OFFICIAL

The following regulations have been issued by the Dean's Office and are presented for the information of all students.

Visiting Regulations

Due to fire regulations imposed on the Institute building, the following regulations are in force:

1. There will be no smoking at any time in class rooms, laboratories, and corridors.
2. Smoking is permitted only in the locker rooms, lunch room, recreational room, and in such offices as the occupants are willing.
3. All smoking must be in the general administrative office and library.
4. Disciplinary action will have to be taken in the case of misconduct.

Parking Regulations

Vehicular areas are reserved for faculty and personnel of official business with the Institute. Students are not permitted to park their cars in these areas. Students may park anywhere outside the reserved areas, including the parking lot along the Massachusetts River side of the Institute.

Gymnasium Regulations

The gym may not be used during these hours when classes are being conducted in the Hall. The Hall is occupied as follows: Monday — 1st, 2nd, and 3rd hour
Tuesday — 1st and 3rd hours
Wednesday — 1st and 3rd hours
Thursday — 1st, 3rd, and 4th hours
Friday — and hour

Dean Williams Welcomed

From an interview with Dean Simon Williams

By Berkeley C. Hitchens

Another major step in the development of the Lowell Textile Institute is the creation of the Dean's Office. Its establishment answers a definite need to the students and their families. We were very fortunate in obtaining the services of Mr. Williams, who has assumed the duties as Dean. He received his Ph.D. in 1939 from the New York State College for Teachers in Buffalo, N.Y. In 1939, he joined the staff of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and was an Assistant Professor from the first semester in 1939. He was a visiting professor from 1940 to 1941 at the University of Delaware as a part of the Textile Research Branch. He was then appointed as an Associate Professor in the Department of Textiles at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1941. He received his B.S. in Textiles at the University of Nebraska in 1951.

New Synthetic Dept. Created

A full-fledged synthetic department is being established at Lowell Textile Institute. With the creation of the new Department of Synthetic Textiles, the Institute has been able to offer courses that demand much more of students.

Dr. Chupin A. Harris of Ply-

mouth, Massachusetts, in charge of the new Department of Synthetic Textiles, has been appointed to the new position.

Fulfilling the new needs of the students and the developing synthetic department, Dr. Harris has been able to introduce new courses that will meet the needs of the students and the developing synthetic department.

New Synthetic Textiles

New Synthetic Textiles is a new and rapidly developing field of study. The Department of Synthetic Textiles at Lowell Textile Institute is the first of its kind in the United States. The new department will be headed by Dr. Chupin A. Harris, a well-known authority in the field of synthetic fibers.

The new department will offer courses in the areas of polymer chemistry, fiber chemistry, fiber physics, and fiber technology. Students will have the opportunity to select courses that best meet their interests and career goals.

The new department will be housed in a newly constructed building on the Lowell Textile Institute campus. The building will feature state-of-the-art laboratories and class rooms, as well as a large library and study area.

The new Department of Synthetic Textiles at Lowell Textile Institute is a significant step forward in the development of the Institute. It will provide students with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in the dynamic field of synthetic fibers. This new program will enable students to pursue careers in the synthetic fiber industry and contribute to the advancement of this exciting field.
EDITORIALS

WELCOME, FRESHMEN

To the class of 1957, the Text staff wishes to extend a hearty and cordial welcome. You have entered during a time of transition and revolution which will, in all probability, cause more confusion than a freshman class ordinarily encounters. Due to the great numbers of applicants for admission for the current year, this is the first freshman class in the history of the Institute to which the numbers were selective for admission. If you are one of those whose names you desire this type of education, you will, undoubtedly, feel reasonably well established before the first term is ever, and will realize by that time that you, too, have become a part of the general scheme of things at L.T.T.

You will find that there are several extra-curricular activities at Textile in which we hope you will take interest. Among them is the Text, to which the staff and students are always interested in this type of work. Participation in school affairs such as this is one method of building up our school spirit, and we hope that the class of 1957 will be well represented in these activities.

Let's go, Freshmen! Be a luck in your football game against the Sophomores, and all the success for the coming year.

THE PLATFORM

Since the execution of THE TEXT in February of last term there has been no definite platform established to inform the students of the aims of the newspaper, or to guide editorial policy. We think that these aims should be set down and become the essence of THE TEXT.

