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

Until 1898, the school prepared for the elementary grades only, but during that year the Mary Hemenway School of Domestic Science in Boston was added. In 1920 the Vocational Department was established by the Federal Board of Vocational Education. Henry Whittemore became Principal in 1898 and conducted the school for nineteen years. He was succeeded by Dr. James Chalmers, who retired in 1930.

Francis A. Bagnall, who followed Dr. Chalmers, retired in 1936. Martin F. O'Connor took his position as President in September of that year. With extension to the State Normal Schools of the privilege of granting degrees because of the establishment of the four-year course and the recognition of the work done as of collegiate grade, the Legislature in March, 1932, changed the names of all State Normal Schools in Massachusetts to State Teachers Colleges.

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 comrade-ship and mutual helpfulness that insure 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 1953 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,
You are entering Framingham at a most interesting time... the year that marks the end of one hundred years of residence in the town of Framingham. We were fourteen years old when we moved here, which gives you an idea of what a venerable age we have attained. During our big celebration in October you will hear much to convince you that it has been not only a long but also a very honorable existence.
And now you are about to make your contribution to the glorious record of your chosen college. May you have all happiness in doing so, and may your purpose, your integrity, and your achievement be a source of satisfaction to you and to your Alma Mater.

Very 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 Cooperative 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 Cooperative 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 Cooperative 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 Greeting to the Freshmen

The members of the Alumnae Association extend to you a cordial welcome, as you begin your career in the worthy profession of teaching. You are to be congratulated in choosing Framingham for the preparation of a service so vitally important to the entire world of to-day. You are very much needed, each and every one of you, to help toward building a world of lasting peace.

If you are invited to attend meetings of a Framingham college-club in or near your home community you will meet many congenial, interesting, and capable women who will take great pride in sharing with you their sincere loyalty to the traditions of Framingham and to her motto “LIVE TO THE TRUTH”.

LOUISE KINGMAN
President, Framingham State Teachers College Alumnae Association
Welcome to Your College and Ours

Dear Freshmen:
It is with a great deal of pleasure that I welcome every one of you to our college. We are most anxious to have you arrive. We hope that your years here at Framingham will be pleasant and rewarding. The upperclassmen are willing to make them that way. Let's hope the freshmen won't hesitate to let us help them.

The self-governing body on our campus is the Student Cooperative Association. Everyone at Framingham is a member of the organization by her participation in the mass meetings of the student body and by her participation in the various clubs which have representation on the Executive Council.

The success of our association depends upon each girl in it. Cooperate with us; show us what you have to offer. As sure as you do this your student government will have much to offer you.

NOREEN DALTON, President
Student Cooperative Association
CLASS AND CLUB COUNCIL

Chairman: Patricia Perry '54

The council was organized in 1937 as a part of the government of the Student Cooperative Association. Its purpose is to promote cooperation 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 Cooperative Association officers; to plan a voting procedure for the clubs and classes.

The second vice-president of the Student Cooperative Association is the chairman of this council. The Dean is a member ex-officio.

THE JUDICIARY BOARD

Chairman: Eileen Saunders '54

It is the function of this board to consider all cases involving infraction of rules and all violations 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, or the Faculty.

This Judiciary Board, with the first Vice-President of the Student Cooperative Association as chairman, is composed of four other students and a faculty adviser.

HONOR COUNCIL

The students of the State Teachers College at Framingham believe that the main purpose of education is to develop character. Since honesty and a sense of responsibility are traits of good character, we seek to further their growth by establishing an Honor System with an Honor Council. This system aims to develop principles of honorable conduct and to increase the spirit of fair play and good sportsmanship in the classroom. With this goal in view we pledge ourselves to the support of the Constitution of the Honor System. According to the regulations of the Honor Council, each girl is placed on her honor in all work designated as honor work in the Constitution.

