expenditure of more than \$50 shall suffer the penalty of having all persons elected as candidates of that party declared ineligible for office." Difficulty was encountered in using this rule in the spring elections. Taking account of the difficulties, the Council redefined its policy on this matter by interpreting "expenditures of a party" to mean "the sum of the

expenses of an individual member of the party, any organization thereof, and the individual party itself, with pictures and cuts exempted from this total", and that campaign expenditures be limited to \$40.

During the winter the Student-Faculty Council sponsored a committee composed of the presidents of Mortar Board, Interfraternity Council, Omicron Delta Kappa, the "Student", and the Council which investigated the problems of cheating on examinations, rowdyism at athletic events, and student orientation and socialization. After careful study the committee and Council recommended to the administration, faculty, and student body measures to curb or correct these problems. The Council decided to station one of its members in the lobby of Benton on assembly days to collect student criticisms and suggestions, expressions of public opinion.

"To cooperate with campus-wide organizations in the promotion of their programs". Many projects of campus organizations were aided by this body during the year. The Council sent the band to the Dayton-Miami football game, and to Cincinnati to represent Miami at the annual Miami-Cincinnati Turkey Day game.

An appropriation was made to meet some of the expenses of the mock Republican convention held here and which the Council deemed worthy of its support. The Student-Faculty Council financed many of the gala activities of Dad's Day and Homecoming Day. It gave financial support to the publication of the "M" book, popularly known as the "Freshman Bible". It contributes to the Miami Chest. Last spring in order to show the voters of Ohio what an

excellent glee club Miami has, the Council sent the Men's Glee Club on a concert tour through the northern part of the state.

"To apportion the Student Activity fees". The Student-Faculty Council appropriated money from the activity fees to the Athletic Association, the "Miami Student", the Student-Faculty Council, Intramural Athletics, Women's Athletics, Women's League, Varsity Band, Debate Fund, Musical Organizations, and to the classes for class dues. Last year appropriations of \$50 each were made to Omicron Delta Kappa and to Mortar Board (both service organizations) to help them defray fixed expenses connected with their national organizations. Lengthy discussion of the advisability of including the Recensio on the student activity fee was held but no conclusion was reached.

"To determine the time, place, and manner of student elections." The elections committee of the Council supervises the election of freshman officers. This election is held sometime after the sixth week of the school term. Official ballots are prepared by the Council elections committee. Counting of the ballots and announcement of the results are carried out under the direction of the elections committee. Before the election and installation of the freshman president, the chairman of the Council acts as the executive officer of the freshman class.

General campus elections are held on the fourth Tuesday in April of each year in Benton Hall. The Student-Faculty Council conducts this election, prepares official ballots, presides at the polls, and provides for an impartial count of the ballots. In addition to the selection of student members of the Council, at this time a president, vice

president, and a secretary-treasurer of the senior, junior, and sophomore classes are elected; three men are elected to the Athletic Board of Control; and the vice president of the Varsity Social Club is chosen. Each political party must file with the Council a detailed account of its campaign expenditures. This report is later published in the "Miami Student".

The Council performs an important function when it appoints two men and two women students to sit on the Men's Disciplinary Board and the Women's Disciplinary Board respectively. These four students times, fine comradeship, rare chances to de-Religious Council,

The Student-Faculty Council, as a student governing body, has most interesting meetings. Often heated discussions arise over controversial questions. Since every meeting is open to the student body, anyone who is interested in seeing how his campus government is conducted, is welcome to attend the sessions.

FRESHMAN ELECTIONS

(a) The secretary of the elections committee shall superintend the election of freshman class officers, to be held not previous to the sixth week of the school term.

(b) Nominations for candidates for office in the freshman class shall be made by petitions, carrying the valid signatures of not less than 25 members of the freshman class. Any signature appearing on more than one petition for any office shall be invalid.

(c) Petitions of nominations shall be placed in the hands of the secretary of the elections committee not later than six p. m. of the second Saturday preceding the date set by the Council for freshman elections.

(d) Each candidate for nomination or a representative of each shall appear before the freshman class in a freshman assembly on the Thursday following the Saturday on which nominations have been closed, and shall present the nominee's qualifications and platform. The name of the candidate who does not either appear or is not represented at this meeting shall not be placed on the ballot.

(e) Election of officers for the Freshman class shall take place the following Tuesday. Official ballots prepared by the elections committee shall be used in this election. Counting of the ballots and announcement of the results shall be carried out under the direction of the elections committee.

(f) No Freshman shall be eligible for a freshman elective office having less than a "C" average in his last previous grade report.

(g) Previous to the election and installation of the freshman president, the chairman of the Council shall act as the executive officer of the Freshman class.



DEAN ELIZABETH HAMILTON

THE DEAN OF WOMEN'S GREETINGS

To Incoming Miami Women:

Although this is an old and familiar message that each year is addressed to the freshmen, we feel a fresh thrill of interest as we greet you, the newcomers, to our campus.

There is no more interesting subject of conversation during the first six weeks of any college year than the freshmen, how they look, what they say, what they wear, how they react to the new experiences of their college life. A few think that all the wild stories they have read of college life are gospel truth and that they must live up to that strange standard. Others know that college life is like any other normal existence, but full of more opportunities than any later period will ever offer for good times, fine comradeship, rare chances to develop leadership.

College life needs outspoken standards of wholesome living, just as the outside world needs them, and we therefore welcome you to all that the college offers of wider intellectual training, with the hope that you will here learn things that will make the world more interesting to you, and that you will develop into the kind of personality that will make your neighborhood more interesting and worthwhile to other people because you are in it.

Elizabeth Hamilton
Dean of Women

REGULATIONS FOR MIAMI WOMEN 1936-37

Since the life of students on a campus must conform to the environment of the University and its aims, Miami women have agreed upon certain general considerations for the protection of their interests as individuals and as a group.

These considerations are embodied in the following standards of behavior which apply equally to all Miami women living in halls and cottages at any time during the college year, and before and after a vacation.

House Life

Quiet: Evening study hours.

Quiet: Absolute, between 10:30 P. M. and 6:30 A. M.

Closing Hour—Ten o'clock on all nights preceding classes. On Friday nights special permission may be obtained on occasions by upperclassmen for an extension of hours until eleven o'clock. On Saturday night the closing hour is eleven o'clock except for those who desire to use hall living rooms until twelve o'clock. Out-of-town trips may not be included in the plans for Saturday or any other evening without special permission from the heads of halls or cottages.

Guests—Guests are expected to abide by the standards in force for Miami women. Guests, including girls coming from other halls, sign in register, giving name of hostess and room number.

Signing Out—All students sign out for any absence from hall or cottage in evening or for any absence from town during day or evening.

Social Life

Social plans are concentrated at week-ends, on Friday evening, Saturday and Sunday. During the week except for necessary errands to halls and cottages callers are asked not to use the morning hours.

Upperclass Students—The privilege of determining what other evenings may be used for social plans is extended to those upperclass students who maintain a satisfactory academic record. Conference on this point shall be held between student and head of hall.

Freshmen—Freshmen for the purpose of establishing themselves satisfactorily in their college work are asked to concentrate their social work plans in afternoons and at week-ends. After the first semester any freshman who has made at least a "C" average may determine her own fitting proportion of evenings to be spent in social plans.

Driving—It is a rule of the University that students may not keep automobiles during their residence in college. Automobile drives are therefore not a part of student life except as special permission is given by the heads of halls.

Dances—All women attending dances, whether formals or informals, must return to their own halls and cottages immediately after the close of the dances. Restaurant privileges during the dances but not after close of dance.

Absence from Oxford—Women may leave Oxford only with permission of heads of halls, except for daytime shopping trips which involve no social plans. Requests for overnight trips away from Oxford, other than to the student's own home, must be accompanied by a letter from parents, specifying arrangements for travel, escort, and

hostess. If attendance at a dance is to be included in the trip, this fact must be specified in the parents' permission.

Smoking—Miami women are urged not to smoke, but there is no general University rule which prohibits them from doing so. Smoking is not permitted in dormitory rooms, but in certain halls which have a room available for such a purpose, permission is given to smoke there.

"Bumming"—"Bumming" rides to and from Oxford is forbidden.

Chaperonage—Approved chaperonage is required for all meetings, dinners, or calls for any purpose whatever at a men's chapter house or dormitory.

Picnics—Report group picnics with men to Social Director. Report individual plans to head of hall.

All Miami women are asked to conduct themselves in such a way as not to attract public attention, or to reflect upon the standards of Miami University.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE

The Women's League is made up of the presidents of all women's organizations, the Y. W. C. A., W. A. A., presidents of the different classes and chairmen of the halls. Its purpose is to study the needs of the women on the campus and to sponsor any movement for further development of some phases of their campus life; it carries no legislative or disciplinary responsibility, but is purely promotive and advisory. Last year the League sponsored the Girls' Prom and the Spinsters' Sprint. The first was a dance for girls and the second a dance to which the girls invited the boys.

WOMEN'S PAN-HELLENIC COUNCIL

The Pan-Hellenic Council is composed of three delegates, a sophomore, a junior, and a senior from each sorority. These girls make the rules for rushing and pledging, and consider other problems that arise in connection with sororities.

In order to have a more effective Pan-Hellenic Association, a presidents' council has recently been formed. This council selects from all matters submitted that business which is worthy of discussion before the entire group.

PAN-HELLENIC RULES FOR SORORITY RUSHING 1936-37

Freshmen shall abide by these rules as well as upperclassmen.

I. Rushing Season.

1. The actual rushing season shall start Friday of Freshman Week, September 18, 1936, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., and shall close Saturday, September 26, at 10:30 P. M.

2. There shall be no rushing on Sunday, September 20, or Wednesday afternoon, September 23.

II. Organized Rushing.

1. An organized rush party is one for which definite plans have been made and invitations extended to the rushee before the rushing season starts, stating the type of party she is to attend.

2. Such organized parties may be held on Friday and Saturday, September 18 and 19; and Friday and Saturday, September 25 and 26. The first party on Friday September 20, shall not start until 7:30 P. M. All organized parties shall close at 10:30 P. M.

3. During the summer no organization shall date a rushee for more than one organized party and one unorganized party.

III. Unorganized Rushing.

1. An unorganized party is one for which no definite plans have been made in advance, and for which no invitations have been extended to the rushee stating the type of party she is to attend.

2. Unorganized rush parties may be held all day the first and second Saturdays of rush week, and between the hours of 4-6 P. M. every day during the actual school week except Wednesday, September 23.

IV. Split Dates.

1. A rushee may split her afternoon or evening dates between only two sororities and no more.

2. Any group having an out-of-town picnic or hayride must make arrangements to get rushees who have split dates back to the second group.

3. Both sororities shall be courteous about splitting banquet dates.

4. In case of a split date at an organized party, the second sorority may not call for their rushee before 9:00 o'clock.

5. There will be no parties in other towns than Oxford.

V. Sorority Pins.

1. Sorority pins shall not be worn before the opening of actual rushing, Friday, September 18. The sorority will be held responsible for any breach of this rule.

2. Sorority pins may be worn at the Pan-Hellenic Tea.

VI. Pan-Hellenic Tea.

1. This tea, to which all freshmen are invited, is for general acquaintance, and eliminates group or individual rushing.

VII. Expense of Rushing.

1. No organization shall spend more than

\$150.00 on rushing. No gifts shall be given to rushees. (This shall not apply to small banquet favors.)

2. One week of organized rushing may be held by each sorority in the spring, if the expenses are taken out of the \$150.00 rushing allowance.

VIII. Period of Silence.

1. This period shall begin Saturday, September 26, at 10:30 P. M., and last until 5:00 P. M., Tuesday, September 29. It is set aside for deliberation, during which time no upperclassman shall speak to a freshman or vice versa.

2. No notes, telegrams, flowers, or other communications shall be permitted between rushees and upperclassmen during this time.

IX. Bidding.

1. A committee composed of the Dean of Women and two other disinterested persons shall have charge of the preferential bidding.

2. Each sorority shall bring to the Dean's office a list, both on individual cards and in alphabetical order, of the girls they desire to bid before Sunday, September 27, at noon. Type names correctly, giving the Oxford address.

3. All freshmen whose names appear on the sorority list shall be sent preferential cards from the Dean's office. These must be returned to the Dean's office by each freshman in person by 10:00 A. M., Tuesday, September 29.

4. The official list of the girls who have indicated their sorority preference shall be given to each Pan-Hellenic representative at 5:00 P. M., Tuesday, September 29.

a. Each sorority may have her own individual bids.

b. Representatives must bring their bids and have them officially stamped by

the committee. After bids have been stamped the sororities may deliver them to their new pledges.

X. General Rules.

1. Schedule all rush parties with Mrs. Skinner in 203 Benton Hall by Friday, September 18. Be Explicit—give date of party, time, beginning and closing hours, name of place or patroness. LEAVE NAME OF RUSH CAPTAIN AND SOCIAL CHAIRMAN.

2. No upperclassman shall stay all night with a rushee or vice versa throughout the rush period. In cases of upperclassmen rooming with freshmen this rule does not hold.

3. Rushees must return each night to their own halls and cottages.

4. All guests, members from other chapters, and alumnae, must abide by all the present rushing rules of the Pan-Hellenic Council.

5. It is unethical for upperclassmen to ask for any assurance from a freshman that a bid if given would be accepted. It is unethical for any group to seek advantage for itself by saying anything derogatory to another group.

