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est Supervisor before work is begun. Each camp must be erected at the cost of at least four hundred dollars; this includes, of course, both materials and labor. A good road is being built across the Massanutten Mountain to connect with the state road at Luray, Virginia. This area will be accessible at all times when this road is completed.⁷

The forest serves the people in a direct and most useful way by protecting the municipal watersheds of some of the valley towns. Staunton has a watershed of thirty thousand acreas protected by the forest. Woodstock and Strasburg have watersheds protected by the forest and the watersheds of Edinburg and Harrisonburg are partially within the Shenandoah National Forest.

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CAMPUS POLITICS

A Study of the Various Methods of Student Elections in the Colleges of Virginia.

I N MAKING this study of the various methods of student elections in the colleges of Virginia, my object has been to determine the variety of procedure. Questionnaires were sent to the presidents of the Student Government organizations of fourteen colleges and with these authentic data, I have been able to study this variety

of procedure and to present it in tables. In none of the fourteen colleges here included does the faculty have the power of appointing to office any of the five major student offices considered. This is the only point on which the men's and women's colleges agree wholly.

The sources of nominations do not vary greatly. For president of Student Governmeet, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A. and Association, Athletic nominations are received in most cases from the Student Body. Sweet Briar and V. M. I. show a variation in that the president of Student Government is nominated from classes only. The president of the Y. M. C. A. at V. P. I. is nominated by the Y. M. C. A. Student Council composed of students from the Corps. No additional nominations may be made. V. P. I. also shows another striking variation. The president of the Athletic Association is nominated by the general Athletic Association whose membership is limited to those men who have paid the Athletic fee and are recognized members of the Association. At William and Mary the editor of the Annual is nominated by the retiring staff. This is the only case of its kind. In the other colleges all nominees for this office come from the Student Body or classes, usually Junior and Senior. In the case of the newspaper, the retiring staff has greater power in nominating the new editor.

TABLE 1-SOURCES OF NOMINATIONS TO VARIOUS OFFICES

Nominations are received:

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At	For Pres. Stud. Gov't. From	For Pres. Y.M.C.AY.W.C.A. From	For Pres. Ath. Asso. From	For Editor of Annual From	For Editor of Newspaper From
Farmville	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
Fredericksburg	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
Harrisonburg	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body and Retiring Staff
Hollins	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Retiring Staff
Radford	Upper Classes	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
Randolph-Macon Woman's College	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Junior and Senior Classes	Retiring Staff
Randolph-Macon College	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
Richmond College	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
Sweet Briar	Classes	Classes	Student Body	Junior Class	Retiring Staff
Virginia Military Institute	Classes	Student Body	Student Body	Classes	Classes
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	Student Body (Exec. Comm.).	Student Council of Y. M. C. A	Athletic Associati	onJunior Class	Retiring Editor
Washington and Lee	Student Body	Societies	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
Westhampton	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body
William and Mary	Student Body	Student Body	Student Body	Retiring Staff	Retiring Staff

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TABLE 2-EXTENT OF FACULTY APPROVAL

Nominations must be approved by the faculty:

	For Pres.	For Pres.	For Pres.	For Editor	For Editor
At Farmville	Stud. Gov't.	Y.M.C.AY.W.C.A.	Ath. Asso.	of Annual	of Newspaper
Farmville	No	No	No	No	No
Fredericksburg	Yes	No	No	No	No
Harrisonburg	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
	By Preside:	nt By President	By President	By President	By President
Hollins	of College.	of College	of College	of College	of College
	By Fac (c	mm By Fac Comn	1 By Fac Com	m By Fac Comm	By Fac Comm
Radford	on Stud Ac	tivitieson Stud Activi	ties on Stud Activ	vities on Stud Activi	ties on Stud Activition
Randolph-Macon Woman's College Randolph-Macon College Richmond College Sweet Briar	eNo	No	No	No	No
Randolph-Macon College	No	No	No	No	No
Richmond College	No	No	No	No	No
Sweet Briar	No	No	No	No	No
Virginia Military Institute	No	No	No	No	No
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	No	No	No	No	No
Washington and Lee	No	No	No	No	No
Virginia Military Institute Virginia Polytechnic Institute Washington and Lee Westhampton	Yes			Yes	Ves
William and Mary	No	No	No	No	No

