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Introduction

Foreword

This handbook has been designed to assist freshmen in orientating themselves on the Campus. It is hoped that upper-classmen will also find the book of value in that it will constantly remind them of the associations they have made during their years in College. The handbook committee has been interested in including only that information which is a vital part of Campus life.

Student Handbook Committee

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Administrative

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2. Dr. Cornelius Jaarsma.....
.....Dean of Instruction
3. Miss Belle Holaway.....Dean of Women
4. Dr. John A. Entz.....Dean of Men
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.....Chairman Social Studies Dept.
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.....Chairman Mathematics Dept.
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.....Chairman English Dept.
12. Dr. Ralph Waldron.....
.....Chairman Science Dept.

13. Dr. Orville C. Wrigley.....
.....Chairman Education Dept.
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.....Football and Basketball Coach
15. Miss Elmira Compton.....Women's Coach
16. Mr. A. P. Vincent.....Athletic Manager
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.....Assistant Dean of Women
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.....Assistant Dean of Men
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22. Miss Nell Woods.....Dietitian
23. Mrs. Ellen Patterson.....
.....Matron of North Hall
24. Miss Evelyn Layng.....
.....Secretary to President
25. Miss Louise Kelly.....Secretary to Deans
26. Mr. Joseph Flack.....Bookroom Aide

CLASSIFICATION OF STUDENTS

Students are classified in one of the five curriculums offered. Elementary students may enroll in the Kindergarten-Primary, Intermediate, or Rural curriculum. Secondary or Junior-Senior high school students may enroll in the Secondary or Health Education curriculum. By semester hour credits, students who have 90 or more such credits are ranked as seniors, and those who have between 90 and 60 credits are juniors. Students having between 60 and 26 credits are sophomores, and less than 26 credits equals freshman ranking. In case of difficulty in determining standing in curriculum, the Dean of Instruction should be consulted.

GRADING SYSTEM

Grades are issued at mid-semester and at the end of the eighteen weeks. Reports are sent to parents at the close of each semester. The following system of marking is in effect:

A	Excellent	D	Credit
B	Good	I	Incomplete
C	Satisfactory	F	Failure

Each semester hour of credit with a grade of A carries three quality points; B, two points; C, one point. D and F grades carry no quality points. Only those students will be recommended for graduation whose total quality points equal in number the credit hours required for graduation.

CLASS ABSENCE

1. With the exception of student teaching, a student will be permitted as many absences each semester as there

are recitation hours per week in the course. Absence preceding or following a stated vacation will be counted as a double cut. Cuts will be counted from the date of the beginning of a course in each semester.

2. Cuts shall include absence for sickness or other causes. Where a prolonged illness makes additional allowance necessary, the Dean of Instruction in consultation with the instructor may extend permission to make up work. Similar arrangement may be made for absence from the Campus because of participation in activities sponsored by the College. Tests missed through cuts shall be counted as zero.
3. Students exceeding the allotted number of cuts will be penalized as follows:
 - a. Where the absences exceed the number of recitation hours per week, but do not exceed 15% of

the total number of recitation hours, the quality points shall be lowered 25% in that course.

- b. Where the absences exceed 15% of the total number of recitation hours, a loss of $1/3$ credit will be suffered in that course.
- c. Students absenting themselves from 25% of the class periods will be automatically dropped from the course. Whenever the number of cuts is greater than 15% and less than 25% of the number of class periods in the course, the instructor may recommend to the Dean of Instruction the dropping of the student when, in the instructor's judgment, such action is desirable.
4. Two absences each semester from College Assembly will be allowed. Where the absences exceed this number, the quality points shall be deducted according to the percentage of absence.

LIMITATION OF COURSE LOAD

(Quality point average is found by dividing total quality points by total semester hours).

1. A student having a quality point average of less than .75 will be limited to 12 semester hours.
2. A student with a quality point average of .75 to 1.5 will be limited to the number of hours specified for the curriculum in a given semester.
3. A student with a quality point average of 1.5 to 2 may be permitted to carry 18 hours.
4. Students who have a quality point average of 2 or better, may, if deemed advisable, be permitted to carry not more than 20 semester hours.

MAIN OFFICE

The Main Office is the focal point of the Administration. The offices of the President and the Dean of Instruction are located here on the first floor of the Main Building.

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

The Registrar's Office contains the records and schedules of all students. Mid-semester and semester grades are issued from this office on the first floor.

BURSAR'S OFFICE

All payments of fees and settlements of claims are made in this office.

BOOKROOM

The Bookroom carries all the textbooks used in the various classes. The management of the Bookroom is based on a cooperative student basis and is directed through the Student Government Association. Classroom accessories are available at nominal prices. The Bookroom is located to the left of the first floor stairway.

THE LIBRARY

The College Library, located on the third floor of the Main Building, is open every week day that the College is in

session according to the following schedule.

Monday to Thursday—7:45 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., 7:00 p. m. to 9:00 p. m.

Friday—7:45 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., 6:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.

Saturday—7:45 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.

The Library is the intellectual center of College life. Students are encouraged to make full use of the opportunities afforded them. The Library is primarily a place for study. All persons should refrain from talking or creating any disturbance which will interfere with students who are working.

