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FRESHMAN HANDBOOK

Student Cooperative Association

Each student should be familiar with all information contained in this book.
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**ENTRANCE TO COLLEGE GROUNDS**

The Henry Whittemore Memorial Gate, which is at the entrance to the campus, was given by the Classes of 1917, 1918, and 1919, and named for Mr. Whittemore, Principal of the Framingham Normal School from 1898 to 1917.
ON ARRIVAL

To find the State Teachers College at Framingham is not really so hard as you may imagine. With your Freshman Handbook tucked in your pocket, and your "big sister" to greet you, why worry?

You can't get lost if you follow these few simple directions. If you come into Framingham by train, you will want to take a bus or taxi to the Centre. You will find the bus across the railroad crossing at the next corner on the left, and the taxi at the station. The distance from Framingham to the Centre is two miles. Ask the bus driver to stop at State Street, at the cement steps leading to the college. These steps are situated at the foot of our "Hill." The rest of your journey will be done "shank's mare" up a long hill. Go straight up State Street, through Whittemore Gate and straight on to the college buildings. You will first come to Wells Hall and May Hall, and if you are a commuter, you will stop at the latter. If you are a boarder, you will go on to the dormitory. Next on your left is Crocker Hall, the Junior Household Arts practice house. On your right is a brick building, Horace Mann Hall. The next building on your left is Peirce Hall, and the new building at the rear of the campus is Dwight Hall.

If you drive from Worcester, upon entering Framingham you will cross the railroad tracks, then turn up to your right on Maynard Road. You will follow Maynard Road right up the hill to the college grounds.

If you drive from the Boston direction you will come to a group of traffic lights at the corner of Main Street, High Street, and the Turnpike. At this point cross the Turnpike and go up High Street at the right of the gas station on the corner. Continue on this street until you come to State Street, at which point you will turn left and continue up the hill to the college grounds.

HISTORY OF FRAMINGHAM STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Over a hundred years ago, Massachusetts schools were faced with the fact that their teachers were unfitted for teaching because of ignorance, not only of teaching methods, but of the subject matter as well. To overcome this difficulty, the Massachusetts Board of Education was formed in 1837, with Horace Mann as its first Secretary. This board made possible the establishment of three normal schools, one of which has grown to be our Framingham State Teachers College. Our Normal School was established in 1839 at Lexington under Reverend Cyrus Peirce, as Principal. Reverend Samuel J. May succeeded Peirce in 1842, but after two years the latter again became Principal. In 1849 he was followed by Eben Sterns. The school was moved to Framingham in 1853. The first woman Principal, Miss Annie E. Johnson, served from 1866-1875, and re-established the practice school. She was followed by Miss Ellen Hyde, who became Principal in 1875.

Until 1898, the school prepared for the elementary grades only, but during that year the Mary Hemenway School of Domestic Science in Boston was added. In 1920 the Vocational Department was established by the Federal Board of Vocational Education.

Henry Whittemore became Principal in 1898 and conducted the school for nineteen years. He was succeeded by Dr. James Chalmers, who retired in 1930.

Francis A. Bagnall, who followed Dr. Chalmers, retired in 1936. Martin F. O'Connor took his position as President in September of that year. With extension to the State Normal Schools of the privilege of granting degrees because of the establishment of the four-year course and the recognition of the work done as of collegiate grade, the Legislature in March, 1932, changed the names of all State Normal Schools in Massachusetts to State Teachers Colleges.
To the Freshman:
Welcome to Framingham. All of us here are happy to know that you have selected Framingham as your College.
College is a coöperative place. The best results are obtained by working together. We assure you that we shall do all in our power to make your years with us both pleasurable and profitable. They will be, to the extent that you enter into the life of the college.
The time to begin is now. Carry your head high, wear a smile upon your face, speak to everyone. Do not hesitate to ask for assistance when you need it. Be challenging, be intellectually curious, be determined to look upon college as an enriching experience, not as an obstacle to be overcome.

MARTIN F. O'CONNOR,
President.

Dear Girls,
Have times changed? The summer before I set out for college, many years ago, my arms were black and blue (figuratively, of course) from pinching myself to see whether it was true—that the dream of going to college was actually about to materialize!
I hope you, too, are looking forward to college, and what it can mean to you. Four years will seem all too short, once you have come to feel that you are a part of Framingham. As you grow to life’s opportunities and chart your course to life’s fulfillments, the world will seem nearer and dearer to you, whether you view it from our hilltop with physical eyes, or glimpse it in imagination with the eyes of a mind ready and eager to try new strength.
Welcome to Framingham. We expect to be proud of you.

Sincerely yours,
DOROTHY LARNED, Dean of Women.
GREETINGS—To the FRESHMAN CLASS
From the ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

You are about to begin four years as students in our dearly-loved College. These four years will be filled with all types of experiences, some happy and some otherwise. Whatever comes, if you accept it in the right way it will build for you a stronger character and give you more courage to cope with the problems which come into everyone’s mature life.

The Alumnae Association gives you its sincere good wishes and awaits the time when 1950 becomes another group of loyal graduates.