THE TEXT realizes that this platform is subject to criticism from the aspect of both content and opinions. Therefore we invite comment and suggestions from students and faculty. Only with the interest of all concerned will THE TEXT platform fulfill its purpose — to build and better Lowell Textile Institute.

In order to stimulate interest in this platform, each plank will be discussed editorially during the first part of this semester. Polls of opinions will be conducted where they are deemed appropriate. All comment will be evaluated, with the greater weight being given letters to the Editor.

The next issue will feature the subject — Building of School Spirit. If you have any constructive ideas or suggestions, write or drop in to the TEXT office and discuss them with the staff.

TEXT PLATFORM
1. Building of school spirit.
2. An adequate student government.
3. A program of vocational guidance.
4. Promotion of school organizations.

The TEXT serves for experimentation of Lowell Textile Institute and will at all times attempt to express the best interests of the student body in current discussions.

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FRESHMAN BANQUET

The traditional “All Textile” Freshman Banquet will be held at the Lowell Masonic Auditorium on the evening of October 5, 1947. This affair has always been a great success in the past and this year’s effort seems to indicate that it will be bigger and better than ever. Pick up your tickets in Professor A’s office. We hope to see you there.

Last Friday night I stopped at my girl’s house. Her mother asked me into the hall and said, “Young man, what are your intentions regarding my daughter?” Just then my girl called down from upstairs, “That ain’t my house.”

By Jim Kennedy

Where do you take your troubles? For many years here at Textile students have not known where to go with their school difficulties. In ordinary life it is customary for a person to seek advice from a friend, clergyman, or a professional counselor. What recourse do you, a Textile student, have? (May) follow the course of continuing gossiping with anyone at your school about your problem or explanation. I refer now to the troubles which you, as a student, have in regard to any school situation which you or your group regard as disagreeable or at least worthy of official attention.

The organization of any such systems has often been vague or nonexistent. “Now it can be told,” to quote a phrase. Until the formation of our student governing body (which needed organization is now being planned) the student can meet with the faculty committee in whose province the complaint lies. This now is not as formal as it sounds. Simply approach any member of the committee and that member will meet with the other members to take up the particular problem. If for any reason the student does not wish to be identified with the suggestion, he may submit it through THE TEXT, and we will meet with the committee when the results are published. The results will be published so that all may benefit therefrom.

The list of faculty committees is published in the Curriculum Bulletin and the most readily referenced and the most familiar to the students which handle student affairs:

Student Activities:

W. M. Fox
R. E. 3

The first name under each heading is that of the committee chairman.

This new system should prove satisfactory to all concerned. It cannot, however, ever hope to benefit anyone without the wholehearted cooperation of both students and faculty. If you have a complaint, bring it forthright enough to bring it. The members of the faculty take seriously their positions on these committees. They feel that any extra time devoted to promoting harmony will be well worth the effort. The rest is up to you.

Junior: Do you know what the difference is between good and bad?

Sally: No, what’s the difference?

Junior: “That’s what I say.”

Tide: “Don’t you ever inhale?”

Text: “Not with you in the room.”

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LOWELL TEXTILE ASSOCIATES

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Delta Kappa Phi

Phi Psi Fraternity was founded by five students of the Philadelphia High School for Girls on March 16, 1893, to promote the liberal and intellectual advancement of its members through the practice of scholarly endeavor. In 1893 the fraternity incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania at the request of the students. When an organizing meeting was held in 1893, the Kansas City Alumni, a public, and the number of new members are back again this year, and a grand time will be had by all.

Phila Psi Fraternity is a National Fraternity with nine active, ten alumni chapters, and plans made for new chapters in Canada, South Africa, and five in the United States. The Fraternity is the largest and most respected national fraternity in the world, and its alumni hold some of the highest posts and responsibilities in all branches of the industries.

The New Pickout

The Pickout which has just been published, has now become the school yearbook published by the Senior Class. It is the publication of many new policies, every regularly enrolled student will receive a copy of the Pickout this year. The Pickout has been made possible by the generous subscription to the Pickout by the parents of the students and the pupils themselves. The Pickout is the result of the hard work of the students, and the results will be a source of pride to the alumni and representatives of the Alpha and Alpha Alumni Chapters.