6. It is unethical for sororities to solicit men to influence rushees, especially during the period of silence.

XI. Refer questions to Pan-Hellenic officers: Rosemary Jackson, President; Betty Saxbe, Vice President; Margaret Petry, Secretary; Marian Lindsey, Treasurer.

SORORITIES OF MIAMI UNIVERSITY

Sorority	Chapter	Initiation Fee	Active Dues	Pledge Fee	Pledge Dues
Alpha Omicron Pi	Omega	\$50.00	\$4.00	-----	\$10.00 sem.
Alpha Sigma Alpha	Alpha Alpha	31.50	2.00	\$10.00	1.00 mo.
Beta Phi Alpha	Upsilon	25.00	3.00	10.00	2.00 mo.
Beta Sigma Omicron	Alpha Xi	38.00	1.50	3.00	.75 mo
Chi Omega	Sigma Alpha	50.00	3.00	10.00	1.50 mo
Delta Delta Delta	Delta Beta	60.00	3.50	-----	10.00 sem.
Delta Gamma	Alpha Omicron	50.50	3.50	-----	2.00 mo.
Delta Zeta	Alpha	60.00	3.50	10.00	1.50 mo
Pi Delta Theta	Alpha	22.00	2.00	3.00	1.50 mo
Sigma Kappa	Alpha Iota	58.25	4.00	-----	10.00 sem.
Theta Upsilon	Mu	25.00	2.50	7.00	1.00 mo.
Zeta Tau Alpha	Beta Delta	55.00	2.00	-----	10.00 sem.

D. W. C. A.

Freshman Week

Even before you get your bed into the right corner and his picture on the desk, the Y. W. C. A. is with you, helping to make your college life what it ought to be. From a mimeographed schedule supplied by your head of hall, you see that in addition to the physical and mental exams, the tours of inspection, and the routine of registration, the Y has added attractions to make Freshman Week attractive.

On the first night you take your roomie by the hand and scamper over to Herron for the Girls' Mixer. Here you sing, play, meet your neighbors, find out who's who in the Y. W. set-up, and then lick the cool pie of the Eskimo.

The following night, to forget your weary legs, you eat a picnic supper in the botanical gardens where white capped chefs serve hot baked beans, tomatoes, and ice cream cones. After that you're ready for a gala evening, so it's down the hill and over the field to Withrow Court for the Mixed Mixer—something worth being mixed up in. To the tune of an orchestra, freshman men dance with freshman women, exchange home towns and courses of study.

Before the week is over you go hatted or hatless to the very informal Dean's Tea. Here Miss Hamilton and Miss Emerson greet you, and girls whom you somehow haven't met introduce themselves. By this time upperclassmen are coming to Oxford, but thanks to the Y. W. C. A. you can face them with an "I-know-what-it's-all-about"

air, showing them that green is not your color.

Freshman Program

Freshman Week, however, is only the beginning of an interesting program that lasts throughout the year.

Each freshman dormitory has its own Freshman Y for the girls living there and the cottage girls who eat there. Two girls are chosen by an upperclass adviser to work as co-chairman in each dorm. They plan pajama parties and bi-monthly meetings where you hear authorities discuss what every co-ed is interested in—dress, campus customs, marriage, etc.

At least once during the winter half of the men and half of the women go to each other's dining rooms for an exchange dinner, really an unusual experience and lots of fun.

And on Valentine's Day the Y organizations of East and West Halls and Oxford College cooperate in arranging a "Cupid's Bridge" to which all women on the campus are invited.

In May the freshmen elected to the Y. W. C. A. Cabinet or active in Y work roll up their blankets and beat a week-end retreat to Camp Campbell Gard, Hamilton. Here, with the upperclass women, they plan the next year's work, toast marshmallows, sing to the stars, and cook Sunday dinner for the Y. M. C. A. delegates.

General Program

But although the Y gives much attention to freshmen, it doesn't neglect the other people on the campus. Notes from the General Program include: . . . the Loafers' Club on Saturday night for men and women with or without dates . . . the Christnas

Sale where you find lovely gifts for your sisters or your cousins or your aunts . . . bridge lessons . . . a social dancing class . . . well-known speakers from the outside world . . . current events meetings to substitute for newspapers you forget to read . . . a camp training course where future counselors get helpful hints . . . and the Y rooms with their cushiony chairs and entertaining radio . . . the place to fill your pen or 'phone your neighbor . . . use the typewriter, thread a needle to catch your hem . . . nibble on chocolate bars . . . pick up a little reading matter, anything from Galsworthy or the "New York Times" to government bulletins and Sears-Roebuck catalogues . . . all these are mere suggestions of what the Y. W. C. A. does to make you happy!

Organization

Do you want to be a member of the Y. W. C. A.? Just sign up for the kind of work which interests you, during the third week of school. Or drop in at the office in Hepburn to leave your name. There is no membership fee.

At the head of the Miami Y. W. C. A. is the secretary who works with a cabinet and an advisory board.

Y. W. C. A. Cabinet

President	Betty Avery
Vice president	Mary Beach
Secretary	Ruth Tallman
Treasurer	Betty Smith
Social	Katherine Ascham
Christmas Sale	Myra Manley
Social Service	Monica Benefiel
Current Events	Fannie Rothbaum
Religious Council	
Vesper Committee	Dorothy Stucky
Publicity	Elinor Hall
Conference	Irene Moore
Student Industrial	Mary K. Richards
Loafers' Club	Bettie Hanson
	Winifred Williams
"M" Book	Roberta Endebrock
Finance	Zella Mathes
Miami Sisters	Marian Best
Sophomore Y	Nancy Caughey
Girl Reserves	Helen McCord
Freshman Board —	Jeanne Long, Gladys
	Buchanan, Elizabeth Van Gilst, Jean
	Curpen, Hazel Hoffman, Berneitta Frye

Miami Sisters

During the summer when you are beginning to wonder what to put into your trunk and what to leave at home, your Miami Sister will write to you, offering to answer questions about anything from clothes to dates. As a Little Sister, confide in your Big Sister, for she wants to do all she can to give you the right start in September.

If you do not hear from a Big Sister, notify your head of hall as soon as you reach Oxford. She will add your name to the Miami Sister list.

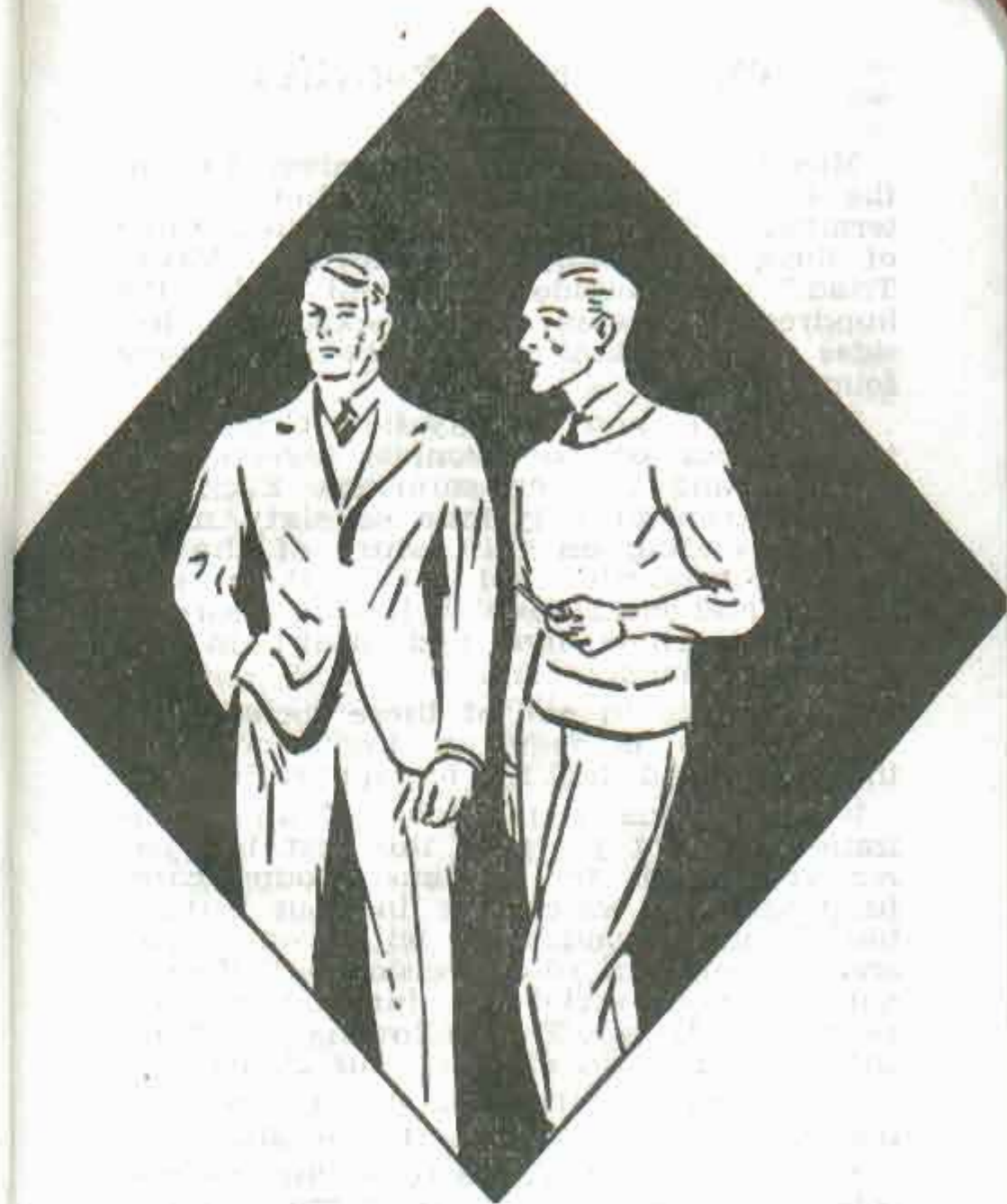
W. A. A.

The Women's Athletic Association of Miami, affiliated with the national organization of the Women's Athletic Association, has complete control of girls' athletics. The purpose of the organization is to promote interest and participation in all sports, physical efficiency, scholarship, and good fellowship. In addition to sponsoring the women's athletic events the W. A. A. has built the field house, hard surfaced four tennis courts, and is planning a cabin near Oxford for parties and overnight hikes. The organization also plans barn dances, moonlight hikes, hay rides, and the posture contest held on the campus every spring.

Any girl is eligible for membership in W. A. A. and receives her pin after earning three hundred points according to the established point system.

The sports offered at Miami University are: Fall—hockey, soccer, volley ball, archery, golf. Winter—folk dancing, tap or clog dancing, creative dancing, gymnastics, corrective gymnastics, fencing, badminton. Spring—baseball, track, tennis, golf, archery.

Officers of W. A. A. are: Ruth Liggett, President; Ruth Fussner, Vice President; Hulda Huller, Secretary; Rosemary Bennett, Treasurer.



Freshmen

Greek Letter Societies

Miami is famous among universities of the United States as the "mother of fraternities." Five national fraternities, three of them composing the renowned "Miami Triad," were founded at Miami during the hundred-odd years of her existence. Besides these, several national sororities were founded here.

There are now twenty-five Greek letter societies on the campus, twelve fraternities and thirteen sororities. Each has from fifteen to fifty-four or sixty members depending on the nature of the society. Fraternities all have their own houses, and most have their own boarding clubs. Sororities live and board in the University halls.

Membership in one of these societies always comes through an invitation from the group and NEVER by application.

When making your choice of an organization, do not jump at the first bid you receive. Weigh the various groups carefully and see which one in your estimation is most compatible with your views and customs. On your decision will depend much of your social life during your four years at Miami. The following questions will be of help in making your choice:

1. Do the members of this group have the right attitude toward similar groups?
2. Are their principles regarding life and college affairs the same ones that I hold?
3. Am I financially able to join?
4. Will I be able to make myself a part of the group as it now stands?

If you should not receive a bid do not

be disappointed. Your success in college is not dependent on being a member of one of these societies. They are incidental to the real purpose of college.

FRATERNITIES

- Beta Theta Pi. Founded at Miami 1839.
Phi Delta Theta. Founded at Miami 1848.
Delta Kappa Epsilon. Founded at Yale in 1844. At Miami 1852.
Sigma Chi. Founded at Miami 1855.
Delta Upsilon. Founded at Williams in 1834. At Miami 1868.
Phi Kappa Tau. Founded at Miami in 1906.
Delta Tau Delta. Founded at Bethany in 1859. At Miami 1916.
Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Founded at Alabama in 1856. At Miami in 1919.
Sigma Delta Rho. Founded at Miami in 1921.
Sigma Nu. Founded at Virginia Military Institute in 1869. At Miami in 1927.
Delta Chi. Founded at Cornell in 1890. At Miami in 1932.
Zeta Beta Tau. Founded at New York University in 1898. At Miami in 1935.

DEFERRED INITIATION

1. Initiation into the social fraternities and sororities shall not take place before the beginning of the sophomore year, and not then unless the candidate shall have earned sixty credit points, thirty of these in the semester just preceding.

2. Initiation of students who enter the University with advanced standing from

another institution shall not take place for one semester, and shall then be contingent upon earning thirty credit points in the semester preceding initiation.

3. In the case of students entering on warning because of a poor record in high school, fraternities and sororities shall refrain entirely from rushing or pledging for an entire semester, after which time the students must have a sufficient standing to be off academic probation.

FRATERNITY RUSHING RULES (1936)

A.—There shall be a strictly "hands off" policy in effect regarding the freshmen until the fifth Thursday of the School year. (October 22, 1936) No Fraternity shall be permitted to have any freshman eligible for rushing on fraternity property from Monday of Freshman week until Wednesday, October 28, 1936.

