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DR. A. H. UPHAM President

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Whatever else a college experience may be, it is certainly an opportunity. Here you get your chance. Here there are spread out before you books, lectures, friendships, recreations, in such abundance that you may be somewhat confused by the richness of it all.

Institutions like Miami are created and maintained at public cost or by private sacrifice with the thought that young people will use these opportunities and profit by them. If you live up to these expectations you will grow more during the next four years, in knowledge and skill, in character and personality—than in any other period of your life.

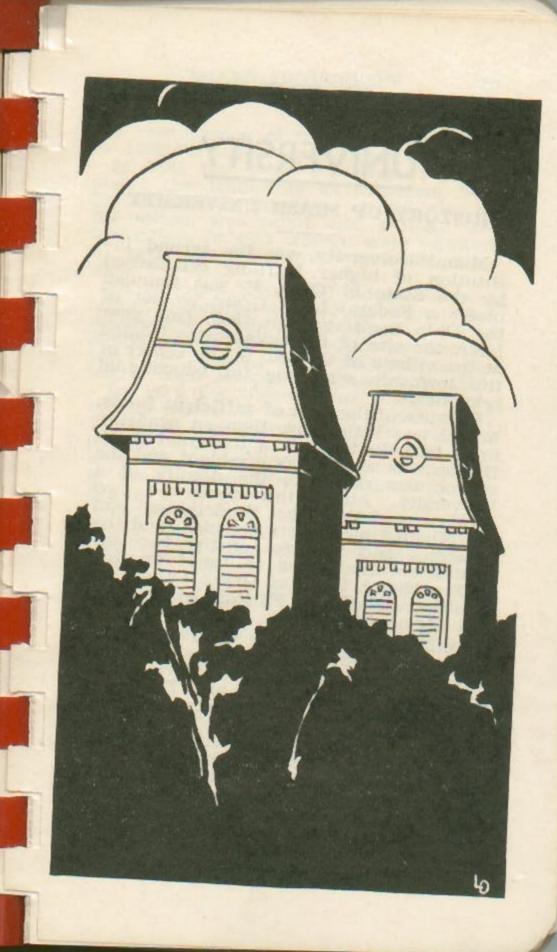
Much depends on how you get started. Here again we have tried to make the process as easy and natural as possible. We devote four whole days just to you, helping you get acquainted and housed and registered. In the process you will have found a faculty adviser in your residence hall who is there to guide and counsel you through the year. You will also have learned what a friendly place Miami is.

We all hope that you will sincerely and faithfully endeavor to make the most of the unusual opportunity that Miami offers you.

A. H. UPHAM, President.



"SLANT WALK"



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 Mc-Farland. 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.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

Alfred H. Upham, Ph. D., LL. D., President.

Elizabeth Hamilton, A. B., LL. D.,

Dean of Women.

Alpheus K. Morris, A. B., Vice-President. (In charge of correspondence with new students).

Wallace P. Roudebush, A. B., Secre-

tary of the Board of Trustees.

Edgar W. King, A. M., Librarian. William C. Smyser, A. M., Registrar.

ORGANIZATION

The College of Liberal Arts William E. Alderman, Ph. D., Dean Clarence W. Kreger, Ph. D., Assistant Dean

The School of Education Ernest J. Ashbaugh, Ph. D., Dean The Division of Elementary Education, John W. Heckert, Ph. D., Director The Division of Practical Arts, Fred C. Whitcomb, B. S., LL. D., Director The Division of Secondary Education, Halbert C. Christofferson, Ph. D., Director.

The School of Business Administration Raymond E. Glos, M. S., Acting Dean The School of Fine Arts

Theodore Kratt, Mus. D., Dean

Graduate Study

Charles H. Handschin, Ph. D., Chairman of Committee

Extension Courses

Robert W. Edmiston, Ph. D., Chairman of Committee

The Summer Session

Ernest J. Ashbaugh, Ph. D., Chairman of Committee

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. It would be a good idea to familiarize yourself with the names.

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, woodworking, 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 women's 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 the 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.

Food Service Building, a new building was completed three 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 build-

ing 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.

David Swing Hall is the new freshman men's dormitory. It was completed in the summer of 1935. It is now one of the most modern and completely equipped buildings on the campus.

The Pines, the former Retreat, taken over by the University for upperclass women is located on High Street beyond Cook Field. The beauty of the building and its many modern conveniences make it one of the best of the women's dormitories.

Stoddard Hall for freshman men, completely remodeled and modernized this year is the newest dormitory on the Campus.

Elliot Hall has likewise been completely remodeled and is now one of the most popular freshman dorms.

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 130,000 volumes.

Service to readers is divided between three main departments, each in charge of a trained librarian.

The circulation, or loan department

supplies books for use outside the li-

The reference department, located in the main reading room, contains the standard encyclopedias, yearbooks, atlases, periodical indexes and other reference tools. Here also will be found a wide selection of current periodicals and scholarly journals. Back numbers of these may be obtained at the reference desk.

The reserve book department, located on the ground floor of the east wing, supplies all books for assigned reading, exclusive of class texts.

"Know your library" is possibly the first rule for making your school work less difficult and more interesting. Do not hesitate to enlist the assistance of any Librarian to explain anything which you wish to know. They are paid to help you.

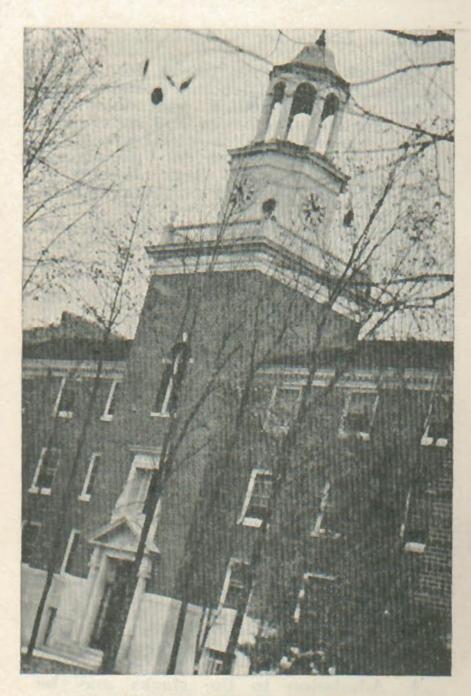
Library rules which apply to all students, and if learned, will save new students much inconvenience, are as follows:

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 subject, author, and title. 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.



DAVID SWING HALL

- 5. 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.
- 6. 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.
- 7. The library is open on Sunday afternoons from 2:00 until 5:00, but the stacks are not open and no books may be withdrawn.

THE HOSPITAL

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 ill 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.

All information received at the hospital is held in strict confidence, and is never used for disciplinary purposes.

The Hospital is supported entirely by the student health fee, and is financially independent of the University and the State.

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. These upperclass advisers, in addition to being specialists in the line of the students' major interest, are chosen for their particular concern with student life and individual problems.

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. Frequent conferences are held with the adviser concerning the student's course, his activities, his employment, and his personal adjustment problems. Students obtain their grades from their advisers, and at that time they review together the student's achievement.

The advantages of this personal aspect in connection with an education cannot be overemphasized, and if the student will take the adviser into his confidence, he will find that seemingly difficult situations can be satisfactorily solved, and experience and good judgment will guide his college year.

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

As one of the steps in building a permanent vocational guidance program, the University has placed a series of booklets in the library. The aim of the administration is to set up a battery of tests which will show the fields to which the individual is best adapted by reason of his innate characteristics and interests.

UNIVERSITY RULES

Autos

No student may maintain an automobile, motorcycle, or airplane in Oxford at any time without the permission of the President. Permission to use a car for social functions will be granted by the President upon the request of the student. Students must obtain new permission for each social function. Violation of this rule will 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 "crowd", is likely to be reflected in a lowered standard of academic achievement.

Smoking

Smoking in any University building other than the dormitories is strictly forbidden. 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 always should be.

No one objects to smoking. This is only a matter of using good judgment and cooperating with the college community, past, present, and future. Smoke only in approved smoking rooms in campus buildings.

Conduct and Discipline

Matters of conduct are largely in the hands of the cooperative government associations. Dishonesty in any form is a grave offense. Drinking alcoholic beverages and gambling are forbidden by the college regulations. Students whose conduct is open to serious criticism are liable to suspension by the cooperative discipline boards or by the faculty. All social events must have the sanction of the Dean of Women or social chairman.

At the present time the rule regarding assemblies requires every student, regardless of his scholastic standing to attend one-third (two a month) of the regular student assemblies; either the weekly services in Benton Hall or the

Vesper services on Sunday afternoon are credited. In the event that there should be only three assemblies scheduled, the attendance at only one is required. Attendance is checked and cuts recorded just as in classes. Failure to attend the required number of assemblies each semester will result in the addition of one hour to the total hours required for graduation.

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 uncancelled 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 semes-

ter 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" exceed twice the number of credit hours in 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.
- 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 unless the holiday intervenes.
- 8. 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.





WARREN C. HOUSE Chairman of S.-F. C.

THE STUDENT FACULTY COUNCIL

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.

ACTIVITIES

The student body of Miami University is governed by the Student-Faculty Council, a group consisting of six fac-

ulty members, six men students, and six women students, who are chosen at the general campus election to represent the student body on the Student-Faculty Council. They are elected according to the Hare proportional system of voting. Previous to the election the two political parties on the campus, the Representative Party and the Progressive 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).

CONSTITUTION

The name of the organization shall be the MIAMI GOVERNMENT FOR STU-DENTS.

The purpose shall be to serve Miami by providing a government for students through a student-faculty cooperative plan.

Article 1

Section 1. The membership of the electorate shall consist of all duly matriculated students.

Section 2. No person having made a grade below a "C" average for the preceding semester shall be eligible for election to any office herein provided.

Section 3. The term of all bodies, legislative and judicial, shall be one year.

Article 2

Section 1. (a) There shall be a Student-Faculty Council composed of six faculty, chosen by the University Senate; six men students elected by the men students; six women students elected by the women students; and the student members of the Discipline Boards not already members of the Council. The student members, excepting those last named, shall be elected according to the Hare Proportional System, from not less than six nominees each, for men and women, named in a petition signed by ten students from the electorate of the nominee.

(b) The duties and powers of this 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 opportion the Student Activity fees; and to determine the time, place, and manner of student elections.

(c) The Council shall elect from within its number a Chairman, a Vice-Chairman, and Secretary-Treasurer to perform the usual functions of these offices.

(d) These officers shall appoint with the approval of the Council the student members of the Disciplinary Boards from the members of the Council or from the campus at large.

(e) Nomination for each class dance chairman shall be submitted to the Student-Faculty council by the class resident and must receive the approval of a majority of those present. If the nominee fails to receive such confirmation, the class president shall submit nominations until the requisite confirmatory vote is obtained.

(f) Whenever any action taken by the Student-Faculty council is considered by any class or other student organization prejudicial to its interest, such action must on petition of 50 students, be referred to a student mass meeting held during a regular assembly hour after notice of the meeting has been published in two successive issues of The Miami Student. The council's action shall remain in force unless rejected by a majority voting in the mass meeting.

Section 2. (a) There shall be a Women's Legislative Council composed of the women members of the Student-Faculty Council, and the members of the Women's Disciplinary Board not al-

ready members of the Student-Faculty Council.

(b) The duties and powers of this Council shall be to formulate social standards for the control of the women of the University. These standards shall, some time during the second semester and prior to the elections each year, be presented to all women of the University for open discussion.

(c) This Council shall elect from within its number a Chairman, a Vice-

Chairman, and a Secretary.

Section 3. The Student-Faculty Council and the Women's Legislative Council shall each operate under by-laws established by their respective organizations. These by-laws shall be published in The Miami Student.

Article 3

Section 1. (a) There shall be Men's Disciplinary Board, composed of five men chosen from the University Senate as it may direct, and two men students named according to Article 1, Section 1. d.

(b) This Board shall act in all men's disciplinary cases; and shall act jointly with the Women's Disciplinary Board in all cases involving both men and women as provided for in Article 3, Section 3.

Section 2. (a) There shall be a Women's Disciplinary Board, composed of five women chosen from the University Senate as it may direct, and two women students named according to Article 1, Section 1, d.

(b) This Board shall act in all women's disciplinary cases involving both men and women, as provided for in

Article 3, Section 3.

Section 3. (a) There shall be a Joint Disciplinary Board, composed of five members of the University Senate, and two student members, all elected by and from the Men's and Women's Disciplinary Boards sitting in a joint session for that purpose (i. e. of election).

(b) This Board shall act in all cases involving both men and women unless after consideration of each case it deems it wise to refer any case to the

separate Board for trial.

Section 4. Each Discipline Board shall elect a Chairman from within its number.