TABLE 3-METHODS OF NOMINATING

Nominations are made:

At	For Pres.	For Pres. Y.M.C.AY.W.C.A.	For Pres.	For Editor	For Editor
	hve	here	had	1	of Newspaper
Farmville	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballet	Socrat Pallat	by Country D 11
Fredericksburg	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot
Harrisonburg					
Hollins	. (Nominating Com	mittee and Floor Nomina	ations Approved by at	Least Fifteen Student	s) Retiring Staff
	Nom Comm and	Nom Comm and	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and
Radford	. Stud. Comm	Stud. Comm			
	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and	Retiring Officers	(Secret Ballot)	(Secret Ballot)
Randolph-Macon Woman's College	. Stud. Body	Stud. Body	and Stud. Body	Retiring Staff	Retiring Staff
Randolph-Macon College	. Secret Ballot	From Floor	From Floor	From Floor	From Floor
Richmond College	. Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Retiring Staff
C . D .	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and		
Sweet Briar	.From Floor	From Floor	From Floor	Junior Class	Retiring Staff
Virginia Military Institute	. Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot	Secret Ballot
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	. Open Nomination	Open Nomination	Open Nomination.	Open Nomination.	
117-1'- 1 7	No Nomination		No Nomination	Posted List of	Posted List of
Washington and Lee	Necessary	Y. M. C. A. Cabinet.	Necessary		
Westhemater	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and	Nom. Comm. and
Westhampton	From Floor	From Floor	. From Floor	From Floor	From Floor
William and Mary	Secret Ballot	Nominating Comm.	Open Nomination		Ketiring Staff

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At none of the men's colleges must there be faculty approval of nominations. Westhampton and Harrisonburg are the only women's colleges in which faculty approval of nominations for all five offices is necessary. At Hollins the president of the college approves nominations and at Radford the Faculty Committee on Student Activities serves in this capacity. It is interesting to note that only nominations for president of Student Government must be approved at Fredericksburg. Sweet Briar, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, and Farmville are the only women's colleges in which faculty approval is not required.

The most popular methods of nominating are by secret ballot and by the nominating committee. V. P. I. uses the open nomination entirely except in the case of the editor of the newspaper. He is nominated by the retiring editor. At Washington and Lee all men interested in the positions of editor of the Annual and editor of the newspaper make application and automatically become nominees. Another method peculiar to this college is that no nomination is necessary for the presidency of Student Government and Athletic Association. In the election proper the man receiving the highest number of votes for each office is declared elected. Hollins makes use of the nominating committee but other nominations may be added from the floor with the approval of at least fifteen students. This does not hold true in the case of the

editor of the newspaper. All nominations for this office are made by the retiring staff.

V. P. I. and Randolph-Macon Woman's College show the only variation in the method of election proper. The other colleges use the secret ballot in all elections. At V. P. I. the presidents of Student Government, Y. M. C. A., and Athletic Association are elected by secret ballot but the editor of the Annual is elected by open vote and the editor of the newspaper by open recorded vote. At Randolph-Macon Woman's College the secret ballot method holds true in the first three offices named above, but the editor of the Annual is elected by a standing vote of the Junior and Senior classes and the editor of the newspaper by the retiring staff in any manner most convenient.

The use of the printed ballot is not as general as would be supposed. Farmville and Radford (women's colleges) use it in all five elections while V. M. I., Randolph-Macon College, Westhampton, Sweet Briar, Hollins, and Harrisonburg do not in any one of them. Washington and Lee and Richmond College use it in all elections except that of president of Y. M. C. A. At Randolph-Macon Woman's College its only use is in the election of president of Student Government. It may be noted, after a study of Table 4, that the printed ballot, a form used in national and state. politics, is as popular in the women's colleges as in the men's.