The Society of Professional Women

The Society of Professional Women was founded in 1947, to promote the professional advancement of its members through the practice of scholarly endeavor. The society is open to all women who have been graduated from a college or university.

Wanted: Members of the Class of 1951 to Participate in These Activities

The Tent

Phi Psi Fraternity

Omnicom Pi

The American Association of Textile Chemists and Colorists (AATCC) is a professional society that promotes excellence in the scientific interest of the textile profession. The association is a small group of individuals dedicated to promoting the textile industry. They are supported by Dr. Louis H. Gehr and Professor Emeritus of Chemistry at the University of Wisconsin, who became the first president of the association. The present organization is composed of five regional and five student chapters.

The Lowell Textile Institute and the Department of the AATCC were the first Junior Section of the Association and was formed in 1947. Briefly, the objects of the student chapter are:

- To introduce new students to the society and its activities
- To promote the professional advancement of its members through the practice of scholarly endeavor.

Phale Sorority

The Phale Sorority has started a school election by utilizing the following methods:

1. President: Dorothy Major
2. Vice-President: Mary Collins
3. Treasurer: Mary Brown

The first event of the school season will be an all-school dance to be held sometime next month.

NEWS OF GRADUATE SCHOOLS

Blanche G. Blaske, currently a student in the department of Textile Science at the University of Wisconsin, has been working on the following design options at the Textile School:

- At the Institute of Design, she is working on the following design options for the following: a) Materials for the production of a range of fabrics, b) The design of a new pattern of a range of fabrics.

EUGENE ROTH: Eugene Roth is a senior at the University of Wisconsin, and is currently working on a design for the following: a) Materials for the production of a range of fabrics, b) The design of a new pattern of a range of fabrics.

Executive Council of Athletic Association

The Executive Council of the Athletic Association is composed of the following sixteen members:

- President: John Smith
- Vice-President: Mary Jones
- Secretary: Robert Green
- Treasurer: William Brown

The Executive Council, the President, and the Secretary are responsible for the promotion of a successful athletic program. The Council meets on a regular basis and takes action on the following items. It also serves to provide an advisory body to the Athletic Director in promoting a successful athletic program.
THE SPORTSMILL

As the Red and Black charge of Rosemary Battell beheaded a Trail by Bob Devins to the side of the Cafer's of Norwich, this scrum could not help thinking of the scrums of the past. The battle raged for a bit but in the end, the New London, Conn. N.Y. to St. Law-

rence was the same cove who sported Norwich with a week preceding the contest which had but seen the Hoosac as a 30 point game going in. Spec-

tators were held and there was great confidence of a victory, but after a slow start through slightly cooked meal of southern Vermont and upper New York, the lead of 10-0 were tarried in a headlong rush out of the hall with broken leg.

There were other injuries that day but most of the sport was broken.When I saw more of Nau-

tice were reserved at that fireblossomed and the gloating brothers a considerable reserve was present. After two more downs series from late, the team returned home to play half ball in their last three games but the skirmish with St. Lawrence so well noted has taken its toll.

Professor Cooling has seen that the football team is possibly the best for this season. Fair表面 balance east communicators with Harvard and Dartmouth and that should furnish the Terriers with col-

umns. At halftime, the Red and Black had a 140 coat on get-ups for
terminations.

A lack of last year's letterman have not returned home for practice for this year various reasons. From Video's having scholar's difficul-

ties and from serving in the Army to extracurricular activities. Only with Willham, Delberts, Rodger and Fones have just returned to the team.

Bob Devins, play football this season

in the backfield with Paterson, Stu Leitgeb, Fred Halpin and Angelo Leitgeb, had furnished a fine grid player for the Terriers this season.

American International College has organized their "charm" band and several prominent people have danced with the team. Fans at the AIC games will remember this aggregation.

Check the Devens team when they come to town. They will have something interesting to contribute.

Sports Flair! Jim Devins broke 120 at Springfield Country Club (What did you get for your team and hole?), Jim Devins

were the last to win the Terrier title.

Then there was the case of the "Excess Howard," Lowes', im-

proper treatment of the high school, the St. Lawrence game and the season's record. The Terriers have taken their place in the center of the East, as in the last season, and have returned to the New England Conference, with the hope of giving Terrier fans a great joy.

While the Terriers are a fine grid player for the Terriers this season.

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