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CO-CHAIRMEN OF FRESHMAN HANDBOOK

Jean Williams '49
Joan Lovewell '50
HOW TO FIND F. T. C.

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

You can't get lost if you follow these simple directions. If you come into Framingham by train, you will want to take a B & W bus or taxi to Framingham Centre. You will find the bus across the railroad crossing at the first 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. These steps are situated at the foot of our "Hill." The rest of your journey will be done "shank's mare" up the long hill, State Street, through Whittemore Gate and straight on to the college grounds. You will come first to Wells Hall, then May Hall. Then take your left at the drive and go around the circular drive to Dwight Hall where all students register and where boarders will be directed to the dormitories.

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

If you drive in from Boston 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 Esso Gas station on the corner. Continue on this street until you come to State Street, at which point you will turn left up the hill to the college grounds.

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.
OUR FRAMINGHAM BACKGROUND

Over a hundred years ago, Massachusetts schools were faced with the fact that their teachers were unfit 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.

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 cooperation 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.
To the Freshmen:—

Welcome to Framingham. We are just as happy to have you here as you are to be here.
Admission to our college, or to any other college for that matter in this year of 1949 is a great privilege—one that is denied to many young people. But if you are greatly privileged you are also greatly obligated to make the best of this opportunity offered you.
We hope that your years here will be both pleasant and profitable. They will be to the extent that you enter into the life of the college. Make a good beginning. Those first days are so important. Carry your heads high. Greet everyone with a smile. Speak to everyone. Do not hesitate to ask for assistance when you need it. Be intellectually curious. Be determined to look upon college as an enriching experience. In this way lies success.
God Grant that you may achieve it.

MARTIN F. O'CONNOR,
President.

Dear Girls,
A new class—what a provocative prospect! Fresh points of view, youthful enthusiasms, great expectations, to be loosed along an unfamiliar highway. Whither away?
The road to achievement is not often spectacular, paved, as it must be to withstand heavy traffic, with purpose, industry, and perseverance. It has signposts, although occasionally they are overgrown with lush foliage inviting dalliance. Discernment is protection here.
There is time to investigate a by-path if it leads to pleasure or beauty for the memory to cherish. Judgment must guide in their selection. One-way streets are to be avoided, for their alluring vistas lead but to frustration, serving only to retard progress. Self-control helps eliminate loss of time.
Zest for the voyage, consideration for fellow travellers, a helping hand for the faltering, and a faith in Divine Goodness make of the road a joyful way of life. Map well your course along the route marked, “To your goal, via college.” It is worth traveling.

DOROTHY LARNED, Dean of Women.
A Hearty Welcome

Your Framingham State Teachers Alumnae Association welcomes you to our "college on the hill." Many happy days lie ahead and every hour will be a precious memory if you follow the paths shown you by both your faculty and student governing board. "Effort" and "Coöperation" will yield large dividends in later years.

Friends you make here will remain dear to you for the rest of your lives, and although you may not see each other for long periods, when you meet again the years will roll back as nothing, and you will be the same "young girls" of college days, while conversation is carried on from where you left it at graduation.

We hope you will look forward to becoming members of our alumnae association and will feel it one of the greatest honors and privileges in your life, when you are accepted as "one of us" following your graduation. I know we would like to be right back where you are now with wide horizons ahead. "Live to the Truth."

RUTH GRAVES WAKEFIELD,
Acting President, Framingham State Teachers Alumnae Association.

Welcome to Your College and Ours

Dear Freshmen,

Isn't it wonderful that the doors of life are ever open to us affording richer experiences? The door of Framingham is opening to you. Enter into its spirit of friendliness, unity, coöperation, and cheerfulness. Become an active member of your Student Government Association and campus activities. As you do so, Framingham will become a part of you, and you will become a part of it.

Working and playing together yields happiness and success.

MARJORIE FISK,
President of Student Coöperative Association.
OBLIGATIONS OF A FRAMINGHAM STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE STUDENT

On entering Framingham as a freshman, each student upon payment of the budget fee becomes automatically a member of the Student Coöperative Association, and from then on her membership in this Association implies that she will be willing to accept her obligations as a citizen of the college 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 wisely adjusted balance of academic and non-academic responsibilities contributes to the development of an all round student.

