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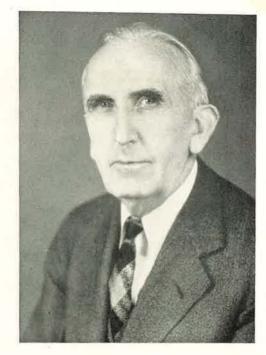
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Welcome to Harding!

You will find no warmer friends, none more helpful and loyal, than your Teachers at Harding College. The friendships you form with them and with the hundreds of splendid students who make up Harding College will be a source of enduring pleasure. They come from nearly all the States from California to New York and Florida, and from Canada, Japan, China, and South Africa. Yet a smile and a warm hand-clasp and you are

AT HOME AT HARDING!



L. C. SEARS, M.A., Ph.D. Dean of Administration



WOODSON HARDING ARMSTRONG, B.A.
Dean of Women



ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Modern, fire-proof, the Administration Building contains attractively arranged offices and classrooms, and excellently equipped laboratories for the various sciences and business administration.

The loveliness of Pattie Cobb Hall for girls is enhanced by its reception rooms and tiled dining halls, and by the convenience of its student rooms—many with private or connecting baths.



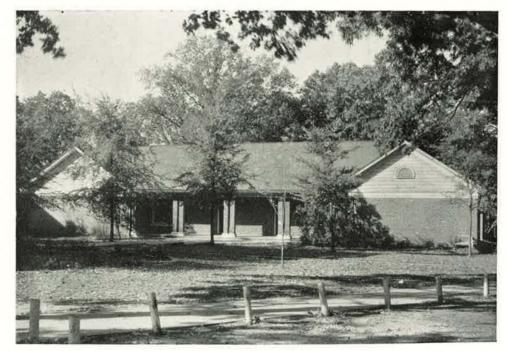
PATTIE COBB HALL



MEN'S DORMITORY

Besides the men's rooms this immense building contains the handsome old reception rooms for social affairs, the attractive auditorium, fine arts studios, college post office, and classrooms.

The Training School is a part of the excellent teacher-training system at Harding. With its elaborate equipment students observe teaching techniques carried out in an ideal way, and under skilled instructors learn to do superior teaching.



TRAINING SCHOOL





GYMNASIUM

The gymnasium near the men's dormitory contains the basketball court, wrestling room and storage room for athletic equipment. It is also used for physical education classes.

Light and shade, line and color, blend into loveliness in this cottage of native stone. It is the work of Harding students under the direction of our skilled builders. From such construction students learn carpentering, plumbing, stone masonry, etc.



DEAN'S HOME IN WINTER



Harding from the Air

A part of the campus with adjacent cottages. The athletic field to the right is omitted as well as the college farm.

In the center foreground is the large boys' dormitory with the administration building to the right and Pattie Cobb Hall on the left. Other buildings can be located in their respective places.

Including the cottages and service buildings there are fourteen buildings on the campus. With their equipment they are valued by unbiased auditing firms at \$606,020.79. We are grateful that we can offer all the advantages of this excellent and well equipped plant to our students. Teachers are always the most important factor to consider in selecting your college, but when these are men of scholarship and Christian character, and when they have the complete equipment with which to work and the fine type of students to instruct that are found at Harding, it makes a college as nearly ideal in all its activities as may be found.



CHEMISTRY LABORATORY

The sciences are offering increasingly greater opportunities to young people with specialized training. The fields of medicine, pharmacy, dentistry, nursing, oil and industrial chemistry, radio, aeronautics, electrical and mechanical engineering, bacteriology, landscaping, forestry, etc., are demanding young people of exceptional training.

For such scientific fields Harding offers the most thorough fundamental training.