Materials borrowed from the Library must be charged at the loan desk. The attendant in charge stamps the materials with the dates on which they are due. Reserved books are put on special Reserve Shelves. Their use is restricted so that all may have an equal opportunity to use them. They are to be used during Library hours or may be borrowed for outside use any time after 4:00 p. m.

week days to be returned at 8:00 a. m. the following morning. Reserved material may be borrowed on Saturday after 2:00 p. m. to be returned Monday morning at 8:00 a. m. A fine of fifteen cents for the first hour and five cents for each succeeding hour is charged for the overdue reserve material. This material may be reserved during the day it is to be taken out by making the reservation at the loan desk.

General reference books may not be taken from the Library. Books not for reference or reserve may be borrowed as needed for a period not to exceed two weeks. Such books may be renewed for a longer period unless in demand. A fine of two cents a day is charged for such books not returned when due. Current issues of magazines may be borrowed for overnight use to be returned at 8:00 a. m. the following morning. Back numbers may be taken out for a longer period.

A list of students owing library fines is published each week on the Bulletin Board in the Main Building. These obligations should be settled at the student's earliest convenience.

FRESHMAN ADVISORS

Each freshman is assigned an advisor at the time of registration. The advisors are members of the faculty who come in contact with freshmen during their first year on the Campus. The purpose of the advisory system is to provide a means whereby new students can discuss the problems they encounter and to assist them in making the necessary adjustments which are a part of College life. Freshmen are urged to talk to their advisors at regular intervals. It is an advantage to the student and to the student body to assume and maintain normal relationships on the Campus.

ASSEMBLY ATTENDANCE

Assembly attendance is expected of all students. A definite time is set apart each week during which period activities are provided for the further education of the students. The beginning of the assembly period is announced by the ringing of the South Hall bell. Nationally known speakers and entertainers are scheduled during the year to appear be-

fore the student body. All activity during an assembly program is concentrated in the Chapel. Seating is by classes: Seniors occupy center section front; Juniors immediately behind the Seniors; Sophomores, left side; Freshmen, right side.

CLASSROOM AIDS

All notes are to be kept in a regulation notebook, size 8½ by 11 inches. Work submitted to an instructor is to be written on the same size paper, preferably in ink. Class themes are subject to the specifications outlined by the English department. These specifications are available in the Bookroom.

FINAL EXAMINATIONS

At the termination of a course, a two-hour examination is administered covering the work. The examinations for the eighteen-week courses are held in the East Gymnasium. Nine-week examinations are administered as scheduled. Classwork is suspended at the close of each semester when the final examinations are given.

INFIRMARY SERVICE

Any student illness should be reported to the College Nurse promptly. If necessary, students will be moved to the Infirmary and given proper medical attention. Dormitory students are given the service of the Infirmary for three days without charge. Students who do not show a decided improvement at the end of the three days will be moved home upon the advice of the attending physician. If this is not advisable, parents will be expected to provide nursing service as long as the physician deems necessary. The Infirmary is located on the third floor of North Hall. The Nurse should be consulted during the hours posted. In case of emergency report at once either day or night. Visitors to the Infirmary will be admitted only by the consent of the Nurse.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SELF-AID

The College has a number of scholarship funds available to the students of

Slippery Rock. Application should be made through the Administration for assistance from these funds. The various sources include the J. V. Ritts Scholarships, Memorial of the Class of 1925, Memorial of the Class of 1926, Memorial of the Class of 1927, the Y. W. C. A. Fund, the What-To-Do Club Fund, the Alumni Student Aid Fund, and the self-aids funds obtained through the College and the N. Y. A. Information concerning these funds should be secured from the Main Office.

FIRE REGULATIONS

Fire drill directions are posted in each classroom and in each hall of the College buildings. Students are expected to act promptly according to directions. It is to every student's advantage to become acquainted with the proper exit from any location in the buildings on the Campus. Dormitory students are responsible for prompt action during fire drills held after class hours.

Student Government

STUDENT GOVERNMENT MESSAGE

Student Government at Slippery Rock is new to upperclassmen as well as to freshmen. This September marks the beginning of our first year of service to the College. It is important to the future success of the movement that a firm foundation be laid, one on which succeeding classes can build and mould their own characteristics of College service. Cooperation is necessary, but intelligent criticism is not to be excluded. If it will be possible for future student bodies to profit by our mistakes, then our efforts will not have been wasted. Backed by the entire College, Student Government aims to become a central agency through which the Campus may voice the thoughts relative to the maximum welfare of every Slippery Rock student.

STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

OFFICERS

Kenneth Harris.....	President
Dan Shick.....	Vice President
Lois Adams.....	Secretary
Howard Sample.....	Treasurer

CURRICULUM

Seniors

Nathaniel Steinberg.....	Secondary
John Snizik.....	Health Education
Jean Kaufman.....	Elementary

Juniors

George Sutherin.....	Secondary
Thor Olson.....	Health Education
Jean Gardner.....	Elementary

Sophomores

Donald West.....	Secondary
Shirley Butler.....	Health Education
Gerald Orr.....	Elementary

Freshmen

_____	Secondary
_____	Health Education
_____	Elementary

GOVERNING ASSOCIATIONS

Women

_____	North Hall
_____	South Hall

Men

_____	South Hall
_____	Town Students
_____	Commuting Students

Advisory

Dr. John A. Entz.....	Dean of Men
Miss Belle Holaway.....	Dean of Women
Dr. Cornelius Jaarsma.....	
_____	Dean of Instruction

CONSTITUTION OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE, SLIPPERY ROCK, PA.