The Honor Council shall consist of a chairman, who shall be the President of the Senior Class, ex-officio; six representatives from the Senior Class, three Elementary and three Home Economic students; and two representatives, one Elementary and one Home Economics student, from each of the other three classes. The election procedure is explained in detail in the Constitution. A faculty adviser of professorial rank shall be elected by the Faculty. In case of his inability to attend a meeting, the faculty adviser shall appoint a substitute advisor to act in his capacity. Other faculty members may be called in, as the situation warrants, to act in an advisory capacity. They will not be entitled to vote.

"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 students of Framingham State Teachers College will uphold this privilege of self government.
LIBRARY COUNCIL

Chairman: Jane Vogel '54

In 1936 the Library Council was organized and accepted by the Student Cooperative 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 Home Economics member. The librarian acts as adviser.

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

DIVING ROOM COUNCIL

Chairman: Elizabeth Buckley '54

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.

QUIET AND ORDER COMMITTEE

Chairman: To be elected

The general function of the Quiet and Order Committee is to help the students in securing such conditions that activities may be conducted to the advantage of all concerned.

THE NATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Delegate: Joan Daniels '55

The National Student Association is an organization of which every student in the college is automatically a member, eligible, therefore, to participate in all its functions. Its functions include regional conferences, usually held at Harvard, and often at Dartmouth, Mt. Holyoke, and Smith; sectional meetings; and various social functions. The Chairman of N.S.A. represents F.S.T.C. at the annual conference which, during the summer is held at a midwestern university. It is hoped that all students, especially those entering F.S.T.C. for the first time, will take advantage of the opportunities offered by N.S.A., and feel free to enter into its activities.

THE WEEKENDERS

Co-chairmen: Patricia Armor
Doris Davidson

The Weekenders is organized with co-chairmen for each committee responsible for unscheduled weekend entertainment. A recently formed organization here on the hill, it owes its success to the wholehearted cooperation of all who want to join in the fun. Invitations are sent to nearby men's colleges to come to informal dances. Here you may meet new friends or entertain old ones.
TO the Freshmen:

The Gate Post staff extends its welcome to the incoming class of 1957.

The Gate Post is your college paper, covering every field and phase of activities here at F.S.T.C. If you are interested in becoming a part of one of the main activities here "on the hill" be sure to watch for notifications of trials for new members to our staff. These trials will be held at the beginning of the college year.

We're looking forward to having the class of 1957 well represented on our Gate Post staff.

PATRICIA HEALY '54
Editor-in-Chief

Hello, Freshmen,

As editor of the Dial, I would like to extend a warm welcome on behalf of my staff and myself to all of you.

We hope that your four years at F.S.T.C. will be not only educationally profitable, but will also be filled with many memorable experiences. The Dial is our college annual. Although the seniors are responsible for its production and publication, the staff is interclass, and the book covers the activities of every class and club, making it truly an all-college book.

We hope you will be interested in working with us in recording your activities on the hill, for through the Dial your memories of Framingham will be permanently recorded.

CAROL NEE '54
Editor-in-Chief

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 sports are tennis, badminton, bowling, and swimming. 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 '57 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 ............... Jean Blanchette '54
Vice-President ........ Dorothy Charland '55
Secretary ............... Margaret Callahan '56
Treasurer ............... Jane Brennan '55
Adviser .................. Miss Mackey
THE MUSICAL CLUBS

The Musical Clubs here at Framingham are the Glee Club, Chapel Choir and any such instrumental ensemble as may be formed. The Glee Club members are chosen by try-outs early in September, every girl in the college having an opportunity to try out. Our Chapel Choir, a selected group from within the Glee Club, sings two mornings a week in Chapel, and gives outside concerts during the course of the year. In past years, among other things, they have made television appearances. This summer they sang in Brussels in the International Music Conference.

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, the Annual Glee Club Concert, Class Day Evening Concert on the Horace Mann Terrace, combined concerts with the Framingham Community Choral Society and glee clubs from men’s colleges.