Our Association is made up of all the graduates of all the years, numbering about 6,000. We meet in formal session every two years. There is an Alumnae Council made up of the president and secretary of each class and its meetings are held in the Fall and Spring of each year. We stand ready to help you by way of loans and scholarships, and we hope that you will call upon us if you feel the need of such help.

The most important office of your class is your secretary—choose her carefully, for it is she who will hold your class together after you graduate and allow 1950 to take its place as one of the loyal classes. No class is any stronger than its officers.

Live every moment to the fullest and richest extent while you are at college. Take all the opportunities which present themselves, make as many friends as you can. It is these friendships and experiences which will remain with you during your later life.

No richer heritage can be given you than these coming four years in our College. The President and the Faculty are ready to help, guide and inspire you—it is for you to avail yourself of this priceless opportunity.

With all good wishes for the next four years,

RITA K. HALL, 1907,
President of the Alumnae Association, F.S.T.C.

To each and every Freshman, welcome to the Hill!

We have been waiting for you!

As you will find that four years fly by all too quickly, enjoy every hour of every day. Make Framingham a part of you as you become a part of Framingham. Take advantage of your Student Coöperative Association membership the moment you reach the Hill, and in that way let Framingham build and grow along with you.

Remember each difficulty you find has been found before and overcome. In remembering these things you’ll find Framingham a friendly, an interesting, and a beautiful place.

It is with sincere best wishes for your success and happiness that I, representing the entire student body, extend my hand in welcome to our College—yours and ours.

JOLINE BONIN,
President of Student Coöperative Association.
CONSTITUTION OF THE STUDENT COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

We, the students of the State Teachers College of Framingham, Massachusetts, in our desire to further the interests of our college and to assume our responsibilities as its student body, hereby organize an association for self-government.

Article I

Name

The name of this Association shall be the student Coöperative Association of the State Teachers College at Framingham.

Article II

Purpose

The purpose of this Association shall be to provide an organization for student participation in promoting the highest standards on honor, integrity, and loyalty in all matters of personal conduct as members of a college with unusually high and worthy traditions; to encourage responsibility and coöperation in self-government; to form an official body for expressing the judgments of the students and directing the activities and matters of general student interest.

Article III

Membership

Part I

Section 1. All students of the College come under the jurisdiction of this constitution and are, therefore, ipso facto members of this Association.

Section 2. The members of the faculty shall be honorary members of the Association, having the right to discussion but not to vote, excepting as hereinafter provided by representation in the Executive Council.

Part II

Section 1. The officers of this association shall be a president, a first and second vice president, a secretary, and a treasurer.

Section 2. The legislative and executive body shall be the Executive Council, which shall consist of student representatives and faculty representatives.

I. A. The student representatives shall be as follows:
1. The four class presidents.
2. The three house presidents.
3. Three representatives from the commuters, including the chairman of the Commuters' Council.
4. Two representatives from the freshman class.
5. One representative from the sophomore class.
6. One representative from the junior class.
7. One representative from the senior class.
8. Editor-in-Chief of the Gate Post.
10. Chairman of the Quiet and Order Committee.
12. The officers ex-officio.
13. Presidents of clubs.

II. B. The faculty representative shall be as follows:
1. The President and the Dean of Women ex-officio.
2. One representative nominated and elected by the faculty.
3. One representative nominated and elected by the student body.

Section 3. The judicial body shall be the Judicial Board, which shall consist of five student representatives and one faculty representative.

I. The representatives of the Judicial Board shall be as follows:
1. The first vice-president of the Student Cooperative Association shall act as chairman of this body.

2. One representative from the senior class, two representatives from the junior class, one representative from the sophomore class, and one member of the faculty. These representatives are to be selected by a committee made up of the presidents respectively of the Student Cooperative Association, the senior class and the junior class. The representatives chosen must be approved by the Executive Council.

Section 4. The Class and Club Council shall consist of the presidents of the various classes and clubs, the managing editor of *The Dial*, and the editor of the *Gate Post*. This council shall form a committee of this Association.

The second vice president of the Student Cooperative Association shall act as chairman of this Council, but the Council itself will choose its own faculty adviser and elect its own secretary from its membership.

**Article IV**

**Powers and Duties of Officers**

**Part I**

Section 1. The president shall call and preside over all meetings of the Association and the Executive Council and shall vote in case of a tie; shall represent the Association on public occasions; shall have the power to appoint all committees and their chairmen unless otherwise provided for; shall serve at her discretion as an ex-officio member of any committee of the Association or Executive Council.

Section 2. The first or second vice-president shall assume the duties of the president in her absence; the first vice-president shall act as Student Chairman of the Student-Alumnae House Committee and also Chairman of the Judicial Board; the second vice-president shall act as Chairman of the Class and Club Council; each shall call and preside over all meetings of her respective Boards.

Section 3. The secretary shall keep a permanent record of all meetings of the Association and the Council; shall attend to all correspondence; and shall post all official notices.

Section 4. The treasurer shall collect all dues and care for the funds of the Association; shall make all disbursements approved by the president; shall give a report of the financial condition of the treasury whenever requested to do so by the Council, and a report of receipts, expenditures, and balance on hand to the Association at its mass meetings.

**Powers and Duties of Members of the Association**

**Part II**

Section 1. The members shall actively uphold the purpose and regulations of the Association.