Preamble: We, the students of State Teachers College, Slippery Rock, in order to cooperate with responsible authorities in promoting personal and group interest and responsibility, that our affairs might be conducted in an efficient, orderly, and systematic manner, do ordain and establish this constitution for the Student Government Association of State Teachers College, Slippery Rock, Pa.

ARTICLE I.

STUDENT ASSEMBLY

Section I Membership:

The Student Assembly shall consist of every regularly enrolled student of State Teachers College, Slippery Rock.

Section II Meetings and Quorum:

Part 1. Regular meetings of the Student Assembly shall be held at least four times a year on the dates herein stated: i. e., the first Monday of October, December, February, and April.

Part 2. Special meetings of the Student Assembly may be called at any time by

- (a) A vote of two-thirds of the Student Council.
- (b) By petition of forty members of the Student Assembly.
- (c) By the President of Student Council.

Part 3. A majority of the membership shall constitute a quorum.

Section III Officers:

Part 1. The officers of the Assembly shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The President shall be a member of the fourth year class of the four year course; and the Vice President shall be a member of the third year class of the four year class. Selection of other officers shall be

optional; i. e., from either second, third, or fourth year class. Officers shall be considered members of the class in which most of their term falls.

Part 2. At a meeting of the Student Council preceding the date set for the election of the officers for the Assembly, the Student Council shall meet for the purpose of selecting by ballot two (2) nominees for each office of the Assembly. At the same time, the Student Assembly shall be privileged to select two (2) other nominees for each office. Citizenship and scholarship records shall be satisfactory as certified by the president of the College. This list of nominees shall be posted one week before the election. Should any nominee be ineligible he shall be automatically dropped from the ballot.

Part 3. Election day for the officers of the Assembly (automatically officers of the Student Council) shall be the first Monday after the Easter Vacation, Refer Art. II, Sec. III, Part 1).

Part 4. The term of office for all officers of the Student Assembly shall be one year beginning on the first Monday of May following the election.

Part 5. Any vacancy in the offices of the Student Assembly (or in the Council) shall be submitted to the President of the manner herein provided by this constitution.

Section IV. **Powers:**

It shall be the duty of the entire Assembly to suggest Legislation to the Student Council in all matters pertaining to student interest and life which are not inconsistent with the policy of the responsible authorities.

Part 1. All laws passed by the Council shall be submitted to the president of the College for approval before becoming effective.

Part 2. The Assembly can by three-fourths vote, veto legislation passed by the Student Council.

ARTICLE II. STUDENT COUNCIL

Section I. **Membership:**

Membership in the Student Council shall be composed of the following:

Part 1. Officers of the Student Assembly (4).

Part 2. One man or woman from each curriculum from each class (total 12).

Part 3. The presidents of the Governing Associations of North Hall, South Hall for Women, South Hall for Men, Town Students and Commuting Students.

Part 4. **Advisory** administrative group including the Dean of Men, the Dean of Women, and the Dean of Instruction.

Section II. **Meetings and Quorum:**

Part 1. The Student Council shall meet every two (2) weeks at such a time as designated by the Council.

Part 2. Special meetings of the Student Council may be called by the President.

Part 3. Two-thirds of the Student Council shall constitute a quorum.

Section III. **Election of Members to Student Council:**

Part 1. The date for the election of the

Student Council members shall be the second Monday after the Easter Vacation.

- (a) Incoming freshmen shall hold election the third Monday of Oct.

Part 2. Each curriculum in each class shall nominate at least three (3) candidates for election. These candidates shall be voted upon and elected by the entire class through preferential ballot. One person shall be selected in each class from each curriculum.

Section IV. The Term of Office for all elected representatives to the Student Council shall be one year.

Section V. Powers:

It shall be the duty and the responsibility of the Council to represent the members of the Student Assembly in all activities approved by the Board of Trustees; to recommend, approve, and legislate plans for the organization and administration of such activities; to formulate policies for the judicial agent of the Assembly; at the request of the President of the College; or in cases involving viola-

tion of the regulations of the Assembly; and to make such by-laws for the Assembly as are necessary to carry out the purposes of the Constitution and the policies developed in accordance with it.

Section VI. Committees:

Part 1. The President of Student Council shall appoint the chairman, from the Council, of all committees at the first regular meeting of the school year.

Part 2. Note by-laws for further details on committees and functions thereof.

ARTICLE III.

CO-OPERATIVE GOVERNING GROUPS

Section I. Dormitory Governments:

Part 1. Men.....

Part 2. Women.....

Section II. Day Students:

Part 1. Town Students.

Part 2. Commuting Students.

upon which individual activities shall plan their individual budgets, operating until final budget adoption.

Final Budget—On or before October 1, a final budget shall be presented by the Finance Committee which, when approved by Student Council, shall be effective for the year, in the same manner as other legislative acts of the Council becomes effective.

4. The Finance Committee shall have full power to administer the budget, subject to the regulations stated in the preceding paragraphs.
5. Officers of the Finance Committee will be selected from the permanent corps of the Committee.