MUSICAL CLUB OFFICERS

President ............... Norma Quimby ’54
Vice-President ............. Diane Norris ’55
Secretary .................. Brenda Rice ’54
Treasurer ................. Marjorie Fifield ’54
Adviser ..................... To be elected

HILLTOP PLAYERS

The officers and members of Hilltop Players are looking forward to meeting all the members of the class of 1957 and hope that all will enjoy the activities of the club.

Our program for this year includes a Christmas pageant, presented in cooperation with the Glee Club, one act plays during our club hours, climaxed by our spring production.

We aren’t looking for people straight from Broadway. What we really need are willing hands in the important field of production: light technicians, scene designers, costume designers, publicity agents, and of course actresses. We are sure that whatever may prompt you to join, you will profit both in experience and fun.

HILLTOP PLAYERS OFFICERS

President .................. Eleanor Mee ’54
Vice-President ............. Joan MacKay ’56
Secretary .................. Elizabeth Schmitt ’55
Treasurer .................. Elizabeth Buckley ’54
Adviser ..................... Miss Schmitt
YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The Framingham “Y” is affiliated with similar associations of the other colleges of all New England and is also connected with the Student Christian Movement of New England. Through this New England organization we attend many off-campus conferences, where we have an opportunity to meet students from other colleges and share our ideas. Through our association we introduce all the girls to the various churches in and around Framingham Centre. Besides our regular meetings we have study groups, discussion groups, sometimes discussing world problems of the day and the Christian attitude towards them; also we invite outside speakers to come in to give their view points.

The two calendar events of our association are the Sunrise Service when we rise at half past six, have chapel outdoors, and a delicious breakfast in Crocker, and the Moonlight Mood, a spring semi-formal.

The “Y” is a friendly association and we invite all students irrespective of race or creed to join.

Y.W.C.A. OFFICERS

President ............... Dorothy Fobes ’54
Vice-President ............ Audrey Bliss ’55
Secretary .................. Mary Belcher ’56
Treasurer .................. Nancy Correll ’55
Adviser ..................... Miss Gardner

THOMAS A KEMPIS CLUB

The Thomas A Kempis Club, named for a priest and writer of the fourteenth century, was founded twenty-seven 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, a communion breakfast, in the fall, a “get acquainted” tea, and many off-campus lectures; 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 students to join, and urges them to enjoy the many services and privileges that the club offers.

THOMAS A KEMPIS CLUB OFFICERS

President ............... Nancy Robinson ’54
Vice-President ............ Virginia Shea ’54
Secretary .................. Barbara Ainsworth ’56
Treasurer .................. Mary C. Daley ’56
Adviser ..................... Dr. Guindon
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 .......... Encarnation Fernandez '54
Vice-President ...... Gail Kirkpatrick '55
Secretary ............ Jennifer Saxton '56
Treasurer ............ Marjorie Straw '54
Adviser ............... Miss McDonald

P.I.E. CLUB

The officers and members of the Partners in Education Club wish to extend a warm welcome to you, Class of '57, with the hope that you will join in the activities of our club.

This club is a branch member of the Association for Childhood Education International which aims to promote a better understanding of children and the personal betterment of its members as future teachers. We carry out these objectives through our activities which include a Christmas Party for welfare children, various entertaining speakers, and an activity worked out with the assistance of the training school. During Education Week we broadcast a program over station WKOX in Framingham.

You may want to continue your membership in the national A.C.E. after you graduate, and this will provide an excellent carry over from your college years.

This past year we served pie and coffee at one of our meetings. This proved to be so successful that we intend to carry it out in the years to come, as a tradition appropriate to P.I.E.

This club offers much in the way of professional standing and contacts along with enjoyable social activities.