**Powers and Duties of Members of the Judicial Board**

**Part III**

Section 1. The members shall consider all cases of discipline except in cases of academic matters; shall have the power of imposing penalties for minor offences. For other offences, all decisions of the Judicial Board shall be referred to the Executive Council for final approval.

**Class and Club Council Board**

**Part IV**

Section 1. Powers and Duties of Members of the Class and Club Council: The duties of the Council shall be to plan, with the cooperation of the Faculty-Student Activities Committee, the calendar of college activities, and to act upon all matters referred to it by the Student Cooperative Association through its president and the Executive Council.
Article V
Meetings

Section 1. There shall be three regular meetings of the Student Cooperative Association each year: one held during the first month of the college year; the second, during the first month of the second semester; and the third meeting held in April. The candidate for office, nominated according to the rules set by the Executive Council, shall be introduced at the April mass meeting, at which time each candidate for president shall give a short speech stating her attitude toward the office she may hold.

Section 2. Special meetings may be called by a public notice posted two days in advance.

Section 3. There shall be a joint meeting of the Council regularly each month of the school year. Special joint meetings may be called at the discretion of the president. Separate meetings of the student representatives and of the faculty representatives may be held at their pleasure.

Section 4. The members of the Council shall attend all meetings unless excused by the president for good and sufficient reasons. Membership may be withdrawn from the Association if this rule is violated. Infractions shall be judged by the special condition surrounding each case.

Article VI
Amendments—Methods of Abolition

Section 1. The constitution and by-laws of the Association may be amended by a majority vote of the entire membership of the Association.

Section 2. The proposed amendments shall be submitted to and approved by a two-thirds vote of the entire Council at a joint meeting and shall be posted for one week.

Section 3. For the transaction of all official business, both in the Association and in the Council, a two-thirds membership shall constitute a quorum.

By-Laws

1. The president and vice president of the Association shall be chosen from the graduating class. Experience as a representative in the Executive Council shall not be a pre-requisite.

2. The secretary shall have been a member of the Executive Council during the year previous to her election as secretary.

3. The treasurer shall be chosen from the student body at large.

4. The representative from the junior class shall be elected for a term of two years, thus automatically becoming the senior representative.

5. Any addition to the amount of the Budget Fee must be voted by a two-thirds majority of the students voting on a roll call ballot submitted to the entire student body.

6. Seniors are ineligible to vote on matters concerning an increase in the Budget Fee for the following year.

Proposed Addition to Constitution

In the event of the inability of elected officers or representatives from the student body or faculty to execute the duties of their office, new officers or representatives shall be elected.

Those eligible for election shall be:

1. The two next highest of the original nominees, there being two remaining after the final election.

2. In the case of there being less than two present of the original nominees, a new election shall be held, nominees being chosen from the student body or faculty.

3. If the vacancy occurs during the first semester, only the three upper classes shall vote; after the first semester, the four classes of the school shall vote.
OBLIGATIONS OF A FRAMINGHAM
STATE COLLEGE STUDENT

On entering Framingham as a freshman, each student becomes automatically a member of the Student Coöperative Association, and from then on her membership in this Association implies that she must be willing to accept her obligations as a citizen of the college group and conform to its standards.

There are certain obligations and responsibilities as well as privileges connected with the Student Coöperative Association at Framingham, and each girl should be ready and willing to assume her full share.

A capable discharge of non-academic as well as academic responsibilities contributes to a better picture of the student.

The attitude of every student towards the college community should be that of constructive coöperation. She should accept and support the fundamental standards of the group and should also be willing to conform to all customs and procedures which have proved to be for the best interests of the community.

Each member of the Student Coöperative Association should take active part in offering suggestions for improvement and should feel herself to be a vital part of a flexible and progressive democracy.

Moreover, while each student is identified with the college, she is, inevitably, its representative wherever she goes and should feel the obligation of loyalty in maintaining its reputation.

OUR CREED

We believe—in the Framingham State Teachers College and in its motto "Live to the Truth."

We believe—in a spirit of loyalty to our teachers, classmates, and friends:

in a spirit of coöperation and sportsmanship in the classroom, on the athletic field, and in all other activities.

We believe—in courtesy at all times, and a consideration for the rights and privileges of others:

in true and generous comradeship and mutual helpfulness that insures the well-being and advancement of the individual and the group.

We believe—in a high standard of scholarship, intellectual integrity, and thoroughness in all our undertakings:

in making diligent search through our contacts with people and books after the best that life has to offer.

We believe—that an honest and consistent devotion to these ideals will so develop us as to give us "The Good Life" and sustain and build traditions for our college.
in view we pledge ourselves to the support of the Constitution of the Chemistry Council.

"Since the success of the Honor System depends entirely upon the coöperation of all taking part in it, students are urged to help by taking a vital interest in its progress.

We are confident that the H. A. Freshmen will uphold this privilege of self-government.

**QUIET AND ORDER COMMITTEE**

*Chairman:*

The general function of the Quiet and Order Committee is to help the students keep order so that activities may be conducted to the best advantage of all.

