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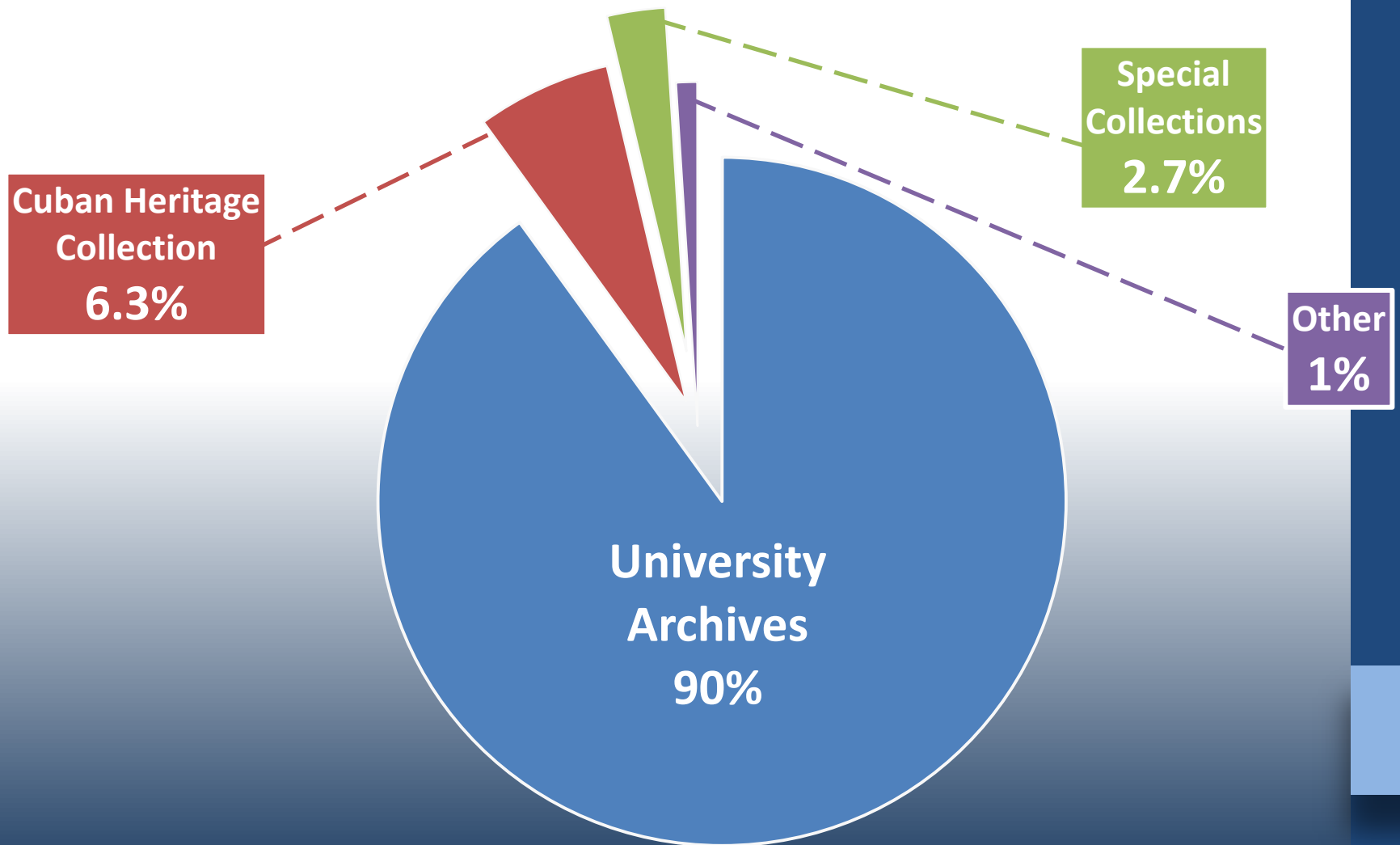