P.I.E. OFFICERS

President ............ Claire Courtemanche '54
Vice-President ...... Patricia Cunningham '54
Secretary ............... Mary Cotter '54
Treasurer ............... Carol George '54
Adviser ............... Miss Hemenway

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The Red Cross College Unit cooperates 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 years 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 OFFICERS

Chairman .................. To be elected
Vice-chairman .......... Barbara Hosey ’54
Adviser .................. To be elected

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 .............. Suzanne Fitzpatrick ’54
Vice-President .......... Joanne Connors ’55
Secretary ................ Margaret Moore ’55
Treasurer .............. Justine Appleton ’55
Adviser .................. Dr. Foster

THE MART

Manager: Jane Frizzell ’54

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 Friday; every lunch hour from 12:50-1:10, and Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30-7:00.

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL STUDENTS

I. Registration:

Registration will take place in Dwight Hall on September 14 and 15. Freshmen will report at 9 A.M. College begins September 16 at 9 A.M. with chapel in May Hall.

II. Financial Matters

A. Expense for board and room for the school year, $420.00, payable in the following installments:

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Board and room charge (weekly) $16.50
Meal charge—$14.00
Room charge—$2.50 $16.50

The following are daily charges:
Room charge—$ .40
Meal charge— 2.00 including
a. breakfast — .50
b. lunch — .60
c. dinner — .90 2.00
d. special 5 meal luncheon book — $2.50

Incidental fee, payable when registering:
   September 15 ............ $50.00
   February 1 ............... 50.00

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)

Refund of Board Charges
1. There shall be no refund of board and room charges for absences of less than one calendar week.
2. For absences of one calendar week or more, refund shall be made for each full calendar week of absence.
3. Refunds shall be for meal charges only.
4. Weekly refund shall be at the rate of $12.35.
   (State Department Regulation)

C. Budget Fee:
The students at Framingham have voted that each student shall pay an annual budget fee of $14.00.

This fee is due and payable on Registration Day. Checks or money orders are to be made out to the Student Cooperative Association. This fee is not to be included with your tuition or board payment.
The fee includes class dues, the college year book, the college paper, membership in the Student Cooperative Association, contribution to the Student-Alumnae Building Fund, Glee Club Concert, the Players’ production, Stunt Night, Frateaco Weekend, Dad and Daughter Day, and contribution to the Centennial Fund. An additional fee of $1.00 will also be collected at this time for the Benevolence Fund. This fund eliminates all drives on the campus.

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 head matron of the house mother and are to be paid the same day.

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 throughout the year.

IV. Office Hours:
A. The business office, which is located at the left of Dwight Hall front entrance, is open daily except Saturdays and Sundays. 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 Home Economics Department may be found in her office in May Hall at hours posted and at other times by appointment.

D. The Chairman of the Elementary Department has her office in Dwight Hall.

E. Miss Robinson, head matron, may be found at her office in Peirce Hall 9:00 to 10:00 A.M. and 4:30 to 5:30 P.M. All matters pertaining to meals are to be referred to her, as is any activity which concerns the use of Peirce Hall.

F. Mrs. Taylor, resident nurse, may be consulted at her office in Horace Mann Hall daily, from 8:00 A.M. to 7:30 P.M.

G. Dr. Guindon, registrar, may be found in his office in Dwight Hall during a part of each day. Special appointments may be made with him as his teaching program allows.

V. Chapel and Assembly:
Chapel is held in the Assembly Hall from 9:00 to 9:20 A.M. on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Attendance is required of all freshmen. As the hall will not accommodate all students, upper classmen are required to attend once a week only. A required meeting of Juniors and Seniors is held at this time on Mondays, and of the Sophomores and Freshmen on Fridays. On Thursday the time is reserved for conference and committee meetings. On Mondays, except the first Monday in each month when faculty, mass and class meetings are scheduled, the 2:15 period is reserved for lectures, music and other cultural programs. Attendance regulations parallel those for chapel.