College Activities

SCHOOL CREED

1. "Religion, morality, and knowledge being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall be forever encouraged."

—Northwest Ordinance 1787.

2. The enterprise of a College education shall be the means of securing a richer background upon which to build a useful citizenship.
3. The ideals of fair play and hard work are the foundation stones of the heritage which will be the birthright of future generations.

FRESHMAN REGULATIONS

1. The Freshman Rulings will remain in force until Thanksgiving Day.
2. Freshman men must wear green caps and a plain green tie on the campus and in town except on Sunday. Girls are required to wear green arm bands.
3. All freshmen must learn the Alma Mater and the athletic songs and

cheers and must join in all group singing of these songs.

4. All freshmen must attend the athletic games and must sit in the freshman section. Freshmen must attend all "pep" meetings.
5. Saturday night in each week will be set aside for all dates for freshman men. With this one exception no other freshman dates will be permitted until the rulings are lifted.
6. Freshmen must follow the walks at all times with the exception of Morrow Walk. When using the center entrance to the Campus, **Morrow Drive** is to be used.
7. Freshmen must never pass an upper-classman without speaking.
8. Each freshman man not participating in football is requested to boost the Saturday athletic contests by wearing a white cardboard sign, nine inches by twelve inches, from 8:00 a. m. Wednesday until 5:00 p. m. Saturday.
9. Freshman men are not allowed to wear sweat shirts except for regular gymnasium or athletic work.

- b. Rooms are not to be cleaned on Sunday or after 7:30 p. m. any week day.

5. Study Suggestions.

- a. Official "Busy" signs may be secured from the Dean of Women.
- b. Lights are to be out at 10:30 p. m.
- c. Quiet hours are considered study hours.
- d. Form regular study habits and work against time.
- e. Students will be given service only on emergency telephone calls during study hours.

6. Permits.

- a. All persons must have written permits signed by the parents and filed in the office of the Dean of Women granting permission to leave the Campus. This includes going home, motoring, attending football games, out-of-own concerts, lectures, etc.

- b. All arrangements are to be made at least 24 hours before the scheduled event.

- c. All late permits terminate at 12:00 p. m., except when attending concerts, the theatre, etc. with faculty members or parents.

d. Going Home Regulations.

- 1. Dormitory students are to sign out in the Book of Departure.
- 2. Resident students are to sign and file going-home cards.
- 3. All students are expected to return to the Campus not later than 9:00 p. m. after week-end or vacation trips.

- 7. Asking or accepting rides from strangers is an indication of poor taste. Any girl disobeying this rule will be asked to withdraw from College.

DINING ROOM REGULATIONS

1. Dormitory Daily Routine.

- 6:45—Rising Bell.
- 7:15—Breakfast.
- 12:10—Lunch
- 6:00—Dinner
- 7:30-10:00—Study Hours.
- 10:00-10:30—Recreational Period.
- 10:30—Lights Out.

2. Sunday Meals.

- 8:00—Breakfast.
- 12:45—Dinner.
- 5:30—Supper.

3. Dining Hall.

Thanksgiving Recess.

- Close at noon November 24, 1937.
- Open for lunch November 29, 1937.

Christmas Vacation.

- Close at noon December 21, 1937.
- Open for lunch January 4, 1938.

Easter Vacation.

- Close at noon April 14, 1938.
- Open for lunch April 25, 1938.

4. Rates for Guests.

- Breakfast—\$.40.
- Luncheon— .40.
- Dinner— .50.

5. Seating.

Students are seated at tables according to drawings, which are held several times each semester. All students are expected to occupy their regular places except when permission has been given by the Dean. Where individual tables are not set up over the week-ends, provision will be made for seating.

6. Dress.

Men are expected to wear coats for dinner. Athletic clothes are not permitted in the dining room at any time.

GAMMA THETA UPSILON Membership in this national honorary geography fraternity is open to students who are united in a common active interest in geography. Selection is made from those students who have completed one year's work with a standing equal to or above the median of the school and who have signified their intention of using geography as a major subject or sequence.

KAPPA GAMMA The aim of this national speech fraternity is to arouse and foster intercollegiate competition in the forensic arts. Students become eligible for membership when they have participated in four intercollegiate debates or have represented the College in some other forensic art. The fraternity was installed on the Campus in 1932.

ALPHA PSI OMEGA A chapter of this national honorary dramatic fraternity was installed at Slippery Rock in 1934. Student membership is determined by a certain number of points which are obtained from acting, stagecraft, and business managing—all associated with the numerous activities of the dramatics department throughout the year.

SIGMA TAU DELTA The objectives of this national honorary English fraternity are the promotion of the creative arts in English, the cultivation of worthwhile reading, and the uniting of the interests in the field of English on the Campus. This fraternity was installed in 1935. Membership is limited to upperclassmen.

PHI DELTA PI A chapter of Phi Delta Pi, the national professional physical education fraternity for women was installed on the Campus in 1935. Its purpose is to promote good sportsmanship, further professional improvement, incite scholastic achievement, and cooperate with the national program. Membership is limited to girls who are majoring in health education and who have completed one successful year in this field.

CLUBS

Y. M. C. A. The Young Men's Christian Association is happy to welcome all men to the College Campus for a new year of experience. The men of the Col-

lege are cordially invited to join in the fellowship of the association. Since the work of the "Y" extends into every realm of student life, it is the hope of the organization that the vital spirit of Christian manhood and service will be promoted in every man on the Campus.