Article 4

Amendments to this Constitution shall be proposed by a majority vote of the Student-Faculty Council, and passed by both (1) the University Senate, and (2) a majority of the students voting at a regular or called election. Amendments may also be proposed by a majority vote of the students attending a mass meeting held during the weekly assembly hour. Such meeting must be called by the president of the Student-Faculty Council on petition of 50 students. The call shall clearly state the purpose of the meeting and shall be published in three successive issues of The Miami Student before the meeting is held. Amendments proposed in this manner shall go into effect when approved by the University Senate.

RULES ADOPTED BY THE STUDENT-FACULTY COUNCIL

Article I

Organization and Procedure of Council

Section 1. Each newly elected Council shall meet at the call of the chairman of the retiring Council for organization before the first day of final examinations. The retiring Council chairman shall preside at this meeting, but shall have no vote.

Section 2. (a) A meeting shall be held every two weeks, with due notice, at a time and place to be decided by the Council each year.

- (b) Special meetings of the Council may be called by the President of the Council.
- (c) Twelve (12) members shall constitute a quorum.
- (d) Five consecutive absences or seven unexcused absences shall be considered sufficient for the council to declare a vacancy, which may be filled as provided in Article II, Sec. 1, (b).

Section 3. A standing committee on the Budget, composed of five members, shall be appointed by the chairman, with the consent of the Council.

Section 4. A standing committee of elections, composed of five members of the Council, at least one of which shall be a faculty member, shall be appointed by the Chairman, with approval of the Council, for the supervision of elections. The secretary of the committee shall be a faculty member.

Article II Elections

Section 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

(a) Nomination and election of faculty Council members and the filling of faculty vacancies shall be made according to the rules of the University Senate.

- (b) Student vacancies in the Council shall be filled by the Council from candidates nominated from the floor and voted on by ballot, the person having the most votes being declared elected, providing such purpose has been published in The Miami Student at least two days before the election.
- (c) Vacancies in class presidencies shall be automatically filled by vice-presidents; other vacancies shall be filled by a special election held under the supervision of the Council's elections committee.
- (d) Candidates for all student elective offices must have had a C average or better the preceding semester.

Section 2. GENERAL ELECTIONS.

(a) The members of the Student-Faculty Council shall be elected on the fourth Tuesday in April, each year, from 8 to 4:30 p. m. in the lobby of Benton Hall.

- (b) On the same day a president, a vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer of the senior, junior, and sophomore classes shall be elected by plurality vote.
- (c) Nominations for the Council may be made by petitions signed by ten or more qualified members of the electorate the candidate is seeking to re-

present. Such petitions must be in the hands of the secretary of the elections committee of the Council, on or before the second Saturday in April.

(d) All nominations for class officers shall be petitions as provided above.

(e) The names of all candidates must be published in The Miami Student one week preceding the election.

(f) Members of the Athletic Board shall be elected by the Hare Propor-

tional Representation System.

(g) Each elector shall receive at the polls a separate ballot of Council, Athletic Board, and class candidates for which he is eligible to vote.

(h) Amendments to the Miami Student Government or propositions submitted to popular vote by the Council must be printed on both men's and women's Council candidate ballots. Those that pass shall be submitted to the University Senate.

Section 3. 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 one office shall be invalid.

(c) Petitions of nomination 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.

Section 4. RULES PROVIDING FOR THE PUBLICITY OF CAMPAIGN EXPENDITURES. (a) In any regular or special election conducted by the Student-Faculty Council for office in the Student-Faculty Council, the Varsity Social Club, in the Athletic Board of Control, or in the various classes, publicity shall be given to expenditures incurred by the candidates for office in the manner hereinafter provided.

(b) Each candidate individually or as one of a group of candidates supported by a party shall file an account of all expenses incurred in any manner during the campaign for office. Such expense account shall list each item or service purchased, the individual or firm furnishing the item or service, and the amount.

(c) Such expense account shall be filed with the Secretary of the Election Committee of the Student-Faculty Council not later than 6 p. m. of the first Tuesday next following the election. The Secretary shall report to the Student-Faculty Council at its next following meeting a summary of the expense account and shall provide for its publication in The Miami Student.

(d) Any candidate not filing such expense account shall be asked to appear before the Elections Committee and state his reasons for not complying with this rule. His name shall be published in The Miami Student.

Article III Student Activity Fee

The apportionment of the student activity fee for the next year must be completed by this body before the last meeting in April.

A report and an itemized account of each activity must be in the hands of the Budget Committee of the Council before the Council's first meeting in March.





DEAN ELIZABETH HAMILTON

MIAMI WOMEN

DEAN HAMILTON'S MESSAGE

To Incoming Miami Women:

If there were some magic words by means of which we could endow you as you enter college with the ability to see exactly what is most worthwhile and to make use of all these opportunities, we should certainly search for them in this first message to you. However, if that could be done, freshman might at once become as wise as seniors. Since life does not hold any such quick magic as this for any of us, you must make your own choices between the good and the bad, between purposeful living and wasteful drifting.

A college campus is in general a happy place. Probably nowhere else in all your life will you be associated with so many young men and women of your own age, all eager to know what life holds in store for them and wondering how to get ready for that undetermined future. We hope, too, that you may not be averse to making some friends among the faculty.

We welcome you to all the fellowship of this campus, its good times and its hard work. May your days here be such as to bring you a sense of satisfaction in your achievements here and in finer loyalties throughout the rest of your life.

Elizabeth Hamilton Dean of Women

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SORORITIES

Sororities are a part of the social life of Miami. Membership in these societies always comes through an invitation and never by application.

During rush week, girls are entertained by the various sororities in order to acquaint them with the members. The sorority invites girls that their members know or have met. After this week of entertainment, the sorority makes out a list of the girls they wish to "pledge" and each girl whose name has been turned in by the sorority receives a preference card. On this card she writes the name of the sorority she prefers.

A girl must be a "pledge" a certain length of time before she can become an active member. During the period of pledgeship, the girl learns the principles of the sorority and becomes better acquainted with her sisters. At any time during this period, either party may discontinue their relationship and the "pledge" pin is returned.

Sorority rush week is a hectic time and the wise freshman girl will carefully consider the various groups she has met and see which one is most compatible with her views and customs. On her decision will depend much of her social life during her four years at Miami.

The following questions may be of help in determining the selection of a sorority:

Are the members of this group the type that I have always been interested in?

Will I be able to cooperate and work with the members of the sorority?

Am I financially able to join?

Your success in college does not depend upon being affiliated with a sorority. Later on you will find that you will have friends in sororities as well as among independent girls. The sororities on the Miami campus are as follows:

lows:				
Alpha Omicron Pi Barnard 1897, Omega at Miami, 1919				
Beta Phi Alpha ВФА				
U. of Cal., 1909, Upsilon at Miami, 1929				
Beta Sigma Omicron BEO				
Missouri, 1888, Alpha Xi, at Miami,				
1928				
Chi Omega XΩ				
Arkansas, 1895, Sigma Alpha at Mi-				
ami, 1913				
Delta Delta Delta $\Delta\Delta\Delta$				
Boston, 1888, Delta Beta at Miami,				
1911				
Delta Gamma ΔΓ				
Oxford Women's Seminary, 1874				
Alpha Omicron at Miami, 1923				
Delta Sigma Epsilon ΔΣΕ				
Alpha at Miami, 1914				
Delta Zeta ΔZ				
Alpha at Miami, 1902				
Phi Lambda Sigma ΦΛΣ				
Alpha at Miami, 1937				

Pi Delta Theta

Alpha at Miami, 1926

Sigma Kappa

Colby College, 1874, Alpha Iota at
Miami, 1922

Theta Upsilon
California, 1914, Mu at Miami, 1925

Zeta Tau Alpha
Virginia State Normal, 1893
Beta Delta at Miami, 1926

REGULATIONS FOR MIAMI WOMEN 1938-39

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 or after a vacation:

House Life

Quiet—Evening study hours, and between 10:30 P. M. and 6:30 A. M.
Closing Hour—Ten o'clock on all

nights preceding classes.

On Friday night upon special occasions permission may be obtained by upperclassmen for an extension of hours until eleven o'clock. On Saturday night the closing hour is eleven-thirty for those who are attending dances. Out-

of-town trips may not be included in the plans for Saturday or any other evening without special permission from the head of hall or cottage. Such trips may require permission from home also.

Guests—Guests are expected to abide by the standards in force for Miami women. Guests, including girls coming from other halls, sign on registration blanks provided for this purpose.

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

A major object of these regulations is the promotion of health and of effective study. Experience has proved that a student's social plans may become a hazard, both to health and effective study, if they are made in such a way as to postpone study hours until after ten o'clock at night.

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

morning hours.

Upperclass Students—The privilege of determining what evenings may be used for social plans is extended to those upperclass students who maintain a satisfactory academic record. Any student whose academic record becomes mediocre agrees with the head of her hall upon a certain curtailment of social privileges.

Freshmen—Freshmen, for the purpose of establishing themselves satisfactorily in their college work, are asked to con-

centrate their social plans in afternoons and at week-ends. After the first semester any freshman who has made at least a C average, or above, may increase her social plans if her academic standing does not suffer thereby.

Driving—It is a rule of the University that students may not maintain automobiles during their residence in college. However, special permits are granted to a few students who must maintain cars for business purposes. The only social use of a student car is obtained by permission issued from the office of the President of the University for a special occasion. Any automobile drive requires special permission from the heads of halls and cottages.

Dances—All women attending dances must return to their own halls and cottages immediately after the close of the dances.

Absence from Oxford—Women may leave Oxford only with permission of heads of hall, except for daytime trips. Requests for over-night 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, or openly on the streets or campus, but is restricted to smoking rooms provided in the dormitories.

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

Chaperonage—Approved chaperonage is required for all meetings, dinners, or calls for any purpose at men's chapter houses or dormitories. This rule applies to the houses, porches, and all the premises. In a fraternity house where a chaperon is permanently installed, the hours agreed upon by the fraternity for their open house must be adhered to rigidly.

Western College—In the interests of courtesy, Miami students are asked to remember that the grounds of Western College are reserved for Western students, and these grounds should not be used by Miami students for picnics or walks.

Dress—Students are asked not to appear in the informality of athletic or sunbathing costumes except on athletic grounds or in a place especially set apart for sunbathing.

Picnics—All picnics should end by 8:00 p. m. except when other hours have been arranged with the Social Director or the heads of halls.

Excerpts from University catalogue, 1937-38:

"Dishonesty in any form is a grave offense.

Drinking intoxicating beverages is forbidden by the college regulations.

Students whose conduct is open to serious criticism are liable to suspension by the cooperative disciplinary boards or by the faculty.

MORTAR BOARD POINT SYSTEM

(No girl may hold positions giving her more than ten points).

10 Points

President Women's League
President W. A. A.
President Y. W. C. A.
Housechairmen
Editor, Student
Issue Editor, Student
Managing Editor, Student
Editor, Recensio
Chairman of Traveling Library

5 Points
Cabinet, Y. W. C. A.
Counsellors
Cwen, President
Mortar Board, President
Art Editor, Recensio
Student Speakers Bureau
President, Pan Hellenic
President, Honorary
Assistant Editor, Recensio
Co-Editor, Recensio
Committee, Traveling Library
Sorority Presidents

4 Points
Desk Editor, Student
Freshman Players
Major Part in Plays
Secretary-Treasurer Student-Faculty

3 Points
Women's Class Presidents
Secretary, Women's League
Reporter, Student
Staff, Recensio
Society Editor, Student

2 Points
Dance Committee Members
Minor Part in Plays
Officers of Honoraries

PAN-HELLENIC (Women's Inter-Fraternity Council)

Pan-Hellenic is composed of three members from each sorority and meets monthly to discuss problems common to all groups.

The business of the entire group is carried on through the President's Council, composed of each of the acting presidents, and is then presented to the entire organization for their approval.

The rushing rules for sorority rushing, both in the fall and spring are set up by this organization, and the sororities violating these rules are subject to penalties.

The purpose of Pan-Hellenic is to maintain on a high plane fraternity life and inter-fraternity relationships.

In every college Pan-Hellenic has the responsibility of working out its own program of carrying out that program, of settling its own difficulties with the proviso that its actions and regulations must not conflict with any part of the Pan-Hellenic compact.

SORORITY RUSHING RULES (As of May, 1938)

I. Rushing Season

- 1. Members of sororities can make rushing dates the first Thursday evening.
- 2. There shall be no rushing on Sunday or Wednesday afternoon, nor on week-days except from 4-6 p. m.

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 both Friday and Saturday nights of each week. The first party on Friday shall not start until 7:30 p. m. All organized parties shall close at 10:30 p. m.