Special attention is given to the attendance at chapel and assembly programs. In attending both chapel and assembly, students are requested to coöperate by being on time and by becoming quiet when the bell rings.

**DINING ROOM COUNCIL**

*Chairman: Mary Braley*

The Dining Room Council exists for the purpose of representing the students in all matters pertaining to the dining room, and to review and enforce the rules applying to conduct, etiquette, and dress in the dining room, and to coöperate with Miss Keith in serving the best interests of the students.

The Council comprises a senior representative, who is the chairman; a junior representative, who is the secretary; and a representative from the sophomore and the freshman classes. To these representatives all suggestions should be referred.

**GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL STUDENTS**

1. **Registration:**

Registration takes place in Dwight Hall on September 16 and 17. Classes begin on September 18 at 9 A.M.

**II. Financial Matters:**

A. Expenses of board and room for the school year is $330, payable in the following installments:

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Incidental fee, payable when registering:

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Checks for board and room should be made payable to the State Teachers College at Framingham.

B. Rebates:

For absences of one week or less, no rebate is allowed. For unavoidable absence in excess of one week, a rebate at the rate of $8.00 per week may be granted. (State Department Regulation.)

C. Budget Fee:

Every student pays a budget fee, which is the payment of class and college dues, the admission fee to college functions, and the subscription to the college paper, *The Gate Post.*

D. Application blanks for reduced rates on the B. & A. R. R. will be signed at the business office.

**III. Meals:**

A. Meals for boarding students are served at Peirce Hall as follows:

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Guests may be accommodated if reservations are made in advance.

Ankle socks may be worn at all times with the exception of Thursday evening and all day Sunday.

Slacks may be worn only at Friday supper, at all meals on Saturday and on holidays.
B. Commuters’ Lunchroom:
The lunchroom is located in the basement of May Hall. Lunch is served from 12:20 to 12:40 on school days from September to June 1st.

IV. Office Hours:
A. The business office, which is located at the left of Dwight Hall front entrance, is open daily except Saturdays. Applications for students’ bus and train tickets can be obtained from this office between the hours of 8:30 to 9:00 and 12:45 to 1:15. If possible, payment of college fees should also be made between these hours.
B. The Dean of Women may be found in her office at Dwight Hall at hours posted on the bulletin board outside her office, and at other times by appointment.
C. Miss French, Head of the Household Arts Department, may be found in her office in May Hall Mondays and Tuesdays from 9:30 to 10:30.
D. Miss Keith, head matron, may be found at her office, 10:00 to 11:00 A. M. and 4:00 to 5:00 P. M. in Peirce Hall. All matters of meals are referred to her. Any activity which concerns Peirce Hall is also referred to her.
E. Miss MacDonald, resident nurse, may be found at her office in Horace Mann Hall daily, from 8:00 A. M. to 7:30 P. M.
F. Mr. Workman, the registrar, may be found in the registrar’s office during a part of each day. Special appointment may be made with him by consulting his teaching program for any free time.

V. Chapel and Assembly:
Chapel is held in the Assembly Hall from 9:00 to 9:30 A. M. on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday mornings. Attendance at Chapel is expected.
Assembly is usually held on Monday in the Assembly Hall at 2:15 P. M. and is compulsory.

VI. Rules Concerning Absences from Classes:
A. Careful attendance is taken each day by faculty members. The college has no “cutting system.” Every absence or tardiness must be accounted for.
B. Excuses for absence or tardiness are to be given directly to the instructor concerned, verbally or in writing, as requested.
C. Absences before or after a holiday or vacation must be reported at the Dean’s office before a student returns to any class.
D. Any student who becomes ill during class hours must report such illness to the Dean, the nurse, or a matron.
E. No student may leave a class without reporting to the instructor in charge.
F. Any known contact with communicable diseases must be reported at once to the nurse. This statement applies to all students attending college.

VII. Study Places:
The Ritchie Library is open from 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. on Monday through Friday except at Chapel time, on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7:15 to 9:15 P. M., and on Saturday from 8:30 A. M. to 12:00 noon. Empty classrooms and the commuters’ annex may be used during the day.

VIII. Employment:
Information in regard to any type of employment connected with the school buildings, dormitories, village houses, or summer openings may be obtained from the Dean.
Opportunities for self help during the college year are very limited and are offered first to the upperclassmen.

IX. Lost and Found Articles:
Found articles should be taken to the office of the Dean and owners may inquire for them there.
FRAMINGHAM CHURCHES

FRAMINGHAM CENTRE

First Baptist—Worcester Road
Rev. Ronald Noble
Service—10:40 A. M.

First Parish Unitarian—at Head of Centre Common
Rev. John Ogden Fisher
Service—10:45 A. M.

Plymouth Congregational—Edgell Road
Rev. Edward Hale
Service—11:00 A. M.

St. Bridget’s Catholic—Worcester Road
Rev. Francis A. Whitely, Pastor
Masses—7, 9:30, 11:30 A. M.
Week days at 7 A. M.

St. B. R. E.

Bethany Universalist—Franklin Street
Rev. Hugo A. Boudeau
Service—10:45 A. M.

Christian Science—81 Lincoln Street
Service—10:45 A. M.

Church of Nazarene—250 Franklin Street
Rev. Roland Stanford
Service—11:00 A. M.

