
Advantages of the Junior College

1. A financial saving. It usually costs from \$750 to \$1,500 per year to send a boy or girl to college away from home.
2. Students may take fewer than the normal number of subjects each semester and thus have time to earn at least part of the tuition costs while attending college. This will require more than two years to complete a Junior College curriculum of studies.
3. Adults as well as young people may select one or more subjects of study of special interest to them and without thought of working toward a degree.
4. It gives an excellent foundation for secretarial, engineering, dental and commercial courses.
5. It is a "shock absorber." "It is a logical stopping point for those who should not go further." It selects the superior student, who is then recommended for upper division work or university specialization.
6. It extends the home influence two years longer.
7. Because it makes two years of higher education possible for a greater number of people, it tends to raise the average cultural level of a community.

An Invitation

We invite you to visit our school at your convenience and learn of our facilities by observation and conversation. Office hours are 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon and 1:30 to 5:00 p. m. daily, except Saturday, when the office closes at noon. During your visit you can discuss freely your own special problems with greater satisfaction than will result from correspondence.

However, if inconvenient to call in person, we shall be glad to answer your questions by telephone or letter. Call or address us at 29-31 West Northampton Street. The Registrar will be pleased to have you make an appointment to see him at other than office hours if you will call him at his office, W-B 2-6330, or at his residence, W-B 4-0400.

BUCKNELL UNIVERSITY

JUNIOR COLLEGE



BULLETIN OF INFORMATION
FOR 1934-35

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THE ABOVE FACULTY WILL BE AUGMENTED BY THE ADDITION OF TWO MEMBERS
IN ENGLISH, TWO IN SOCIAL SCIENCE, ONE IN BIOLOGY,
ONE IN PSYCHOLOGY AND PHILOSOPHY.

Purpose

The purpose of the Bucknell University Junior College at Wilkes-Barre is to give students within commuting distance an opportunity to complete the first two years of a college curriculum while living at home, and to obtain the foundation of a broad cultural education. Students who so desire may then continue their college course at Bucknell University, or apply for admission to advanced standing in whatever college or university they may choose. Work may be elected to meet the requirements for admission to dental and other professional schools which admit students with two years of college preparation. The first two years of a four-year pre-medical, pre-legal, or engineering course may also be elected.

The Junior College offers the same opportunities for a liberal education that are offered on the campus at Lewisburg. The work of the two years in all courses is practically the same as that offered in the freshman and sophomore years at Bucknell University. The teaching staff is composed of members of the faculty of Bucknell University, fifteen of whom will be resident members at the Junior College, while others come from Lewisburg for certain courses. All of the work is under the direction of the faculty and administration of the University.

Admission

1. All applicants for admission to the College must be graduates of an approved four-year secondary school, or graduates of an approved senior (three-year) high school who have previously completed a three-year course

College on the basis of individual qualifications to do college work as indicated by such criteria as high school grades, rank in their graduating class, principal's rating, intelligence as measured by a good intelligence test, character, maturity, and other pertinent factors.

Advanced Standing

Applications for admission to advanced standing should be made to the Registrar of the Junior College. The applicant should also request the institution last attended to send to the Registrar of the Junior College a transcript of all work accepted for admission and of all work completed there, accompanied by a letter of honorable dismissal.

Application Blanks

All applicants for admission should secure from the Registrar application blanks, which should be filled out and returned to the Registrar as directed.

Curricula

The curricula in both the freshmen and the sophomore years are practically the same as at Bucknell University and all regulations concerning these curricula apply to the Junior College. The Junior College offers the first two years of curricula leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Arts; Bachelor of Science in Biology, in Commerce and Finance, and in Education; Bachelor of Science in Chemical, Civil, Electrical and Mechanical Engineering. Consult the annual catalogue of Bucknell University for an outline of the several curricula (pages 24-25). Call or write the Junior Col-

Freshmen Week

Freshmen are required to report on the Thursday preceding the regular opening of the Junior College for psychological and placement tests, and a series of conferences and lectures by members of the faculty dealing with Bucknell traditions and ideals, aims of the college course, preparation for the professions, use of the library, methods of study, extra-classroom activities, etc. Attendance is required at all activities of Freshman Week.