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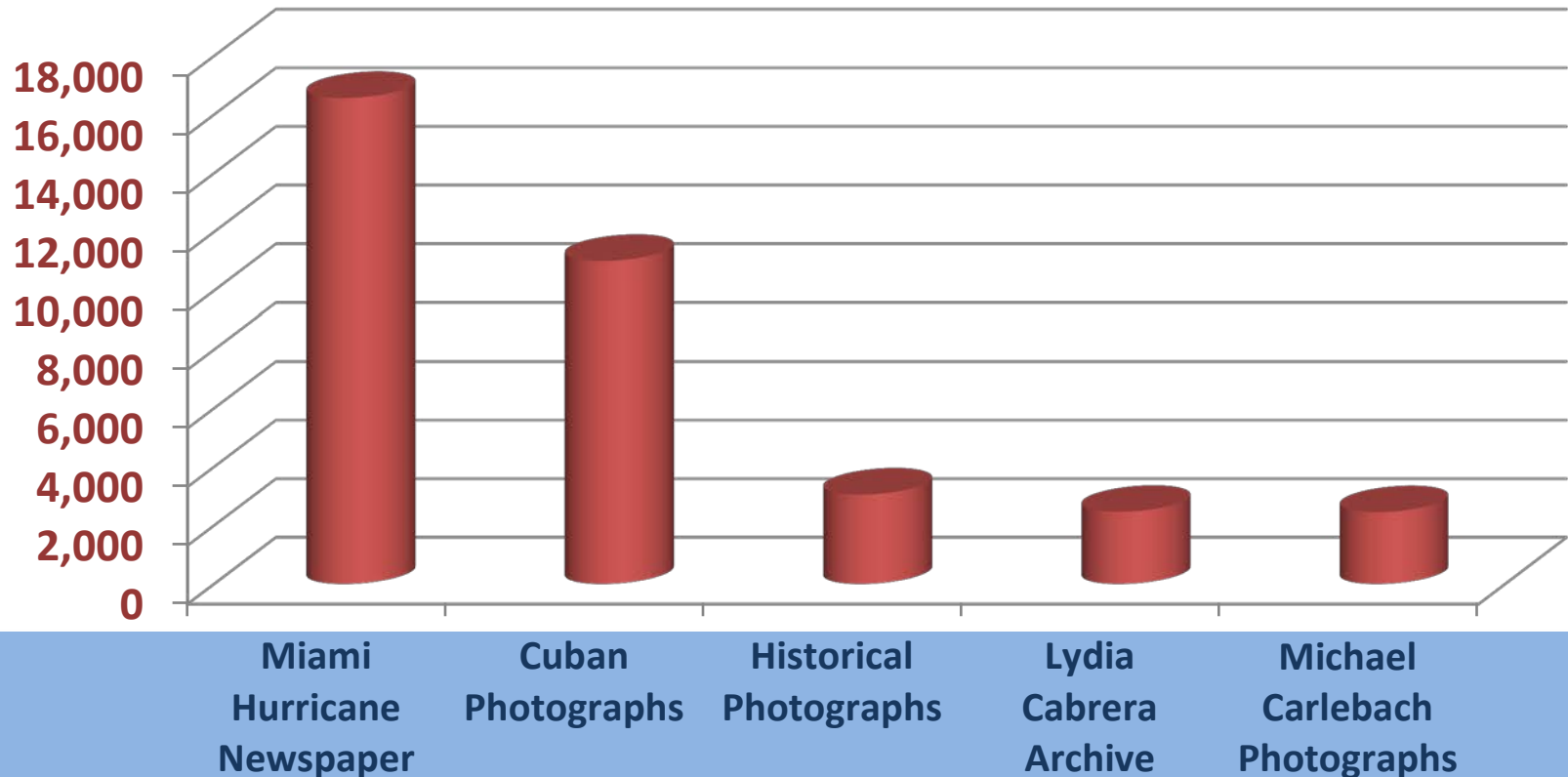
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First "big-name" band in history to play at a University of Miami dance, Enoch Light will bring his "Light Brigade," top-ranking swing sextet, the Dream Weavers, Oceanana Trio, and a band filled with entertaining talent to play at the Prom—the biggest social event of the school year.