III. 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 hay ride must make arrangements to get the 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 shall not call for their rushee before 9:00 o'clock.

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

6. When a rushee has a split date and does not wish to go with the second group, she must cancel the arrangement herself and not through the aid of another girl.

IV. Pan-Hellenic Tea

1. Sorority pins may be worn at the Pan-Hellenic tea held on Wednesday afternoon of the rushing week.

V. Period of Silence

1. This period shall begin the last

Saturday at 10:30 p. m., and last until 5:00 p. m. of the following Tuesday. It is set aside for deliberation, during which time no upperclassmen shall speak to freshmen or vice versa.

2. No notes, telegrams, flowers, or other communications shall be permitted between rushees and upperclass-

men during this time.

VI. 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 before Sunday at noon a list, both on individual cards and in alphabetical order, of the girls they desire to bid. Type names correctly, giv-

ing 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.

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.

a. Each sorority may have its 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.

VII. General Rules

1. The length of time a patroness

serves a group must be determined by the individual group.

2. Sorority Pins may be worn the first Thursday that upperclassmen are back.

3. All parties must be scheduled with Mrs. Skinner in 203 Benton Hall by the

Opening of rushing.

4. No upperclassmen 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 apply.

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

Council.

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

7. It is unethical to disparage the merits of another group in favor of

your own.

8. Ignorance shall not be accepted as an excuse for the infraction of these rules.

9. A careful record should be kept of dates by the sorority and the rushee to avoid any misunderstanding.

10. If a rushee finds it necessary to break a date she should notify the rush captain as soon as possible.

VIII. Eligibility for Initiation into Sororities

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 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. Students entering on Warning are not eligible for pledging until they have completed a semester of work above probation standard.

IX. N. P. C. Rules concerning Bidding and Pledging

A pledge expires at the end of one calendar year. Any girl breaking her pledge with one group after October 15th is ineligible for any other group until the following October 15th. The local Pan-Hellenic Council of Miami University interprets this to mean that if the pledge is released in the first semester, the girl becomes eligible for another relationship at the time of the general autumn pledging of the following year.

When a girl receives a bid under the Preferential System, the signing of the preference slip shall be binding to the extent that she shall be considered ineligible through one calendar year for any other group than the one indicated on her card.

The bid of any girl not returning to school is automatically cancelled. When she does return she is under the general regulations governing the pledging of any student.

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.

THE WOMEN'S LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

The purpose of the Women's Legislative Council is to create a sense of unity and fellowship among women, to promote and maintain high standards of university life, and to regulate all matters of student interest not falling under jurisdiction of the faculty.

The members of the Council are the women members of the Student-Faculty council and any members of the Women's Disciplinary board not already members of the Student-Faculty Council.

W. A. A.

The Women's Athletic Association is a prominent organization of women interested in athletics. Its purpose is to promote interest and participation in every type of athletic activity as well as to encourage scholarship and good fellowship.

Membership is open to any co-ed having 300 points which may be earned by hiking, biking, observing health rules, placing in track meets, or being accepted into Orchesis. Points may also be earned by being a member of the following teams: archery, badminton, baseball, basketball, fencing, golf, hockey, soccer, tennis, and volleyball.

Class numerals are awarded for 500 points, the red block "M" for 1,000 points and the "M" jacket for 1,500

The W. A. A. cabin located near Oxford has just been completed and is now ready for use. Picnics, parties, and meetings of the association are to be held there. It is furnished with rustic furniture and is equipped with bunks for use on over-night hikes.

Girls who are interested in W. A. A. should start early to earn their points in order to enjoy the fellowship and fun that W. A. A. membership offers.

Y. W. C. A.

While you are anticipating what grand times you're going to have your first year at Miami, the Y. W. C. A. is busily planning to make those "dreams come true". The Y. W. is the spice of campus life. The Y. W. with its varied program provides for you a year of well-rounded activities of vital interest and importance. From September to June the Y. W. has mapped out a complete list of functions which, if you are a true specimen of Miami womanhood, will win your favor and attention.

Membership is open to all girls who

would like to participate in some phase of the Y work. There are various committees, so you may make your choice. Each one of you will be individually contacted and interviewed by some Y member.

The Y rooms in Hepburn Hall are yours to enjoy. The living room furnishes an apt place for lounging and relaxation any time during the day. If you are hungry, the Y is again at your service with its very wide candy selection. During your spare moments you are welcome to come in and leaf through the many magazines and books that comprise the library shelves. If you find yourself nickleless, feel free to come in and make use of the Y phone. Remember you are always welcome in the Y rooms.

The main spoke in the Y wheel is Ruth Harris, in whom you will find a most charming and capable personality. She has your interest at heart and is more than willing to be of service to you. Then there is the Y. W. C. A. cabinet which is made up of the officers and committee chairmen who act as the executive body for the association, formulating and directing the program.

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Jane Butyn
Sophomore Council
Margaret Weyman, ch.
Betty Jo Reese

Committees

Mary Grimes

Social

This committee presents for your benefit the girls' mixer and the mixed mixer for men and women in cooperation with the Y. M. C. A. during freshman week. Teas featuring hobbies and the arts, the Thanksgiving eve and midsemester dances, and dancing classes are a part of the winter program.

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Loafers' Club

If your Saturday evening seems dull, make your entrance at Wells Hall and be a part of Loafers' Club. Here you'll spend the evening in fun playing cards, ping-pong, games of all sorts, and dancing or singing-in short you'll have some fun and relaxation in a congenial crowd.

"M" BOOK

Public Affairs

An effort is made to really get "behind the news" and understand the real truths in order to make critical and unprejudiced evaluations. There is a decided move to make students aware of world-wide developments, to understand their consequences, and to follow up with methods of action.

Industrial

To further friendly relationship between Miami and Western girls and the industrial girls from Hamilton and Dayton is the goal of this committee. From these meetings a greater understanding between the college girl and industrial girl is experienced.

Social Service

This committee is of great service to the community. It cooperates with the Oxford Clinic and sponsors a delightful program for the children of Oxford through its story-telling hours and sewing classes. A Girl Reserve Club for negro girls of Stewart High School is under the guidance of Helen Diener.

Publicity

To keep you posted as to the whatwhere-when of the Y's program is this committee which does so through posters, bulletins, and notices in the Student.

Appreciation

An excellent opportunity for a cultural, creative background awaits you. This is a desirable time to learn choice bits pertaining to the creative arts. A meeting precedes each program of the Artist Series throughout the year.

Freshman "Y"

The aim of the Freshman Y is to be your first aid kit of college life. Various projects are planned especially for your enjoyment. Directed by upperclass girls who are ready to act upon your suggestions, you will gain tremendously by being a part of this group.

Sophomore "Y"

Any sophomore girl who is a member of the Y. W. C. A. can join the Sophomore Y. The purpose of this group is to keep that friendly relationship that was obtained in Freshman Y.

Finance

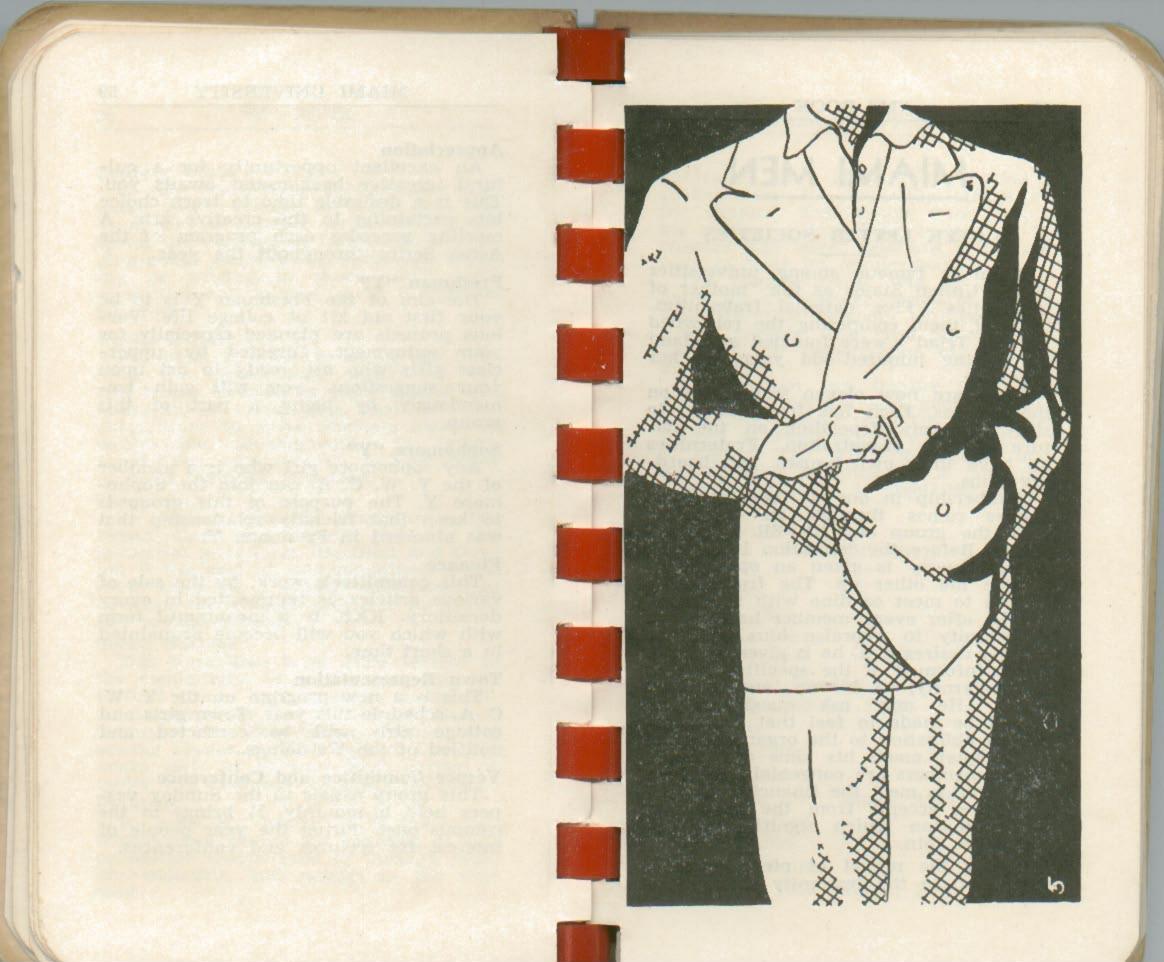
This committee's work, by the sale of various articles, is represented in every dormitory. KKK is a meaningful term with which you will become acquainted in a short time.

Town Representation

This is a new program on the Y. W. C. A. schedule this year. Town girls and cottage girls will be contacted and notified of the Y's doings.

Vesper Committee and Conference

This group assists in the Sunday vespers held bi-monthly. It brings to the campus once during the year people of interest for lectures and conferences.



MIAMI MEN

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.

There are now eleven fraternities on the campus. Each has from fifteen to sixty members depending on the nature of the organization. Fraternities all have their own houses, and boarding clubs.

Membership in one of these societies always comes through an invitation from the group and NEVER by application. Before the invitation is extended each party is given an opportunity to size the other up. The freshman is invited to meet or dine with the chapter. If, after every member has had an opportunity to appraise him, and the chapter desires him, he is given a "bid". He is informed of the specific aims of the fraternity, its history, and requirements. He may ask questions and should be made to feel that he is under no obligation to the organization. If the chapter meets his aims and ideals, if the members are congenial and if he feels able to meet the financial requirements he accepts from the chapter a pledge button which signifies his intention to join.

During the period of pledgeship, he is trained in the fraternity history, or-

ganization and ideals. The period is probationary for both the pledge and the chapter. The pledge may turn in his pledge button if he desires, or the chapter may sever relations if the man fails to meet its requirements.

The chapter house will be a man's home for the greater period of his college life. The members will be his intimate friends. The vital factor, therefore, is the personalities of the men themselves.

A freshman can inquire about the scholastic, financial and general standing of the chapter from Dr. Wickenden, adviser to Fraternities, whose office is in Ogden Hall. For information upon the national standing of a fraternity, "Baird's Manual" is available in the University Library.