B.—No fraternity man, or anyone acting in the interests of a fraternity, shall be permitted to contact a freshman in any dormitory prior to the fifth Thursday of the school year. (October 22, 1936)

C.—The period between the fifth Thursday and the sixth Wednesday may be used for making dates. Fraternity men may enter dormitories for this purpose only. The duration of any one fraternity's visit with any one freshman or group of freshmen, shall not exceed fifteen (15) minutes.

D.—During the period between the sixth Wednesday (October 28, 1936) and the sixth Saturday (October 31, 1936) of the school year, each fraternity shall be permitted to entertain freshmen on fraternity property for luncheon and dinner.

E.—A luncheon rushing party on any day

shall not begin before eleven A. M. and shall not be over later than three P. M. and an evening dinner rushing party shall begin at five o'clock and be over not later than eight o'clock.

F.—There shall be absolutely no out of town rushing during the period prior to the date of putting pledge pins on the freshmen. This means that a fraternity upper classman may not accompany a freshman out of town for any reason whatsoever, during this period, unless such a trip has been previously approved by the chairman of Student Organizations.

G.—No rushing dates can be split more than two ways, and not before two o'clock on a luncheon date, and not before eight o'clock on a dinner date.

H.—Any freshman found on fraternity property at any time other than at a regularly scheduled rushing party, shall not be allowed on the property of that fraternity until after the completion of the first semester, and shall be ineligible for pledging to that fraternity until the second semester rushing period.

I.—No pledge pins shall be worn before 12 o'clock (Noon) of the sixth Saturday of classes. (October 31, 1936).

J.—Before the end of the second week of school each fraternity shall place a fifty dollar bond with the Chairman of the Committee on Student Organizations, this bond to be forfeited wholly or in part upon the violation of any one of these rushing regulations by a fraternity. Guilt or innocence of any group is to be determined according to Article 5 of the constitution of this body.

D. M. C. A

The Miami Y. M. C. A. is an organization of the men of the campus including both students and faculty which has as its stated purposes the promotion of a positive moral and religious college spirit, the leading of students to an intelligent religious faith, and the challenging of students to devote themselves, in united efforts, to making the will of God effective in human society, and in extending the Kingdom of God throughout the world. It seeks to accomplish these purposes through a varied program of worthwhile activities and enterprises. The plans and programs are determined and promoted by a cabinet of fifteen student members with the help and counsel of the General Secretary.

"Y" FACULTY DIRECTOR

Arthur C. Wickenden, the Faculty Director of the Association, is a graduate of Denison University of the class of 1915. For two years following his graduation he served as the first employed secretary of the Miami "Y". He entered the World War, serving for a few months as a Y-Secretary in France, and later as an enlisted man in the regular forces.

After the war he took a graduate course in theology at the University of Chicago, taking the M. A. and B. D. degrees, and more recently the Ph. D. After six years in the ministry of the church he was invited to return to Miami in a threefold capacity, namely, to serve as General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Director of Religious Activities for the University, and as Professor of Religion. The Association

is fortunate to have as its director a man of Mr. Wickenden's experience and training.

"Y" EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Feeling that there was an ever expanding field of work to be done by the Y. M. C. A., Dr. Wickenden urged that another man be employed to assume a portion of that work. Mr. Robert Goacher, a graduate of Miami, of the class of 1931, was selected for the position of "Y" Executive Secretary. Mr. Goacher has been Boy's Work Secretary at the Y. M. C. A. in Elyria where he has done outstanding work. Especially noteworthy has been his development of the summer camp. This will be his second year in this office, but he has already proven himself to be a great asset in furthering the work of the Y. M. C. A. on this campus.

STUDENT BIG BROTHER

Each freshman who applies for admission is assigned during the summer to an upperclassman who writes to him during the summer, and who looks him up early in the fall and stands ready to help the new freshman in every possible way to become happily established in his new environment.

FRESHMAN CAMP

One of the most significant phases of the association's work is its service to freshmen. A camp for sixty selected freshmen is held for two days just prior to the opening of college at Camp Campbell Gard,

the Hamilton Y. M. C. A. camp on the Great Miami River. A group of student and faculty leaders preside over the camp and the freshmen in attendance have a wonderful opportunity for forming friendships with these men and with one another, and of facing together some of the problems and opportunities of college life. Freshmen who have attended the camp in past years have found it a great privilege. Every man who receives an invitation to attend the camp should avail himself of the opportunity.

FRESHMAN "Y"

Freshmen who are interested in the work of the association organize their own cabinet and carry on many of their own activities. The council usually is composed of twelve members. This group promotes inspirational meetings, dormitory discussion groups, freshman parties, and provides various types of campus service, such as ushering at vespers.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

During the year the "Y" arranges a number of social events as need arises. The first of these is a get-together for all freshman men and is held in the gymnasium the first night of freshman week. Here the first year men have a chance to become acquainted. Speeches by the athletic coaches, President Upham, Mr. Wickenden, and the president of the "Y", and some snappy entertainment numbers are features of this program. Eats are served and everyone enjoys himself.

Later in the week the Y. M. and Y. W.

cooperate in giving a party for all first year men and women. Getting acquainted, dancing, or games occupy the evening.

Other mixers and dancing parties are promoted from time to time through the year.

SPEAKERS AND DISCUSSIONS

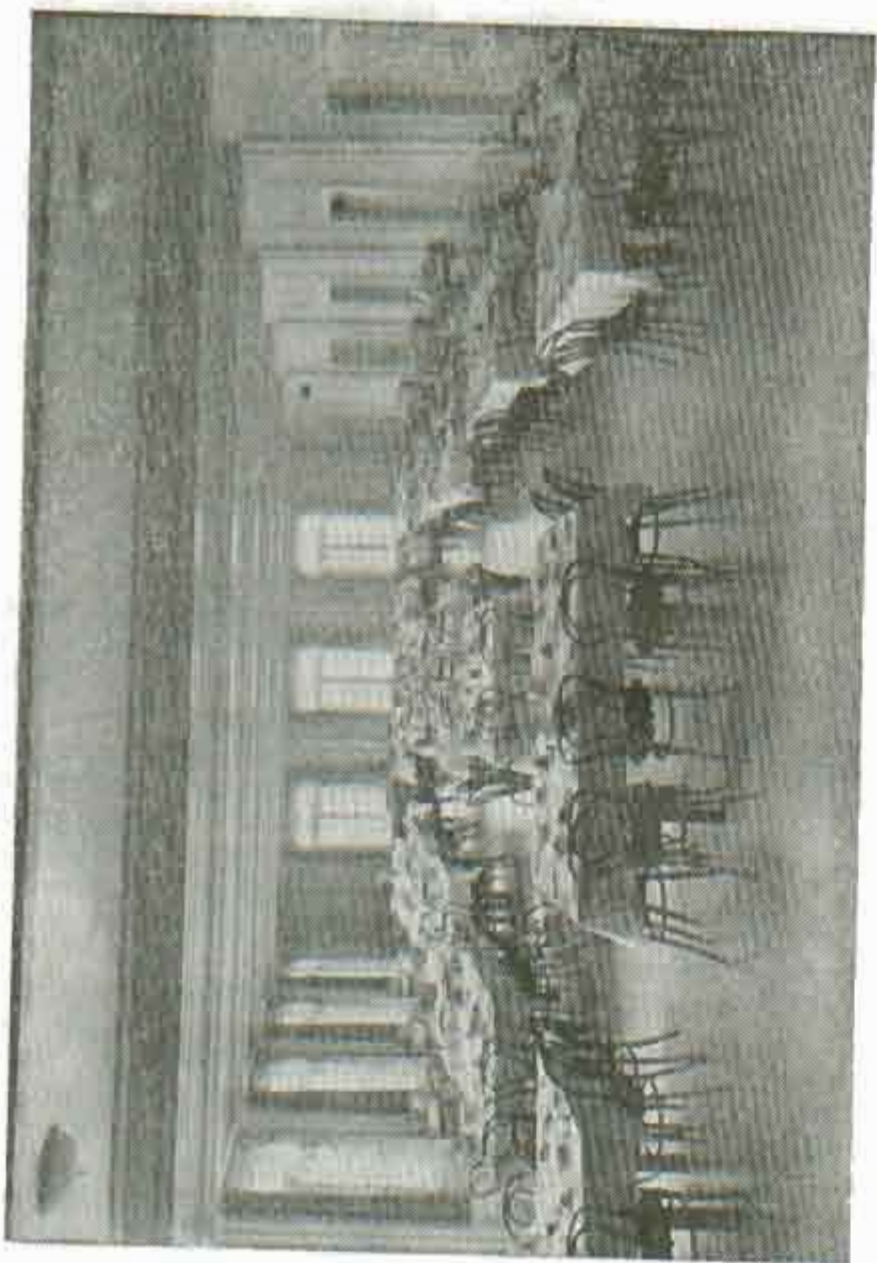
An important service rendered by the Y. M. C. A. is that of bringing notable speakers to the campus to give addresses and lead discussions on vital topics. Series of discussions are also promoted from time to time on topics of interest to students, led usually by faculty members.

CONFERENCES

In addition to the conferences on the campus the "Y" assists men to attend significant student conferences off the campus. Each year a delegation is sent to the Student Conference at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. Students who attend these conferences say they are among the most significant experiences of a college career. Assistance is also given to enable students to attend other occasional student congresses and conferences.

Other activities included in the program of the "Y" include deputation teams to nearby towns, an employment service, the operation of a recreation room in Ogden Hall and a second-hand book exchange in the Main Building, boys' club work, athletic teams for independent men, and publication of the "M" Book.

The principal support of the Association comes from an appropriation from the Miami Chest to which all students are asked to contribute according to their ability.



OXFORD COLLEGE DINING ROOM



Athletics



GEORGE L. RIDER, Athletic Director

During the past year, Miami's athletic teams were again outstanding in the Buckeye Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. Having good football and basketball teams and far above the average records in cross country, track, baseball, tennis and golf, the Redskin teams have definitely been established as among the leaders in every Conference sport. And the prospects for the coming year are such as to point to an even more successful Athletic season for the Miami teams.

To the Freshman, Miami's vast and varied athletic program offers exceptional opportunities in all sports under the supervision of the University coaching staff. There are Freshman football, basketball, track, and tennis squads for which numeral sweater awards are given the proficient in each. The Freshman sports calendar does not stop, however, with the major sport squads, for Miami boasts of an intramural system that ranks second to none in the country. Track, gym, and swimming meets, handball, golf, baseball, ping pong, boxing, wrestling, and volleyball are open to the Freshman. Awards in the form of beautiful individual intramural medals are the rewards offered the winners in the different events. Miami offers the Freshman a thorough grounding in major sports and to those not interested a means of gaining complete physical development and mental relaxation.

FOOTBALL

On the gridiron, Coach Wilton's Redskin team came through to finish the season with five wins, three losses, and a tie. The Tribe suffered their three defeats at the hands of

Buckeye foes and the end of the season found them in fourth place in the B. I. A. C. At Case, Miami outplayed the Rough Riders and chalked up a victory after keeping their highly touted opponents on the defensive the greater part of the afternoon. In the annual Homecoming game, the Redskins routed Marshall 20-13, and against Adrian, Miami scored at will missing the point a minute mark by the narrow margin of one point.

Playing in a sea of mud, Cincinnati capitalized on two blocked punts in the early stages of the game and defeated the Redskins 8-7. A last quarter rally saw Miami open up and score after a march of over fifty yards in one series of downs. The Tribe completely dominated the play from this point, but were unable to equal their earlier efforts.

With ten lettermen, several good reserves, and a promising group of freshmen returning, it is expected that Miami will have even a better season this year. Coach Wilton has proved his ability to turn out winning teams and with him at the helm we can expect another good season.

Last Year's Record

Miami	33	—	Eastern Kentucky	7
Miami	21	—	Case	6
Miami	0	—	Ohio Wesleyan	8
Miami	28	—	John Carroll	
Miami	20	—	Marshall	13
Miami	0	—	Ohio University	20
Miami	59	—	Adrian	0
Miami	6	—	Dayton	6
Miami	7	—	Cincinnati	8

Schedule 1936

Sept. 26	—	DePauw	, home
Oct. 3	—	Case	, there
Oct. 10	—	Mich. St. Teachers College	, home
Oct. 17	—	Dayton	, home (Dad's day)
Oct. 24	—	Ohio U.	, home (Homecoming)
Oct. 31	—	Ohio Wesleyan	, there
Nov. 7	—	Toledo	, home
Nov. 14	—	Marshall	, there
Nov. 26	—	Cincinnati	, there

BASKETBALL

On the hardwood, with the greater part of their roster made up of new men, the Redskins developed into one of the strongest combines in the conference. A trio of victories were marked in favor of the Tribe in their opening games as they downed Wilmington, Georgetown, and Vanderbilt. After losses to Indiana and Ball State, Miami retaliated and turned back Dayton. In the following games the Redskins lost two each to Ohio Wesleyan and Ohio U., but managed to even the count by wins over Marshall and Cincinnati. The season finale was with the league-leading Cincinnati aggregation. Dazzling their opponents with fast passing, accurate shooting and close guarding, Miami eked out a 28-23 win.

With seven returning lettermen and a group of rangy freshmen coming up, the prospects for the coming season are very bright. With this wealth of material Coach Mauer, a recognized basketball authority, should develop a quintet that will rival any in the history of Miami.