Other featured members include vocalist Peggy Mann, dynamic mistress of blues; George Hines, guitarist and romantic singer; and Smith Howard, drummer, singer, and comedian.

"Light's On"

Direct from the Hotel Taft in New York City, where he was featured four times weekly for 20 months over Columbia and Mutual networks, "Putting on Airs—For You," Light at present is playing southern college dances and proms, climaxing his tour by appearing here on April 12.

Final arrangements for the annual affair are being completed this week by the committee, Humes Lasher, Prom Chairman, announced today. "We know that Enoch Light will not only make this year's Prom the largest and best one yet, but believe that

PROM COMMITTEE MEETS

Charlie Franklin, class president, has called a meeting of the Junior Prom Committee for next Tuesday morning, March 19, at 10:30 in the Social Hall. All members of the Committee are asked to be present at that time.

It will be an impetus for other classes that follow to secure name bands for University dances," he added.

Seniors Guests of Honor

Under the leadership of the band committee, Charlie Franklin, class president, and Lasher, and made possible by a Student Senate loan last week, the 1940 Prom was approved by the Organizations Finance Committee yesterday.

Given each year in honor of all graduating seniors, who will again be guests of the Junior Prom, the Prom will also include new decorations, features, and surprises. Tickets are priced at three dollars a couple or two dollars a person.

Judges Can Sleep For Another Week; Contest Undecided

As a result of the Campus Queen Contest announcement of last week's Hurricane, piles of paper have appeared in the Hurricane office. They were brought up from the book store, where the pictures of candidates were required to be filed.

"Ahhh," thought the Hurricane staff judges, carefully throwing away



Humes Lasher, Junior Prom Chairman

Collegian Majority Prefer Cigarettes; Over 50% Smokers

By JOE BELDEN, Editor
Student Opinion Surveys of America

Austin, Texas, March 14—As a group, college students are giving the tobacco growers a good business, for well over half of them report that they are smokers. Less than a third, however, smoke habitually, and half of the women who attend the nation's colleges and universities say they never indulge in cigarettes.

Sending out its scores of interviewers to talk to students of all types, the Student Opinion Surveys of America, with the Hurricane co-operating, has compiled statistics that show the tobacco habits of collegians.

"What is your favorite brand of cigarette?" a scientific cross section of the colleges was asked. And this is what they answered:

Lucky Strike	12.1%
Camel	10.4
Phillip Morris	8.0
Chesterfield	6.9
Old Gold	2.9
Pall Mall	2.3
All others	2.9
No particular choice	9.8
Smoke pipe, cigars only	3.4
Don't smoke	41.3

Both men and women in greater percentages prefer Luckies over any other brand (14.1 men, 8.8 women.) But the girls placed Phillip Morris second with 7.6 per cent, 7.1 per cent selecting Camels. The preferences of men run in exactly the same order as those for all students above.

Any caricature of the typical college woman as a habitual smoker appears to be erroneous, for only 21.6 per cent declare that they smoke regularly. Men use cigarettes, pipes, and cigars out of habit to quite a larger extent than the co-eds, 34.3 per cent, or over a third. The complete tabulations follow, statistically representing the entire U.S. college and university enrollment:

Men	Women	Both
34.3%	21.6%	29.5%

Smoke sometimes

By Fordham

Deadline For Petitions Is March 27; No Candidates Have Announced As Yet

With student government elections set for Monday, April 2, almost a month earlier than last year, campus politics is expected to jump to a new high next week.

Student candidates are busy erecting their platforms and campus political big-wigs are dusting off their soap boxes and stocking up in cigars, but as yet no petitions have appeared on the scene. Deadline for all petitions has been listed for Wednesday, March 27, by Ray Fordham, president of the student body.

Article IV of the Constitution, which was revised last year, regarding elections, reads:

Candidacy Announced

Section I—Each candidate for an office elected by the Student Association must be announced at least one week before election day by the filing

STRAW POLL NEXT WEEK

The Hurricane will conduct an unofficial pre-election poll this week, after petitions have started circulating, thus giving students a representative idea of the political pulse of the University two weeks before elections.

of a petition with the Secretary of the Student Association in accordance with Article V, Section 6 (d), the candidate's written consent.