The attitude of every student towards the college community should be that of constructive cooperation. 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 at all times.

STUDENT COOPERATIVE OFFICERS

President .................. MARJORIE FISKE '50
First Vice-President
MARIE McGILLICUDDY '50
Second Vice-President JANET McNALLY '50
Secretary .................. NANCY COONEY '51
Treasurer .................. AUDREY SHEPHERD '51
N. S. A. .................. VIRGINIA COLWELL '50
Adviser ........................ MR. BOWLER

CLASS OFFICERS

CLASS OF 1950

President .................. MARY WARD
Vice-President ................ ADELE LEHR
Secretary .................. CLARE HOGAN
Treasurer .................. ROSELLA SCHATZ
Adviser ........................ MISS RILEY

CLASS OF 1951

President .................. DOROTHY JOYCE
Vice-President ................ BEVERLY SAVAGE
Secretary .................. ANNA BERGMAN
Treasurer .................. DOROTHEA KEAVENNEY
Adviser ........................ DR. FOSTER

CLASS OF 1952

President .................. ANNE VOLK
Vice-President ................ ASPASIA DAOPOULOS
Secretary .................. PATRICIA SCAHILL
Treasurer .................. MARY JANE MORRISON
Adviser ........................ MISS CONLEY
CLASS AND CLUB COUNCIL

Chairman: Janet McNally ’50

The council was organized in 1937 as a part of the government of the Student Coöperative Association. Its purpose is to promote coöperation between the various club groups. The duties are: to schedule activities for classes, clubs and college publications; to take charge of the voting for the Student Coöperative Association officers; to plan a voting procedure for the clubs and classes. The second vice-president of the Student Coöperative Association is the chairman of this council. A faculty adviser is elected by the Class and Club Council each year.

THE JUDICIARY BOARD

Chairman: Marie McGillicuddy ’50

It is the function of this board to consider all cases involving infraction of rules and all violation of student government. The board has the authority to impose penalties for minor offenses; in more serious cases decisions of the Judiciary Board are referred to the Executive Council for final approval. Certain major offenses become automatically the concern of the President of the college, the Dean, and the Faculty. This Judiciary Board, with the first Vice-President of the Student Coöperative Association as chairman, is composed of one senior, two juniors, and one sophomore. The class representatives are chosen by the president of the Student Coöperative Association in consultation with the presidents of the junior and senior classes, and must be approved by the Executive Council. A faculty member acts as adviser to the board.

LIBRARY COUNCIL

Chairman: Barbara Armes ’50

In 1936 the Library Council was organized and accepted by the Student Coöperative Association as a part of its government.

It is composed of eight girls, two representatives from each class, one an elementary and the other a household arts member. The librarian acts as adviser.

Its purpose is to secure full coöperation in the proper use and enjoyment of the library.

CHEMISTRY AND BIOLOGY COUNCIL

Chairman: Barbara Armes ’50

The Chemistry and Biology Departments, unlike any other departments, are under an Honor System, which we are glad to introduce to the Home Economics freshmen. Each freshman will be given an opportunity to sign a pledge stating that she will uphold the principles set by the Chemistry and Biology Council.

According to the regulations of this council, each girl is placed on her honor in all work designated as honor work in the Constitution.

The Chemistry and Biology Council consists of three members elected from each of the upper classes, four elected from the freshman class, and two members of the faculty, one of the Chemistry Department, and one of the Biology Department to act in an advisory capacity. This council is a governing and advisory board, which deals with any violations which may occur.

The aims and ideals of the Honor System are best expressed in the “Foreword” of the Constitution which is as follows:

“We, the students of the Home Economics and Vocational Home Economics departments of the State Teachers College at Framingham believe that the main purpose of education is to develop character. As honesty and sense of responsi-
bility are traits of good character we seek to further their growth by establishing our own Honor System and Chemistry and Biology Council. This system aims to increase the spirit of fair play and good sportsmanship in the class room. With this goal in view we pledge ourselves to the support of the constitution of the Chemistry and Biology Council.