Last Year's Record

Miami 35—Wilmington 19
Miami 49—Georgetown 21
Miami 34—Vanderbilt 22
Miami 15—Indiana 41
Miami 22—Ball State 29
Miami 34—Dayton 29
Miami 28—Ohio U. 33
Miami 26—Ohio Wesleyan 33
Miami 26—Dayton 15
Miami 34—Cincinnati 36
Miami 29—Ohio Wesleyan 42
Miami 44—Marshall 37
Miami 46—Marshall 32
Miami 23—Ohio U. 39
Miami 28—Cincinnati 23

Schedule, 1936-37

Dec. 5—Georgetown, home
Dec. 12—Indiana, there
Dec. 15—Open
Dec. 18—Otterbein, home
Jan. 8—Earlham, home
Jan. 9—Ohio U., home
Jan. 12—Cincinnati, there
Jan. 16—Dayton, there
Jan. 19—Ohio Wesleyan, home
Feb. 2—Ohio Wesleyan, there
Feb. 6—Marshall, there
Feb. 12—Marshall, home
Feb. 17—Ohio U., there
Feb. 22—Dayton, home
Feb. 27—Cincinnati, home

CROSS COUNTRY

The Harriers started the season as a green squad, but rounded into form and developed into one of the most successful teams in

recent years. Miami romped over Ohio Wesleyan in the opener 15-45. The following weeks ends saw the Redskins trouncing Earlham and Ball State by identical scores of 20-38. At Oberlin the Tribe met their only setback of the year, 37-27, against the veteran Ohio Conference champions. The squad then trekked to Muncie and repeated their win over Ball State, this time 21-37. Although no Buckeye championship was held, the Redskins can claim the unofficial title by virtue of their 15-45 win over Dayton.

Cross Country

(low score wins)

Miami 15—Ohio Wesleyan 45
Miami 20—Earlham 38
Miami 20—Ball State 38
Miami 37—Oberlin 21
Miami 21—Ball State 37
Miami 27—Butler 29

Schedule, 1936

Oct. 10—Earlham, there
Oct. 17—Open
Oct. 24—Oberlin, home
Nov. 7—Butler, there

TENNIS

The tennis team brought Miami the second Buckeye championship to Oxford during the spring season. The varsity racquet men completed the season with a record of seven victories, two ties and no defeats. The two ties were mainly due to the five man team clause in the Conference rules. The play of the Redskin's in the singles

and doubles was consistently steady as evidenced by their fine showing.

For the first time, a Freshman squad was organized. Several of the first-year men are of varsity caliber, and should be of great value when the Redskin's defend their title next spring.

Last Years Results

	Miami	Opponent
Miami—Chillicothe	5	1
Miami—Dayton	4	2
Miami—Cincinnati (Tie)	3	3
Miami—Marshall	4	2
Miami—Ohio U. (Tie)	3	3
Miami—Earlham	6	0
Miami—Marshall	5	1
Miami—Cincinnati	4	2
Miami—Wesleyan	6	0

GOLF

Miami was well represented in golf, and the team finished a successful season by gaining second place B. I. A. C. honors. The niblickers held their own in their seven matches by playing above the average golf, and were at the threshold of the title at the conclusion of the season. In the last and title match, the Redskins were nosed out by the strong Dayton quartet who avenged an earlier Miami defeat, giving Miami second place in the Buckeye for the second consecutive year. This was the third year for intercollegiate golf in the Buckeye. Miami has taken one championship and have been runners-up twice. The home matches are played on the Miami golf course, which is rated one of the best in the Conference.

Last Years Results

	Miami	Opp.
April 17—Ohio Wesleyan	16	2
April 18—Wayne U.	17½	½
April 25—Cincinnati	5	13
May 2—Dayton	11½	6½
May 9—Cincinnati	17½	½
May 12—Ohio Wesleyan	13½	4½
May 15—Dayton	1½	16½
May 22-23—Ohio Intercollegiate	—	Miami

won 2nd place. Heimsch and Jilek tied for 5th. Smith eighth in individual standing.

BASEBALL

On the diamond, the Redskins fared well and the end of the season found them third in the Buckeye race. With a group of veterans and several able sophomores to fill the openings in the lineup, Coach Wilton placed a polished team on the field that won twelve of their sixteen games.

Batting and fielding to perfection, the Tribe came through their first eight encounters undefeated. There followed, however, a slump in which the Redskins were unable to overcome their opponents narrow margins of victory. These off days were few, and the showing of the team is conclusive proof of their ability.

In spite of the loss of five lettermen, the prospects for next season are very bright. A freshman team, able to give the varsity a good battle, developed into one of the smoothest-working yearling nines in recent years. With this group eligible for varsity competition next year, and several veterans returning, Miami's baseball team should again be a serious contender for the Buckeye crown.

Last Year's Results

Miami 5—Earlham 3
Miami 5—Earlham 4
Miami 4—Dayton 3
Miami 8—Marshall 2
Miami 6—Ohio U. 4
Miami 4—Cincinnati 1
Miami 7—Dayton 6
Miami 4—Marshall 10
Miami 2—Ohio Wesleyan 6
Miami 4—Ohio U. 2
Miami 13—Ohio Wesleyan 3
Miami 4—Cincinnati 5

TRACK

Miami's fine track team again won the Buckeye Conference championship. This event marks the seventh B. I. A. C. victory for the Redskins in the last eleven years; they have also been runners-up three times during this period.

Early spring found the Tribe with prospects for a successful, but not outstanding season. Many sophomores, unexperienced in varsity competition, were depended upon to shoulder the greater part of the teams attack. Several seasoned veterans formed the nucleus of the team, and with these experienced men and the untried new-comers in practically every event, Miami opened with Ohio U. and won handily. Then followed defeats at the hands of Ohio Wesleyan and Michigan State Normal. Regaining their stride and rounding into top form, Miami found little trouble in downing Cincinnati in the last dual meet of the season.

With every man accustomed to the fire of competition and pointing to the Buckeye, the Redskins came through to victory and

the Conference championship in a closely contested match.

Miami's track teams are coached by George L. Rider who is serving as one of the coaches for the American track team at the 1936 Olympic Games.

Last Year's Results

Miami 83—Ohio University 48
Miami 58—Ohio Wesleyan 72
Miami 53—Michigan State Normal 78
Miami 98—Cincinnati 33
Buckeye Meet: Miami 66 $\frac{1}{4}$, Ohio Wesleyan 62 $\frac{3}{4}$, Ohio U., Cincinnati.

Athletic Association

All students of Miami are members of the Athletic Association. By a payment of a student fee of six dollars at the beginning of each semester each student becomes a member of the Association and receives a book of tickets which admits him or her to all contests in Oxford. These tickets are not transferable and are non-redeemable.

Athletic Board of Control

The Board is composed of five faculty members, appointed by the President of the University, and three students elected by members of the Athletic Association. This organization awards letters over all policies of athletics.

VARSITY TRACK RECORDS

Event	Holder Miami Record	Year	Miami Record	B. A. A. Record
100 Yard Dash	Sharkey	1926	9.6"	9.6"
220 Yard Dash	Sharkey	1926	21.1"	21.1"
440 Yard Dash	Gordon	1931	48.3"	48.3"
880 Yard Run	Dudley	1933	1' 58.5"	1' 57.3"
1 Mile Run	Shugert	1931	4' 20.8"	4' 20.8"
2 Mile Run	Shugert	1932	9' 16.7"	9' 35.9"
120 Yard High Hurdles	Oliver	1934	14.1"	14.9"
220 Yard Low Hurdles	Oliver	1934	23.1"	24.0"
Pole Vault	Black	1934	13' 3 1/2"	13' 3 1/2"
Shot Put	Vossler	1930	47' 6"	47' 6 1/4"
High Jump	Davis	1930	6' 5/8"	6' 1 3/8"
Discus	Horn	1933	136' 8"	142' 11 3/4"
Broad Jump	Black	1934	23' 6 1/2"	23' 3 1/8"
Javelin	Jones	1934	191' 10 1/4"	200' 6 3/4"
Relay	Dudley Davis Hyde Ackenheil	1933	3' 23.1"	3' 23.1"

MIAMI FRESHMAN RECORDS

Event	Record	Holder	Year
100 Yard Dash	10.0"	W. Seni	1934
220 Yard Dash	21.8"	J. Gordon	1928
440 Yard Dash	50.1"	A. Oliver	1933
880 Yard Run	1' 59.4"	F. Heilig	1932
1 Mile Run	4' 32.8"	F. Heilig	1932
2 Mile Run	10' 1"	C. Shugert	1929
120 Yard High Hurdles	15.4"	A. Oliver	1933
220 Yard Low Hurdles	24.2"	A. Oliver	1933
High Jump	5' 11 1/4"	P. Oram	1935
Broad Jump	22' 6 1/2"	A. Oliver	1933
Pole Vault	13' 3 1/4"	E. Black	1932
Javelin	181' 6"	D. Bollechino	1927
Discus	123' 10"	P. Field	1932
Shot Put	41' 4"	G. Vossler	1927
Mile Relay	3' 26.8"	Camp Cook Mills Doughman	1935

THE BUCKEYE INTER-COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE

University	Year Admitted Into Conference
Miami	1928
Ohio Wesleyan	1928
Cincinnati	1928
Ohio University	1928
Marshall	1932
Dayton	1935

Intercollegiate Athletic Rules of the Buckeye Intercollegiate Athletic Conference

1. No one shall participate in any intercollegiate sport unless he is a bona fide undergraduate student, doing full work in a regular or special course as defined in the curriculum of his college.

2. No student shall so participate until he has been in attendance in his college for one full calendar year subsequent to attaining the equivalent of freshman rank in a four-year college. (Interpretations.)

(1) A second year of residence shall not be required of the student who changes and then returns to his original college, unless he shall have participated in intercollegiate athletics during his absence; (2) Summer session work shall not be counted in determining length of residence. (3) Eligibility means a student shall carry a minimum of 12 semester hours each semester during his first year's residence.

3. No student shall participate in intercollegiate athletics upon the teams of any

college or colleges for more than three years in the aggregate, and any member of a college team who plays in any part of any intercollegiate athletic contest does thereby participate in intercollegiate athletics for the year.

Two years' participation and each subsequent year of participation in a junior college shall be considered as one year of competition. (Interpretations.) (1) Students who play in the first scheduled game and in no other contest of the season shall not be considered as having participated; (2) A student who begins his college work at the middle of the year and then satisfies the year of residence requirement of Rule 2 shall not be debarred by this rule from three full years of competition in athletics.

4. At the beginning of each athletic season, the registrar of each conference school shall be asked to submit to each school in the conference a list of eligible athletes, together with a transcript of the number of hours passed and the grades earned by each athlete in the semester preceding participation.

Any student who has an incomplete which makes him ineligible shall be ineligible until that incomplete is made up. (Time limit to make up incomplete shall be six weeks.)

5. The names and scholastic records of all transfer students from within the conference shall be submitted to the conference for approval before such students can be declared eligible. This means the scholastic record in the institution from which the student transfers.

A student transferring into any Buckeye school, to be eligible for participation in athletics, must be in good standing at the institution from which he is transferring.

In case an athlete is dropped from an institution, he must return to that institution and clear his record before he can be eligible for participation in a Buckeye institution. Any man who has participated in intercollegiate competition in a Buckeye Conference school shall be ineligible for competition in any other Buckeye school.

6. No student shall play in any game under an assumed name.

7. Any person participating in any athletic contest as a member of a collegiate team, while not a student in the institution represented, is thereafter debarred from participating in intercollegiate contests under these rules.

8. A student who participates in intercollegiate athletics and does not complete the work of that term or semester shall not be permitted to compete in the same sport in his next year of residence until he has completed the subsequent semester's work.

9. No person shall be admitted to any intercollegiate contest who receives any gift, remuneration, or pay for his service on the college team.

No student shall participate in any intercollegiate contest who has used, or is using, his knowledge of athletics or his athletic skill for gain, which includes such work as officiating in games for pay. (Interpretations.) (1) In the application of this rule the word "athletics" and "athletic skill" shall be interpreted as including gymnastics and gymnastic skill; (2) This shall not apply to Summer Playground work, to junior work in the Y. M. C. A., or to junior welfare work.

Participation of college students in athletic sports as members of professional or semi-professional teams shall render such

students ineligible to membership in college teams; a semi-professional team being one which contains one or more members who are engaged for a whole or a part of the season for pecuniary compensation.

Any athlete who is proven to have accepted loans or gifts from any person or organized group because of athletic ability shall be declared ineligible for competition in the Buckeye Conference.

10. Any student that participates on an outside team during the school year shall be declared ineligible in that sport for his next school year.

11. All intercollegiate games shall be played on grounds either owned by or under immediate control of one or both of the colleges participating in the contest; and all intercollegiate games shall be played under college management, and not under the control of any corporation or association, or private individual.

12. The elections of managers and captains in each college shall be subject to the approval of the faculty committee on athletics.

13. College football teams shall play only with teams representing educational institutions, and members of the Buckeye shall not play any team after the fall of 1930 that has been dropped from the conference for disciplinary reasons.

14. Teams other than regular college or "varsity" teams in all branches of athletics shall play only with teams of their own institution.

15. The maintenance of a training table (in the sense of a table conducted wholly, or in part, at the expense of others than boarders) shall not be permitted.

16. The average aid in scholarships and loans given by any college to her athletes

shall not be more than the approximate average given to other male students, both in amount and in numbers receiving aid. No scholarship grants or loans are to be promised by any representative of any college to prospective athletes.