First Presbyterian—Hollis and Winthrop Streets
Rev. Howard Weaving
Service—11:00 A. M.

Park St. Baptist—Franklin and Park Streets
Rev. Paul S. Jefferson
Service—10:30 A. M.

Grace, Congregational—Union Avenue and Pearl Street
Rev. Bernard Drew
Service—10:45 A. M.

Pentecostal Church—Hartford and C Streets
Janet Rowe, Pastor
Service—11:00 A. M.

St. Andrew’s Episcopal—Concord and Clarke Streets
Rev. Charles Parmiter
Services—8, 9:40, 10:45 A. M.

St. Stephen’s Catholic—Concord Street
Rev. James J. McCafferty, Pastor
Masses—7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 11:45 A. M.
Week days at 7 A. M.

St. Tarcisius Catholic—Waverly Street
Rev. Pietro Maschi, Pastor
Masses—7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A. M.

United Hebrew Congregation—Coolidge Street
Rabbi Epstein
Services—6:45 P. M. on Friday;
8:30 A. M. Saturday

Wesley, Methodist—Concord and Lincoln Streets
Rev. Ernest Case
Service—11:00 A. M.

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DWIGHT HALL

Dwight Hall, the administration and classroom building, is named for Edmund Dwight of Boston, who by his munificent gift made it possible for Horace Mann to start the State Normal Schools in Massachusetts.

KEY TO ROOMS OF DWIGHT HALL

BASEMENT FLOOR
1. Lecture Room
   Office, Dr. Haertl and Mr. Sullivan
   Office, Mr. Workman and Miss Hunt
2. Physics Laboratory, Mr. Sullivan
   Work Room
3. Science Laboratory, Miss Hunt
4. Biology Laboratory
5. Bacteriology Laboratory, Dr. Haertl
   Men’s Room
   Recreation and Student’s Room
   Mart

FIRST FLOOR
20. Education, Miss Rochefort
    Office, Miss Ramsdell
    Business Offices
    Office, Dean
21. Psychology, Miss Armstrong
    Office, Miss Armstrong
    Office, Miss Cummings
22. History, Miss Cummings
23. Music, Mr. Gilday
    Office, Mr. Gilday
    Office of Registrar
24. Geography, Miss Ramsdell
    Office, President O’Connor

SECOND FLOOR
30. Art Room
31. French, Miss Larned
    Library
    Office, Librarians
32. English, Miss Gerritson
33. English, Miss Rowland
34. English, Miss Sparrow
    Women’s Faculty Room
    First Aid Room
35. Art Room, Mrs. Herring
    Office, Mrs. Herring
MAY HALL

May Hall, named for Miss Abbie W. May, who was chairman of the board of visitors in the eighties, was the main classroom and administration building prior to the opening of Dwight Hall. It was opened in September, 1889, and dedicated in June, 1890. The first floor was used then primarily as a practice school. In 1898 the Mary Hemenway Household Art Department was added to this building.

KEY TO ROOMS OF MAY HALL

BASEMENT
H. A. Commuters’ Locker Room
Lunchroom
Lavatory and Toilets

FIRST FLOOR
1. Office
2. Office, Miss Monroe
3. Clothing Laboratory, Miss Monroe
4. Clothing Laboratory, Miss Billa
5. Office, Miss Buckley and Miss Billa
6. Clothing Laboratory, Miss Buckley
7. Millinery
8. Foods Laboratory, Miss Turner

SECOND FLOOR
14. Alumnae Room
15. Lecture Room
16. Reading Room
17. Students’ Room
18. Faculty Room
19. Reception Room
20. Office, Miss Turner and Miss MacMillan
20. Office, Miss French
23. Foods Laboratory, Miss Rust

THIRD FLOOR
27. Property Room
29. Assembly Hall
30. Vocational Dept. Classroom, Miss Lombard
31. Fine Arts Room, Miss Kingman
In 1902 Wells Hall, which is connected to May Hall by a bridge, was completed. This hall was named for Kate Gannett Wells, a member of the Board of Education at that time.
KEY TO ROOMS OF WELLS HALL

BASEMENT
a. Gymnasium, Locker Room
b. Gymnasium, Miss Taylor; Miss Kingman

FIRST FLOOR
41. Lecture Hall
42. Office, Miss Kingman
46. Woodworking Shop
47. Office, Miss Taylor
49. Printing Shop

SECOND FLOOR
59. Men's Room
60. Office, Miss Russell
61. Women's Room
63. Office, Dr. Foster
65. Chemistry Supply Room
67. Chemistry Reading Room
70. Chemistry Laboratory, Miss Russell; Dr. Foster
71. Chemistry Laboratory, Dr. Chase
Office, Dr. Chase

THIRD FLOOR
78. Storage Room
79. Penmanship Room, Mr. Harrigan
82. Physical Education Room
HORACE MANN HALL

Horace Mann Dormitory, which is named for Horace Mann, educator and father of the normal school movement in our country, was built in 1920 to replace old Normal Hall, which had burned. All classes are represented in this house.

The House is under the direction of Miss Johnson. Miss MacDonald, Resident Nurse, has her office and treatment rooms in this dormitory.