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

We are confident that the Home Economics freshman will uphold this privilege of self government.

**DINING ROOM COUNCIL**
*Chairman: Dorothy Kratowich '50*

The Dining Room Council exists for the purpose of representing the students in all matters pertaining to the dining room, of reviewing and enforcing the rules applying to conduct, etiquette, and dress in the dining room, and of cooperating with the dietitian in serving the best interests of the students.

All suggestions and grievances should be referred to the class representatives:

Marty Ellison '51    Ruth Johnson '52
(To be elected)    '53

**QUIET AND ORDER COMMITTEE**
*Chairman: Marilyn Wetzell '50*

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 concerned.

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

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**To the Freshmen:**

The staff of *The Gate Post* bids you welcome to the “hill.”

*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 staff holds a dance in mid-winter which is one of the big events of the college year.

We sincerely hope you enjoy your stay at Framingham. We shall be looking forward to meeting you, and we hope that many of you will be helping us meet our monthly deadlines promptly!

NANCY McCAFFREY, Editor.

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**Welcome, Freshmen:**

My staff and I extend a hearty welcome to each of you! It is our job to record the many activities in which you will be participating on the “hill.” We are looking forward to your help in making our all-college publication, *The Dial*, one that will be full of happy memories that we shall all be sharing at Framingham.

JUNE MORSE, Editor.
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 the college has an opportunity to join the Glee Club. Our Choir, a selected group from within the Glee Club, sings one morning a week in Chapel, and gives 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. The Christmas Candlelight Service, Framingham Night at Pops, the Annual Glee Club Concert, the Class Day Evening Concert on the Horace Mann Terrace, and combined concerts with the Framingham Community Choral Society and with the Glee Club of some men’s colleges. The making of Glee Club Records, and broadcasts of outstanding musical programs over Framingham’s Station WKOX have added variety to the activities of the Musical Clubs on the hill.

GLEE CLUB OFFICERS
President .................. JUNE TRAYERS '50
Vice-President ............ ALICE CARTER '51
Secretary .................. EVELYN NICOL '51
Treasurer .................. LOIS HERTEL '52
Adviser ...................... MR. GILDAY

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 students.

A variety of sports is offered. There are team sports: hockey, basketball, volleyball, and softball. The individual games are tennis, badminton, bowling, and archery. And there is modern dancing. Along with the interclass games on campus the girls enjoy round-robin games with other colleges.

Points are given for participation in any athletic event. These points count toward various individual awards. Also there is the annual award of the Lucie Shepard Reed Cup 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 '52 will find that your interests and sociability at Framingham will be further enriched through participation in college athletics.

“We believe—in a spirit of coöperation and sportsmanship in the classroom, on the athletic field, and in all other activities.”

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OFFICERS
President .................. PHYLLIS GINNETTI '50
Vice-President ................ LOIS MASON '51
Secretary .................. ELIZABETH REAGAN '52
Treasurer .................. ELEANOR CRAIG '51
Adviser ...................... MISS TAYLOR
YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOC.

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 wants to miss.

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

THOMAS A'KEMPIS 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 furthering Catholic culture and Catholic fellowship. It is affiliated with the New England Province of the Newman Federation.

The club sponsors many activities during the year; for members there are, among others, two Communion Breakfasts, one in the fall and one in the spring, and a "get acquainted" tea; on the all-college program the club runs a formal dance and provides a speaker of note for an assembly. 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 urges them to enjoy the many services and privileges that the club offers.

