Compulsory Commons for Freshmen

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To insure the bringing together of all freshmen on a democratic basis that will promote acquaintanceship and develop class solidarity; and further to provide against the increasing tendency of students to economize on food to the point of physical detriment, the Trustees have ruled that all freshmen shall eat together in Commons during the year 1919-20.

No exception to this rule will be made save in cases where it can clearly be shown that enforcement will cause actual hardship or injustice. Any query concerning this should be addressed to the Committee on Scholarships through the Dean of the College.

Opportunity will be offered to a certain number of freshmen of limited means to carn all or part of their board at Commons by waiting on table or otherwise assisting the Commons management. Application for such positions should be addressed to Mr. A. P. Fairfield, Manager of the Dining Association. No applications will be considered from men who are not eligible for scholarship aid and who do not give satisfactory proof of need.

The following regulations have been drawn up to govern the carrying out of the above rule of the Trustees. During the first few days of College, freshmen will be scated in the Dining Hall under direction of the head waiter. Later a different arrangement will be made in order to better fulfill the purposes of the Commons.

REGULATIONS

RELATING TO BOARD AT FRESHMAN COMMONS

All freshmen, except those excused from eating at the Commons, will register at the Commons Office in College Hall and obtain cards admitting them to the dining room. These cards must be presented at the door at each meal. New cards will be furnished each month.

The regular charge for board will be \$33 per month. If payment is made strictly in advance, a discount of \$3 per month will be made, resulting in a net payment of \$30 per month.

Credit will be allowed for legitimate absences of five days or over, provided the intention to be so absent is registered in writing at the Commons Office and the card deposited therein. Refunds will be returned in cash or credited in accordance with the original purchase.

Tickets will be non-transferable and no substitutions will be permitted.

Charges will be computed on the basis of the calendar months and fractional parts of months will be adjusted pro rata by days. Fractions of days will count as full (except that on the day of departure breakfast only will not be so treated).

If any bill is not paid by the 10th of the month following the time of the charge, the student incurring the same will be subject to College discipline, and all bills must be paid before examinations may be taken.

> HOMER EATON KEYES, Business Director.

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