VI. Rules Concerning Absences from Classes:
A. Attendance is taken in classes. The college has no "cut system." Every absence or tardiness must be accounted for. Excuses are to be presented directly to the instructor in writing, and then filed with the Dean.

B. No student may leave a class without reporting to the instructor in charge.

C. Any student who becomes ill during class hours must report such illness to the Dean, the nurse or a matron, before leaving campus if a commuter, and upon returning to her room if a boarder.

D. 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 posted on the Dean's bulletin board or 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.
MARTIN F. O'CONNOR, A.B., M.A., D.Ed.  
President

DEBORAH M. RUSSELL, B.S., M.A.  
Chemistry, Nutrition

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Chairman, Elementary Department

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B.S., M.A., A.M.  
Institutional and Lunchroom Management

ELEANOR F. CHASE, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.  
Chemistry

DOROTHY LARNED, A.B., M.A., Ed.M.  
Dean of Women, French, Ethics

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Home Economics Education

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Penmanship, Art

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MARGARET WALKER, B.S., Ed.M.  
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MARION MacDONALD, B.A., M.A.  
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ADA K. SHAWKEY, B.S., M.Litt.  
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Foods

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Head of Vocational Household Arts Dept.

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Foods

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Physical Education

CELESTE WATSON, B.S., Ed.M.  
Home Ec., Education, Supervision

LAWRENCE NEWELL, B.S., Ed.M., Ed.D.  
Elementary Education, Supervision

RUTH SCHMITT, B.S., M.A.  Speech, Drama

ELMER SALENIUS, A.B., A.M., Ph.D.  
English, History

FLORENCE GARDNER, B.S., M.A.  
Biology, Mathematics

RUTH R. MILLER (Mrs.), A.B., A.M., Ph.D.  
Family Relationships

TO BE APPOINTED  
Home Management

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Music

* Leave of Absence Feb. 1953-1954
THE TRAINING SCHOOL

STAPLETON, Mary  Principal
CARBONEAU, Irene B. First Grade
CAUNT, Mary L. Fifth Grade
Dwyer, Mary Second Grade
DONAHUE, Mary J. Second Grade
HAGGERTY, Catherine Fourth Grade
HOFFMAN, Mary Third Grade
MARSHALL, Marguerite Third Grade
PURCELL, Eleanor Sixth Grade
SCIPIONE, Alice Fourth Grade
THACHER, Louise F. Fourth Grade
WARD, Robinnette Sixth Grade
WELLS, Eleanor Fifth Grade

ADMINISTRATION

JANET ROBINSON
Head Matron, Institutional Management

FLORA M. JOHNSON
Matron and House Mother, Horace Mann Hall

HAZEL TAYLOR (Mrs.), R.N.
Resident School Nurse, Home Nursing

RUTH NEWELL
Assistant Matron and House Mother, Peirce Hall

EDWARD FRANCIS REGAN, M.D.
College Physician

MABEL E. BUCKLEY
Principal Clerk

JOYCE MALLAR
Secretary to the President

BARBARA L. LECLERC
Secretary to the Registrar

LOUISE I. RICHARD
Senior Clerk

EVA O. RICHARD
Senior Bookkeeper

CARL MINEZZI
Chief Engineer

CHARLES REEVES
Head Janitor

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, “Gate Post” and Dr. Newell's
   Office, Dr. Haertl, Dr. Glover and Miss Gardner
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 Larned
21. Psychology, Dr. Broudy
    Office, Dr. Broudy
    Office, Miss Riley
22. History, Miss Riley
23. Music,
    Office,
    Office, Dr. Guindon, Registrar
24. Geography, Miss Shawkey
    Office, President O'Connor

SECOND FLOOR

30. Art Room, Mr. Berger
31. French Room, 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

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, Charles Reeves, 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 Dorward

SECOND FLOOR

14. Alumnae Room
15. Lecture Room
16. Reading Room
17. Students' Room
18. Faculty Room
19. Reception Room
20. Office, Miss Dorward 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 Hornby, Dr. Miller
31. Speech, Miss Schmitt
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

FIRST FLOOR
41. Lecture Hall
42. Office, Miss Mackey
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.