Y. W. C. A. The Young Women's Christian Association extends a hearty welcome to every girl on Slippery Rock's Campus. Looking forward to the new school year, the members are grateful for the Christian experience and relationship that shall be theirs. Regardless of interests there is a place in the activities of the organization for everyone.

A CAPPELLA CHOIR This organization is open to both men and women through competitive try-outs. There is an approximate membership of fifty. Through the study of "a cappella" literature, a sound choral musicianship is built for the group as well as for individual members.

BATON CLUB This club is organized for students who wish to learn to direct

music. The club meets once a week in the Chapel and practices the directing of choral music. Opportunities are given for directing high school assemblies, church activities, and College meetings.

COLLEGE BAND The College Band meets once a week for an hour in the Chapel. Any student playing a band instrument is eligible for membership. The organization features its work at the athletic games held throughout the year.

MADRIGAL CLUB This is a choral club for young women in the College. The organization meets regularly once a week and studies three-part music. Diction, tonality, and interpretation are stressed.

MEN'S GLEE CLUB Membership in the Glee Club is limited to about forty men. Rehearsals are held weekly. Membership is secured by competitive try-outs.

ROCKET DANCE BAND This organization comprises a group of young men who are interested in the interpretation of modern dance music. The group fur-

nishes the music for the Tuesday and Thursday dances and for the Saturday Campus dances. Application should be made through the Music Department for membership.

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA This orchestra meets for an hour weekly in the College Chapel. Any student who plays an orchestral instrument is eligible for membership. Only compositions of the classical type are studied by the group. Tonality and interpretation are the first points stressed in practice. More technique is emphasized as the rehearsals progress.

VESPER CHOIR The Vesper Choir is an organization of men and women who are selected because of their special musical ability. The choir furnishes the music for the regular Sunday evening Vesper service.

WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB This is an organization of young women who are selected for their singing ability and interest in music. Any woman student may try out for membership.

CAMERA CLUB The purpose of the Camera Club is to stimulate interest in the art of picture-taking and developing. Membership is open to anyone interested.

DRAMATIC CLUB The Dramatic Club aims to provide an outlet for the expression of the dramatic talent of the students. Membership is open to all.

FRENCH CLUB The French Club has been organized for those students who wish to extend their knowledge of the language and literary works of France. Two years of high school French is the entrance requirement.

HONORARY SCIENCE CLUB The Honorary Science Club is a group composed of Seniors and Juniors who have elected science as one of their fields of study. The qualifications for membership are based on attitude, achievement, and a desire to further knowledge in the fields of science.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB The International Relations Club includes those students interested in discussing

modern world problems. It is affiliated with the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

KINDERGARTEN-PRIMARY CLUB

The K. P. Club consists of those students who are enrolled in the elementary course and who are interested in the study of childhood education in the state of Pennsylvania.

OPEN ROAD CLUB The Senior Open Road Club for advanced nature students and the Freshman Open Road Club are open to those qualifying and interested in the study of nature. The ultimate aim of the clubs is to prepare members to become certified as Nature Guides.

PRESS CLUB The Press Club is responsible for publishing the official College newspaper, **The Rocket**. The experience gained in helping to publish the paper provides a valuable supplement to class work. Membership in the club is based on ability to write.

RIFLE CLUB The Rifle Club is open to anyone interested in the improvement of marksmanship. Safety and proper range control are watchwords of the club.

STUDENT GRANGE The Student Grange is organized for the purpose of giving students, as prospective teachers, a better understanding of rural life. Each year programs are exchanged with other granges, and social life is promoted.

VARSITY CLUB The Varsity Club is the men's athletic club. Membership is granted to those individuals who have been certified as having won a College letter in any one of the major sports of the school.

WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION The W. A. A. gives every girl in College a chance to participate in a sport. The athletic program consists of hockey, swimming, basketball, volleyball, tennis, handcraft, apparatus, and track. Emblems are awarded for points acquired in the activities mentioned.

THE ROCKET

The Rocket is the official newspaper of the College and is published by the Press Club. Payment for the paper is included in the activities fee. The paper is published bi-monthly. It is a means of ex-

pression for every student in school. Staff membership is limited, but material may be submitted by any individual who is interested in the publication. The editor of the **Rocket** is selected from Junior and Senior staff members.

THE SAXIGENA

Slippery Rock's yearbook, **Saxigena**, is published by a staff selected from members of the junior class. The book is distributed at the close of the school year. Payment is included in the activities fee. Cooperation is asked of the student body during the year in meeting appointments for pictures.

TRADITIONS

Hello! The "hello" tradition is the essence of Slippery Rock spirit and is in evidence everywhere on the Campus. A cheery voice, a genuine smile, and a "hello!" for everyone is the practice.

Campus Pride The Campus is one of the outstanding features of Slippery Rock. The green lawn, the well-kept shrubbery, the variety of trees, the buildings, the nature trail, and many other natural

beauties make our Campus one of the most beautiful spots in Pennsylvania.

Vesper Services Every Sunday evening Vesper services are held in the Chapel. A period of thoughtful meditation is provided to start another week's activities.