Freshman Week begins Thursday, September 6, 1934. Registration and enrollment of students, Tuesday, September 11.

Transfer of Credits

The Junior College is an integral part of Bucknell University and is so recognized by the Department of Public Instruction of Pennsylvania. Bucknell University is rated "A" by the Association of American Universities, the highest accrediting agency in the United States. This means that any student may transfer to any other college or university in the United States, provided he, or she, has met the requirements for advanced standing in the institution of his, or her, choice.

Students expecting to transfer to another institution must also meet the entrance requirements of that institution. A catalogue of the college or professional school in which the work is to be completed should be secured, and the requirements both for entrance and for advanced standing carefully studied.

Transfer will be facilitated if the student wishing to transfer to another institution will indicate his intention at the time of enrollment or as soon thereafter as possible.

Enrollment 1933-34

	Men	Women	Total
First Semester	123	41	164
Second Semester	109	36	145

The above students have come from 39 different secondary schools.

Our Junior College, with its total enrollment confined to the freshman year, has more students than have seven four-year Pennsylvania colleges. Assuming that with the sophomore year added next year we shall have an enrollment of only 300 (we hope to exceed that number) our enrollment then will exceed the present enrollment of 20 Pennsylvania four-year colleges.

Expenses 1934-35

Tuition for all courses, \$10.00 a semester hour.
Student Budget, \$5.00 each semester.

SPECIAL FEES

Changed Registration (first week)	\$1.00
Changed Registration (after first week)	3.00
Late Enrollment	5.00
Late Registration	3.00
Special Examination	3.00
Transcript of Record (after first copy)	1.00

LABORATORY FEES

Fees are charged in science courses when such courses are not a part of the required curriculum. See General Catalogue.

Each student will carry from 15 to 18 semester hours of work each semester. Tuition would thus cost from \$150 to \$180 each semester. The cost of books will vary with the course of study.



THE FIRST CLASS

The Building

Bucknell University has leased the entire building at 29-31 West Northampton Street from The Wilkes-Barre Business College, Inc. This building will be remodeled to meet the requirements of the Junior College.

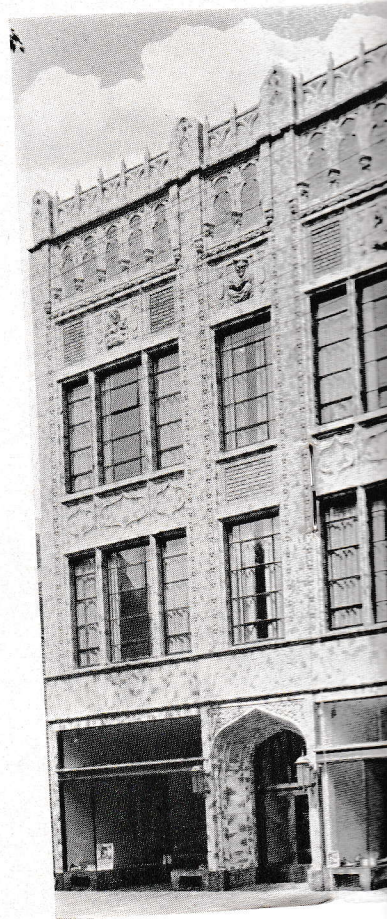
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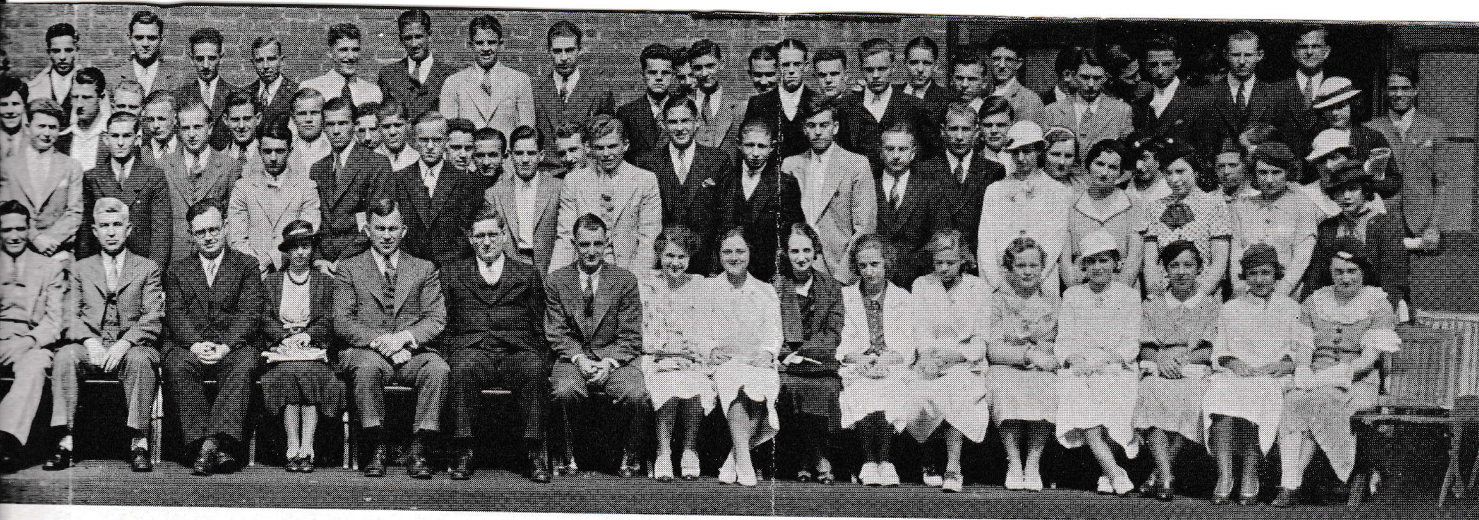
Located within a distance of one block from "The Square," the Junior College is easily reached by bus and street car. It is only a little more than two blocks from the railroad stations. The new Y. M. C. A. is directly across the street. The Osterhout Free Library and the Wyoming Historical and Geological Society buildings are just around the corner. The Y. W. C. A. at 69 North Franklin Street is only two blocks from the Junior College building.