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 Home Economics Department. Each quarter one section of the class does the ordering, preparing, and serving of the meals for the group then in 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 over 20,000 volumes includes an adequate collection of reference books, books specifically chosen for class work, books for recreationally 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. 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 freshmen, junior, and senior years take a turn at ordering, preparing, and serving meals for the group. The house is under the direction of the Head of the Vocational Department, Miss Agnes M. Hornby.
FRAMINGHAM CHURCHES

FRAMINGHAM CENTRE

First Baptist—Worcester Road
Rev. Lawrence F. DeLozier
Service—10:30 A.M.

First Parish Unitarian—at Head of Centre Common
Rev. J. Harold Hadley
Service—10:45 A.M.

Plymouth Congregational—Edgell Road
Rev. Edward Hale
Service—10:45 A.M.

St. Bridget's Catholic—Worcester Road
Rev. John J. Connolly
Masses—6:45, 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 A.M.
Week days at 7 A.M.

FRAMINGHAM

First Universalist—Concord Street, Junction Area
Rev. Robert L. H. Miller
Service—11:00 A.M.

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

Church of Nazarene—250 Franklin Street
Rev. F. Grant Cross
Service—11:00 A.M.

First Presbyterian—Hollis and Winthrop Sts.
Rev. Victor G. Dawe
Service—11:00 A.M.

Park Street Baptist—Frank 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 L. Boland
Masses—7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 11:45 A.M.
Week days at 7 A.M.

St. Tarcisius Catholic—Waverly Street
Rev. Silvio Sartori, P.S.S.C.
Masses—7, 8, 9, 10, 11 A.M.

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

Wesley, Methodist—Concord and Lincoln Sts.
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, the Civic League Basketball League, 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 college or out, will be shared by the college, just as you will share in any distinctions that may come to your college. 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 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 be 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. This is the place to make friends; don’t chum with one girl exclusively. There are approximately six hundred at Framingham. Don’t be afraid to speak to the girl who smiles at you.

First impressions are important.

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. Framingham recommends you on the basis of your reputation here.

Students rise upon presentation of guest artists and assembly speakers, who should always receive courteous attention.

Rise when an older person stops to speak to you. Pass through the corridors quietly and as seldom as possible while classes are being held.

Refrain from talking out the dormitory windows at any time.

Leaders must first be followers—be cooperative. Chapel is an inspirational exercise and merits regular participation.

Avoid carrying unnecessary material to Chapel or Assembly programs.

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.

The electric current in Horace Mann Hall is A.C., not direct, but in Peirce and Crocker Halls it is only D.C. and care should be taken lest electrical appliances requiring a specific type of current be ruined.

Careful grooming is expected of every student. The best dressed student is the one who dresses to suit the occasion.

Framingham with its beautiful campus, attractive dorms, and informal recreation offers ideal facilities for weekend entertainment.

The Centre is not the only direction in which to walk; there are many lovely spots in and around Framingham.

THE LISTENING ROOM

Our campus offers another opportunity for enrichment through the use of the Listening Room. A collection of records, which is kept in the library, may be borrowed for use between 2 P.M. and 5 P.M. and Saturday morning. Many students have found using the Listening Room both a profitable and enjoyable experience. The key may be obtained at the library.

THE SMOKER

There is a smoking room in the basement of Dwight Hall and this is the only place on the campus where smoking is allowed.

No smoking is permitted in the dormitories or any of the other college buildings.

The Student Cooperative has rules relative to the smoking room, and the smoking room committee 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 responsibilities assigned to her.

A donation of twenty-five cents per semester is asked of every student who smokes, to be used for replacements and needed equipment in the smoking room.

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 weekends.
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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*Other than those specifically listed
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.