Section I (a)—In case a signature appears on two or more petitions of different candidates for the same office, the signature shall be stricken from all petitions.

Section II—The President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer, and the members of the Honor Court shall be elected annually by a majority vote of the members of the Student Association voting. This election shall be held the month of April. Inauguration shall be in May.

Straw Vote Taken

In an unofficial pre-election straw poll conducted this week by the Hurricane, one hundred students were asked the question, "Who would you like to see elected President of the Student Body this year?"

Of the hundred queried, 64 were indifferent or "didn't know" at this point of the campaign. The remaining 46 votes were divided between Art Tracey, Charlie Franklin, Lloyd Whyte, Tommy Hüblich, and Humes Lasher.

However, this indifferent attitude on the part of the students will probably be removed this week, when a dozen petitions for various offices are expected to start circulating around



Pictured above are three of the smiling candidates for Kampus King and Kappa Sig Sweetheart—Lorraine Thompson, KKG, Vinnie McCormick, Lambda Chi, and Patty Holleran, ZTA.

Kappa Sigs Throw 8th Kaper Friday

Debaters Meet Two Opponents This Weekend

Two major varsity debates are scheduled for this weekend. Both tomorrow night's battle with St. Petersburg Junior College and Monday's double debate with Rollins will be held in the assembly room of the Social Hall with Jack Madigan, varsity debate manager, presiding.

Taking the negative on the question against Saint Petersburg will be Irving Lebowitz and Jerome Weinkle. Monday's double session will have Ben Axelroad, Jr. and Claud Corrigan on the affirmative, and the same Miami speakers for the negative. Actually two debates will be presented that evening with each college using both a negative and affirmative team.

The public is invited to both debates, which will begin promptly at 8:15. Judges for the debates will be selected tomorrow.

Miami Biltmore Is Scene Of Dance; 17 Vie For King, Sweetheart Titles

Just one more day and a few more hours until the questions of the week are solved: Who will be Kampus King? Who will be Kappa Sig Sweetheart?

Both will be crowned tomorrow night, as the feature of Kappa Sigma's eighth annual Kampus King Kapers. The fraternity members are exclusive voters on the winner of the girl's title, but the Kampus King will be elected by all students who attend the dance.

Scholarship To Be Awarded

To be staged at the Miami Biltmore to the music of Hem Olson's orchestra, the dance begins at ten o'clock. Admission price of \$2.00 a couple or \$1.25 stag, will be added to the Lou Chesna memorial scholarship fund.

The scholarship, established in memory of the great Miami fullback who died two years ago, is awarded annually to the outstanding high

Kyser Declares Walker Winner As 200 Cheer

Alma Jane Walker walked away with top honors and thirty-five dollars in cash last night when she won first prize at the national broadcast of Kay Kyser's program honoring the University of Miami, which 200 students had won the right to attend by sending in questions for use on "The College of Musical Knowledge," the quiz portion of the show.

Looking striking in a blue silk robe and mortarboard ornamented in yellow, Professor Kyser, who also leads the orchestra, awarded the second prize to John Galbraith who competed unsuccessfully with the winner in the final round, receiving twenty dollars for his efforts.

For the first time in the history of the program the audience and contestants were chosen by a competitive system. Virtually all of the Univer-

'Pygmalion'

Play Will Go On Boards Tomorrow, Saturday In Cardboard Theatre

To change a gutter-snipe to a princess—merely remove all crudeness from her voice. At least that's the theory which George Bernard Shaw's hero tries to prove in "Pygmalion," which is the production to be offered by the University Players tomorrow and Saturday nights at 8:30 in the Cardboard Theatre. Activity books will be honored both nights.

The heroine on whom the experiment is made will be played by Grace Berg on Friday night and by Jean Arnold Small on Saturday. As her tutor and guide to the ways of polite society, Professor Higgins, George Dawkins is cast. His associate in the experiment will be Meade Stockell as Colonel Pickering.