BIOLOGY LABORATORY



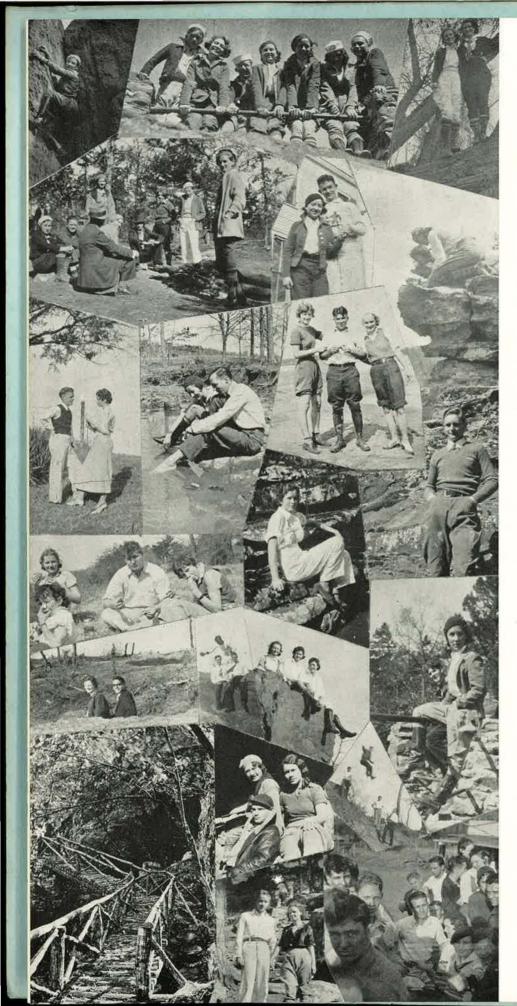
HOME ECONOMICS CLOTHING LABORATORY

Because of its vital importance Harding places special emphasis upon all phases of home economics. Aside from its value to every woman who becomes a home-maker, it is the basic training for home demonstration and other social welfare workers, dietitians for hospitals, hotels, etc., food specialists, purchasing specialists for industrial concerns, designers, interior decorators, and many government positions.

The laboratories at Harding are beautifully furnished and the work is exceptionally strong.



HOME ECONOMICS FOODS LABORATORY

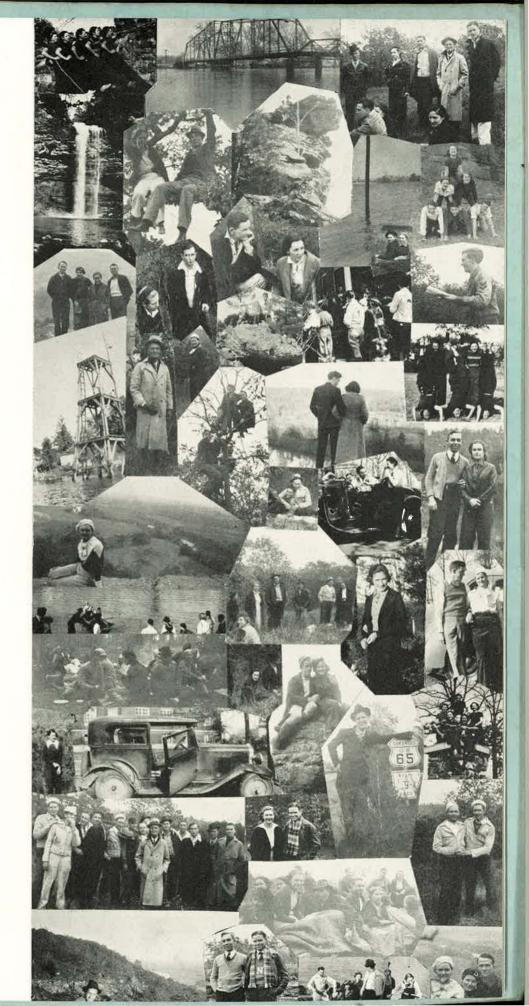


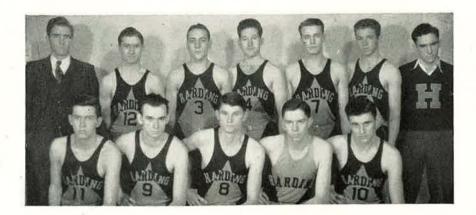
Out of Doors at Harding

There is exhibitation in the beauty of trees, the sparkle of water over the rapids, the mystery of deep pools, the color of moss-grown rocks, the grandeur of lonely mountains.

The beauty of Nature is near the students of Harding. Classes and social clubs make frequent trips to the lakes and mountains.

Hundreds of lovely spots invite you to share the health and the joy of the great OUT-OF-DOORS.