Faculty Reception Each member of the student body is invited by the faculty to a formal reception in the fall. This affair affords an opportunity for students and faculty members to become personally acquainted.

Homecoming Day Homecoming Day is held early in the fall. It is a day to welcome back old graduates. A football game, ox roast, and dance feature the day.

Christmas Vespers On the Sunday evening preceding the Christmas holidays the Vesper Choir presents a Christmas service.

Easter Vespers An impressive and inspirational service in keeping with the thoughts of Easter is presented by the Vesper Choir the Sunday evening before Easter vacation.

Co-Ed Dance One evening during the College year is set aside when the girls may arrange dates for a formal dance.

Twig and Branches The Y. W. C. A. seeks to give to each freshman girl a happy beginning in College life by providing her with an upperclass sister. Acquaintances are made through letters written before school opens, and throughout the year the "branch" or upperclass sister does her best to make the "twig" happy in her new environment.

Heart-Sister Week The Y. W. C. A. sponsors a week of "doing for others." Each girl has a heart-sister for whom she does some little thing each day for a week.

Moving-Up Day Moving-up day is a formal indication of students passing from one class to another. This is a part of the Senior Day exercises held in May.

Alumni Day Alumni of the College are invited to return to the Campus to visit classes and renew acquaintances on a special day set aside at the end of the school year.

SONGS

ALMA MATER

I.

Where the Slippery Rock Creek
wanders
With its sparkling falls,
There, in stately grace and beauty,
Stand old S. R. halls.

CHORUS

Sing her praises, loud resounding,
Speed them on their way;
We'll be true to thee, Oh, S. R.,
True for aye and aye.

II.

All thy halls the day in dying,
Crowns with golden light,
And the morn in waking splendor
Greets thee in thy might.

III.

Long may you, our Alma Mater,
Shed your light abroad,
As your loyal sons and daughters
Live for you and God.

Adda M. Elliott

ON TO THE FIGHT

We're all here today,
And we're ready to say
That we revel in this sport.
We're proud of our team,
Of the White and the Green,
And we give them our support.
Their pep is our sword;
Their pluck is our shield,
As shown by our team
On the battelfield.
We're sure they will win
Before they begin
We'll cheer them on their way with:

CHORUS

On to the fight boys,
Let's show them we're game,
For S. R. will have one more victory to
gain.
Play the game square boys with all of
your might.
Remember its for S. R. and the Green and
White.

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SEPTEMBER

Sun. 5

Mon. 6

Tues. 7

Registration and Classification of Freshmen

Collected Activities Fee

Wed. 8

Freshman Party in the Hut

Thurs. 9

Registration of Upperclassmen

All-College Night 8:00 p. m.

Collected Activities Fee

Fri. 10

Classes Begin

Convocation of Faculty 10:00 a. m.

Read Scripture & Made Prayer

Sat. 11

Faculty Reception, 9:00-11:00 p. m.

8:30-10:30

SEPTEMBER

Sun. 12

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Not present

Mon. 13

Tues. 14

Wed. 15

Twig and Branch Party

Thurs. 16

Fri. 17

Sat. 18

All Campus Party

5:30-9:30

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SEPTEMBER

Sun. 19

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Dr. Jassima

Mon. 20

Tues. 21

Wed. 22

Dr. E. B. Cottrell
Academic Regalia

Thurs. 23

Fri. 24

Sat. 25

• Football—W. Chester at W. Chester
Movie

W.C. 7-DR.O.

The Woman I Love

SEPTEMBER

Sun. 26

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Dr. H. O. Gearhart

Mon. 27

Tues. 28

Tony Sarg 8:00 p. m.

Wed. 29

Assembly - Music

Thurs. 30

OCTOBER

Fri. 1

Sat. 2

Football—Waynesburg at Slippery Rock
Movie

Come and Get It

OCTOBER

Sun. 3

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Dr. R. A. Tallcott read
Play - Experience

Mon. 4

Tues. 5

Wed. 6

Y. W. C. A. Banquet

Assen. - Autumn Coloring
K. Shelar
Faculty meeting

Thurs. 7

Fri. 8

President's Reception
Assembly - John N. Wilson
"The Constitution"

Sat. 9

Football—Boston U. at Boston
Dance
Movie

20-0
The Devil Is Driving

OCTOBER

Dr. C. A. Miller
Sun. 10

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Personal Integrity

Mon. 11

Tues. 12

Soccer—Allegheny at Slippery Rock
Assembly—Jill Edwards 10:00 a. m.

"So Much Velvet"

Wed. 13

Thurs. 14

Fri. 15

Sat. 16

Football—Westminster at Slippery Rock
Movie

North Hall Burned
Gay Desperado
Home Coming
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OCTOBER

Sun. 17

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 18

Tues. 19

Wed. 20

~~Harold Bauer Music Classes~~
Assembly 10:00 a. m.

Thurs. 21

~~Harold Bauer Concert 8:00 p. m.~~

Fri. 22

Soccer—Buffalo at Buffalo, N. Y.

Sat. 23

Football—Indiana at Indiana
Movie

7-6
Hit Parade
67

OCTOBER

Dr. B. N. Dunit

Sun. 24

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Science & Religion
by Franklin Dunit

Mon. 25

"Scientific Wonders"

Assembly 10:00 a. m.