FRATERNITIES

Beta Theta Pi	ВОП
Miami, 1839	bay-tuh
Phi Delta Theta	ΦΔΘ
Miami, 1848	fy-delt
Delta Kappa Epsilon	ΔKE
Yale, 1844, Miami 1852	deek
Sigma Chi	ΣX
Miami, 1855	sigma ky
Delta Upsilon	ΔU
Williams, 1834, Miami, 1868	DU
Phi Kappa Tau	ФКТ
Miami, 1906	fy taw
Delta Tau Delta	ΔΤΔ
Bethany, 1859, Miami, 1916	delt

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Alabama, 1756, Miami, 1919

Sigma Nu

V. M. I., 1869, Miami 1927

Sigma new

Delta Chi

Cornell, 1890, Miami, 1932

Zeta Beta Tau

NYU, 1898, Miami, 1935

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NYU, 1898, Miami, 1935

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FRATERNITY RUSHING RULES As of May, 1938

Fraternity rushing rules for 1938-39 were revised by the Council of Fraternity Presidents in order to cooperate with the University in raising the scholastic averages of the rushees.

a. To be eligible for rushing, a rushee must have obtained at least 24 points for his previous semester's work.

- b. The rushing period will begin on the first Monday of the second semester and last through the following Saturday.
- c. The daily rushing period shall be from 5:30 to 9:30 P. M. only, except on Saturday when pledge pins may be accepted at noon.
- 1. Split dates shall begin at 8 P. M.
- 2. Dates shall not be split more than two ways.
- d. All freshmen shall be excluded from fraternity property until the beginning of the official period for rushing.
 - 1. For sufficient reason, individual

exceptions to this rule may be granted by the Chairman of the Committee on Student Organizations.

e. The simple making of a rush date

shall not be construed as rushing.

f. Normal campus contacts between upperclassmen and freshmen shall not be considered rushing, but organized contacts will be regarded as rushing and will be liable to disciplinary action by the Council of Fraternity Presidents.

g. Fraternity rush chairmen and one previously designated representative from each fraternity will be allowed in the dormitories to contact rushees for a period of two weeks following the issuance of the nine weeks grade reports.

1. Other fraternity upperclassmen are forbidden to enter freshmen dormitories for the purpose of making dates or rushing until the opening of the of-

ficial rushing period.

h. Out-of-town rushing during rush week is absolutely forbidden.

DEFERRED INITIATION

1. Initiation into the social fraternities shall not take place before the beginning of the sophomore year, and not then unless the candidate shall have earned a "C" average (with a minimum of sixty credit points).

2. Initiation of students who enter the University with the advanced standing from another institution shall not take place for one semester, and shall then be contingent upon earning a "C" average (with a minimum of 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 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.

Y. 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 purpose 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.

In order that you may understand the extent and type of program the Y. M. C. A. fosters the committees and their heads who compose the central organ, the Administrative Cabinet, are given below. The Freshman Council, the Sophomore Council, and the Junior Council are class organizations the members of which also take part in the various other phases of the Y program.

ADMINISTRATIVE CABINET

President: Robert Sharp Vice-president: Robert Meder Secretary-Treasurer: Ted Woods Members-at-large: Ned Walker, Wayne Kneisley

FRESHMAN COUNCIL

(President to be elected from among Freshmen on Cabinet).

The men who compose this group are freshmen who are particularly interested in the work of the association. This group promotes inspirational meetings, dormitory discussion groups, freshman parties, and provides various types of campus service. These men are selected upon the quality of work they do in the first half of the semester.

SOPHOMORE COUNCIL

The Sophomore Council is a service group which stands ready to promote worthwhile campus projects. They cooperate with the Y. W. C. A. Sophomore Council in organizing Loafer's Club on Saturday night to which students may come for a social evening of games and dancing. They are always on their toes to discover means for improving Miami University. The council is open to all sophomore men who are interested.

JUNIOR COUNCIL

CABINET COMMITTEES

SOCIAL Dick Graves

The social Committee cooperates with the Y. W. C. A. in arranging the activities of Freshman Week. They arrange periodic "dime dances" and all the social affairs of the Y. M. C. A.

CONFERENCE

......George Harley, Art Peck

In addition to the conferences on the campus, the Y assists men to attend significant conferences off campus. Each year a delegation is sent to the Student Conference at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, and to the Tri-State Conference. Students who attend these conferences say that they are among the most significant experiences of their college careers.

RELIGIOUS EMPHASISDick Frech

Vespers are held several times a month on late Sunday afternoons. Prominent speakers are obtained from other campuses and fields of life, and an interesting program is arranged. This committee also arranges deputation teams to near-by towns.

BIG BROTHERS Merlin Ditmer At the end of each year some 140 representative upper-classmen are selected to contact incoming students by letter during the summer and to assist them in any way after they arrive on the campus.

FRESHMAN CAMP Hiram Stephenson

One of the most significant phases of the association's work is its service to freshmen. A camp for seventy-five selected freshmen is held for two days just prior to the opening of college at Camp Campbell Gard. A group of student and faculty leaders preside over the camp and the freshmen in attendance have a wonderful opportunity of facing together some of the problems and opportunities of college life. Every man who receives an invitation to attend the camp should avail himself of the opportunity.

BOY'S WORK Ed Postlewaite

In the Oxford Town Hall, the Y operates what is known as a community center, where a constructive recreational program is maintained for the under-privileged boys of Oxford.

HI-Y Alan MacCurdy

The Y also sponsors a Hi-Y program for boys of high school age at McGuffey and Stewart schools.

GAME ROOMS Karl Wiepking

Game rooms in Ogden Hall and Swing Hall offer students the opportunity to play pool and ping pong in a university atmosphere. Current reading material is available, and candy and pop are sold. The game rooms offer employment to a number of students who need the money to help meet their college expenses.

Other committees of the Y are:

Peace Committee	Noble Hart
Social Action	Merlin Ditmer
Athletics	
World Fellowship	
Fireside	
Publicity	
Membership	Tom Hopkins

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Some of the other activities included in the program of the Y are an employment service, a second-hand book exchange in Harrison Hall, 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.

ADVISER

Dr. Arthur C. Wickenden served as the first employed secretary of the Miami "Y", and has been to a large degree responsible for the steady and successful growth of the Y. M. C. A. on our campus. He now serves in an advisory capacity to the "Y" and is the Director of Religious Activities for the University as well as Professor of Religion. The Association is fortunate to have as its adviser a man of Dr. Wickenden's experience and training.

MR. ROBERT GOACHER

Robert Goacher, the Executive Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is a graduate of Miami of the class of 1931. Mr. Goacher was formerly Boy's Work Secretary at the Y. M. C. A. in Elyria, where he did an outstanding piece of work. Especially noteworthy was his development of the summer camp. Little need be said about Bob. We who know him recognize him as a real leader, a boy's friend and one swell fellow. Look Bob up soon after arriving and get acquainted with one who will help you throughout your four years at Miami.



MR. ROBERT GOACHER

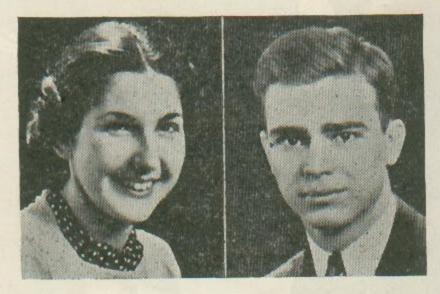


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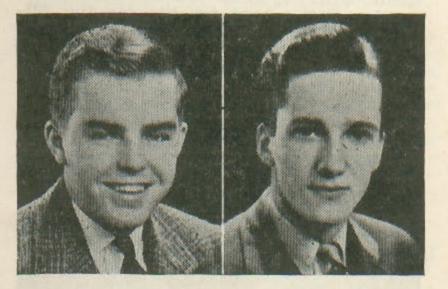
Jane Alderman Pres. YWCA

Robert Sharp Pres. YMCA

Since the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. have been described at length in preceding sections, it is not the purpose of this writeup to describe them at all. They are included here to emphasize their importance as an activity. They offer opportunity for self expression to a larger number of students than any other activity. They afford an invaluable opportunity to mingle with others, to learn to adapt yourself to them, and to cultivate the important faculty of making people like you. They lead the student to develop a better and truer concept of religion. Finally to the student seeking to satisfy his ambition for prominence, they offer a good chance to be B. M. O. C. or B. W. O. C.

PUBLICATIONS

The Miami Student



George Skinner Editor

Ned Walker Bus. Mgr.

Clacking typewriters, newspaper slang, shouts of "copy boy", all combine to make work on this, the bi-weekly campus publication a rare experience. Oldest college newspaper west of the Alleghenies, the MIAMI STUDENT was established in 1826. It presents a complete and unbiased review of campus happenings of the period preceding publication.

Accepted freshmen are given beats, and the "dope sheet" of each issue is an experience in itself. Their troubles and tests are many, but from the ranks comes an editor and business manager every year. These honorary positions and their accompanying salaries are awarded by the University Publications Board, which bases the award on the character.

ability, personality, reliability, and scholarship of the eligible candidates.

Shortly after you arrive, announcement will be made on its own pages (under Notices) of tryouts for the Miami Student staff. If newspapers hold interest for you, go to the meeting and sign up. You may be editor or business manager in 1941.

Recensio



Ralph Fey Bus. Mgr.

Jean Tronnes Editor

The Recensio staff is composed largely of freshmen from whose ranks appointments to executive positions are made. 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 the Junior Class and is under its direction and supervision.

Work on the Recensio is comparable to publishing a high school annual only on a bigger and more complex scale. It is interesting and varies from selling advertising on the business staff to "bleeding" pictures on the editorial staff. If you are interested in this activity, get started early when calls are made for tryouts. The coveted positions of editor, business manager, and the two assistantships offer not only honor and prestige on the campus, but a pecuniary reward is also attached. The editor and business manager are selected in the same manner as on The Miami Student.

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 and business manager are appointed by the officials of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. The editorial staff, consisting of three sophomore men and three sophomore women, is appointed by the editor. The business staff is appointed by the business manager and consists of three sophomore men and six freshman men.

The Green Quill

The idea of a magazine for freshmen writers, which has been encouraged by professors of the English department for several years, took tangible form last year with the publication of several issues of the Green Quill. It is a small booklet made up of selected compositions by the freshmen.

MUSICAL ORGANIZATIONS

The University Glee Club The Madrigal Club The Choral Union

choral organizations These offer membership to all students in the University who can qualify, after consulting with the director. They offer students unequaled opportunity for becoming familiar with a wide variety of chorus music, ranging from simple partsongs to the great classic and modern choral works. The University Glee Club is made up of the men students and is under the direction of George Barron, of the School of Fine Arts. The Madrigal Club is composed of women and is directed by Miss Dora Lyons, of the School of Fine Arts. The membership of the Choral Union is drawn from both the men and women students and is directed by Theodore Kratt, Dean of the School of Fine Arts. Public concerts are given throughout the year by these groups.

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 participation 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 Theodore Kratt, Dean of the School of Fine Arts.

The University Band

The University Band under the direction of A. D. Lekvold, assistant professor of music education, is composed of approximately fifty men who have successfully passed the entrance requirment which is playing at sight any piece of music which the director designates.

The band performs at the football and home basketball games and gives numerous concerts throughout the year in the surrounding district. A spring concert is given annually on the University campus. Rehearsals are held weekly.

DRAMATICS

Ye Merrie Players

Ye Merrie Players is the upperclass dramatics organization. It and the other dramatic activities of the University are sponsored and directed by the speech department of the University. 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 Homecoming, and another at commencement, the plays being carefully selected for their high quality.

Freshman Dramatics

Were you interested in dramatics in high school? Freshmen on the Miami campus have the opportunity of being in their own plays. A group known as the Freshman Players gives a number of plays during the year in the Workshop Theatre. Membership in Freshman Players is determined by tryouts held early in the fall. Any freshman can try out for membership in the organization. Freshman Players gives the training in dramatics necessary for membership in Ye Merrie Players.

The Dramatic Workshop

Aside from productions of Ye Merrie Players and the Freshman Players, one-act plays under the direction of students chosen from the speech department are presented from time to time in the Workshop Theatre in Harrison Hall. The entire student body are eligible for participation in these productions regardless of membership in any dramatic group.

These plays are given before invited audiences. They are brought to as great a degree of perfection as student directing can attain and are maintained as a laboratory for directing and act-

ing.

FORENSIC

The Speakers Bureau

Four 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 Speakers 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.

The experience which is gained through such an organization is invaluable and of a much more practical nature than ordinary debate. 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 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

HONORARIES

It's fun, frolics, happiness, good-times, fellowship, dances, picnics, parties, class dances, fraternities and sororities that you incoming freshman men and women have heard about whenever college was mentioned during the past four or five years when you become conscious of higher education. And that concept is seemingly proved by the great amount of time and money the University officials expend in an effort to make the first week of college a

pleasant experience for the freshman men and women.

By the end of the dizzy series of Freshman week tours, talks, picnics, campus explorations, building inspections, advice and personality evaluation you will probably begin to wonder just when college will begin or if you really have anything to accomplish in the next few years. Despite the fanfare of pleasure to which you are being treated Freshman week, you have been given a big, four-year job to do. You will be furnished with the most modern equipment obtainable and the best instruction that money can buy.