PEIRCE HALL

Peirce Hall is named after Cyrus J. Peirce, the first principal of the first State Normal School in America. Accommodating one hundred students this building is principally a house for freshmen and sophomores. Here also is the boarders’ dining room.

Miss Keith, dietitian, and Miss Fox, assistant matron, have their offices and rooms in this hall.
CROCKER HALL

Crocker Hall, which was named after Miss Lucretia Crocker, an outstanding teacher and the first woman to be appointed supervisor of the Boston schools, was built in 1886 to be used as a dormitory. On Christmas of the following year the hall was partially destroyed by fire. It was later repaired, enlarged and reopened in February, 1889. After the hurricane of September, 1938, Crocker was brick-faced, somewhat remodeled, and the new Crocker opened to the Junior Home Management Group on March 4, 1940. The building is now used as The Home Management and Practice House for the Junior Class of the Household Arts Department under the direction of Miss Corinne Hall. Each semester one half of the class does the ordering, preparing, and serving of the meals for the group then in the House Practice.

VOCATIONAL HOUSE

The Vocational House is the little house at the foot of State Street on Maple Street. It is here that the Vocational girls, in their freshman, junior, and senior years take care of the ordering, preparing, and serving of the meals for the group. The house is under the direction of the head of the Vocational Department, Miss Lou Lombard.
On the second floor of Dwight Hall is located the college library recently named the Ella C. Ritchie Library as a tribute to the librarian who served the college from 1923 until her death in 1941. In addition to this main library there are several departmental libraries on the campus, making more easily available the books and other library materials needed for special class work. The library of over 15,000 volumes includes an adequate collection of reference books, books specifically chosen for class work, books for recreational and cultural reading, newspapers, and more than 150 periodicals on a wide variety of subjects. Since the books and periodicals have been selected to answer the many needs of both faculty and students, certain rules regarding the use of the library and its materials are necessary so that all members of the college community may enjoy equal library privileges.

1. Reference books do not circulate; they are needed in the library at all times.
2. Current periodicals do not circulate; they may be read in the library.
3. Certain books needed for class assignments are taken from the main collection from time to time and placed on special shelves for limited periods. These so-called reserved books are charged for over night only. In this way a few copies serve many students.
4. All other books and other library materials may be taken out for a period of two weeks; at the end of that time renewal is allowed.

Either the librarian or a student assistant is always on duty in the library. All users of the library are urged to consult the desk attendant at any time when they need help in using the library. The college library is a place for quiet reading and study; it is an agency of instruction rather than a storehouse of books; it should be the academic center of the institution.

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President ........................................ JOLINE BONIN
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Secretary ................................. RITA BAKER
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Vice President ....................... BARBARA SMITH
Secretary ................................. AUDREY HUFF
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Vice President ....................... PAULA OLSN
Secretary ................................. JANICE EARLY
Treasurer ................................. ELIZABETH CUSHMAN
Adviser ..................................... MISS BILLA
THE MUSICAL CLUBS

The Musical Clubs here at Framingham are the Glee Club, Choir, and Instrumental Ensemble. The Glee Club members are chosen by try-outs early in September. Every girl in school has the chance to belong to it. Our Choir is a selected group who sing one morning a week in chapel, and give outside concerts during the course of the year.

The purpose of these clubs is to help members gain an understanding and appreciation of good music, and to add something of beauty and richness to the lives of those around them. This is carried out by several activities throughout the year. Thanksgiving music, the Christmas Candle-light Service, the Christmas radio broadcast, the combined concerts with the Glee Club of some men's college, and many other performances offer a varied program of activities for the clubs.

GLEE CLUB OFFICERS

President ............ FRANCES BELLANTONI
Vice President .......... RUTH JONES
Secretary ............... GERALDINE BEAUDRY
Treasurer ............... CATHERINE BURKE

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Athletic Association is open to all who wish to join. No special skill is required to be a member. All that is necessary is enthusiasm for sports and the enjoyment of mingling with other classmates.

A variety of sports is offered. There are team sports—hockey, basketball, baseball and volleyball; there are individual games—tennis, archery, bowling, badminton and modern dancing. Although there are no inter-collegiate games, the girls enjoy interclass games. Points are given for participation in any athletic event. These points work to the award of the Lucie Shepard Reed Cup. This cup is awarded annually to the class having the greatest participation and showing the highest degree of excellence in athletics.

You who are to be members of the class of '49 will find that life at Framingham will be further enriched through participation in school athletics. The aim of the Athletic Association is to develop interest in sports and also to further the sociability of its members.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President .................. EDITH MANTER
Vice President ............... JANE CODY
Secretary .................... JANICE BORDEN
Treasurer .................... MAE TRUVEDSON
Publicity ................. JEAN PALMER
Adviser .................... MISS TAYLOR
Y. WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The Framingham chapter of the "Y" is affiliated with similar associations of the other women's colleges of all New England and is also connected with the Student Christian Movement of New England.

We, like the other college clubs, sponsor discussion groups and club meetings with guest speakers, and participate in off-campus weekend conferences with other colleges. Our annual Sunrise Service and breakfast, and our "Moonlight Mood" dance are two big events that no one would miss.