Scholarships are not to be used to influence high school athletes to enter college.

17. The department of athletics shall take no active part in approaching high school boys. No one connected with the department of athletics is to make trips to talk to high school boys except at dinners or other gatherings when invited by the high school. It is not contrary to the spirit of this rule for persons connected with the department of athletics to discuss choice of college with high school boys who come to see them, unless a campaign is made to bring such men in contact with members of the department of athletics.

18. Rumors of violation of rules by any institution are to be reported at once to the director of that school and openly discussed at the meeting of the conference next following.

19. The directors are to use their influence to discourage any offers of financial assistance to high school athletes. Any jobs that are bonified and opened to all students may be secured for high school athletes.

20. This conference is to be known as the Buckeye Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

21. The faculty representatives and directors shall meet together at least once annually.

22. All athletics shall be under the control of the faculty of each institution.

23. All guarantees are to be paid by check.

24. The conference shall appoint a man to serve as Director of Officials for the colleges in the conference, and his salary shall be 150 dollars a year.

BUCKEYE ATHLETIC AWARDS

Major Sport Awards

1. Varsity award to be a V-neck sweater with chenille letter.
2. Second varsity award to be a coat sweater with chenille letter.
3. Men earning letters three years in the same sport to be awarded a letter-blanket for that sport. No athlete to receive more than one blanket.
4. Senior lettermen to be awarded letter certificate.

Minor Sport Awards

1. First award to be a light V-neck sweater with small chenille letter.
2. Second award to be a light sweater coat with small chenille letter.
3. Men winning letters three years in the same sport to be awarded a letter-blanket for that sport. No athletes to receive more than one blanket.
4. Senior lettermen to be awarded letter certificates.
5. Freshmen may be awarded one V-neck jersey with numerals or abbreviated numerals only (such as '32).
6. Freshman numerals to be awarded only after recipients have made grades for eligibility the first semester.
7. Manager's award to be a varsity letter with small "M."
8. Cheer leader's award to be a varsity letter with "CL."

REQUIREMENTS FOR AWARDS

Football

One-half total number of quarters—being in game one play counts as a quarter.

Basketball

One-half total number of halves in season. Three minutes in a half counts as a half. College games only.

Baseball

One-half total number of innings, one-fourth total number of innings for pitchers and one-third for catchers.

Track

Average three points for dual meets, or one point in Buckeye Meet.

Cross Country

Individual or team winning two firsts in dual meet or team finishing first in Buckeye Meet, or individual finishing in first ten in Buckeye Meet.

Senior Award

Letter and sweater to man making requirement in two or three years.

THE UNIVERSITY LETTER

The major sports are five in number, and are as follows: Football, basketball, baseball, track and cross country. All others are classed as minor sports.

For a performance of unusual merit in

minor sports the Athletic Board may, by a two-thirds vote grant a major "M."

The official "M" is only awarded for intercollegiate competition in athletics. The award rests with the Athletic Advisory Board and the letter does not become the property of the individual meeting the technical requirements laid down until the Board makes the formal award. If in the judgment of the coach or the Board an individual making these technical requirements has failed to render loyal, obedient, and earnest service at all times during the season, or has violated the rules of clean sportsmanship, the Board reserves the right to withhold the letter.

The Athletic Board may, by a unanimous vote and on recommendation of the coach of the particular sport in which the person in question participated, take away a Varsity emblem or any other award it has previously made, if sufficient cause is given.

No one shall be eligible to receive any award who does not finish the season of the sport he is participating in, unless prohibited from doing so by illness or injury.

The Athletic Board shall withdraw all awards from men who shall sell, or cause to be sold, complimentary tickets to Miami athletics.



MERLIN DITMER
Freshman Coach
Assistant Athletic Director

COACHING STAFF

The coaching staff at Miami consists of the following:

George L. Rider, director of physical education and athletics.

Frank S. Wilton, coach of football and baseball.

Merlin A. Ditmer, assistant athletic director and freshman coach.

John W. Mauer, basketball coach.

Elwood J. Wilson, football line coach, wrestling instructor, assistant coach of varsity track.

E. J. Colville, trainer.

Tom Van Voorhis, intramurals.

Participate!

With a fine intercollegiate athletic system and widely known intramural facilities and organization, flat-chested Miami graduates are unnecessary. Get acquainted with tennis, golf, handball, boxing, squash, wrestling, tumbling, playground ball, volleyball, speedball, or at least foul-shooting, if you do not care for football, basketball, baseball, cross country, or track.



TOM VAN VOORHIS
Director of Intramural Athletics

INTRAMURAL ATHLETICS

Not many years back in the history of our colleges and universities and in the memory of most of us, there was only one system of athletics in the average size college or university. This system of intercollegiate athletics took care of a few trained and highly specialized athletes. Large sums of money were spent each year on the different branches of intercollegiate sport. Out of this costly system of athletics only a few students received any physical or body-building benefits.

Then came the World War and America's entrance into this mighty conflict. It was at this time during the intensive training periods that mass athletics and organized games brought out the excellent results of a systematic athletic training for the individual. Men were intensely interested in physical exercise if offered to them by the method of physical combat, that is: baseball, boxing, wrestling, etc. Thus it was that the now well-grounded system of athletics found its beginning in the American army camps during the Great War.

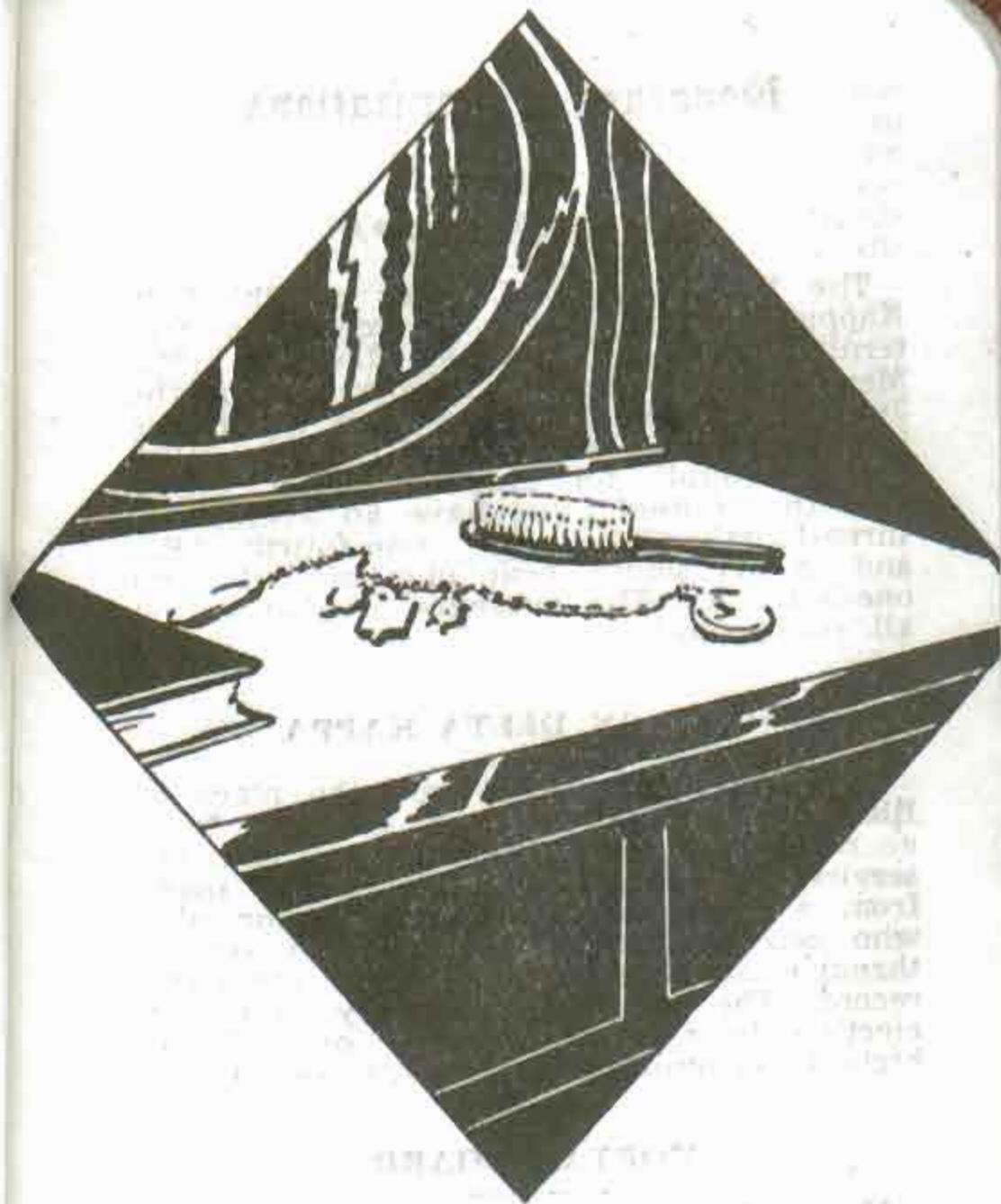
This very important system of athletics was introduced into our colleges only a few years ago, and at the present time most of the universities and colleges are making intramural athletics an important feature of their campus activities.

Here at Miami University the intramural program is divided into three seasonal periods—fall, winter, and spring. During the fall season most of the activities take the form of outdoor sports, such as speedball, playground ball, tennis, horseshoes, cross country, and handball. In the winter season intramural sports are an important part of the festivities: Basketball, boxing,

wrestling, fencing, foul shooting, indoor track, and athletic tests. Immediately after the spring vacation, Cook Field again becomes the scene of activities. Baseball, volleyball, horseshoes, outdoor track, and tennis are the sports that fill the spring calendar.

It would take too long to give a detailed description of our system of intramurals here at Miami, but it is understood that Miami University is second to no other college or university in organizing and conducting intramural athletics.

In order to give more of the new men of the University a chance to participate and likewise to increase the interest of the freshmen in intramural athletics, several new features were initiated by the Intramural Department in 1927. These include, in the fall, a tennis tournament, open to all men of the freshman class, and in the winter a freshman inter-dorm basketball tourney and an indoor track meet. The special spring feature for the freshmen is an outdoor track and field meet. All of these contests are open to a freshman whether he be a member of a fraternity or not, and it is the earnest desire of the director of Intramural Athletics that all freshmen take part.



Honorary Organizations

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PHI BETA KAPPA

The Iota of Ohio Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity, was established at Miami in 1911. Membership is limited to members of the Junior and Senior classes who attain the high scholarship standard of the fraternity. To be eligible for election in his junior year the student must have an average of three-fourths "A" and one-fourth "B," and in his senior year one-half "B" and one-half "A." The averages are figured on all courses taken.

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

Omicron Delta Kappa took the place of Blue Key on the campus in 1933. It is a national men's honorary recognizing service and scholarship. Election is made from a group of Junior and Senior men who can qualify on the basis of service through activities and a high scholastic record. The standards are very high and election to this honorary is one of the highest recognitions which can be given.

MORTAR BOARD

Mortar Board, senior girls' honorary, selects its members on the basis of scholarship, service, and leadership. The members are chosen in the spring from the junior women by an unanimous vote of present members with approval of the national council.

Its purpose is to provide for cooperation between senior honoraries for women, to promote college loyalty, to advance the spirit of service and fellowship among university women, to maintain a high standard of scholarship, to recognize and encourage leadership, and stimulate the development of a fine type of college woman.

The honorary was founded at Syracuse, New York, in 1918; it now has fifty-two chapters located at leading universities, the Miami chapter being established in 1922.

PHI ETA SIGMA

The Miami University Chapter of Phi Eta Sigma, national scholastic fraternity for freshmen, was established in 1928. Membership is based solely on scholarship. Elections are held twice a year, at the end of the first semester and at the end of the year. A freshman failing to make the required average of 3.5 (half "A" and half "B") at the end of the first semester may still be elected at the end of the second if his average for the year is up to that required. Each year the organization presents a loving cup to the fraternity whose pledges have the highest average.

CWEN

Cwen is a sophomore girls' honorary fraternity, the Beta chapter of which was established on the Miami campus in the spring of 1925. Members are chosen from the outstanding girls of the freshman class on the basis of their scholarship, leadership, personality, services to the school, and interest in activities. Each spring at

the crowning of the May Queen the outgoing members "tap" fifteen new Cwens.

The purpose of this organization is to encourage better feeling between freshman and sophomore women and to set a standard for underclass women. Many of the Cwens serve as counselors in freshman dormitories.

ALETHENAI LITERARY SOCIETY

Miami chapter of the Alethenai Literary Society was installed at Miami University for the purpose of stimulating interest in creative literary work among the students of the University. Those eligible must have a general "B" average, a "B-plus" average in English, and be recommended by three professors.

ALPHA KAPPA DELTA

The Ohio Alpha Chapter of this national honorary sociological fraternity was established at Miami in 1925. Membership is open to students majoring or elementary students who make an "A" grade.

BETA PI THETA

The two principal aims of Beta Pi Theta, honorary French society, are to honor those students who have done meritorious work in French and essentially to stimulate interest in French literature, art, and history. Conversation is stressed in each of the sixteen meetings held during the year.

For membership sophomores and juniors must have a 3.5 average in French and a C

plus in other subjects. Seniors must have a B average in French with C plus in general work.

COM-BUS

Com-bus, founded in 1931, is an organization for high ranking girls in the business school. Second semester sophomores, juniors, or seniors who have a C plus average and who are active in campus activities are eligible for membership. Candidates are elected by the active members of the organization.