TABLE 4-USE OF THE PRINTED BALLOT

The printed ballot is used in the elections	The	printed	ballot	is	used	in	the	elections
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At	Student Gov't	of Pres. Y.M.C.A. Y.W.C.A.	Ath. Asso.	Annual	Newspaper
Farmville	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Frederickshurg	Yes	Yes	No	INO	
Harrisonhurg	No	No	INO	INO	110
Hollins	No	No	No	No	INO
Radford	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Pandolph Macon Woman's College	Yes	No	No	No	NO
Pandalah Macon College	No	No	NO	IN O	INO
Richmond College	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Sweet Brian	No	No	INO	INO	110
Virginia Military Institute	No	No	No	No	No
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	Yes	No	Yes	INO	INO
Washington and Lee	Ves	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Westhampton	No	No	No	No	No
William and Mary	Yes	Yes	No	No	No

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TABLE 5-METHODS OF CASTING VOTES

Votes are cast:

٨٠	For Pres.	For Pres.	For Pres.	For Editor	For Editor
At	Stud. Gov t.	Y.M.C.AY.W.C.A.	Ath. Asso.	ot Annual	of Newspaper
77 111	at (on)	at (on)	at (on)	at (on)	at (on)
Farmville	Poll-Election Day	Poll-Election Day	Poll-Election Day	.Poll-Election Day	Poll-Election Day
riedencksburg	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Stud. Body Meeting.	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Stud. Body Meeting.	Stud Body Meeting
Harrisonburg	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud. Body Meeting.	Stud Body Meeting	Stud Body Meeting
Hollins	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud Body Meeting	Stud Body Meeting	Staff Meeting
Radford	Poll-Election Day	Poll-Flection Day	Poll-Flection Day	Poll Floction Day	Doll Floation Don
		in Dicetion Day	i on Election Day	Junior and Senior	I OII-Liection Day
Randolph-Macon Woman's College	Poll-Election Day	V W C A Masting	Poll Floation Day	Class Masting	CL CAF .:
Randolph-Macon College	Stud Dody Mosting	Stad Dede Meeting.	Fon-Election Day	Class Meeting	Staff Meeting
Randolph-Macon College	Dell Election D	. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud. Body Meeting
Richmond College	Poll-Election Day	. Election Day	Poll-Election Day	. Poll-Election Day	Poll-Election Day
Sweet Briar	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Class Meeting	Staff Meeting
Virginia Military Institute	Class Meeting	. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud. Body Meeting.	. Class Meeting	Class Meeting
		Y. M. C. A. Stud.			
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	Poll-Election Day	. Council Meeting	Poll-Election Day	Class Meeting	Ath Council Meeting
Washington and Lee	Poll-Election Day	Y. M. C. A. Meeting.	Poll-Election Day	Poll-Flection Day	Poll-Flection Day
Westhampton	Stud. Body Meeting.	Y.W.C.A. Meeting	Stud Body Meeting	Stud Body Masting	Stud Pody Mosting
William and Mary	Stud Body Meeting	Stud Body Meeting	Stud Body Moeting.	Society Meeting.	Stud. Body Meeting
		. Stud. Body Meeting	Stud. Dody Meeting.	. Society meeting	Society Meeting

TABLE 6-METHODS OF COUNTING VOTES

Votes are counted in the elections:

		of Pres.			
At			of Pres. Ath.	of Editor	of Editor
	Gov't. by	by	Asso. by	Annual by	Newspaper by
Farmville	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee
Fredericksburg	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee
		Retiring Y. W. C. A.			
Harrisonburg	Student Council	Cabinet	Council	Retiring Staff	. Retiring Staff
Hollins	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee	Presiding Officer
Radford	Electoral Board	Electoral Board	Electoral Board	.Electoral Board	. Electoral Board
					Retiring Editor
Randolph-Macon Woman's College	Appointed Comm	Appointed Comm	. Appointed Comm	. Appointed Comm	or Appointee
Randolph-Macon College	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee	Student Committee
Richmond College	Student Senate	Student Senate	Student Senate	Student Senate	Student Senate
Sweet Briar	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee	Staff Members
Virginia Military Institute	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee
		Y. M. C. A. Council			
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	Executive Comm.	Committee	Ath. Asso. Officers	. Class Officers	. Sect'v Ath. Council
Washington and Lee	Student Committee	Sec'v Y. M. C. A	Student Committee.	Student Committee	Student Committee
Westhampton	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee	Student Committee
William and Mary	Student Committee	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	Student Committee.	.Student Committee

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The preceding table gives the methods by which votes are cast. It may be noted that those colleges using the printed ballot also make use of the poll and have a set election day. The custom of voting at Student Body meetings seems to be the most popular and general.

