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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.

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 fitted 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.

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.
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 1950 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,

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.
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 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 at all times.

A Hearty Welcome

Greetings from the Alumnae Association to the Freshman Class. We shall be looking forward to your friendship and to sharing our many pleasant meetings with you in future years.

Ahead of you lie four happy college years. Live them well with a high purpose and a sincere effort in order to achieve the goal that is your desire as you begin your college career. Enter into all college activities, giving of your best that many varied memories may be yours in the years to come.

May you come to know the meaning of the college motto, "Live to the Truth," given to the first students by the founder of the first normal school in America, Father Peirce.

The busy days passing all too swiftly will bring to you knowledge of the deep traditions of Framingham.

Along the way here and there may you become conscious of the grand heritage that earnest teachers and students have left in past years. You can never be independent of those who carried on in the early days of the school and it will be not only your privilege but your duty to wear the mantle that falls upon your shoulders as you are inducted into our Alumnae Association in 1954 and become one of us.

CHARLOTTE HOLBROOK PAGE,
President, Framingham State Teachers Alumnae Association.
Welcome to Your College and Ours

Dear Freshmen,

It gives me great pleasure to be one of the first to welcome you to our college. Ahead of you lie four happy years in which you will meet many new people, and come in contact with many enriching experiences.

Our Student Cooperative Association functions by and with the help of every student and faculty member. Its success depends as much upon the cooperation given by you as freshmen, as it does upon sophomores, juniors, and seniors. We are working together toward a common goal, and employ the aid of all the students. Be an active member in your Student Cooperative Association, have something to offer, and as sure as you will do this, your student government will have much to offer you.

NANCY COONEY,
President of Student Cooperative Association.

STUDENT COOPERATIVE OFFICERS

President .................. NANCY COONEY '51
First Vice-President .......... AUDREY SHEPHERD '51
Second Vice-President ........ JOAN MOYNIHAN '51
Secretary .................... ANNE VOLK '52
Treasurer .................... JANE HAYWARD '52
N. S. A. ...................... CATHARINE DESMOND '52
Adviser ...................... MISS RILEY

CLASS OFFICERS

CLASS OF 1951

President .................. PATRICIA GROGAN
Vice-President ................ JOAN MUSE
Secretary .................... MARIANNA McGUFFIN
Treasurer .................... LOIS MASON
Adviser ...................... MR. BERGER

CLASS OF 1952

President .................. JOANNE FELKER
Vice-President ................ CHRISTINE KORITAS
Secretary .................... DOROTHY McCoomB
Treasurer .................... HELEN SASSO
Adviser ...................... MR. BOWLER

CLASS OF 1953

President .................. ANN ELBERY
Vice-President ................ MARY O'CONNER
Secretary .................... ELEANOR McGRAIL
Treasurer .................... BONNIE BRUNTON
Adviser ...................... MISS SHAWKEY
CLASS AND CLUB COUNCIL
Chairman: Joan Moynihan '51
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: Audrey Shepherd '51
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 four other students and a faculty adviser.

LIBRARY COUNCIL
Chairman: Alice Haveles '51
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: To be elected
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 responsibility 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:* Margaret Ellison '51

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.

**To the Freshmen:**

*The Gate Post* staff extends a cordial welcome to the members of the Class of 1954, and adds the wish that your years at Framingham be happy ones.

*The Gate Post* is the college newspaper, which is published eight times a year by the students, for the students. Included in each issue are faculty, student and alumnae news. A new feature of the paper is the "Personal Profile" column. Each month this column features some member of the student body who has done something that is unknown to the rest of the student body. The article is a surprise to the student it is written about as well as to the readers. Who knows? You may be reading about yourself in *The Gate Post* in the not too distant future. Perhaps you will even be writing for our paper.

One of the most important events in our newspaper year is a dance which we hold. This event is one of the most popular on the hill. We hope to see you at it this year.

We're looking forward to your arrival at F. S. T. C., and to your first viewing of our college newspaper, *The Gate Post*.

Sincerely yours,

BEVERLY SAVAGE, Editor-in-Chief.

**Hello, Freshmen:**

The *Dial* staff and I extend a warm welcome to each and every one of you.

The *Dial* is the college yearbook, published annually by the students. It is our task to capture and record all the wonderful memories that you will be part of at Framingham.

ANN FLAHERTY, 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 .................. ALICE CARTER ’51
Vice-President ............. DORIS LOVELACE ’52
Secretary .................. EVELYN NICOL ’51
Treasurer .................. ANNA AUGUSTINE ’53
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 ’54 will find that your interests and sociability at Framingham will be further enriched through participation in college athletics.