The University officials go to great pains to make your education a pleasure rather than a difficult job, but in the last analysis whether you do a good job or not depends entirely upon you. Your success at this four-year job will be judged by your scholastic record and your extra-curricular activities. Miami University is fortunate in having a host of honorary fraternities and clubs which recognize outstanding ability in many fields.

Phi Eta Sigma

Phi Eta Sigma is a national scholastic freshman men's honorary. Membership is based entirely upon scholastic ability. A 3.5 (half A, half B) average is required. Elections are held at the end of the first and second semesters. It was established on the campus in 1928. Membership in this honorary is an important step towards prominence on the campus in the following three years.

Cwen (quane)

The Beta chapter of Cwen has been on this campus since 1925. It is a national women's sophomore honorary society and each spring approximately twenty freshman girls are admitted on the basis of scholarship and extracurricular activities. The girls are "tapped" on May Day and are active in campus service during their sophomore year. This is perhaps the most coveted honor conferred upon freshman women.

Phi Beta Kappa

This is a national scholastic fraternity and probably the best known fraternity in America. Membership is limited to juniors and seniors. A 3.75 average is necessary in the junior year and a 3.5 average is necessary in the senior year. The Iota chapter of Ohio was organized on Miami's campus in 1911. The average is computed on the basis of all scholastic courses taken.

Omicron Delta Kappa

The Blue Key on Miami's campus several years ago was displaced by Omicron Delta Kappa as the national men's honorary fraternity recognizing outstanding service and scholarship. Only junior and senior men are eligible for membership. The requirements are high and rigid. The men must be active in extra-curricular services and have a high scholastic average. Membership in this honorary is one of the highest honors which the student can attain.

Mortar Board

In 1922 Mortar Board was organized at Miami University. It is a senior girl's

honorary recognizing girls who have been active in extra-curricular work during the first three years of school. Girls who have become campus leaders, such as, housechairmen of dormitories and presidents of honorary groups are elected to this honorary. Each year those girls who have set the standard for women on the campus by their excellent scholastic averages and their all-around ability and leadership are chosen from the junior class. Essentially, the organization is a service group for girls in the senior year. Last year the members of Mortar Board outlined a point limitation system for women in order to spread the offices among a larger number of women. Mortar Board is a parallel service recognition for the women that Omicron Delta Kappa is for the men. Membership in this organization is one of the highest honors that women leaders can achieve.

ACADEMIC HONORARIES

Recognition for outstanding ability and scholastic record is made through membership in honoraries which are concerned with achievement in one particular field or department.

Tau Kappa Alpha

Tau Kappa Alpha is an intercollegiate society. Membership is based upon excellence in debate and public speaking. Elections are held each spring and leaders in this field are asked to join the organization.

Eta Sigma Phi

In order to encourage the appreciation of the classics and to promote a feeling of fellowship among the students studying the classical works, Eta Sigma Phi was recently installed on this campus. A high scholastic record is essential for membership.

Beta Pi Theta

This honorary has the aims of recognizing those who are outstanding in French studies and stimulating the general interests of the students in French literature and history.

Sigma Delta Pi

It was only five years ago that Sigma Delta Pi was founded on the campus. It is a national Spanish honorary and to be eligible the student must have a "B" average in all studies and nothing less than a "B" in Spanish courses.

Delta Phi Alpha

Delta Phi Alpha is an honorary fraternity for students of German. The Beta Iota chapter was established here in 1935. Its aim is to create general student interest in the German Language.

Delta Omicron

This national musical sorority was installed at Miami in 1923. Membership is based upon general ability, and at least a "B" average is required in all music courses. A "C" average in all courses is also required.

Kappa Delta Pi

A "B" average in education work is the requirement for membership in this, a National Professional Society of Educators. Its members will someday peer down rows of desks behind which are the beaming countenances of America's young learners.

Alpha Kappa Delta

In 1925 this national sociological honorary was established at Miami. This is the Ohio Alpha Chapter. All sociology majors are eligible for membership if they have over a "B" average in all other studies and well over a "B" average in their sociology courses.

Phi Sigma

The members for this organization are chosen from upperclassmen doing exceptionally good work in zoology, botany, or geology. Meetings are held regularly and national authorities are brought to the campus to speak. Members must have a high scholastic average. The aim of the organization is to stimulate general student interest in the natural sciences.

Delta Phi Delta

All members must be art majors or must have accomplished excellent work in some special division of art. It was established on the Miami campus for the dual purpose of recognizing outstanding ability in art and to encourage all those who might be interested in some special division of art.

Les Politiques

Les Politiques was established on the Miami campus in 1931 in order to stimulate student interest in the study of government. Government majors with a "B" average at the end of the third semester are eligible. Faculty members speak at the meetings, explaining the current government problems.

Phi Mu Alpha, Sinfonia

This is a national professional music fraternity. Its aim is to promote good music in America. Membership is limited to those who have chosen music as their profession or who have been very active in some line of art.

Delta Sigma Pi

Membership in this fraternity is based upon business interest, scholarship, and interest in the courses offered by the School of Business Administration. It is a national professional business fraternity and was installed on the campus in 1927. It is one of the best business honoraries and ranks in the first fifteen social fraternities of the United States.

Com-Bus

Com-Bus was organized in 1931 to further the interests of women in business. It includes the women in the School of Business Administration who have maintained a high scholastic average for over three semesters.

Kappa Phi Kappa

The aim of Kappa Phi Kappa a national professional educational honorary is to further the study of the principles of higher education. Membership is based upon scholastic average and the interest shown in advanced education.

Le Cercle Français

All students taking first and second year French are eligible to this honorary organization. Its aim is to stimulate

interest in the study of French and the knowledge of French literature.

Sigma Gamma Epsilon

This strictly honorary organization was established on the campus in 1934 to recognize exceptional work and ability in the study of Geology.

Epsilon Pi Tau

The Gamma chapter of Epsilon Pi Tau was installed here in 1931. Seniors and Juniors who are interested in the teaching profession as a career are eligible if they meet the scholarship requirements.

Sigma Pi Sigma

Sigma Pi Sigma was reorganized last year by students interested in the study of physics. This is the Omega chapter of the national organization. Honor students in physics, mathematics, and chemistry may become members.

CLUBS

Classical Club

This club is composed of students who are interested in the study of the life, literature, and civilization of the ancient Greeks and Romans.

Home Economics Club

This group sponsors meetings between the students of the home economics department. All students of the department are eligible to membership.

Cosmopolitan Club

The Cosmopolitan Club was reorganized last year. The club sponsors discussions of the international situa-

tion. Faculty members lead the open discussions.

Poetry Club

This club also was organized last year. Its aim is to encourage the appreciation of poetry and creative writing in that field.

Astronomy Club

This club was founded by students interested in the study of astronomy. Informal discussions are held at the meetings.

Sigma Epsilon Theta

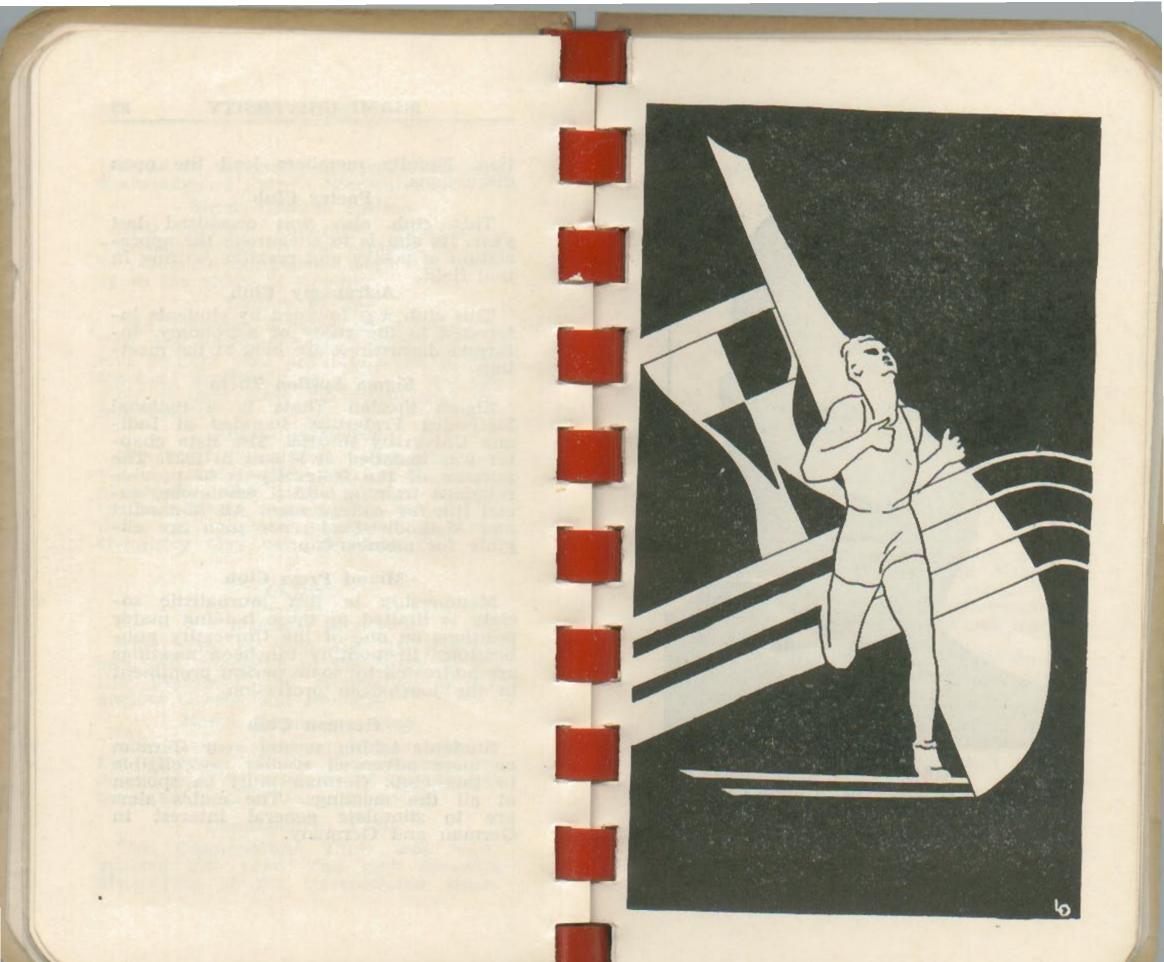
Sigma Epsilon Theta is a national Methodist Fraternity founded at Indiana University in 1936. The Beta chapter was installed at Miami in 1937. The purpose of the fraternity is to provide religious training and a wholesome social life for college men. All Methodist and Methodist-Preference men are eligible for membership.

Miami Press Club

Membership in this journalistic society is limited to those holding major positions on one of the University publications. Bi-monthly luncheon meetings are addressed by some person prominent in the journalism profession.

German Club

Students taking second year German or more advanced studies are eligible to this club. German must be spoken at all the meetings. The club's aims are to stimulate general interest in German and Germany.





GEORGE L. RIDER Director of Athletics

MIAMI SPORTSMANSHIP CREED

"Sportsmanship is primitive ethics. It says that you shall play fair; that you shall try your best to win and work all the harder when the odds are against you, but that you shall accept defeat with a smiling face and come back to try again the next time; that you shall accept the decisions of the umpire and not try to avenge yourself for your defeat by calling your opponents names or throwing stones at them; that you shall treat the visiting team as your guests and give them the advantage of position, if there is an advantage."

We want it said that Miami stands for SPORTSMANSHIP in all branches of athletics. We want it said that all our teams have been coached to play the game to win by playing with all their might, but with a fine sense of honor. We want it said that the character traits and moral habits of all Miami men and women are above reproach. We want it said that good sportsmanship is an ideal among all Miami men and women.

Remember that scores of individual games, important as they may be, are soon forgotten, but sportsmanlike conduct on the part of players and spectators live eternally. May our athletic contests be dominated by a feeling of friendly rivalry on the field and side lines alike.

May we enlist your suport in maintaining and improving upon the high standard of Sportsmanship that has been a source of group pride among Miami men and women.

George L. Rider Director of Physical Education

MIAMI MENTORS

Miami's athletic ship is piloted by George L. Rider, who is director of physical education and athletics, and is also varsity track coach. Little more need be said of the very excellent track teams which Coach Rider has turned out here at Miami.

Another important man on the Redskins' coaching staff is Frank Wilton, who is coach of the football and baseball teams. Both of these teams have been outstanding in their several years

of Buckeye competition.