Richmond College and Radford use the most parliamentary form in the counting of votes. The Student Senate at Richmond College does this work and at Radford it is the duty of the Electoral Board. Randolph-Macon Woman's College uses an appointed committee in each case with the exception of that of editor of the newspaper. The retiring editor or her appointee does the counting of votes for this office. V. P. I. and Harrisonburg show the greatest variation in methods. A different organization or group does the counting for each office.

The business managers of the Athletic Associations, Annuals, and newspapers are -with few exceptions-elected. The business managers of the Athletic Associations at Washington and Lee and Randolph-Macon College, of the Annual at William and Mary, and the newspapers at William and Mary and Randolph-Macon Woman's College, are appointed. Sweet Briar, Richmond College, and V. P. I. do not have a business manager of the Athletic Association. At V. P. I. this office is filled by an officer appointed by the Athletic Council and known as the Graduate Manager of Athletics. He must be a graduate of the college and must have been an athlete at the institution when he was a student.

TABLE 7-BUSINESS MANAGERS-ELECTED OR APPOINTED

At	Bus. Mgr. Ath. Asso. is	Bus. Mgr. of Annual is	Bus. Mgr. of Newspaper is
Farmville	Elected	Elected	Elected
Frederickshurg	Elected	Elected	Elected
Harrisonburg	Elected	Elected	Elected
Hollins	Elected	Elected	Elected
Radford	Elected	Elected	Elected
Randolph-Macon Woman's College .	Elected	Elected	Appointed
Randolph-Macon College	Appointed	Elected	Elected
Richmond College		Elected	Elected
Sweet Briar		Elected	Elected
Virginia Military Institute	Elected	Elected	Elected
Virginia Polytechnic Institute		Elected	Elected
Washington and Lee	Appointed	Elected	Elected
Westhampton	Elected	Elected	Elected
William and Mary	Elected	Appointed	Appointed

TABLE 8-TIME OF THE YEAR OF NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

Nominations and elections take place:

For Editor For Pres. For Pres. For Pres. For Editor Student Y.M.C.A. Y.W.C.A. of of Annual Newspaper Ath. Asso. Gov't. At in the in the in the in the in the .Spring.....Spring.....Spring Spring..... .Spring..... Farmville Spring.....Spring.....Spring..... Spring Fredericksburg Spring Spring Spring..... Spring..... Spring.....Spring..... Harrisonburg Spring.....Spring..... Spring..... Hollins Spring..... Spring.... Fall Fall Spring..... .Spring.... Radford Randolph-Macon Woman's College Spring..... Spring Spring..... .Spring..... Spring.... Randolph-Macon CollegeSpring..... Fall..... Spring.... Spring Spring.... Spring.... Spring.... Spring..... Spring Richmond College Spring.....Spring..... Spring.... Spring Sweet Briar Virginia Military Institute Spring..... Fall..... Fall.....Spring..... Spring Fall..... Spring.....Spring.....Spring..... Spring Virginia Polytechnic Institute Spring..... Spring..... Spring Spring..... Spring..... Washington and LeeSpring..... Spring Spring..... Spring..... Spring..... William and Mary Spring..... Spring..... Spring..... Spring..... Spring

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Table 8 shows that all but six elections take place in the spring. These six are held in the fall—three at V. M. I., two at Radford, and one at Randolph-Macon College. Some advantages in elections at these particular times may be quoted.

V. M. I.

(Presidents of Student Government, Y. M. C. A., and Athletic Association.)

"The logical time for such elections."