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

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President .................. ELEANOR CRAIG ’51
Vice-President ............. BARBARA LINDSTOL ’52
Secretary .................. JEAN LEAHY ’53
Treasurer .................. OLGA ZARUBA ’52
Adviser ........................ MISS CONLEY
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.

Y. W. C. A. OFFICERS

President .................. ANNA BERGMAN '51
Vice-President .......... GERMAINE JENSEN '52
Secretary .............. VIRGINIA AINSWORTH '52
Treasurer .............. JEAN GOODMAN '51
Adviser .................. MISS HUNT

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 is a "get acquainted" tea and a communion breakfast in the fall. The club also provides a speaker of note at an assembly program, and sponsors a formal dance. In the spring we hold our Mother-Daughter Tea. Charity work is done by providing baskets for the needy of the town at Christmas time and other works throughout the year, such as giving assistance to the Newman Federation for their 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.

A'KEMPIS CLUB OFFICERS

President ............... PATRICIA DRISCOLL '51
Vice-President KATHERINE MITCHELL '51
Secretary ............... PATRICIA CONNOR '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 ....................... BETTY SKINNER '51
Vice-President ............... BETH MENTON '52
Secretary ................ BETH-JO ANDERSON '52
Treasurer ................ BARBARA KELLEY '53
Adviser .......................... MISS BILLA 22

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 pre-requisite; 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 .................... CATHARINE HIGGINS '51
Vice-President ........ LOUISE TRAVARES '51
Secretary ................. KATHLEEN MAGUIRE '51
Treasurer ................ BARBARA TAYLOR '52
Adviser .......................... MISS PRATT
RED CROSS CLUB

The Red Cross College Unit coöperates 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.

RED CROSS CLUB OFFICERS

Chairman ..................... JEAN DAIGNAULT '51
Vice-Chairman .................. LOIS HERTEL '52
Secretary ......................... ELLEN CURRY '53
Treasurer ......................... SHIRLEY HUGHES '53
Adviser .......................... MISS HEMENWAY

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 ...................... CLAIRE CORCORAN '51
Vice-President ................. ANN BRADY '52
Secretary ....................... PATRICIA FOLEY '52
Treasurer ........................ DOLLY McCALL '52
Adviser .......................... MR. GILDAY

THE MART

Chairman: Audrey Shepherd '51

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.
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 11 and 12. Classes begin on September 13 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 1 ..................... 90.00
   - February 1 ...................... 90.00
   - April 1 ........................ 90.00
   Incidental fee, payable when registering:
   - September ...................... $37.50
   - February 1 ...................... 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.
Checks are to be made payable to the Student Coöperative Association. If you are mailing the check, please be sure that the name of the student whose budget fee is being paid is included.

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 ..................... 8:00 12:00 5:45
   - Sunday ......................... 8:00 1:00 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. The College has no cut system. Faculty take attendance and 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

Martin F. O'Connor, A.B., M.A., D.Ed.  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 Bill, B.S.  Clothing, Textiles
D. Francis Harrigan, Jr., B.S.  Penmanship
David Berger, B.S.  Art
Grace Conley, B.S., Ed.M.  Speech, Physical Education
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
Mary E. McGann (Mrs.), B.A., M.A., Ed.D.  Literature, Reading Methods, Psychology
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
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
Bertha Hall

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

ADMINISTRATION

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

Ruth Newhall
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

Richard H. Powers
Head Janitor

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
    Listening 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

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
20. Office, Miss Turner
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 Newhall, 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.

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.
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—6:45, 8:00, 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—10:45 A. M.

Grace, Congregational—Union Avenue and Pearl Street
Rev. John W. MacNeil
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
Rev. Thomas Boland
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 Yeshaya Miller
Services—6:45 P. M. on Friday; 8:30 A. M. Saturday

Wesley, Methodist—Concord and Lincoln Streets
Rev. George D. Cleland, Jr.
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.
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.

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 1950-1951

September
Y. W. C. A. Tea
A. A. Jamboree
Dial Tea
Freshman Initiation
Senior Investiture Chapel
Freshman Court
Student Coöperative Dance
Freshman-Sophomore Hike and Picnic

October
Faculty-Senior Tea to Freshmen
Junior-Freshman Party
A. A. Student-Faculty Field Day
Junior Weekend
Sophomore Record Hop

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 International Night

April
Y. W. C. A.—Moonlight Mood Dance
A. A. Hike
Arbor Day Chapel
Hilltop Players’ Production

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
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.