DELTA OMICRON

Delta Omicron a national musical sorority, was installed at Miami University in 1923 as an honorary organization, membership being open to those girls who are taking the public school music course. An average of "B" must be had and maintained for membership. The insignie of the organization is a gold lyre set with pearls. Musicals are given monthly by the members and a twilight recital in May to which the student body is invited.

DELTA PHI DELTA

The object of Delta Phi Delta, art honorary, is to recognize individual achievement and to encourage students to develop any ability they may have in the line of art. Annual prizes are awarded for the unusual treatment by a student of given types or objects. Awards are also made at an exhibit held each year by the club. Candidates must have a B plus average in their art major and a C average in other subjects.

To be eligible, candidates must have a B average in all subjects for the semester preceding initiation.

DELTA SIGMA PI

Replacing the old local Gamma Delta Nu fraternity, Delta Sigma Pi, national honorary business fraternity, was installed at Miami in 1927. Membership is based on interest shown in business lines and the subjects offered in the School of Business. Delta Sigma Pi is one of the leading business fraternities in the country.

EPSILON PI TAU

The Gamma chapter of Epsilon Pi Tau, national industrial education honorary, was founded at Miami in 1931. Juniors and seniors of good scholarship are admitted to this honorary whose purpose is to interest industrial education students in their work.

ETA SIGMA PHI

Another national fraternity, installed here during the past few years, is Eta Sigma Phi, honorary Greek and Latin society. It attempts a two-fold purpose in that it tries to stimulate interest in and appreciation of the classics besides promoting good fellowship and social interest among the classical students. Only those maintaining a high standing in the classical studies are eligible for membership.

KAPPA DELTA PI

Students who have done exceptional work in preparing themselves for the teaching profession may be elected to membership in Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary

teaching fraternity. Candidates to the Nu Chapter, established here in 1923, are selected on the basis of a strictly "B" average from members of the Junior and Senior classes.

KAPPA PHI

Kappa Phi is a national Methodist university women's club, founded at Kansas University in 1916. The Lambda chapter was installed at Miami in 1922. The purpose of the organization is to provide religious training and a wholesome social life for college women. The slogan is, "Every university girl of today a leader in the church tomorrow." All Methodist girls attending Miami are eligible for membership.

KAPPA PHI KAPPA

Kappa Phi Kappa is a national professional honorary fraternity of students interested in education. Its purpose is to encourage members in the study of the principles and problems of higher education.

The scholarship requirement for Kappa Phi Kappa is a 2.75 average in all academic work.

LES POLITIQUES

Les Politiques was founded at Miami in 1931 to promote interest in the study of

government. All majors in government who have made a grade of "B" or above at the end of the first semester of their sophomore year are eligible.

LIBERAL ARTS CLUB

The Liberal Arts Club of Miami University was organized in 1903 for the purpose of promoting the social life and literary interest of Miami women. Entrance requirements are a B average in all subjects and a B plus average in English.

PHI MU ALPHA, SINFONIA

Phi Mu Alpha, Sinfonia Fraternity, is a national honorary organization. Its chief aim and purpose is to advance the cause of good music in America. Membership is limited to men who have adopted music as a profession or have shown an active interest in the art. Scholarship standing is also taken into consideration when elections to the organization are held.

PHI SIGMA

Phi Sigma chooses its members from the upperclassmen doing work in Botany, Geology or Zoology. The Miami or Upsilon Chapter was installed on the campus in 1926. Meetings are held bi-weekly at which addresses are given by members of the faculty and visiting scientists. Membership

is based upon high scholastic achievement in any particular branch of natural science.

SIGMA DELTA PI

The Alpha Alpha chapter of Sigma Delta Pi, national Spanish honorary, was established at Miami in 1932. Candidates for membership must have a general B average and nothing below a B in Spanish courses. They must be planning to take advanced work in the language.

SIGMA GAMMA EPSILON

Sigma Gamma Epsilon is the honorary geological fraternity. The Alpha Theta chapter was founded at Miami in 1934. The members must have fourteen hours of "B" or better grades in geology and be carrying more advanced work in this field. The fraternity publishes a news-letter which keeps the members posted on things of interest in connection with geology. The fraternity co-operates with the Geology Department in sponsoring an annual field trip to Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, and also the spring field trip in Southern United States, held at the close of each school year.

SIGMA PI SIGMA

Sigma Pi Sigma, national honorary physics fraternity, was founded in 1921, and since 1929 has had a rapid growth. The

Miami chapter, Omega, was installed in June, 1935.

Admission to the organization is conditioned on enrollment in an advanced course in physics, a general scholastic average of B, an average of 3.25 in all physics courses, and courses in mathematics and chemistry.

TAU KAPPA ALPHA

Tau Kappa Alpha is an intercollegiate honorary recognizing excellence in public speaking and debate. Its purpose is to encourage high standards of oratory and debate. Elections are held each spring at which time those who have distinguished themselves in this field are elected to membership.



Campus Activities

Publications

RECENSIO

The "Recensio," the Miami University year book, is published near the end of the second semester, giving a complete pictorial and written review of the happenings of the school year. This annual is published by a staff selected from the junior class and is under its direction and supervision.

As suggested by its name, the "Recensio" endeavors to give a complete summary or review of the preceding year. It is a very complete pictorial and written review of the scholastic year. Perhaps a "lion's share" is given to the seniors, but the other classes are not forgotten.

MIAMI STUDENT

Established in 1826, the "Miami Student" is the oldest college newspaper west of the Alleghenies. Making its appearance on Tuesday and Friday evenings, the paper is the four page semi-weekly paper of the University. It gives a complete review of the happenings on the campus, whether athletic, forensic, or scholastic, and other news of campus and country-wide college activities.

Regular "beats" are assigned to reporters and a "dope sheet" is posted for each issue. Thus the work is made to conform as nearly as possible with that on any large metropolitan daily.

The editors of the Student and Recensio are appointed by a committee composed of the Chairman of the Publications Committee

of the University Senate, the head of the English Department, the Assistant to the President of the University, the Chairman of the Student-Faculty Council, and either the editor of the Student or Recensio. The editor is selected from those having successfully qualified.

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The selection of editors and managers of the Miami Student and the Miami Recensio results from competition. Competition for each position is conducted under regulations prescribed by the respective committees.

Those interested in competing for these positions or working on the staffs are urged to report to the respective offices located in the basement of Irvin Hall soon after school starts.

THE "M" BOOK

This is the Freshman's "Bible" and he should read it from cover to cover, assimilate its contents and digest them thoroughly.

The editor is appointed by the President and General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. The editorial staff is appointed by the editor. The book is made possible through the cooperation of the organizations listed in the back.

MIAMI DIRECTORY

The Miami Directory is issued by the University shortly after the school opens for the fall term. It contains the names, home addresses, campus addresses and Oxford phone numbers of the students registered in the University. In addition it contains a list of all the faculty and administration members with their offices, addresses and phone numbers. It also has a list of the class presidents, officers of the Student Senate, Student Council, Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. The University calendar is also included.

THE NEWS LETTER

The News Letter is the University publication which is issued with the purpose of keeping a close bond between Miami and her alumni, scattered all over the world. It details the doings of the different departments of the school in a brief and concise manner, giving the results of athletic contests and containing all other information of interest to the alumni.

Musical Organizations

THE UNIVERSITY GLEE CLUB THE MADRIGAL CLUB THE CHORAL UNION

These choral organizations offer membership to all students in the University who can qualify, after consulting with the director. They offer students unequalled opportunity for becoming familiar with a wide variety of chorus music, ranging from simple part-songs to the great classic and modern choral works. The University Glee Club is made up of the men students, and the Madrigal Club of women. The membership of the Choral Union is drawn from both the men and women students. These organizations are under the direction of the faculty members of the School of Fine Arts. Public concerts are given throughout the year.

THE UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA

Membership in the University Orchestra is open to all students who can qualify, after consulting with the conductor. Students who take this work have unusual opportunity for sight-reading and orchestral routine. It is obvious that while the pleasure of participating in such an organization is an important consideration, the value of thorough and careful study of a large amount of orchestra literature cannot be over estimated by the serious student of music. The orchestra is under the

direction of a faculty member of the School of Fine Arts. Public concerts are given throughout the year.

THE UNIVERSITY BAND

This year a new plan will be put into use in the University band, under the direction of Mr. Normann. Besides the regular band, membership in which entails one semester hour of credit, there will be a "pep" band which will accompany the football team on one or more trips away from home. This band will be smaller and independent of the regulation band, which gives various public performances during the year, although membership in the two organizations may overlap.

As usual, the band will play at home basketball games. Rehearsals are held weekly and end with the annual spring concert.

A Girl's Band was a new addition to the department last year. The girls held separate practices, and it was a complete, individual organization.

Dramatics

YE MERRIE PLAYERS

Ye Merrie Players controls the dramatic activities at Miami. A point system is used in determining membership; thus much hard work and active interest in dramatics is required before one can become a member. Points are made by taking part in or assisting in Ye Merrie Players productions.

Founded in 1910, the organization has been active ever since. Three plays are presented each year, one at the midyear, one at Home-coming, and another at commencement, the plays being carefully selected for their high quality.

THE DRAMATIC WORKSHOP

This is a sub-organization to Ye Merrie Players. Approximately every three weeks, plays are presented before a selected audience of critics. Plays which are voted or selected as the best are again presented but this time before a paid audience in the Workshop Theater, located in Main Building.

FRESHMAN DRAMATICS

Freshmen interested in dramatics have the opportunity of working in their own plays. A group known as the Freshman Players, under the direction of Ye Merrie Players, gives several plays in the Workshop Theater each year. Tryouts for this group are held early in the Fall, at which time any Freshman can try out for membership in the organization. The group which is selected functions in somewhat the same manner as Ye Merrie Players.

Public Speaking

THE SPEAKER'S BUREAU

Three years ago Miami discontinued, to a large extent, the old form of intercollegiate debate, and inaugurated a new type of experience in the way of public speaking, the Speaker's Bureau. This organization is fashioned after the professional speaker's bureaus which have existed for many years. Speakers are supplied, free of charge, to any organization desiring such a service. In these times when money to be spent for professional speakers is not abundant, this service has been widely recognized and accepted.

In the three years which it has existed, the Speaker's Bureau has become one of the most important of the campus activities. Students in any and all departments of the University have prepared talks, usually in the field of their major interests. Their services have been required by organizations of all descriptions, from grade and high school audiences to Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs.

The experience which is gained through such an organization is invaluable and of a much more practical nature than ordinary debate. At the same time the service which is rendered the neighboring community has been recognized and approved, and Miami has become known throughout Ohio through the medium of the Speaker's Bureau.

FISK CONTEST IN ORATORY

The Fisk Oratorical contest was established and endowed in 1921 by Otis B. Fisk, LL. B., Ph. D., in honor of his father, Dr. Charles Henry Fisk, of the class of 1863.

All sophomore, junior, and senior men may enter the preliminaries from which the four best speakers are chosen for the finals, which are held in Benton Hall. The winner is awarded a cash prize of \$30.00 and the second best receives an award of \$20.00. There is also a third prize of \$10.00.

MORTAR BOARD LOYALTY CONTEST IN PUBLIC SPEAKING

All sophomore, junior, and senior women may enter the Mortar Board Loyalty Contest, which usually takes place after the spring vacation. The four best speakers are chosen to take part in the finals, which are held in Benton Auditorium.

The contest is sponsored by Mortar Board, the senior girls' honorary fraternity. Cash prizes of \$35.00 and \$15.00 are awarded to the winners of first and second places.

Clubs

BOTANY CLUB

The Botany Club is an organization for the advancement of botanical science. Meetings are held every two weeks in the lecture room in Brice Hall. Papers are read or reports given by members of the club on topics of general interest. Occasionally outside speakers are obtained to address the club, also motion pictures are given to which all interested members of the student body are invited. First year students are associate members, while the advanced students have the standing of full-fledged members.

CLASSICAL CLUB

The Classical Club is one of the oldest of the present day Miami organizations. It has been on the Miami campus for several decades and has always sought to foster interest in the study of Latin and Greek. The club membership extends to any one enrolled in either a Latin or a Greek course. The club meets bi-monthly.

GERMAN CLUB

Students who are taking second-year or more advanced German are members of the German Club. German is spoken at all meetings of the club. The members of the German Department provide the programs, which vary from speeches to plays. Lantern slides of Germany are often made a part of the program.