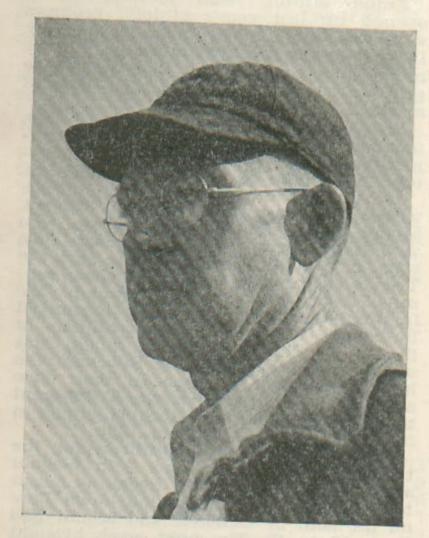
Besides being assistant athletic director, Merlin Ditmer is in charge of freshman football, basketball, and track. His expert work with these respective freshman teams has enabled many yearlings to land berths on the varsity teams in their following years.

John Mauer is coach of the Redskin basketball squad. When he is not sending his squad through its paces in the floor at Withrow Court, he is acting as end coach for the football team and as head scout of our rivals. Coach Mauer is also in charge of the freshman baseball team.

A man with a wide variety of jobs on the coaching staff is Elwood Wilson. He is varsity line coach in football, head wrestling instructor, and assistant varsity and freshman track coach.

The man who is responsible for Miami's excellent and extensive intramural program is Thomas Van Voorhis. Besides being head of intramurals, he is the head of physical education.

E. J. Colville is responsible for taking care of all the injuries suffered by Miami athletes. Besides his position as trainer, he is the head of boxing.



MERLIN DITMER
Freshman Coach
Assistant Athletic Director

FOOTBALL

Frank Wilton, head football coach, opened up last year's athletic program with two very decisive wins for Miami. In spite of the fact that Miami was badly crippled by injuries, her showing on the gridiron last fall was of a great deal of merit.

The Tribe won four games, tied one, and lost four. Alma College from Michigan was Miami's first victim, and Marietta fell second by a very large margin.

In the third game of the season, which also was played here in Oxford, Miami was defeated by Marshall, who won the Buckeye Championship last year. It was early in this game that the Tribe's stellar quarterback of three seasons, Jake Wagner, was injured. The following week the Redskins journeyed to Athens to take on the co-holders of the title: Ohio University. Miami was again turned back by the Bobcats, who have never lost a game in their new stadium. The next week, the Tribe went to Toledo, where the Rockets, under a new coach, defeated them 13 to 7.

Back on their home gridiron for the two following weeks, and with Wagner again in the lineup, the Redskins began to "click" again. Case came down here on the 30th of October, and Miami tied them 13 to 13. The next week brought Wesleyan here for the homecoming game. When the smoke cleared away from the hard fought battle, Miami was on top by the score of 32 to 0 for the Bishops.

The following week, the Redskins again took to the road with high hopes of defeating Dayton. However, these

hopes were shattered by the score of 21 to 7.

In the final tussle of the year against our annual rivals at the University of Cincinnati, the Tribe again showed its supremacy by the margin of 14 to 6.

Outstanding gridders on the forward wall last season were Leow and Szabo, ends; Meier and Mergenthal, tackles; Sparkes and Fogarty, guards.

In the backfield, Wagner and Vasche played quarterback, Wuest, Williams, Garrity, and Storms worked as half-backs, and Metzger held down the full-back spot.

Of these men, Vasche, Wuest, Williams, Garrity, and Storms are expected to lead the Redskin attack from the backfield, while Szabo and Fogarty are returning to their line positions.

Wagner and Leow, seniors, held coveted positions on the mythical All-Buckeye eleven.

OFFICIAL RECORD OF THE 1937 MIAMI UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

			M	0
Sept.	25	Alma College, here	27	0
Oct.	2	Marietta, here	75	6 7
Oct.	9	Marshall, here	0	7
Oct.	16	Ohio U. at Athens	0	19
Oct.	23	Toledo U. at Toledo	7	13
Oct.	30	Case, here	13	13
Nov.	6	O. Wesleyan, here	32	0
Nov.	13	Dayton at Dayton	7	21
Nov.	25	Cincinnati at Cincinnati	14	6
		Total Points	175	85

MIAMI UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1938

Sept. 24 Alma, here

Oct. 1 Mt. Union, at Alliance Oct. 8 Marshall, at Huntington

Oct. 15 Findlay, here Oct. 22 Dayton, here

Oct. 29 Ohio Wesleyan, at Delaware

Nov. 5 Ohio U., here Nov. 12 Case, at Cleveland

Nov. 24 Cincinnati, at Cincinnati

BASKETBALL

An entirely revamped Miami basketball team started off its season with five consecutive victories over Transylvania, Georgetown, Otterbein, Kentucky Wesleyan, and American Rolling Mills, respectively. In these games, the Redskins piled up 198 points to their opponents' 138.

On January 4, the Cincinnati Bearcats journeyed here for our first Buckeye contest. After it was all over, Cincinnati was on top by a count of 36 to 34. Miami's next two struggles were also Buckeye games, and the Redskins won them both from Dayton and Ohio Wesleyan, respectively. On the nineteenth of January, Miami went to Huntington, West Virginia to take on the conference leading Thundering Herd of Marshall College. There in Huntington, Marshall remained on top by defeating Miami.

The next three games were played at home, and Miami again emerged victorious over Wilmington, Dayton, and Ohio University, respectively. The fol-

lowing week, the Reds took to the road again, and Ohio Wesleyan was again defeated. February the 19th brought the Thundering Herd from Marshall here, and they again defeated Coach Mauer's quintet. On Washington's birthday, the team went to Athens where Ohio U. sought revenge for the defeat which we handed them here in Oxford. The final game of the season was the customary tussle with Cincinnati, and Cincinnati again won it from us. The absence of Varsity Guard, Falke, occasioned by 'illness proved the determining factor in these last two games.

Among the outstanding men of the '37, '38 team were Cromer, Falke, Turnbaugh, Rung, Stitzel, and Paterson. Cromer and Falke graduated in June, but the others mentioned will be here next year. Falke and Rung were members of the All-Buckeye basketball team. Falke was honored by being named as the Captain of the team. This is the first time a Captain was ever designated from among the selected

members of the mythical five.

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MIAMI UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL **RECORD FOR 1937-1938**

"M" BOOK

			M	0
Dec.	7	Transylvania, here	34	23
		Georgetown, here	43	34
Dec.	15	Otterbein, here	35	25
Dec.	17	Ky. Wesleyan, here	40	30
Jan.	1	Armco, here	40	26
Jan.	4	Cincinnati, here	34	36
		Dayton at Dayton	35	
Jan.	15	O. Wesleyan, here	38	25
		Marshall, at Huntington		58
		Wilmington, here	32	29
		Dayton, here	33	19
Feb.	12	Ohio U., here	36	33
Feb.	14	O. Wes., at Delaware	37	24
Feb.	19	Marshall, here	16	
Feb.	22	Ohio U., at Athens	31	
Feb.	26	Cincinnati, Cincinnati	29	38
		Total Points	540	500

MIAMI UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL **SCHEDULE FOR 1938-1939**

Dec. 5 Transylvania, here

Dec. 10 Indiana, at Bloomington

Dec. 14 Ky. Wesleyan, here Dec. 20 Oregon, at Cleveland

Dec. 22 Baldwin Wallace, at Cleveland

Dec. 23 Case, at Cleveland

Jan. 2 Xavier, here

Jan. 5 Cincinnati, here

Jan. 10 Ohio Wesleyan, at Delaware

Jan. 14 Dayton, here

Jan. 18 Ohio University, at Athens

Jan. 30 Xavier, at Cincinnati

Feb. 4 Ohio University, here

Feb. 11 Dayton, at Dayton

Feb. 17 Marshall, here

Feb. 22 Cincinnati, at Cincinnati

Feb. 25 Ohio Wesleyan, here

Mar. 1 Marshall, at Huntington

BASEBALL

The Miami baseball team concluded a very successful season in 1938 by winning the Buckeye Conference Championship. In the Buckeye Conference tilts, the Redskins won seven and lost two. In games outside the Buckeye, the Tribe won two and lost one; and two games were stopped due to rain.

On April 11, the baseball team from the American Rolling Mills of Middletown came here to lose to the Redskins 3-1. The second tilt was one of those stopped due to rain. The tribe took to the road for the next two games, and Marshall and Ohio University were defeated, respectively.

The following Saturday brought Michigan State Teachers here, and they proved to be too strong for our boys. M. S. T. won 17-5. The next three contests were played in foreign cities, and Miami fell before Cincinnati 5-4, but then won from Wesleyan and Dayton by

6-5, and 3-1, respectively.

Back on the home diamond on May 3rd for the remainder of the season, the Redskins got off to a good start by defeating Wesleyan 14-4, and Cedarville 16-0. Dayton came here to Oxford on the 13th of May to seek revenge for the trouncing which Miami handed them earlier in the season; and the Flyers won 6-5 in a 12 inning game. May 20 brought Ohio University here seeking revenge for the defeat which the Tribe handed them down there, but they were disappointed to the tune of 5-2. The next day, a game with Marshall College from Huntington was commenced, but had to be halted because of rain.

In the traditional Decoration Day game with Cincinnati here at Oxford, the Redskins cinched the Buckeye title by defeating the Bearcats 9-4.

The 1938 squad included many sophomores and only a few who will not return to the diamond next spring. Eisenhut and Leow are the only men on the first team who will not be back next year, and remaining seven men on the first team are sophomores now and have two more years of competition. These sophomores include Lillie, Innis, Stupak, Meirhoeffer, Johnson, and Rung. The pitching staff includes Heldman, Hoyman, and Rung, and of these three, only one, Heldman will not be back to continue next year. With all of these men returning, and some fine freshman ball players from this year, Miami can have high hopes for next year's baseball team.

1938 Baseball Results

Miami 3—Armco 1
Miami 3—Marshall 0
Miami 7—Ohio U. 2
Miami 5—Michigan State Teachers 17
Miami 4—Cincinnati 5
Miami 6—Wesleyan 5
Miami 3—Dayton 1
Miami 14—Wesleyan 4
Miami 16—Cedarville 0
Miami 5—Dayton 6
Miami 5—Ohio U. 2
Miami 9—Cincinnati 4

Games with Oberlin and Marshall were called due to rain.

TRACK

Miami's fine track team again proved itself superior to all its opponents in the 1938 season. The season was the third consecutive undefeated one for the team, and the second straight win of the Buckeye Conference Champion-

ship.

The season was opened with Michigan Normal, and the Redskins were easily victorious by a count of 86 2/3 to 44 1/3. The following week was Miami's first Buckeye struggle, and the Flyers of Dayton were downed 111 to 20. A strong Ohio U. team was next in line, and the Tribe took them 86 2/3 to 44 1/3. On May 20, Wesleyan fell before the determined onslaught of the Redskins by the score of 96 to 35.

The first meet of the season was the Butler relays, held at Indianapolis, Indiana. The team as a unit finished 4th, and several individuals and the relay team were outstanding. A relay team consisting of Seni, Cook, Brewer, and Mills took 3rd in the mile relay. Another relay team consisting of Craft, Williams, Henry and Hall placed fourth in the medley relay. Oram placed fourth in the high jump, and Meder, McKinley, Prugh, and Hall placed 3rd in the two mile relay.

At the Drake relays in Iowa, Miami showed better than they ever have before. Stout, Cook, Seni, and Mills made up the relay team that won the half-mile event. Their time was 1' 29.3".

On May 28th, Miami won the Buckeye Conference Championship for the third consecutive time. The former record for the highest number of points was 86, and was held by Miami; but

VARSITY TRACK RECORDS

B. A. A. Record	9.6" 21.1" 48.3" 1' 57.3" 4' 20.8" 9' 35.9" 14.6" 13' 31/2" 47' 61/4" 6' 5/8" 142' 11" 23' 3" 218'
Miami Record	9.6" 21.1" 48.3" 1' 58.5" 4' 20.8" 9' 16.7" 14.6" 23.1" 13' 3½'' 47' 6" 6' 5%" 136' 8" 23' 6½'' 23' 6½'' 23' 6½''
Year	1926 1926 1931 1933 1934 1934 1934 1930 1933 1933 1934 1933 1933
Holder Miami Record	Sharkey Sharkey Gordon Dudley Shugert Shugert Oliver Oliver Davis Horn Black Vossler Davis Horn Bell Cook Mills Cole
Event	100 Yard Dash 220 Yard Dash 440 Yard Dash 880 Yard Run 1 Mile Run 2 Mile Run 120 Yard High Hurdles 220 Yard Low Hurdles 250 Yard Low Hurdles Chot Put High Jump Discus Broad Jump Mile Relay

MIAMI FRESHMAN RECORDS

Year	1934 1928 1933 1932 1933 1933 1933 1937 1937 1937 1937
Holder	W. Seni J. Gordon A. Oliver F. Heilig F. Heilig C. Shugert A. Oliver A. Oliver Hecht A. Oliver E. Black H. Ell P. Field G. Vossler Kempisty Eisman Hall Long
Record	10.0" 21.8" 50.1" 1' 59.4" 4' 32.8" 10' 1" 15.4" 24.2" 6' 6' 6' 22' 6½" 13' 3¼" 192' 3¼" 123' 10" 41' 4"
Event	100 Yard Dash 220 Yard Dash 440 Yard Dash 880 Yard Run 1 Mile Run 2 Mile Run 120 Yard High Hurdles 220 Yard Low Hurdles High Jump Broad Jump Pole Vault Javelin Discus Shot Put

in the 1938 the Tribe set a new record of 97 1/4 points. Ohio U. was second with 61 1/2 and Wesleyan was third with 44 1/2. Jerry Williams won the shot put with 45' and Larry Bell set another Buckeye record with a javelin throw of 218'. Art Hall won the two mile event, and Dane Prugh placed second in the half mile.