Complicating the process of developing a perfect lady is the lad who finds himself in love with her, Freddie Eynesford-Smith, as played by Lloyd Symansky. Freddie's whole family appears in the play, including Winona Wehle as his mother, and Shirley Haines as his sister Clara. Professor Higgins' mother is also an important influence on Eliza's metamorphosis. Mary Alice Kirton will have that role.

Not exactly in the family is Evelyn Auslander as Mrs. Pierce, Higgins' housekeeper. But Doolittle, the conscienceless Cockney, as played by Maxwell Marvin, is the father of the heroine. Jean Williams will be the parlormaid and the crowd in the rain in the first act will be composed of Edith Rosenbarn, Jack Bowers, and Elton Rosenblatt.

1940 Ibis Contains New Feature Section

Containing more pages and pictures than ever before, the 1940 Ibis will appear on campus during the first part of May, John C. Hopkins, editor-in-chief, announced this week. New features—including an eight-page pictorial section of the University and a separate feature section among others—will be found in this year's annual. With advertising coming in good, all indications point to one of the best yearbooks in history.

Any Junior, Senior, sorority, fraternity, or M-Club members may still have their pictures made at the Tooley-Myron Studios, located in the Ingraham Building, in Miami. Group shots of campus organizations will be published in the Hurricane next week.

With some coming in rather slow

The Miami Hurricane, March 14, 1940

the competition, making a note that when they finished reading over the news-sheets and removed a few miscellaneous papers, they could send their picture to New York, where a group of prominent artists are to choose the 48 state queens.

Who's the Winner?

Then the Miami girl, whose picture

as the favorite of the largest number in these sections. Phillip Morris, third nationally, showed its greatest strength in the West.

No interviewer detected any apparent desire to conceal information about smoking.

the sessions, has mapped out courses in 75 subjects. The bulletin will be available tomorrow, and registration for courses will be opened on the Friday and Saturday after the regular session for this semester closes, June 7 and 8.

Weinstein will quiz the English faculty with the test, "So you think you know literature." Prizes will be awarded to the winning and losing professors.

The student body is invited to attend the meeting.

Alpha; Vinnie McCormick, Lambda Chi Alpha; Marvin Goldman, Phi Epsilon Phi; and Hal Leviton, Tau Epsilon Phi. The King will be crowned at midnight by the Kappa Sig Sweetheart.

Candidates for Kappa Sig sweetheart are Martha Dorn, Betty Mae Serpas and Patty Holleran, Zeta Tau

five preliminaries. Betty Roth and Alma were chosen by lot from a tied group of runner-ups in the question part of the contest. The other two members of the group were Connie Caravasios and Virginia Veach. The same procedure in the men's division produced Alfred Holt as well as John

Singing of favorite German songs, a talk on German postage stamps, a crossword puzzle in German, and an informal program of anecdotes marked the second meeting of the Deutsches Verein.