MATHEMATICS CLUB

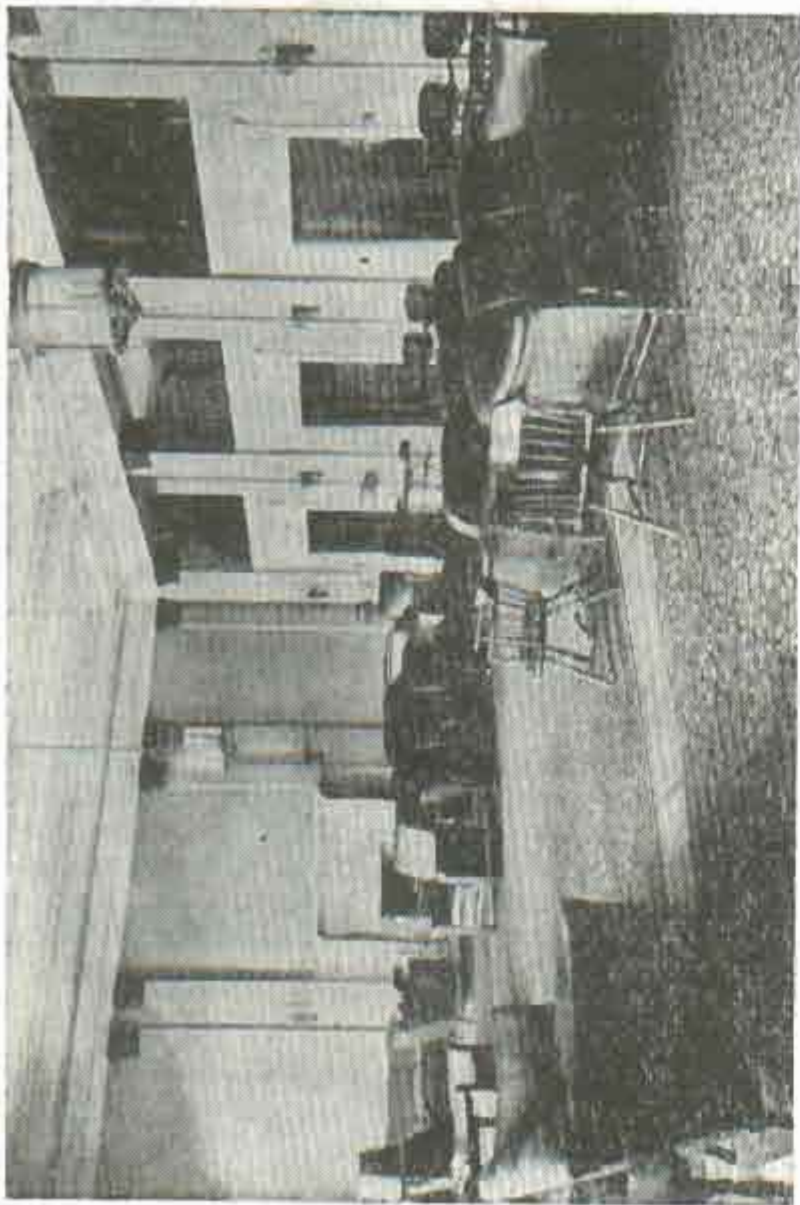
The Mathematics Club is an organization for the purpose of bringing together those of the faculty and students who have a common interest in mathematics to consider mathematical topics which are not treated in scheduled courses in our school.

NEWMAN CLUB

The Newman Club is a social organization of Catholic students on the campus. The main purpose of this organization is to bring these students together so that they will become better acquainted.

PRESS CLUB

The Press Club was organized in 1935 to bring together those interested in journalism and to broaden their knowledge of the subject. Two years on the Student staff or outstanding work on the staff are the requirements for membership. A dinner meeting is held several times a semester, and a local or a well known journalist is invited to discuss the subject with the members.



OGDEN HALL LOUNGE



Miscellaneous

THE LOW-DOWN

The following pages have been prepared with but one thought in mind—to make things easier for you once you arrive in Oxford. Most of you are entirely unacquainted with the university and Oxford, and with the strange new life which awaits you here. Read the following pages through carefully, and follow the suggestions which are made.

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES

The expenses for the year which are directly connected with the University are as follows:

	Men	Women
Registration fee (one-half payable each semester)	\$80.00	\$80.00
Health fee	10.00	10.00
Student activity fee	12.00	12.00
Rent for room in dormitory....	90.00	90.00
Board in dining hall	175.00	162.00
Rental and laundry bed linen	5.00	
Laundry of bed linen		4.00
Gymnasium towel fee	1.25	
Gymnasium locker deposit	1.00	1.00

The above deposit does not include laboratory deposits or books, which are estimated at \$25.00.

WHAT TO BRING

When you start packing up to come to Miami the following suggestions might be of some value in selecting and rejecting material:

In the men's dorms, sheets, pillows, and

pillow-cases are provided by the University and laundered by the school service. A small charge is made at the beginning of the year to cover the expense. Blankets and comforts are furnished by the men themselves.

Women are required to bring their own sheets and pillow-cases and blankets. They are also expected to take care of cleaning their own rooms.

Miami is not essentially a fancy dress school. Bring what you are accustomed to at home. No one is going to point at you because you are not dressed in the height of fashion. You are at school to study and not to learn the fine points about dress.

Bank accounts can be opened at either one of the two banks at Oxford or you can draw directly from home. The Oxford banks usually require that accounts with them be not allowed to run under fifty dollars.

Come prepared to pay for your room rent for one semester, six weeks' board, activity fee and other fees such as your lab fees, room key deposit and so forth. Registration fees will generally run up to about one hundred twenty dollars, depending on courses and various other factors.

Above all, the university is an institution of learning. Determine not to lose the high hopes and ambitions with which your parents sent you. Come with an abounding curiosity to find out what it's all about, and the determination to stick it out when it becomes hard and you get homesick. Determine that you will get out of these greatest four years of your life all that is possible in culture and learning.

OXFORD

Oxford is a town of about 2,500 people. The University is located in the southeast quarter of the town proper, although it has a few buildings in other sections. The chief thoroughfare is High Street, on which the bus stop is located, and on which most business places are to be found.

To get to High Street from the railroad station, go one square east and two north. Follow High Street east until you arrive at Miami Gates, which open into the campus.

Intra-state and interstate bus lines, and a branch of the B. & O. railroad pass through Oxford. The village is 14 miles from Hamilton, 34 from Cincinnati, and 120 miles from Columbus. State highway 73 terminates in Oxford, and National highway 27 passes through the center of town.

NEW STUDENTS

When you arrive in Oxford, whether by train or bus, you will find a Y. W. or Y. M. representative waiting for you. He or she will tell you where to go and what to do. Do not be afraid to ask questions; that is what they are there for and, furthermore, they were freshmen once themselves and can sympathize with you.

If you do not know the number of your room, women should go immediately to the Dean of Women, and men to Mr. Morris, both of whom you will find in Benton Hall, and arrange for your room. Then hunt up the expressman and have your trunk delivered as soon as possible. Make your room comfortable the first day. You may

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High Mass 8:30

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FIRST FRIDAYS

Mass 6:30

Communion 7:45

Evening Devotions 7:30

Daily Mass 7:00

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 7:30-9:00 p. m.

Sundays 10:45 a. m.

Holidays Before Mass

NEWMAN CLUB

A Catholic Student Organization

Meets on 1st and 3rd Sundays

2:00 p. m., at the Church

not have time to pay much attention to it for a week afterwards, and a comfortable room is a great panacea for homesickness.

FRESHMAN WEEK

Freshman week was inaugurated at Miami eight years ago. The purpose is to acclimate the freshmen of the University before the return of the upperclassmen. All matters of student interest are explained and the year's work outlined to the student's greatest advantage. During the four-day period the freshmen are divided into sections of twenty-five each, according to the course which they expect to pursue. Each group is under the direction of a faculty leader, a faculty assistant, and a student assistant who is a member of one of the Christian Association Cabinets.

The material outlined for the week is covered in about eight joint discussions and lecture meetings. The first meeting is given over to a careful explanation of the purpose and plan of the English, psychological and physical examinations which are given. Two meetings are used to explain the different courses offered at Miami and to check up on the vocational aims of each student. Group meetings during the remaining part of the week are devoted to discussions of college rules and regulations, academic requirements, probation, absences, grades, honorary organizations, campus activities, fraternities, etc. Also, a tour of the campus is made so that every student may have a glimpse of the whole University.

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The Rev. Stanley Plattenburg
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RECTORY

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FRESHMAN TIPS

From the vast store of knowledge of upperclassmen comes the following paragraphs. It is hoped that some of the tips which are given here will facilitate your getting settled at Miami, and save you much trouble and even embarrassment later on.

Meet your Adviser. From now on when things go wrong or when you want help or advice, go to him. He's been here a long time and he understands your problems.

Freshman Week was inaugurated for your benefit. Go to every meeting which has been scheduled for you. There will be valuable information given at each one which you can't afford to miss.

Get acquainted with Oxford and know your way around by the time the upperclassmen get back. Get into the swing of things and make a good impression on your elders. It pays.

As soon as you get settled in your room find out who lives around you. These people will be your friends for the next few years of your life so you may as well get acquainted.

If your proctor doesn't call on you, hunt him up. He's there to assist you in any way possible. Take advantage of all the assistance you can get. Don't be afraid to ask questions. In and out of class.

Find out the rules of the dormitory in which you live. If a copy of the rules is not supplied you, find out from someone in authority. It may save you considerable embarrassment later.

The social affairs of Freshman Week are to help you get acquainted. Go to them.

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Minister

JOHN P. McCONNELL
Minister to Students

Student Discussion Groups 9:45
Worship Service 11:00
Student Fellowship 6:30

and don't stand on the sidelines. Make your presence known. Get into the spirit of the thing.

Forget your High School record. You are a Miami Man now, and you will be judged by what you do here, not what you did in High School.

Don't forget that you're down here to study. Make a good start by having your first day assignments well prepared. If you don't get behind you'll find that your studies won't be difficult. A good impression is lasting. Do your best the first nine weeks. You'll never regret it.

Go out for some activity and stay out. The experience and the contacts that you make will be invaluable to you. The service which you do Miami will be appreciated.

Do all your work on week days. "P. A." on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday or don't "P. A." at all. Go home before 10:30.

Go to Assemblies. They're not only required, they're valuable.

Learn the songs and yells and join in the rooting. Miami's courtesy at athletic events is above reproach. Do your part to keep it so.

Miami has many ideals. They are now in your hands. We are depending on you to preserve and cherish them. They mean much to every Miami man and woman.

Write the folks at home every week whether you need money or not. They have great hopes for you, and they like to know how you're getting along.

Attend your own church in Oxford on Sunday morning. You will receive something there which even the University does not give.

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Student Class in Religion—9:30 A. M.

College League—6:30 P. M.

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Wesley Players, National

Kappa Phi Club for Women, National.

Wesley House, student center, N. Poplar.

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men have become great. Do your part.
Miami University will be judged by your conduct wherever you go. Always let your conduct be such that it will bring credit to the university.

Get acquainted with your professors. They're a fine bunch of fellows and what's more, they know more than they tell you in class.

Don't try to keep an automobile in Oxford without a permit. There's no easier way to let yourself out of the University.

A pledge pin is not necessary to success at Miami. Some of the most outstanding men and women have been Independents. Don't be disheartened if you don't get a bid.

MIAMI TRADITIONS

Miami is an old institution, but this does not mean that she has not progressed. As she has grown, customs and traditions have grown with her. Those which were not constructive, have been dropped by the wayside, but the important ones remain as a beacon of her age and also of her growth. It would be well for freshmen to carefully remember them and follow them with pride.

1. Our campus is one of the most beautiful in the country. To keep this beauty, all students should keep on the walks and not take short-cuts across the campus. Even in winter time to make paths through the snow means that there will be a hard streak through the grass on which it is almost impossible to make grass grow.

2. Many of our buildings are revered by generations past. It is necessary that no-one smoke in these buildings so that all can remember "Old Miami" as it was and

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always will be. Smoke only in approved smoking rooms.

3. All Freshmen buy their little red and white caps the first Monday after registration. This rule applies to all except those who have complied with a similar requirement at another school for the period required. These caps are to be worn at all times while in Oxford, except when leaving or arriving in town. They are also to be worn between semesters and during the various holidays before the spring recess, while in Oxford.

4. At least one bonfire pep meeting is held each fall, usually before the biggest game of the season. All Freshmen are expected to participate in the building of this fire, and the evening's program. Each Freshman class attempts to outdo former classes in this event.

5. After every athletic victory, whether played at Oxford or elsewhere, the Freshmen ring the bell in Harrison for at least an hour. The longer the bell is rung, the better the impression gained of the Freshmen by their elders. Nuf said.

6. No Freshman shall bring a date to any pep meeting or university athletic event.

7. There are trash cans in easy access all over the campus. Do not throw paper on the grass but put it in the trash cans where it belongs.

8. During cold spells do not make slides on the walks. Someone is liable to accidentally slip on one and injure himself. Campus avenue is always blocked off for sliding.

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Several years ago the members of the Student Body were bothered with numerous calls to contribute to various worthy organizations. Each Christian Association and charitable institution made a separate campaign each fall. These continuous appeals were not only monotonous to the students, but were themselves many times unsuccessful. In 1925 it was decided to unite these under a Chest system. A budget, allotting a specific sum to each organization, was made out by a special committee of faculty and students. Then early in the fall a drive was put on to raise this money. The whole campus, faculty and students, united in the program of altruistic giving, by which, in one liberal donation, they were able to support these institutions.

In the past six years this drive has been successful. We feel that it will be even more successful this year. This drive will give you a chance to help support the local Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. and to contribute to off-campus projects. Last year money was sent to the Committee on Friendly Relations with Foreign Students in America, to Grace Steinback, a Y. W. C. A. Secretary in China whom the Y. W. C. A. at Miami has helped to support for several years, and a boys' school in Bagdad.

ARTISTS COURSE

Last year a new educational plan was adopted after a unanimous vote of the student body. One dollar a semester is set

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THE PHI ETA SIGMA AND THE PHI BETA KAPPA AWARDS

Each semester the Phi Beta Kappa Scholarship Cups are awarded to the fraternity and sorority which make the highest scholastic average. The Fraternity Cup is awarded to the members of the organization exclusive of pledges, and the Sorority Cup is awarded to both members and pledges.

The Phi Eta Sigma Cup is awarded to

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UNIVERSITY NEWS BUREAU

The University News Bureau, 106 Benton Hall, furnishes news of Miami and Miami students to middle western newspapers and directs all University student publications. Students are advised to inform the News Bureau of matters which might be of interest to the home-town papers.