The "Y" is a friendly club, girls, and all students, regardless of race or creed are invited to join, so please consider this as our personal invitation to each one of you.

Y. W. C. A. OFFICERS

President .................. JOAN SUTHERLAND
Vice President ............. PAULINE BUCK
Secretary .................. ELAINE CONNIFY
Treasurer .................. JEAN MAHANEY

THOMAS A'KEMPIS-NEWMAN CLUB

The Thomas A'Kempis Club, named for a priest and writer of the fourteenth century, was founded twenty-five years ago in this college for the purpose of Catholic culture and Catholic fellowship. It is affiliated with the New England Province of the Federation of College Catholic Clubs.

The club sponsors many activities during the year, the most important being two Communion Breakfasts, one in the fall and one in the spring; a "get acquainted" party; a formal dance; and speakers of note, who give inspirational and educational talks. At Christmas time baskets are donated to the needy of the town, and assistance is given to the Federation for their charity work.

The A'Kempis Club invites all eligible entering classmen to join, and it urges them to enjoy the many services and privileges that the club offers.

A'KEMPIS OFFICERS

President ..................... FLORENCE LYNCH
Vice President ............ PAULINE LACOUTURE
Secretary .................... CLAIRE SHEEHAN
Treasurer ..................... MARY LOU HANNIFAN
Publicity ...................... MARGARET BANE
Federation Delegate ... CATHERINE BURKE
Adviser ....................... MISS ALICE JOYCE
THE HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Home Economics Club, organized in 1924, was the second student club in Massachusetts. In 1930 the club took the name of the Louisa A. Nicholass Home Economics Club in appreciation of Miss Nicholass, who was for many years the beloved head of the Household Arts Department of Framingham.

The purpose of the club is to bring together the students of the Household Arts Department in order to keep them in touch with the current topics of general home economics interest, to have an organization about which home economics may centre, and to familiarize the students with the larger significance of home economics. The club is affiliated with the Massachusetts, the Eastern Massachusetts, and the American Home Economics Associations.

The club has had many interesting people speak at its regular meetings on topics of value to girls interested in home economics. The main activity of the year is International Night. Girls dress in costumes and present folk dances and songs typical of the countries represented. Characteristic foods are sold during the evening.

The club extends a most cordial greeting to all the students in the Household Arts Department to join and it wishes for them the greatest success in the coming year.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB OFFICERS

President ......................... RUTH BRAYTON
Vice President ................. BARBARA REED
Secretary ......................... JEAN WILLIAMS
Treasurer ......................... CHARLOTTE CROSIER
Publicity ......................... ELAINE CONNIFY
State Club President .......... BARBARA SMITH
Adviser ......................... MISS BUCKLEY

FINE ARTS CLUB

The officers and members of the Fine Arts Club extend a warm welcome to all new Framingham students and express the sincere wish that you may all join in the activities of the club.

If you would like to study radio broadcasting technique, marionettes, acting, stage costumes, setting, lighting or make-up, the club offers you all these opportunities.

If you are interested in dramatic art, you will find your greatest pleasure with the Workshop Players who present programs for community groups.

As a Fine Arts Club member you may participate in any one or in several of these activities, and we feel sure that no matter what group you may decide to join, you will profit both in experience and in fun.

FINE ARTS CLUB OFFICERS

President ......................... JANET SEIBERT
Vice President ................. VIRGINIA McCAULEY
Secretary ......................... PATRICIA ROGERS
Treasurer ......................... DORIS NILSON
THE DIAL

As members of the Dial staff
We welcome you, the Freshman Class!

Often in the years before you,
When the styles of living bore you,
Remember, there are many smiles
Tucked within your college Dials.

Though published by the Senior Class,
'Twill waken memories in every lass.
Support "The Dial"—it will repeat
Your days at Framingham, so complete!

LESLEY LANE, '47,
Editor-in-chief.

GATE POST

The "Gate Post" is the college paper, published eight times during the academic year by the students and for the students. It contains news of the current college activities and of the alumnae clubs. The "Gate Post" dance in mid-winter is one of the big events of the college year.

We of the staff bid welcome to the entering Freshman class and feel sure that they will enjoy their stay on the "hill." We also wish to express the sincere wish that many of you will want to join us in helping to meet our deadline every month!

JOSEPHINE F. O'CONNOR, '47,
Editor-in-chief.

THE MART

During the year there is much activity in the Mart, the headquarters of the Student Alumnae Building Fund.

Here is where you may purchase college supplies, stationery, banners, pins, plates, playing cards, and the new silver spoons and jewelry with the Framingham seal. We have that new embroidered College seal for your blazer or sweat shirt, too. Here, too, is where magazines and newspapers are salvaged and articles stored for rummage sales.

We shall be waiting for you daily from 8:30-8:50 (Thursdays and Fridays: 9:00-9:20) and 12:45-1:10, and Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings from 6:30-7:00.

RED CROSS ACTIVITIES

The Red Cross College Unit is a new organization on the Hill, cooperating with the Framingham Chapter of the Red Cross. Through this College Unit the girls are able to participate in Red Cross activities as a group, and enjoy a valuable community relationship.