Men who have been determining factors in the success of the relay team are Brewer, Mills, Seni, Cook, Prugh, Meder, Williams, and Stout. Of these Mills, Seni, and Cook are seniors. Others who have been invaluable to the team's victories are Oram, Bell, Hall, Henry, and B. Cook. Of these men, Oram, Bell, and Henry are seniors. The rest will all be here when the 1939 season opens.

Freshmen who have shown well in 1938, and who will be definite assets to the 1938 team are Eisman, Meagher, Grimm, Sampson, Steen, Kempisty, Hall, Packard, Long, Ecklin, Hecht and Miller. Two freshman records were broken. They are the high jump by Hecht with a jump of 6', and the mile relay by Kempisty, Eisman, Hall and Long. The time of the record breaking relay was 3' 25.1".

Track Results

Miami 86 2/3, Michigan Normal 44 1/3 Miami 111, Dayton 20 Miami 86 2/3, Ohio U. 44 1/3

Miami 96, O. Wesleyan 35

Miami finished fourth in the Butler relays.

Miami won the Buckeye track meet for the 3rd consecutive year.

for the javelin in the meet at Milwaukee. The distance was 231' 7 1/4".

CROSS-COUNTRY

Miami's harriers became the unofficial state champions in cross-country running last year, when they won five scheduled meets in this state and lost none. In their out of state meets, however, Miami defeated Butler, and was defeated by Indiana at Bloomington.

The Tribe opened its season by defeating Earlham College 24-33, and the following week, Ohio U. 24-31. In their second consecutive week away from Oxford, the Redskins defeated Oberlin 22-33. Then, returning to Oxford for the next three meets, the Tribe again showed its supremacy by defeating Case 19-37, Ohio Wesleyan 16-42, and Butler 25-31.

The following week, Miami took to the road again, and met their only defeat of the season at Bloomington, Indiana. Indiana University won the meet 40-15. The finale on November 25th at Cincinnati, was also won by Miami. This was the Cincinnati six-mile road race, and the men finished in this order: Cannon, Cincinnati; Hall, Miami; McGinnis, Miami; Henry, Miami; and Scott, Miami.

Art Hall, a junior at Miami, was again the outstanding cross-country runner of the season. Other members of the squad who were good pointgetters, and who earned their letters were Fred McGinnis, Edwin Scott, Harold Bush, George Henry, and Richard Howard.

TENNIS

The Miami tennis team failed again to bring home a Buckeye Conference tennis title, but had a successful season, nevertheless. In the Buckeye Conference struggles, the Tribe won 3, lost 3, and tied one. In contests outside the Buckeye, the Redskins were more successful, winning three and losing only one. The total for the season for Miami was six wins to four losses and one tie.

Continual changes in the lineup were made by Coach Al Moore, and those who showed best under fire were Ebert,

Burns, Gates, Myers, and Lovett.
Two matches, one in the Buckeye and the other out of it, were not held due to rain. The Buckeye title was won by Cincinnati.

Tennis Results

Miami 1—Kalamazoo 5
Miami 0—Cincinnati 6
Miami 6—Earlham 0
Miami 3—Ohio U. 3
Miami 5—Dayton 1
Miami 6—Antioch 2
Miami 2—Wesleyan 4
Miami 7—Antioch 1
Miami 5—Dayton 1
Miami 5—Dayton 1
Miami 5—Ohio U. 1
Miami 5—Ohio U. 1
Matches with Earlham and Wesleyan
were stopped by rain.

GOLF

Although part of its qualifying rounds were played in the rain, the Miami golf team was very fortunate with respect to weather during its matches. However, the team had the most unsuccessful season it has ever had. In a ten-match schedule, Miami lost seven, won one and tied two.

In the first match with Cincinnati, Wilbur Deuser, Miami's first man, shot a 66 which is the course record while under competition. Over the same course, the team placed third in the Ohio State Intercollegiate Tournament. Deuser and Peck qualified for the individual matches, but were eliminated the next day. The four men who played every match were Wilbur Deuser, Jack Ludlow, Art Peck, and Bud Falke. Chuck Barclay was the alternate.

THE BUCKEYE INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE

University	Year Admitted
Miami	1928
Ohio Wesleyan	1928
Ohio University	1928
Marshall	1932
Dayton	1935
Xavier	1938
Western State Teachers	1938

In the winter of 1925, several Ohio coaches met at Columbus to arrange more suitable schedules for their respective teams. At this meeting a special schedule-making group was formed. This group was known as the Buckeye Association, and consisted of Miami, Wittenberg, Wesleyan, Cincinnati, Ohio University, and Denison. These schools did not withdraw from the Ohio Conference, but merely organized to arrange better schedules. In 1928, the Ohio Conference requested that the Buckeye Association disband, and rath-

er than disband the organization, which had proved to be very satisfactory, Miami. Ohio Wesleyan, Ohio University, Cincinnati, Wittenberg, and Denison formally withdraw from the Ohio Conference in May 1928, and organized the Buckeye Intercollegiate Athletic Con-

ference.

This organization now has its own constitution, rules, and by-laws as well as eligibility rules, the rules for eligibility being more strict than those for the Ohio Conference. Wittenberg failed to comply with the rules in 1929 and was forced to withdraw, but on assurance that it would abide by the rules more strictly was reinstated a year later. In 1930, DePauw and Wabash, two Indiana schools were admitted to the conference as probationary members for a year. At the conclusion of the 1931-32 basketball season, both schools decided that they could not continue in the class of competition that the Buckeye offered, and that they therefore could not become regular members of the conference.

The resignation of Denison took effect at the end of the 1932 football season, Denison feeling that she could not stand the competition which the

Buckeye offered.

Marshall College of Huntington, West Virginia applied for membership in 1931, and was admitted to probationary membership which was to start with the 1932-33 basketball season. Since then Dayton University, Xavier, and Western State Teachers have been admitted to the Buckeye, and the University of Cincinnati has resigned. This latter resignation is to become effective in 1939.

Letter Requirements

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

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

BASEBALL-One-half the total number of innings, one fourth the 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 first in Buckeye meet.

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

BUCKEYE ATHLETIC AWARDS

Major Sports 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 letterblanket for that sport. No athlete to receive more than one blanket.

4. Senior lettermen to be awarded let-

ter certificate.

Minor Sports 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 letterblanket for that sport. No athletes to receive more than one blanket.

4. Senior lettermen to be awarded let-

ter certificates.

5. Freshmen may be awarded one V neck jersey with numerals or abbrevi-

ated numerals only (such as '39).

6. Freshman numerals to be awarded only after recipients have made grade requirements for eligibility for 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".

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 collegiate year subsequent to attaining the equivalent to freshman rank in the liberal arts course or in a four year engineering course.

(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 school work shall not be counted in determining length of residence.

3. No student shall participate in intercollegiate athletics upon the teams of any college or colleges for more than three years in 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 one year. Athletic participation in any college granting a four year degree shall be counted in determining years of eligibility.

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 of the season, and no other contest, 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 barred by this rule from

three full years of competition.

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

ticipation.

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 come before the

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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 to 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 school shall be ineligible for competition in any other Buckeye school.

6. No student shall play in a game

under an assumed name.

7. Any person participating in any athletic contest as a member of a collegiate team, while not a student of the institution represented, is thereafter barred 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 serv-

ices 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 gymnasium and gymnastic skill; (2) This shall not apply to Summer Playground work, to junior work, to junior work in the Y. M. C. A., or to junior work in the welfare field.

Participation of college students in athletics as members of professional or semi-professional teams shall render such participants ineligible to membership in college teams; a semi-professional team being one or more members who are engaged for a whole or 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 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 control of any private 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 commit-

tee 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 approximately the same proportion as 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 athletes. 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 open-

ly discussed at the next meeting of the conference.

19. The directors are to use their influence to discourage any offers of financial assistance to high school athletes. Any jobs that are bona fide 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. Local organizations are to be known as the Board of Control of Athletics, and its membership shall be made up of a majority of faculty members.

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 \$150.00 a year.

THE VARSITY "M"

Five major sports are on the Miami athletic program: football, track, basketball, baseball, and cross-country. Two minor sports, tennis and golf, complete the sports curriculum.

The official "M" is awarded only for intercollegiate competition. The award rests with the athletic advisory board, and the letter does not become the property of the individual who has met the requirements until approved by the board.

If the coach or board feels the indi-

vidual making the requirements for an award has failed to render loyal and earnest service 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 has participated, take away a Varsity award 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.

For a performance of unusual merit, the Athletic Board may, by a twothirds vote, grant a major letter to a minor sports participant.

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

INTRAMURALS

A very important part in any school's athletic program is a large and extensive intramural athletic program. T. P. Van Voorhis, associate professor of physical education, is the head of the Miami intramural program. The intramural program here at Miami is so wide, diversified, and well organized that it stands second to none in the country.

There are three intramural seasons here at Miami: fall, winter, and spring. The fall program includes softball, vol-

leyball, golf and tennis. Winter brings boxing, wrestling, fencing, and basketball. In the spring softball, volleyball, tennis, and golf again take the spotlight.

Besides the enjoyment and physical benefit derived from the intramural participation here at Miami, there are definite incentives which help to spur the men on. To the winning teams in basketball, softball, and volleyball, handsome trophies are awarded.

Gold, silver, and bronze medals are awarded to the individual winners of the tennis, boxing, wrestling, fencing, and golf championships.

Besides competition in nearly all the activities on the large program, freshmen compete with only freshmen in the frosh tennis tourney, inter-dorm baseball, basketball, and track. It is not necessary that a freshman belong to a fraternity to participate in intramurals. The program is so varied that a man not belonging to a Greek organization can more than have his hands full throughout the year, if he so desires.

At the close of each school year, a handsome maximum participation trophy is awarded to the organization whose members have combined the largest number of points, won from successful competition in intramurals for that year.

In most group sports such as base-ball, basketball, and volleyball, two leagues are formed with seven teams in each league. Dormitories, independent groups, and fraternities enter teams in these leagues. The winners of each league meet in the play-off to determine the champions of the school in that sport.

Every student is expected to participate in some sort of intramural activity. An individual record is carefully checked after the close of each season. There is no penalty for not participating, but the regular fellow always finds some athletic pursuit during his leisure time. Usually the best students in the University have a keen interest and take an important part in the intramurals.



TOM VAN VOORHIS
Director of Intramural Athletics



SOCIAL SLANT

This section might more appropriately have been called "Miscellaneous" because it will doubtlessly contain a wide variety of unrelated topics before we get through with it. We liked the title "Social Slants" so well, however, that we couldn't console ourselves to reverting to such a commonplace heading as "Miscellaneous." Then too, we hope that the very name will seduce you into reading this section of purely personal piffle. At times parts of this division may seem asinine, may seem to be so simple that anyone would understand without having to read the M Book to find out. Such a condition must exist when material is prepared to be applicable to the heterogeneous group that comprises the Freshman Class. Don't criticize "ye editor" too much for this, for while he pleads guilty to a deep ignorance of social standards, he at least maintains that he has tried hard.

FRATERNITIES

One factor which is of compelling interest to most of you fellows is doubtlessly the fraternity set-up. You have read something about fraternities under the grouping "Miami Men", but perhaps a somewhat more personal discussion of the pros and cons of fraternity affiliations as compared with an independent status would not be amiss.

You will never fully realize how fortunate you are in coming to a school where most of the students live on or very near the campus. This is also a factor in helping to improve the fraternity situation. The University dormitories for freshmen, Swing, Fisher, Elliot, and Stoddard, and the hall for upperclassmen, Ogden, are excellent buildings. As far as physical comfort is concerned, the dormitories compare more than favorably with most Greek houses, and costs are lower. Whether these factors outweigh the advantages claimed for fraternities only you can decide.