Members of the German club worked out the puzzle, and sang such

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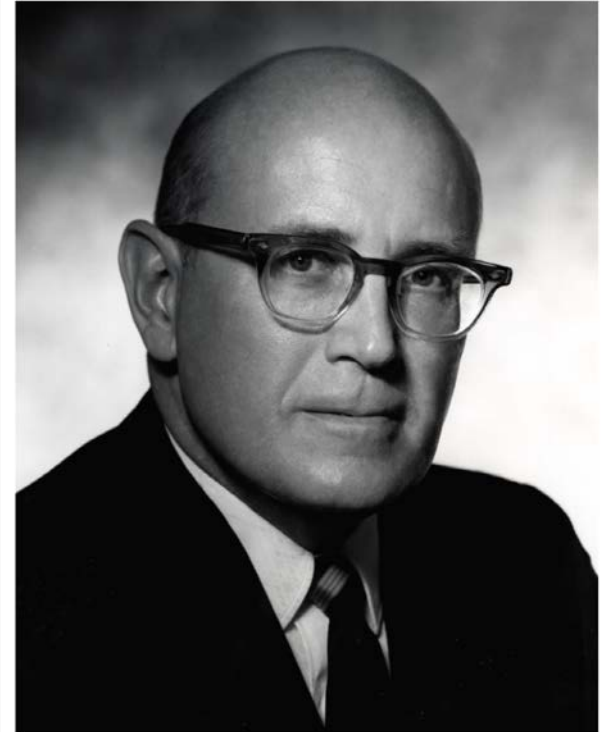
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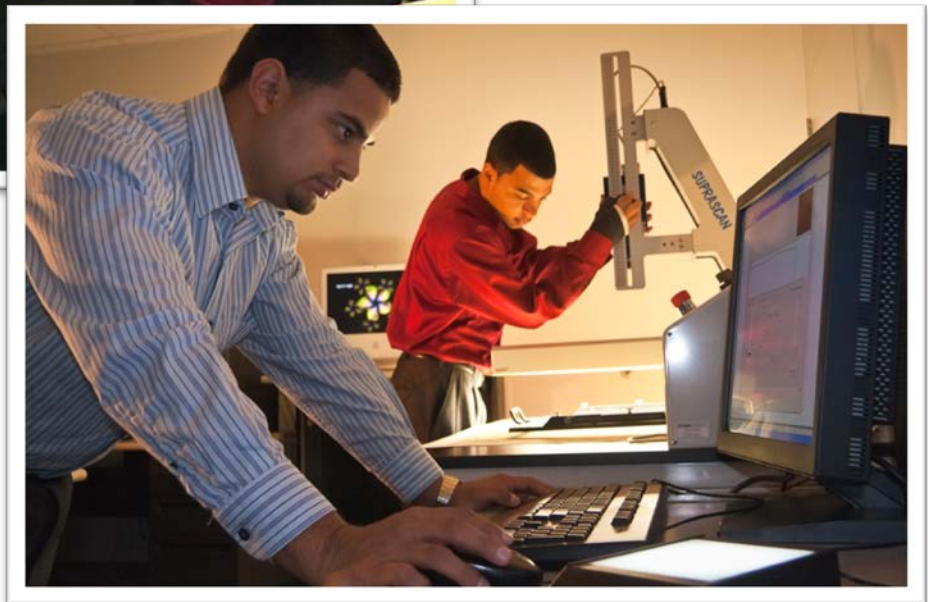
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OF
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As revised and approved - March 16, 1927.

ARTICLE I.

The name of this Corporation shall be UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI; its location Dade County, Florida.

ARTICLE II.

The purposes for which this Corporation is formed are as follows: To found, maintain, and conduct a scientific institution of learning; having a department of fine arts; a department of agriculture, mechanical and industrial arts; a scientific and classical department; a normal department for the training and instruction of white teachers; and such other departments as may from time to time be added in accordance with the provisions of the By-Laws; with particular emphasis on the regional problems and development of South Florida; the class rooms of said University, so far as practical, to be out of doors; to own, buy, sell and mortgage real estate and personal property; to borrow money in the name of the University; and to use all proceeds and income derived therefrom in its work and not for the benefit of the members of said corporation.

Charter Document, March 16, 1927
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ship and shall be elected as provided by the By-Laws of the Corporation.

ARTICLE IV.



**University Founders at the groundbreaking
of the Merrick Building, January 14, 1926**



Student Life in the 1960s

Images from the University of Miami's Special Collections



Cheerleader, 1960
There is a long tradition of cheerleaders cheering the homecoming football team. In the 1960s, cheerleaders were also involved in other school activities and events. The cheerleaders have been a vital part of the school spirit.



The Student Organization, 1960
Founded by an alumnus, the Student Organization was established in 1960. The group provides a variety of services to the student body, including financial aid, career counseling, and social activities. The organization has been a valuable resource for students for many years.



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Otto G. Richter Library building sign and donor plaque

MEMORANDUM

January 2, 1947

To: Mr. Maynard, Treasurer

From: D. B. Welsh

In re: Ben Danbaum, Inc.

Attached is check No. 2963 of Ben Danbaum, Inc., dated December 31, 1946, in the amount of \$1000.00, which is to be credited to the Expansion Fund.

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