Y. W. C. A. OFFICERS

President ....................... BETTY THAYER '50
Vice-President ........ ANNA BERGMAN '51
Secretary ...................... LOIS MASON '51
Treasurer ...................... EVELYN NICOL '51
Adviser ........................ MISS TOWNSEND

A'KEMPIS CLUB OFFICERS

President .................... RUTH CONCANNON '50
Vice-President ............ PATRICIA CONNOR '51
Secretary .................... PATRICIA DRISCOLL '51
Treasurer .................... PATRICIA MURPHY '51
Adviser ........................ MISS JOYCE
THE HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Organized in 1924, the Louisa A. Nicholass Home Economics Club was named in honor of Miss Nicholass, the beloved head of the Home Economics Department for many years. The purpose of the club is to bring together the students of the Home Economics Department in order to keep them informed of current problems and topics of general interest to home economists, to have an organization for participation in off-campus home economics activities, and to familiarize the students with the broad fields of home economics. Our college club offers an opportunity to participate in meetings of the College Club Department through its affiliation with the Eastern Massachusetts Home Economics Association, the Massachusetts State Home Economics Association, and the American Home Economics Association. As the professional organization of the Home Economics Department it serves as an introduction to professional contacts with important people in the fields of home economics. The club extends a cordial greeting to all the students of the Home Economics course, and invites them to join the Home Economics Club.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB OFFICERS

President .................................. JULIA KULA '50
Vice-President ......................... ELEANOR LOUD '51
Secretary ......................... GERTRUDE WILLIAMS '51
Treasurer ......................... LOUISE TAVARES '51
Adviser ..................................... MISS TURNER

HILLTOP PLAYERS

The officers and members of the Hilltop Players extend a warm welcome to all new Framingham students and express the sincere wish that all will enjoy and many participate in the activities of the club.

In the Hilltop Players there is a need of many skills and talents. Dramatic skill is not a prerequisite; many will find a place in the essential and all important production staff which includes working on lighting, setting, costumes, make-up, sound effects, or publicity.

As a member of the Hilltop Players you may contribute according to your special interest; a radio program or two is within the range of possibility for this year; and weekend play-reading groups have been suggested. We feel sure that no matter what may prompt you to join, you will profit both in experience and fun.

HILLTOP PLAYERS OFFICERS

President ......................... ANNE COUMING '50
Vice-President ..................... BARBARA ARIES '50
Secretary ......................... CARLENE HARRIS '50
Treasurer ......................... NANCY BOYLE '51
Adviser ............................ MISS LARNED
RED CROSS CLUB

The Red Cross College Unit co-operates with the Framingham Chapter of the Red Cross. Through this College Unit the girls are able to participate as a group in Red Cross activities, and enjoy a valuable community relationship.

During the past year the members have assumed responsibilities in different fields of work. They helped in the entertainment at Cushing Veterans' Hospital by volunteering their services as hostesses, for card parties and dances. A group of the girls did volunteer teaching at Cushing Veterans' Hospital. Another group qualified for Motor Corps driving.

All these activities will continue if there is a demand for them. In addition, the College Unit stands ready to assume new and different duties, in accordance with the time and abilities at its disposal. Identify yourself with your Red Cross College Unit.

THE COMMUTERS' CLUB

It is the aim of this club to discuss and settle problems pertaining to the college life of the commuters. The Commuters' Annual Christmas Supper is one of the highlights of the year.

President ............... BARBARA DELANEY '50
Vice-President .......... PATRICIA CONNOR '51
Secretary ............... CLAIRE CORCORAN '51
Treasurer ............... KAY MITCHELL '51
Adviser ..................... MR. GILDAY

THE MART

Chairman: Marie McGillicuddy '50

The Mart is our college store, and the headquarters of the Student Alumnae Building Fund. This is the store that always has something to interest you.

When you need a birthday card, something for your weekend hostess, or a gift for that special occasion, why not drop in for a visit? You may also purchase college sweat shirts and T-shirts, jewelry, compacts and cigarette cases, banners, playing cards, stationery, and the most necessary college supplies, including zipper note books with the college seal.

We shall be expecting a visit from you soon! Plan to make your purchases during the regular scheduled hours: 8:30-8:55 Monday through Wednesday; Thursday and Friday 9:00-9:20; every lunch hour from 12:50-1:10, and Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30-7:00.

RED CROSS CLUB OFFICERS

Chairman ..................... MURIEL GROSS '50
Vice-Chairman ............. JOAN MOYNIHAN '51
Secretary ..................... AVIS BOYD '50
Treasurer ..................... VIRGINIA SWEET '51
Adviser ........................... MISS LARNED

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# THE POINT SYSTEM

A recorder of points shall keep, and make available upon request, a record of the students elected to the positions listed below.