Library Facilities

A large attractive room on the second floor will be equipped for use as a reference library and reading room. Here students will find the books most frequently referred to by their instructors. There will be adequate reading room space for the expected enrollment. A well-trained librarian will be in charge.

The Junior College has benefited greatly by the generous helpfulness of the staff and by the facilities of the Osterhout Free Library. This library, with its 81,000 volumes of books, its many volumes of bound magazines and periodicals, is invaluable to the Junior College. In matters of local historical and geological interest the Junior College enjoys the co-operation of the Wyoming Historical and Geological Society.





THE FIRST CLASS

Instruction In Art

Students of the graphic and plastic arts will be provided instruction in the history and appreciation of art, and in cast drawing and still life painting, if a sufficient number of students enroll in any one course. A good number have already expressed a desire for the practical work.

Music Department

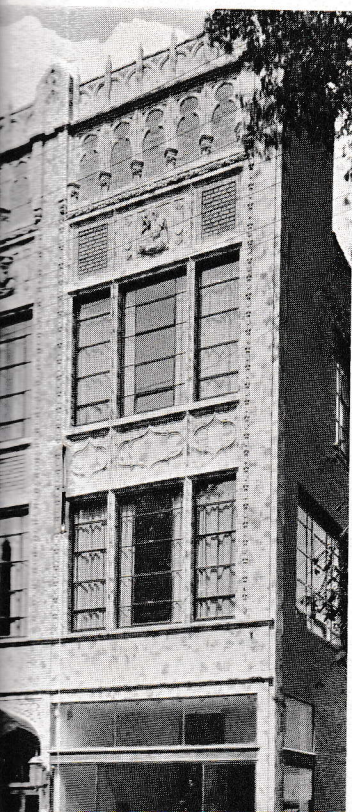
All students of Bucknell University are permitted to take a major or a minor in music. The Junior College offers courses in both theoretical and practical work. For detailed information ask for the Music Department Bulletin.

Student Administration

An elected student council working with a faculty committee supervises and coordinates non-academic matters relating to student life. The assembly programs are planned by the student council.

Late Afternoon and Evening Classes

The Junior College faculty will offer courses in the several subject fields, including the natural sciences, at such times as may be mutually convenient for the group and the instructor. During the past school year such classes were organized in chemistry, English, German and history. Call or write the Registrar about the middle of September for definite information.