Under the efficient leadership of Coach Vann and with the assistance of "Preacher" Elwin Roe the Bisons enjoyed a very successful year in basketball and baseball. In the latter Roe was easily the sensation in the State in amateur sports. His twenty-seven strike-outs in a thirteen-inning game brought offers from five major leagues.

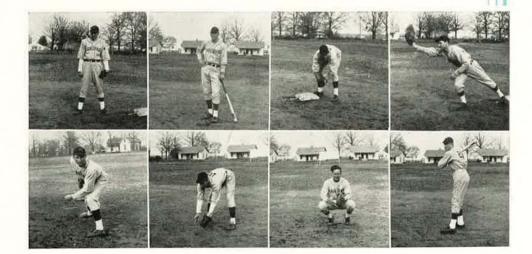
Under Coach Berryhill and with the assistance of both Vann and Roe the Bisons should make an outstanding record in the future.



Robert Vann

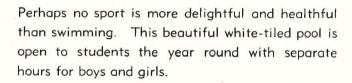


"Preacher" Roe



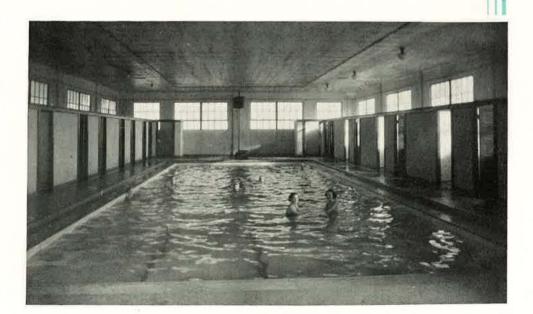


In Track and Field events Coach Clark made an excellent showing, winning the first dual college meet the Bisons had ever held 93 to 63. In later meets Hogan of the Bisons won first place in the State in the mile, and in the wrestling tournament the Bisons captured several honors.





R. T. Clark





THE BISON STAFF

Few student activities are more interesting or more profitable than journalism and debating. They have been found the most helpful of all activities in securing worth while positions in after years. That is why Harding makes this work exceptionally strong. The Bison has placed as all-State paper and has won other State honors.

Harding debaters have won first place in the State or in the Mid-South five times in the past seven years, and second place once. They have won State honors in extemporary speaking and oratory.

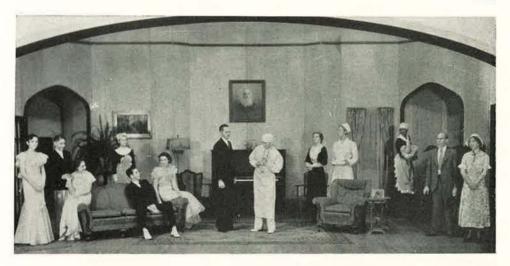


FORENSIC LEAGUE



A CAPPELLA CHOIR

The musical organizations furnish a rare training at Harding. The A Cappella Choir placed first in the Mid-South at Memphis in contests including five States and 1,200 contestants. Three other first places were won in musical events.



CAMPUS PLAYERS AT WORK

The Campus Players have taken first place in the State Little Theatre Tournament two years in succession for the best directed play and best actress.



THE LITTLE SYMPHONY



Harding at Work

Orchestra rehearsal Cramming for Exams

Where we eat

Dictating to Secretaries

Reception Rooms

Boys' Dormitory and Pattie Cobb Hall

In the Nursery School

Campus Cottages

Home Economic Dining Room

Typists at work

The Dean's Office

Auditorium

From the air

Building a cottage for Brother Armstrong

A Dining Hall in Pattie Cobb

> How we keep warm

Reception Room

College Book Store

Brother Armstrong

President Benson

College Laundry

In Recitation

Gray Gables

College Office





GROUP OF YOUNG PREACHERS

The religious life at Harding is as nearly ideal as one can find. Faith in God and the eternal verities is intensified and students are given a happy normal attitude toward life. Many become successful preachers or missionaries. Seventy-five per cent of our missionaries in foreign lands were trained under Harding influences.

Boys' and girls' social clubs provide a necessary and delightful association in which lasting friendships are formed. Under proper sponsors they hold regular meetings, give receptions and banquets, or arrange occasional outings through the year.



A GIRLS' CLUB