A girl is advised not to hold offices aggregating more than fourteen points.

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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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* Other than those specifically listed
GENERAL INFORMATION
FOR ALL STUDENTS

I. Registration:
Registration takes place in Dwight Hall on September 12 and 13. Classes begin on September 14 at 9 A.M.

II. Financial Matters:
A. Expenses of board and room for the school year is $380, payable in the following installments:
   - September ......................... $110.00
   - December .........................  90.00
   - February .........................  90.00
   - April .............................  90.00
Incidental fee, payable when registering:
   - September ......................... $37.50
   - February .........................  37.50

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 of $11.50 which covers Student Coöperative Association and class dues; admission to college functions other than dances; subscription to the college paper, The Gate Post; partial payment of The Dial, college year book; and a fifty cent contribution to the Student-Alumnae Building Fund.

D. Application blanks for reduced rates on the B. & W. and B. & A. R. R. will be signed at the business office or by the Dean.

III. Meals:
A. Meals for boarding students are served at Peirce Hall as follows:
   - Monday through Friday .......... 7:30 12:30 5:45
   - Saturday .......................... 7:30 12:00 5:45
   - Sunday ............................ 8:00 1:15 5:45

Guests may be accommodated if reservations are made in advance. Rates may be secured from the Matron.

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

Slacks may be worn only at Friday supper, at all meals on Saturday and on holidays. There are times when good taste will abrogate this privilege.

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 may be obtained from this office from 8:30 to 9:00 A.M. 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. The Head of the Household Arts Department may be found in her office in May Hall Tuesday morning and at other times by appointment.

D. Miss Townsend, 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 use of Peirce Hall is also referred to her.

E. Mrs. Taylor, 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. Bowler, 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 9:20 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 attendance 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 presented directly to the instructor concerned, verbally or in writing, as requested, and then filed with the Dean.

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. Monday through Friday except during Chapel and Assembly hours; from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. from Monday through Thursday; and on Saturday from 9:00 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 promptly to the office of the Dean where owners should inquire for them. From time to time the list of these articles will be published in the Gate Post. If they are not claimed by a specified date they will be returned to the finder, or disposed of at the discretion of the Dean.
THE FACULTY AND OTHER OFFICERS

President
Deborah M. Russell, B.S., M.A.
Chemistry, Nutrition
Emma A. Hunt, A.B., M.A.
Physiology, Hygiene, General Science,
Chairman, Elementary Department, 1949-50
Corinne E. Hall, A.B., M.A.
Institutional Management
Stuart B. Foster, B.S., A.M., Ph.D.
Chemistry, Nutrition
Marjorie Sparrow, A.B., M.A.
English Literature, English Composition
Muriel Cabot Buckley, B.S., M.S.
Clothing, Consumer Ed.
Bernice W. Taylor, B.S., M.A., A.M.
Physical Education
Lou Lombard, B.S.
Head of Vocational Household Arts Dept.
Elizabeth C. MacMillan, B.S., M.A.
Institutional and Lunchroom Management
Eleanor F. Chase, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.
Chemistry
Dorothy Larned, A.B., M.A., M.Ed.
Dean of Women, French, Ethics
May C. Turner, B.S., M.A.
Head of Home Economics Department,
Home Economics Education
Edward F. Gilday, Jr., B.S., M.A.
Music
Edwin J. Haertl, B.S., A.M., Ph.D.
Biology, Microbiology, Science
Ruth R. Herring (Mrs.), B.A., M.A.
Art Education
Gladys F. Pratt, B.A., M.A.
Librarian, American History