Ralph J. McGinnis, a Miami graduate, is in charge of the News Bureau and is faculty adviser of the Student and the Recensio.

Who's Who at Miami

President of the Senior Class—Forrest Williams.
President of the Junior Class—Richard Thomas.
President of the Sophomore Class—Robert Redlin.
President of the Student-Faculty Council—Fred Hadsel.
Editor of the Student—Jack Smith.
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Students who work on NYA are a selected group. The Federal government requires that they be above the average in intellectual attainments and interests.

The largest number enrolled at one time was in 1935-36 when there were 362 on the pay roll. About 40 of these were seniors who graduated, the remainder scattered among the three classes. Freshmen are regularly enrolled.

The academic standing of the NYA group is considerably above the average. Last year the average was 2.69, a high figure considering that in addition to carrying full schedules these students work from 50 to 60 hours each month. Many NYA students do other work and take part in athletic and all campus activities.

It is possible for students, by working during the summer, to pay their entire way with NYA help. However, the actual income from this work can be counted on to pay not more than one third of the entire cost of attending Miami.

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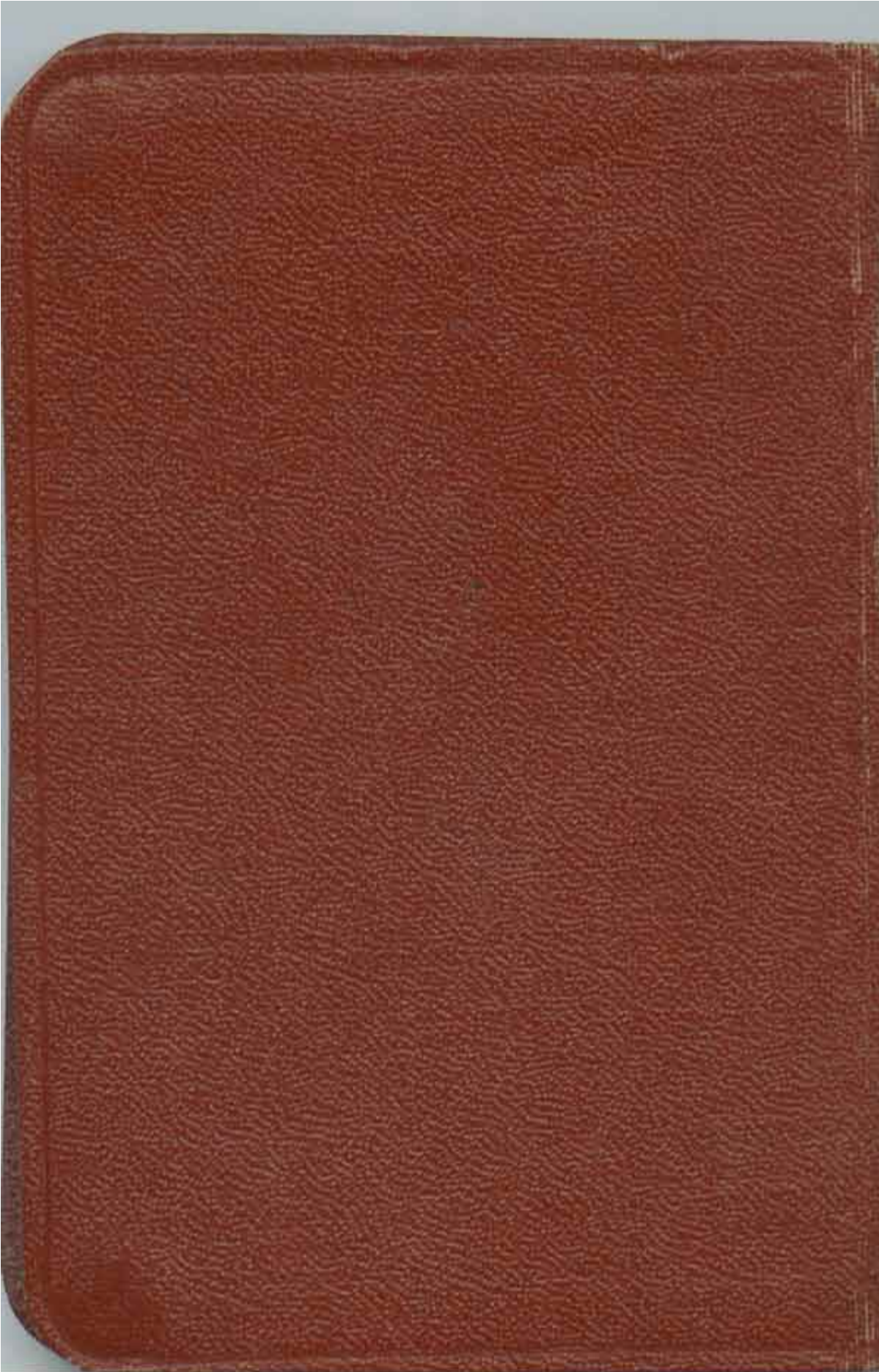
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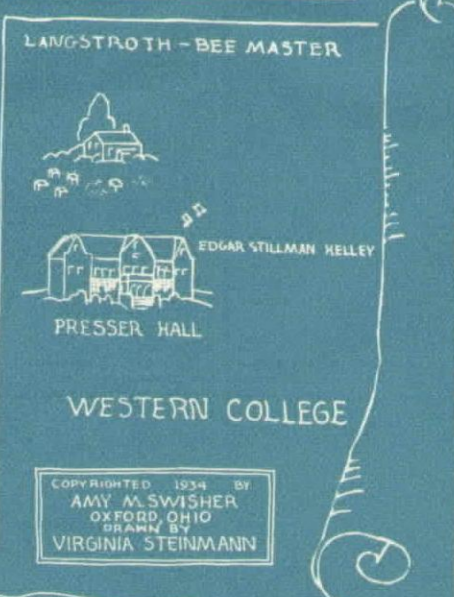
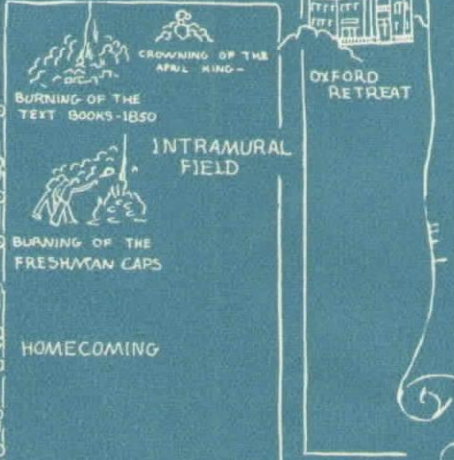
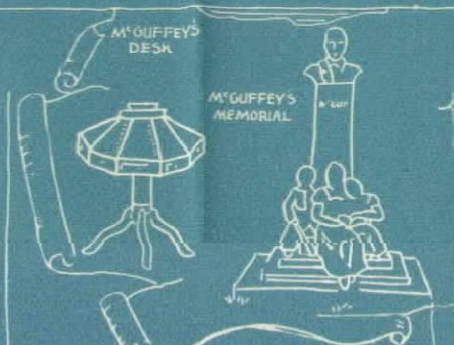
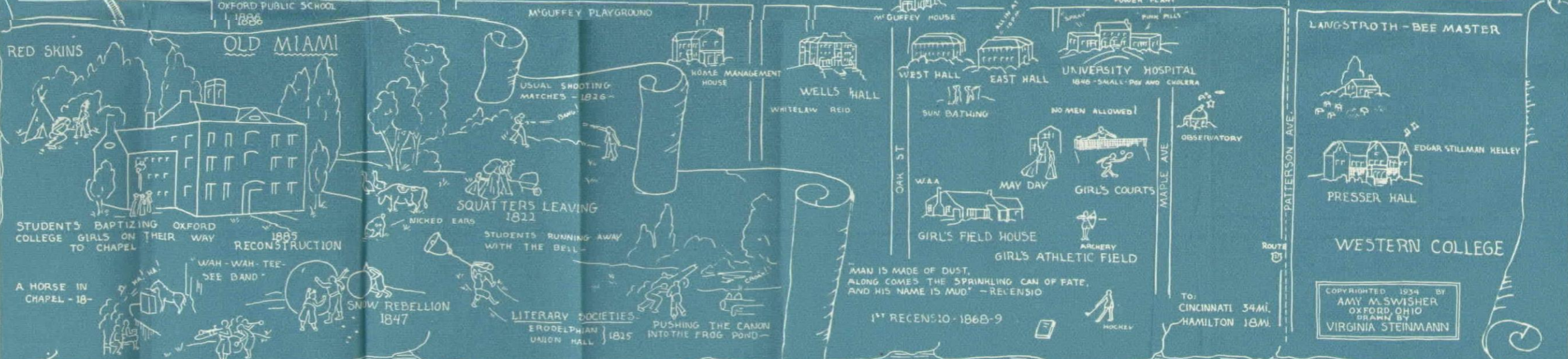
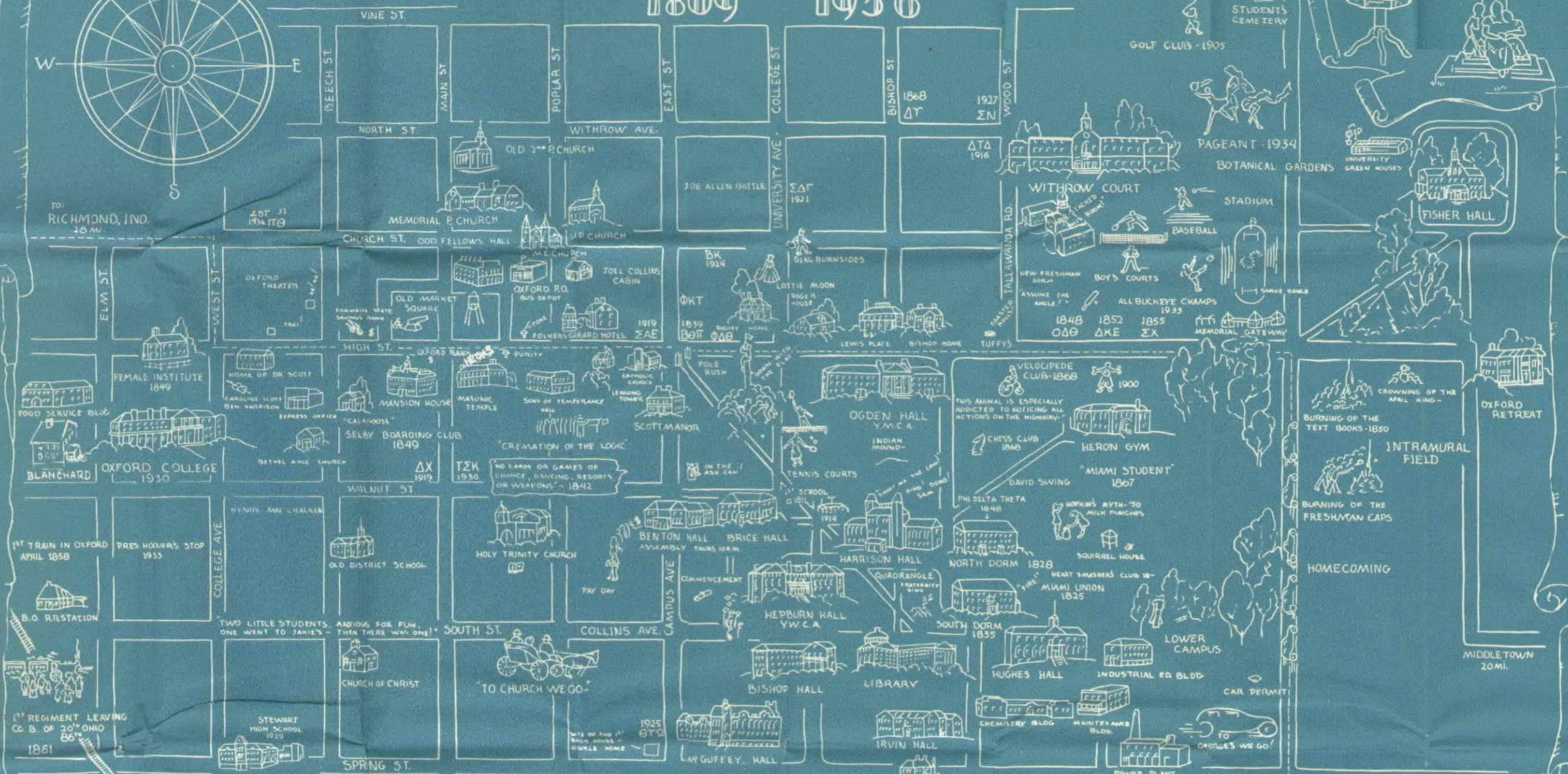
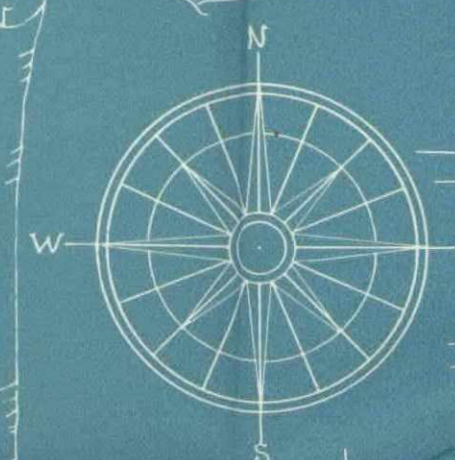
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