Tues. 26

Wed. 27

Student Council Assembly

Thurs. 28

Fri. 29

Soccer—Grove City at Slippery Rock

Sat. 30

Football—Grove City at Grove City
Halloween Costume Dance 8:30-12:00

OCTOBER

Dr. H. Weisenfluh

Sun. 31

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Emotions

NOVEMBER

Mon. 1

Tues. 2

Wed. 3

Christopher Morley 8:00 p. m.

Thurs. 4

Fri. 5

Senior Prom, 8:30-1:00 a. m.

Sat. 6

Football—Cortland at Cortland, N. Y.
Soccer—Carnegie Tech at Slippery Rock
Movie

NOVEMBER

Sun. 7 *Rev. Philip Pearson*
Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 8
Charm Week, 8-12.

Tues. 9

Wed. 10

Thurs. 11
Half-holiday
Countess Skariatina 8:00 p. m. *Good*

Fri. 12

Sat. 13
Football—Thiel at Greenville
Movie

NOVEMBER

Sun. 14 *Dr. Craig Noyk*
Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 15
Choristers of Canadian Singers Guild 8:00 p. m.

Good

Tues. 16

Wed. 17

Thurs. 18

Fri. 19
Soccer—Grove City at Grove City

Sat. 20
Football—California at Slippery Rock
Dance
Movie

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NOVEMBER

Thanksgiving Music

Sun. 21

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 22

Tues. 23

Wed. 24

Thanksgiving Recess Begins 12m.

no assembly

Thurs. 25

Fri. 26

Sat. 27

Soccer—Carnegie Tech at Pittsburgh

NOVEMBER

Sun. 28

Mon. 29

Thanksgiving Recess Ends, 12:00 m.

Circus 7:30 p. m.

Tues. 30

Wed. 1

*Miss Bailey's Book Wk.
Play at assembly*

Thurs. 2

Fri. 3

Sat. 4

Movie

DECEMBER

Kellar Phelar
 Sun. 5
 Vespers 6:15 p. m. *"Elijah"*

Mon. 6
 Sherwood Eddy
 Assembly 10:00 a. m. *Europe Today*
and the World Situation

Tues. 7

Wed. 8

Thurs. 9

Fri. 10
~~Walter Hampden 8:00 p. m.~~

Sat. 11
 Y. W. C. A.—Bazaar
 Movie *Elephant Boy*

DECEMBER

Dr. H. B. Henderson
 Sun. 12
 Vespers 6:15 p. m.
Is any man self-sufficient?
 Mon. 13
~~Alan MacFarlane~~ *Russ Hoogerhyde*
 Assembly 10:00 a. m.
Archery

Tues. 14
 Basketball—Waynesburg at Slippery Rock
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Wed. 15
Assem. - Choral Sing

Thurs. 16

Fri. 17

Sat. 18
 Student Government
 Christmas Dance

DECEMBER

Sun. 19

Vespers 6:15 p. m.
Christmas Vespers

Good

Mon. 20

Movie

Pi Gamma Mu at Headlands

Tues. 21

Christmas Recess Begins 12:00 m.

Wed. 22

Thurs. 23

Fri. 24

Sat. 25

DECEMBER

Sun. 26

Mon. 27

Tues. 28

Wed. 29

Thurs. 30

Fri. 31

JANUARY 1938

Sat. 1

JANUARY 1938

Sun. 2

Mon. 3

Tues. 4

Christmas Recess Ends 12:00 m.
Movie

Wed. 5

Thurs. 6

Basketball—Westminster at Slippery Rock

Fri. 7

Assembly—Student C.
Senator Gerald P. Nye, 8:00 p. m.

Sat. 8

Junior Prom 8:00-12:00 p. m.

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Exams.
Movie—A Star Is Born

JANUARY 1938

Sun. 9

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Organ Music—Miss
Gerberich

Mon. 10

Examinations

Tues. 11

Examinations
Basketball—California at California

Wed. 12

Examinations

Thurs. 13

Examinations

Fri. 14

Basketball—Waynesburg at Waynesburg
First Semester Ends After Last Examinations

Sat. 15

Movie

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JANUARY 1938

Sun. 16

Mon. 17

Tues. 18

Basketball—Thiel at Slippery Rock
Second Semester Begins 12:00 m.

Registration 8-5
Classes began

Thurs. 20

Fri. 21

Sat. 22

Varsity Dance

movie 80

JANUARY 1938

Dr. C. B. Spotts

Sun. 23

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

The Bible as Literature

Mon. 24

Tues. 25

Basketball—Indiana at Indiana

Wed. 26

Dr. Backus - Speech

Thurs. 27

Fri. 28

Movie

Toast of New York

Sat. 29

Basketball—Fenn at Slippery Rock

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JANUARY 1938

A. Bruce Dickinson
 Sun. 30
 Vespers 6:15 p. m.
Safety Education

Mon. 31
 Cleveland Grant
 Assembly 11:00 a. m.