During the past year the girls have assumed responsibility for certain library duties at Cushing General Library, sold War Savings stamps and bonds, helped entertain patients at Cushing, providing refreshments, knitted, and sewed.

All of these activities we are ready to continue, if called upon to do so. In addition we stand ready to assume new duties, or different ones, in accordance with our time and abilities.

Chairman .............. LOUISE SAWICKI '47
Vice Chairman ......... ELAINE CONNIFY '48
Secretary .............. CLOTHILDE RIANI '49
Treasurer .............. JEAN WILLIAMS '49
Representative to local chapter ............... EVA HARCOWITZ '47
Adviser .................. MISS BERTHA HALL
## POINT SYSTEM

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### BOARD OF LIMITATION

This board consists of the Dean, the recorder-of-points, and the secretaries of classes and clubs. It shall be the duty of the Board to withhold approval of the nomination to office of any student whose record shows her already to be carrying as much extracurricular work as she can reasonably be expected to do well.

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CALENDAR 1946-1947

September
   Freshman Initiation
   Freshman Court

October
   Faculty-Senior Tea to Freshmen
   Senior Investiture
   Student Coöperative Dance
   Junior Week-end
   Fine Arts Play

November
   Dial Dance
   End of first quarter
   Harvard-Yale Week-end
   A'Kempis Communion Breakfast

December
   Glee Club Concert
   Candlelight Service
   Commuters' Banquet
   Senior Caroling

January
   Mid-year exams

February
   Gate Post Dance
   Winter vacation

March
   Stunt Night
   International Night
   Glee Club Concert

April
   End of third quarter
   Spring vacation
   Arbor Day

May
   Home Ec. Club May Supper
   Junior Prom
   May Day
   C. C. C. Supper
   Pops Concert
   A'Kempis Communion Breakfast
   Y. W. Breakfast
   A. A. Awards
   Final Exams begin

June
   Senior Prom
   Baccalaureate
   Class Day
   Graduation
OFF-CAMPUS CONTACTS

A Framingham girl aims to be informed. She is not enclosed behind brick walls, but rather sees vital connections between her studies and the world she lives in.

Many students join the Foreign Policy Association, the Twentieth Century Club, and the Pan-American League, where they have an opportunity to attend lectures on the social, economic, and political problems in the world today. They also broaden their cultural background by visiting some of the museums that are comparatively near the college: in Boston, Cambridge, and Worcester.

Many of the students join the Civic Music Association which brings to Framingham outstanding artists in the musical world.

Home economic students make supervised visits to markets, stores, and industrial plants.

All departments at Framingham encourage a close relationship between scholastic work and related cultural opportunities in the surrounding communities. There are opportunities to continue affiliation with Scouts, 4-H, and Rainbow.

PERTINENT POINTS

Remember that you are entering a professional college, and a professional attitude is expected of you.

First impressions are important.
Rise when an older person stops to speak to you.
Framingham recommends you on the basis of your reputation here.
Books or equipment obligingly loaned should be returned promptly and in good condition.

Permission should be secured for the use of any laboratory equipment outside of class.
Pass through the corridors quietly and as seldom as possible while classes are being held.
Avoid calling to people, or watching campus programs, from dormitory or classroom windows.
Chapel is a spiritual exercise and merits reverent attention.
Avoid carrying unnecessary material to Chapel or Assembly programs.
Students rise upon presentation of guest artists and Assembly speakers, who should always receive courteous attention.

Begin well! Poor work in the first semester may handicap you through your whole college course.
If you are not doing well in a subject, do not hesitate to ask for a conference with the instructor.
Leaders must first be followers—be cooperative.
Framingham with its beautiful campus, attractive dorms, and vic parties offers ideal facilities for week-end entertainment.
The Centre is not the only direction in which to walk; there are many lovely spots in and around Framingham.

This is the place to make friends; don't chum with one girl exclusively. There are approximately four hundred at Framingham. Don't be afraid to speak to the girl who smiles at you.

Careful grooming is expected of every student.
The best dressed student is the one who dresses to suit the occasion.
The electric current in the dormitories is D.C. not alternating and care should be taken lest electrical appliances requiring alternating be ruined.
Attendance is expected at every chapel.
SOME SONGS

**Dear Framingham**

Dear Framingham, thy children round thee gather;
Our vows of love to thee we pledge anew.
Unfailing font of joy and hope forever,
We shall proclaim our homage to you.

(repeat last two lines)

Through countless years to all a fostering mother,
Thy bounteous blessings poured on age and youth.
Our supplicant prayer till time our chain shall sever
Will ever be Live To The Truth.

(repeat last two lines)

**Come One and Come All**

Come Freshmen, come Sophomores,
Come one and come all;
Ye Juniors and Seniors,
Come answer our call.
We'll lift up our voices,
Let clear echoes ring
To Framingham College
Your praises we'll sing.
'Tis your spirit undaunted,
Your leadership true,
Your aims and ideals
That have won us to you.
We pledge our devotion
For ever and aye
To Framingham College,
Our College alway.

**Framingham**

Framingham so dear,
We sing to you;
Right on our College hill
We love you, yes, we do,
(Our College)
Long may we cherish thee,
Love and adore,
Sing praise and honor forevermore.
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