Marie P. Mahoney, B.S., M.A.
Assistant Librarian
Madeline Monroe, B.S., M.A.
Clothing, Education
Anna Billa, B.S.
Clothing, Textiles
*David Berger, B.S.
Art
Grace Conley, B.S., Ed.M.
Speech, Physical Education
D. Francis Harrigan, Jr., B.S.
Penmanship
Margaret Walker, B.S., Ed.M.
Supervisor of Teacher Training, Education
Miriam Riley, A.B., M.A.
History, Civics
Marion MacDonald, B.A., M.A.
Clothing, Education, Fabrics
Ada K. Shawkey, B.S., M.Lit.
Geography
John F. Bowler, A.B., B.S.Ed., Ed.M.
Registrar, Sociology, Economics
Mary E. McGann (Mrs.), B.A., M.A., Ed.D.
Literature, Reading Methods
Mary Louise O'Connor, B.S., M.A.
Foods
Alice Glover (Mrs.), B.S., M.A., Ph.D.
Biology, Microbiology
Harry S. Broudy, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
Psychology, Education
Vera Hemenway, B.A., M.A.
English
To be appointed

*Leave of absence 1949-1950
THE TRAINING SCHOOL

Lena Cushing
Alice E. Joyce
Mary L. Caunt
Ruth A. Dennett
Louise F. Thacher
Robinette Ward
Mary P. Long
Hazel B. Davis
Mary J. Donahue
Marguerite Marshall

Principal
Sixth Grade
Fifth Grade
Third Grade
Fourth Grade
Sixth Grade
Fifth Grade
Second Grade
Second Grade
Third Grade

ADMINISTRATION

Frances Townsend, B.S.
Head Matron, Institutional Management

Helen L. Fox
Assistant Matron

Hazel Taylor (Mrs.), R.N.
Resident School Nurse, Home Nursing

Flora M. Johnson
Matron

Edward Francis Regan
School Physician

Helen M. Grows (Mrs.)
In charge of Accounts

Charlotte Corson (Mrs.)
Secretary to the President,
In charge of Admissions

Mabel E. Buckley
Clerk

Carl Minezzi
Chief Engineer

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
   Office, Dr. Glover
2. Physics Laboratory, Dr. Glover
   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 Walker
   Office, Miss Hunt
   Office, Miss Walker
   Business Offices
   Office, Dean
21. Psychology, Dr. Broudy
   Office, Dr. Broudy
   Office, Miss Riley
22. History, Miss Riley
23. Music, Mr. Gilday
   Office, Mr. Gilday
24. Geography, Miss Shawkey
   Office, President O’Connor

SECOND FLOOR

30. Art Room, Mr. Berger
31. French, Miss Larned
   Library
32. English, Miss Hemenway
33. English, Miss Sparrow
34. English, Dr. McGann
   Women’s Faculty Room
   First Aid Room
35. Art Room, Mrs. Herring
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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, now our Home Economics Department, was added to this building.
KEY TO ROOMS OF MAY HALL

BASEMENT
- H. A. Commuters' Locker Room
- Lunch Room
- Lavatory and Toilets
- Office, Mr. Powers, Head Janitor

FIRST FLOOR
1. Office, Miss Monroe
2. Office, Miss MacDonald
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 O'Connor

SECOND FLOOR
14. Alumnae Room
15. Lecture Room
16. Reading Room
17. Students' Room
18. Faculty Room
19. Reception Room
20. Office, Miss —— and Miss MacMillan
23. Foods Laboratory, Miss O'Connor

THIRD FLOOR
27. Property Room
29. Assembly Hall
30. Vocational Dept. Classroom, Miss Lombard
31. Speech, Miss Conley
WELLS HALL

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. Showers, Locker Room
b. Gymnasium, Miss Taylor; Miss Conley

FIRST FLOOR

41. Lecture Hall
42. Office, Miss Conley
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. Chemistry 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. Mrs. Taylor, 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 Townsend, 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.
THE ELLA C. RITCHIE LIBRARY

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 about 18,000 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 overnight 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.

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.
FRAMINGHAM CHURCHES

FRAMINGHAM CENTRE

First Baptist—Worcester Road
Rev. Paul Elliot
Service—10:40 A. M.

First Parish Unitarian—at Head of Centre Common
Rev. Clyde D. Williams
Service—10:45 A. M.

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

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

FRAMINGHAM

Bethany Universalist—Temporarily meeting at Framingham Civic League, Concord Street
Supply pastors
Service—11:00 A. M.