There are certain advantages to belonging to a fraternity, but many of them are purely academic and for the most part purely paper assets. The claims that house life makes more friends for the student, tends to smooth out personal difficulties through close associations developed in a compact living group, and serves to make the individual well rounded through the action of adapting himself to many different types of people found in the fraternity are at least open to question. The real appeal is based upon prestige. The student feels that if he is asked to join an exclusive group, he has achieved his badge of social success; while many who are not asked feel that it is a personal stigma attached to their character.

But don't let this matter worry you too much at this time. At Miami, unlike many schools where "rushing" begins as soon as the student arrives, the freshmen are not subjected to any fraternity problems for a full semester. You live, eat, and play with your own classmates, all your own classmates. There is almost complete democracy

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Saturday	s7:30-9:00	a.m.
Sundays	10:45	a.m.
Holidays	Before	Mass

NEWMAN CLUB

A Catholic Student Organization Meets on 2nd and 4th Sundays 6:30 p. m. at Wells Hall in the freshman halls. You have no false prestige standards to fall back on. You are judged on the basis of your own characteristics, not on the basis of the living group to which you belong, so go into your first year with the intention of making friends among your own classmates, your own living companions. The fraternity situation will take care of itself.

Next February the rushing will be fun for some, grief and unhappiness for others. If "making a good fraternity" is your prime interest in college, you are to be pitied. It is such a small thing when compared with the many aspects of college life. The "big" man can take fraternities or leave them alone and still compel the admiration, respect, and friendship of his classmates. In the long run just how much you get out of college depends entirely upon you.

SORORITIES

The question of sororities while of importance to the girl entering the University does not seem as complicated as the one facing the freshman men. All girls at Miami live in the university dormitories or cottages so the same living conditions and contacts apply to all girls whether in a sorority or not. The various sororities hold meetings every Wednesday night in Harrison Hall. throw the usual dances and teas, and participate in such campus activities as the inter-sorority sing and the O. D. K. carnival. It is possible to have just as many friends and to enjoy college just as much whether in a sorority or out.

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Morning	Worship	Service	11:00
College	League		6:30

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Rev. Paul Rugg, Minister and Director, Parsonage, 101 E. Church St., Tel. 158

Miss Edna Baumberger, Associate Director, Wesley House, 17
N. Poplar St.

"Wesley House" is the center of activities for all Methodist and Methodist preference Students. The point of prestige is much the same as in fraternities. If you decide to pledge a sorority, rushing starts the first Thursday of Freshman Week. Pick the group in which you believe you will fit. Out of the numerous sororities on the campus you should find one group whose members you like and who like you. That will probably be the group from which, over the four years of your college life, you will get the most pleasure, form the best friends, and derive the most benefit.

SOCIAL DATA

This four-year design for living called "college" will be for most of you a wonderful mixture of work and play. There will be those, of course, who will over-emphasize work—more perhaps who will over-emphasize play. But the Miami men or women who will be the happiest, get the most out of it all, will be those who live the all-around, balanced life with the perfect mixture of study and fun.

Miami social life, though it has technical differences, is basically the same as social life at any American college. It revolves for the most part around the universal situation of Boy Meets Girl. You will discover from the very first that although Miami students come from every section of the country, they are fundamentally the same as the people you have known back home. They have the same objects no matter how varied the methods by which they pursue these objects.

The social life on any college campus

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should play an important part in the educational program. At Miami you will find a carefully planned system through which an effort is made to offer students an opportunity to develop social ability and ease, and to cultivate a well-balanced personality.

On the second floor of Benton Hall is the office of the social director, Mrs. Skinner. Through her all social functions are arranged, as all must have the sanction of the Dean of Women and be placed on the social calendar. Mrs. Skinner devotes a great amount of time in promoting a wise social program and is willing at all times to assist with your social problems. Many social embarrassments can be avoided by seeing Mrs. Skinner first.

There are four large all-campus dances held every year-The Freshman Strut. the Sophomore Hop, the Junior Prom and the Senior Ball. For these dances such bands as Ellington, Hamp, Rapp, Bestor, and Dorsey are obtained. Sororities have their tea dances in the fall and an evening dance in the spring. Fraternities are permitted two formal dances and one informal each semester. The Varsity Social Club promotes allcampus dances each Saturday night, which are informal, non-stag affairs. There are also house dances, banquets, teas, bridges, picnics, hikes. houses, and smokers.

The dancing is of the more conservative type. The "dance hall" style is not used, and by doing so you make a pest of yourself on the floor.

There is seldom a receiving line at Miami, and you do not need to pay your respects to the chaperones upon You'll find other students at

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ELIOT PORTER
Minister to congregation

Charles Eugene Conover Minister to students arriving. However, good taste demands that you spend some time with them during the evening. Social affairs are an excellent opportunity for meeting the faculty informally outside the class room. You will find they know more than they tell you in class.

An understanding of the necessity for good manners comes from a sense of proportion and realization of values which ordinarily are arrived at only with age and experience. Here in college you have an unequaled opportunity to obtain a technique for getting along with those about you in a manner which, in the long run, will put you far. Back of all good manners must be a sincere desire to be friendly, kind, and tactful.

WHAT WILL YOU WEAR?

Women: Many women are so afraid they will underdress that they do exactly the opposite. Don't commit that sin. Wear simple but attractive clothes on the campus, without extravagant face make-up or painted finger-nails. In choosing a wardrobe for college, bring only what you are sure you will need. Let quality, not quantity, be the basis for your selection.

For classes: Wool sport dresses, sweaters and skirts, sport oxfords.

Sorority teas, rush parties: Silk street dresses with hat and gloves.

Dormitory formal dinners, sorority banquets: Evening dress with sleeves or short jacket.

Fraternity or sorority formals, school dances: Formal evening dress.

Christian Science Organization

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invites you
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meetings

On the 1st, 3rd, and 5th SUNDAYS

At 10:00 P. M. in 111 Harrison Hall Men: The first rule to remember is—don't buy anything new until you get here! Many freshmen stock up on clothes in their home town, arrive at Miami to find they didn't buy at all what they needed.

Around the campus it is customary to wear just about what you please, sweaters or coats, slacks and suits. It is to your advantage at all times to present a neat, pleasing appearance. Your appearance constitutes the major factor in the impression you make upon people who are not intimately acquainted with you. It is also customary to use razors at necessary intervals.

For semi-formal dances men wear suits. For formal dances during the winter a tux or full dress is worn. Tux pants and a white palm beach coat are usually worn to spring formals.

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.

Sheets, pillows, and pillow-cases are provided in the women's dorms under conditions mentioned above. They are also expected to take care of cleaning their own rooms.

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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.

FRESHMAN WEEK

Freshman week was inaugurated at Miami nine years ago. The purpose is to acclimate the freshmen of the University before the return of the upper-classmen. 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

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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.

FRESHMAN TIPS

The purpose of these informal bits of advice is to round out the general information given above. We offer it to you in the hope that it will aid you in avoiding trouble and even embarrassment.

Freshman week was planned for your benefit. Go to every meeting which has been scheduled. There will be valuable information given at each one which you cannot afford to miss.

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.

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Forget your high school record. You are a Miami student now, and you will be judged by what you do here, not what you did in high school.

The "Miami Spirit" is nationally known. It is by service to humanity that Miami men have become great. Do your part.

Learn the songs and yells and join in the cheering. Miami's courtesy at athletics events should be above reproach. Do your part to make it so. This is one of the greatest services you can offer your school.

Our campus is one of the most beautiful in the state. It is a Miami tradition to show your pride in it by keeping off the lawn and refraining from leaving paper anywhere but in the receptacles provided for it.

On the Miami Campus you will find a welcome informality among the students. Courtesy and friendliness on the campus are typical of Miami life. Many very good friends are the result of informal gatherings between class. A friendly smile and greeting will start you right.

For the class room, remember it is more healthy to sit erect. "Packing up" your books and belongings while the professor is in the middle of his closing sentence is very discourteous, Furniture carving, sleeping, and conversation with your neighbor can be done more effectively elsewhere.

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Remember that even though you do not enjoy an assembly program, your neighbors may be interested. Do not attract attention by obvious inattention to the program.

Keep up good work daily. Impressions are formed every day, not on special occasions.

Examinations will not be the bane of your life if you prepare your lessons daily. nor will your interest in your work lag quickly.

"Budget your time" is a phrase that you will hear from your adviser and upperclass students. Once you have acquired this art, you are fast on the way to an education. By planning a study and play schedule and sticking to it, you will have more time for both work and play.

Write to the folks at home at least once a week whether you need money or not. They are more interested in your life here at Miami than anyone else.

Professors are interested in their students. Forget this term "apple polishing" and talk to your professor whenever you need help or advice. You will find them "regular fellows".

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

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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 class attempts to outdo former classes in this event.

After every athletic victory, whether played at Oxford or elsewhere, the freshmen ring the bell in Harrison.

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 get acquainted quickly.

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES

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

Men Women Registration fee (one-half pay2) able each semester)\$80.00 \$80.00 Health fee 10.00 10.00 10.00 Student activity fee 10.00 Rent for room in dormitory 81.00 81.00 Board in dining hall166.25 153.00 Rental and laundry 5.00 bed linen Gymnasium towel fee 1.50 1.00 Gymnasium locker deposit

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Oxford is a town of about 2,500 people. The University is located in the

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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 13 miles from Hamilton, 32 from Cincinnati, and 120 miles from Columbus. State highways 27 and 73 pass through Oxford.

THE MIAMI CHEST

Several years ago the members of the Student Body were annoyed 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 which alloted a specific sum to each organization was made out by a special committee of faculty and students. 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.

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In the past years this drive has been very 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. The Y uses this money to finance the freshman orientation program and for its general program throughout the year. Last year gifts were sent to the Committee on Friendly Relations with Foreign Students in America and to the Y in China which the association at Miami has helped to support for several years. The Y has recently established an exchange scholarship.

ARTISTS COURSE

Two years ago a new educational plan was adopted after a unanimous vote of the student body. One dollar a semester is set aside from each student's activity fee, and the money is pooled to bring noted individuals and entertainers to the campus. Some whom the course has brought are: Helen Jepson, Cornelia Otis Skinner, William Beebe, Joess Ballet, Richard Crooks, and the Shawn Dancing Team. This plan has been very well accepted by the student body and promises to be one of the leading educational opportunities on our campus.

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papers and directs all University student publications. Students are asked to inform the News Bureau of matters which might be of interest to hometown papers.

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

"Recensio".

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, YMCA and YWCA and the University calendar.

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.

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There is a wide variety in the work done by NYA students. The number of projects at one time reached 150. Whenever possible the student is given work which will further his own interests and work to which he is adapted by training or education. A large majority of the projects are academic in nature, including research, laboratory assistance, the grading and tabulating of tests, and clerical work.

In addition to the work on the campus a number are engaged in social service work of various kinds. The small size of the community limits this somewhat, but both Hamilton and Middletown, as well as smaller neighboring communities, are used as centers for recreational and social service projects. Scouts, Hi-Y, 4-H Club, and musical groups are served. Many county offices engaged in social service work enlist NYA students.

NYA work and the high standard of academic attainment reached by NYA workers have added materially to the growing sentiment that work in college is a valuable adjunct to the student who would make a success in world affairs.

TO ROOTERS

Don't learn Miami songs and yells at the games; study them over now and be prepared to cooperate with the yellleaders; a rooting section that knows what it's doing will boom out clear and strong and impress the other fellows.

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YELLS

- (Locomotive style) Fight, fight, fight, Miami Fight Miami Fight (repeat two times) Yeah Miami Fight
- 2. (Hold out) Rrrrrred (short) Skins (Hold out) Rrrrrred (short) Skins (Hold out) Rrrrrred (short) Skins (hold out) Yeah (short) Team (with punch) FIGHT, FIGHT
- 3. (roll out) Miiiiiiii-ami (roll out) Miiiiiiii-ami (roll out) Miiiiiiii-ami (spell out) M-I-A-M-I MIAMI!! MIAMI!! MIAMI!!
- 4. (crowd is divided into sections) WOMEN MEN M M M Miii-ami Miii-ami MIAMI MIAMI (together) MIAMI!!!
- Redskins Redskins Redskins FIGHT!! FIGHT!! FIGHT!!
- 6. (follow each leader) Fight - Fight - Fight - Fight (whistle) (long drawn out) Yeah (long drawn out) Team FIGHT!!! (loud)



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Miami March Song

Words and Music, R. H. Burke
Miami old, to thee our love we bring.
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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. Strength from thee sustained their arm.



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

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