*Trial of
Mary Dugan*

these men discuss developments and problems of current interest from their own realistic points of view. Inspection trips to mines, factories and other business establishments afford opportunities for valuable first-

hand observations of the actual workings of the business world.

Dramatics

The program in dramatics is closely integrated with the course in "Play Production," which carries full academic credit. A training is given to all candidates for the dramatic organization in make-up, articulation of lines, pantomime, stage design, scenery building, publicity, and advertising. During the past year the dramatic organization had sixty active members.

Economics Club

Membership in the Economics Club provides opportunities to meet Wyoming Valley business men and community leaders at the bi-weekly luncheon meetings, and to hear

Debating

Junior College students have a greater opportunity to participate in intercollegiate debates than do students in a four-year college. During the year 1933-34 Junior College debaters successfully completed an ambitious schedule of contests with other institutions of full collegiate rank and received the school's certificates of award.

Women Students

The women students are provided with the same facilities for recreation and outside endeavor as the boys. The activities of the

women are carefully supervised by the Dean of Women, Miss Brooks. During the past year the girls had their own basketball team, physical education facilities, and were participants in dramatics and debate. A room in the college building will be furnished as a social room for the women students.



*Basketball
Team*



Athletic Activities

We have all the usual athletic activities found in the four-year college. A serious attempt is made to get every student to participate in some extra-curricular activity by providing intramural and inter-class teams. During the past year one-third of our entire student body won "merit certificates" in at least one "activity."

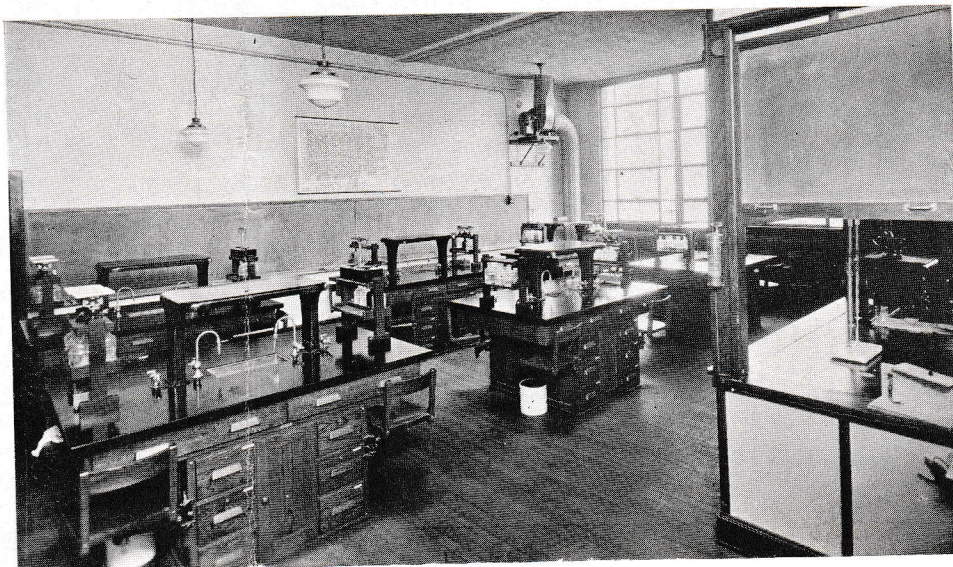
Physical Education

Arrangements are being made with the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. for instruction in physical education. The excellent gymnasiums and swimming pools of these two institutions will be available for the use of our students.

Science Laboratories

A chemical laboratory with the most modern equipment for work in general inorganic chemistry and qualitative analysis has been used during the past year. Before the opening of college in September, 1934, additional laboratories for biology, chemistry and physics will be available. Only the most modern and best laboratory furniture and equipment have been and will be provided. These laboratories are located on the third floor.

*Chemistry
Laboratory*



Drawing Room

A well-lighted room has been furnished, with especially constructed tables for mechanical drawing.

Die Vereinigten J. C. Buckneller

The German Club offers an informal practice in hearing and speaking German. Meetings are held bi-weekly—one a luncheon meeting at which a native German speaker discusses topics of interest to the group; the other an evening social meeting held at the homes of the various members. Membership is open to all students who have had at least two years of high school German or its equivalent.