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

Church of Nazarene—250 Franklin Street
Rev. Nathan A. Adams
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. Richard B. Hardy
Service—10:30 A. M.

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

Pentacostal Church—Hartford and C Streets
Janet Rowe
Service—11:00 A. M.

St. Andrew’s Episcopal—Concord and Clarke Streets
Rev. John U. Harris
Services—8, 9:40, 11:00 A. M.

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

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

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

Wesley, Methodist—Concord and Lincoln Streets
Rev. Ernest R. Case
Service—11:00 A. M.
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, and to become an active member of the Civic League Players, and the Framingham Community Choral Society.

Students are encouraged to become actively identified with their church in Framingham through social service work, choir, and young people's organizations.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Good relations and sympathetic understanding between a teachers college and the public which has furnished and supports it are extremely important.

As an undergraduate everything you do will reflect credit or discredit upon your college. Any awards or honors which may come to you, in school or out, will be shared by the college, just as you will share in any distinctions that may come to your school. The reverse is also true, of course.

This interdependence between you and your college is inevitable and inescapable. It is beyond your power to avoid this responsibility, but it is very much within your power to add substantially to the reputation and fame of your college.

Seek out opportunities to promote its ideals and strengths. Be quick to resent and prepared to refute any derogatory remark about your chosen college or your chosen profession.

Bear in mind, however, that the best possible public relations are promoted by your own personality as a serious, maturing student of education, in training for the most important duty and privilege civilization offers, the honor of instructing its young.

WEEKLY RADIO BROADCAST

As a means of gaining further recognition for the college, the public relations department sponsors a weekly radio program. Held each Monday at 1:00, the program is broadcast direct from the campus over the local radio station WKOK. Among the various programs heard throughout the year are those featuring local dignitaries, faculty members and guests, students and the chapel choir.
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 coöperative.

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.

SMOKING ROOM

There is a smoking room in the basement of Dwight Hall and this is the only place on the campus where smoking is allowed.
The student government rules relative to the smoking room will acquaint all students with the system for keeping this room attractive and clean. It is expected that each girl wishing to use this room will assume the responsibility assigned to her.
The smoking room is not to be used during Chapel or Assembly hours, otherwise it is open all day, and is available between dinner and quiet hours and on week-ends.
No smoking is permitted in the dormitories or any of the other college buildings.
SOCIAL CALENDAR 1949-1950

September
Y. W. C. A. Tea
A. A. Jamboree
Dial Tea
Freshman Initiation
Senior Investiture Chapel
Freshman Court
Student Coöperative Dance

October
Freshman-Sophomore Hike and Picnic
Faculty-Senior Tea to Freshmen
Junior-Freshman Party
A. A. Student-Faculty Field Day
Junior Weekend

November
Frateaco Sports Weekend
A'Kempis Communion Breakfast
Club Pay Days for Freshmen

December
A'Kempis Dance
Commuters' Christmas Dinner
Dorm Christmas Dinner and House Celebrations
Candlelight Service
Senior Caroling

January
Mid-year Exams

February
Stunt Night
Gate Post Dance

March
Home Economics Club Social
Hilltop Players' Production

April
Y. W. C. A.—Moonlight Mood Dance
A. A. Hike
Arbor Day Chapel
Home Economics Conference

May
Installation Chapel
Home Economics Club's May Supper
A'Kempis Mother and Daughter Tea
May Day
Y. W. C. A. Sunrise Service and Breakfast
Last Senior Chapel
A. A. Award Chapel
Marine-Coast Guard Day
Junior Prom
Glee Club Concert

June
Senior Prom
Class Day
Commencement and Baccalaureate
COLLEGE SONGS

Alma Mater
Dear Framingham, our hearts to thee are holden
By this, our love for each familiar scene;
Thy towers shine with sunset light all golden
'Neath skies of blue, cloud-flecked, serene,
Thy towers shine with sunset light all golden
'Neath skies of blue, cloud-flecked, serene.
Thy children we, our love and pride confessing
In this, our Alma Mater and our home;
And may we strive to bring a richer blessing
To crown thee now and for years to come,
And may we strive to bring a richer blessing
To crown thee now and for years to come.

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.