FEBRUARY

Tues. 1
 Basketball—Thiel at Greenville

Wed. 2

Thurs. 3

Fri. 4
 Movie

make a wish

Sat. 5
 Basketball—Clarion at Slippery Rock

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FEBRUARY

Dr. L. H. Wagenhorst
 Sun. 6
 Vespers 6:15 p. m.
The greatest power
 Mon. 7

Faculty meeting

Tues. 8
 Basketball—California at Slippery Rock

Wed. 9
 Heart Sister Week 9-14

Assembly - Eng Singers

Thurs. 10

Fri. 11
 Basketball—Edinboro at Slippery Rock

Sat. 12
 Basketball—Clarion at Clarion
 Movie
 Sophomore Prom 8:30-12:00 p. m.

Hollywood Cowboy

FEBRUARY

Mr. James Shacky
 Sun. 13
Footy and Lincoln

Mon. 14

Tues. 15

Basketball—Indiana at Slippery Rock

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Wed. 16

Gillette Ensemble 8:00 p. m.

Fair
Visited Chicora Schools

Thurs. 17

Dr. No-Yong Park
 Assembly 11:00 a. m.

Excellent

Fri. 18

Basketball—Edinboro at Edinboro

Sat. 19

Basketball—Westminster at New Wilmington
 Movie

The Life of the Party

FEBRUARY

Sun. 20

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 21

Master Singers

Assembly 11:00 a. m.

Fair
Dr. Victor Heiser, Medicine

Tues. 22

Half-Holiday

Basketball—Grove City at Slippery Rock

Wed. 23

Visited Leetsdale Schools

Thurs. 24

Comic Opera

Fri. 25

Comic Opera

Sat. 26

Basketball—Fenn at Cleveland
 Co-Ed Dance

FEBRUARY

Rev. Ocar Carlson
Sun. 27 *Buster Lutheran Church*
Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 28

MARCH

Tues. 1

Wed. 2 *Assembly -*
Program forgotten

Thurs. 3

Fri. 4

Basketball—Grove City at Grove City

Sat. 5

Movie

Super 86 Sleuth

MARCH

Rev. H. Cameron McClure
Sun. 6
"It was very good" (Earth)

Mon. 7

Tues. 8

Assembly at 11
Sir Herbert Ames - Germany

Wed. 9

Thurs. 10

Fri. 11

Sat. 12

Dance

Movie

Riding on High 87

MARCH

Dr. C. S. Miller

Sun. 13

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

"Personality"

Mon. 14

Faculty meeting

Tues. 15

Wed. 16

assembly - Bread
Thru the Ages
Braun Bread Co

Thurs. 17

Fri. 18

Sat. 19

College Choir Festival

Movie: Meet the Missus

MARCH

Mr. G. A. Stinson

Sun. 20

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Titusville

1 Tim 3:1-7.

Mon. 21

Faculty meet & Tea in Nat
Dr. Martha Downs

Tues. 22

Wed. 23

Thurs. 24

Play } a doctor in Spite
of Himself

Fri. 25

Sat. 26

Freshman Prom 8:00-12:00 p. m.

Movie

The Way Back

MARCH

Sun. 27

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Hymn Ring

Mon. 28

Tues. 29

Wed. 30

Assembly
Dr. Dimit - Vitamins

Thurs. 31

APRIL

Fri. 1

Varsity Club Minstrel Show

Sat. 2

Movie

Demonstration - R.S.
Movie: 160 men and a girl

APRIL

Sun. 3

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Aristocracy
Dr. Roy manne

Mon. 4

Tues. 5

Wed. 6

Thurs. 7

~~Gym Exhibition 8:00 p. m.~~

Fri. 8

~~Gym Exhibition 8:00 p. m.~~

Sat. 9

Student Government
Spring Dance

Movie: The Awful Truth

APRIL

Sun. 24

Mon. 25

Easter Recess Ends 12 m.

Tues. 26

Wed. 27

Assembly
Gymnasium

Thurs. 28

Fri. 29

Sat. 30

Movie

Stella Dallas

MAY

Sun. 1

Under Ausp. Amer. Leg.
Dr. L. H. Beeler, and
E. L. Play "Peace"

Mon. 2

Faculty Meeting

Tues. 3

Wed. 4

Assembly
Music Groups

Thurs. 5

Fri. 6

Sat. 7

Dance
Movie

Interfraternity
Dead End
N.S. Visitors' Day (141)

MAY

Sun. 8

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Dr. Entz

Mon. 9

Tues. 10

Wed. 11

Moving Up Exercises

Thurs. 12

~~Dogwood Festival~~

Dinner For Miss Rice

Fri. 13

Senior Examinations

Sat. 14

Movie

MAY

Sun. 15

Vespers 6:15 p. m.

Mon. 16

Examinations

Tues. 17

Examinations

Wed. 18

Examinations

Thurs. 19

Examinations

Fri. 20

Classes End After Last Examination

Sat. 21

Alumni Day

MAY

Sun. 22

Baccalaureate Sermon

Mon. 23

Senior Day
Class Night

Tues. 24

Commencement

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SECOND SEMESTER SCHEDULE

PERIOD	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1		AD 101B		AD 101B		
2	AD 312		AD 312		AD 312	
3		AD 101B	Assembly	AD 101B		
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NOON

5	AD 212	AD 101B	AD 212	AD 101B	AD 212	
6	AD 1		AD 1		AD 1	
7						

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5	100		100	100	100	

NOON

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3			Assembly			
2	AD 101		AD 101			
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FIRST SEMESTER SCHEDULE

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September

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October

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November

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December

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January

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February

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March

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April

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May

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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