(Editors of Annual and newspaper.)

"To allow as much time as possible for preparation."

V. P. I.

(Presidents of Student Government, Y. M. C. A., and Athletic Association.)

"So they can get their officers, committees, etc. organized before the school year is over and can do such work as they may deem necessary during the summer."

(Editor of Annual)

"It is advantageous for the editor to begin work promptly on the Annual for the next year and in this case, when the election returns are announced, he can begin his work during the summer."

(Editor of Newspaper)

"Same as editor of Annual. He will also have ample time to pick his staff."

Richmond College

"Gives incoming officers chance to have help of outgoing officers."

Randolph-Macon College

"That they may be in position to act in September."

(Editor of Newspaper)

"An issue of the paper is gotten out before the students arrive which gives information to new students."

William and Mary

"The incoming officers can have the help of the outgoing officers and will also have summer to plan ahead. Also has advantage of being choice of Seniors who know students best fitted."

Sweet Briar

(Editors of Annual and Newspaper.) "An early election makes possible better contracts with publishers."

Westhampton

(President of Student Government.)

"Have one month before going into office to get idea of how things are done and in our case to have time to prapare to attend Southern Conference of Student Government."

Hollins

"Gives incoming officers the opportunity of working under guidance of outgoing officers."

Randolph-Macon Woman's College (Editor of Newspaper)

"The new staff edits the last two issues of the year. This enables them to begin their tasks with the advice of the retired staff."

Radford

(President of Athletic Association.)

"The president of the Athletic Association, not having so much to do in the first month of school, may be chosen in October."

It is most interesting to note that only in the women's colleges is high scholarship a requirement for eligibility. At the men's colleges residence term, ability, experience, and popularity play the largest part in determining the office-holder. Fredericksburg shows an unusual variation in that the business managers of the Annual and newspaper must be commercial students.

This study of the methods of student elections in the colleges of Virginia has been detailed and through it I have presented every phase of the election except the inevitable electioneering and "log-rolling." This phase is always present but most diffi-

TABLE 9-QUALIFICATIONS OF THE OFFICE-HOLDER

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a area

The qualifications that make for eligibility: For Pres.							
At	For Pres. Stud. Gov't. are	Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. are	For Pres. Ath. Asso. are	For Bus. Mgr. Ath. Asso. are	For Editor of Annual are	For Bus. Mgr of Annual and Newspaper are	For Editor
Farmville	Jun. or Sen	. Jun. or Sen	. Jun. or Sen	. Jun. or Sen	. Jun. or Sen	Jun. or Sen	Jun. or Sen.
Fredericksburg	Senior 80% Average	80% Average .	High Academic .Standing	High Academic . Standing	High Academic Standing	Commercial Student	High Academic Standing
Harrisonburg	Average "C" .	. Average "C" .	Average "C" .	Average "C" .	Average "C" .	. Average "C" .	Average"C"
Hollins	"C" on all Subjects	"C" on all Subjects	"C" on all Subjects	"C" on all Subjects	"C" on all Subjects	"C" on all Subjects	"C" on all .Subjects
Radford	Academic	High Academic Standing	High Academic Standing	High Academic Standing	High Academic Standing	High Academic . Standing	High Academic Standing
Randolph-Macon Woman's College	80% Average.	. 80% Average.	. 80% Average.	80% Average.	80% Average.	80% Average.	80% Average
Randolph-Macon College	Popularity	Popularity	.Popularity	Popularity	Popularity	Popularity	.Popularity
Richmond College	Popularity	Popularity	Member of Varsity Club.	Member of Varsity Club.	Experience	. Experience	Experience
Sweet Briar	No failures	No failures	No failures	(No such	High Academic . Standing	High Academic . Standing	High Academic . Standing
Virginia Military Institute	Leadership	Interest	. Leadership	Ability	. Ability	.,Ability	Ability
Virginia Polytechnic Institute	Academic Junior	Academic Junior	Academic Junior	(No Such Office)	Academic Junior	Academic Junior	Academic Junior
Washington and Lee	Residence Term of Three Years		Residence Term of Three Years	(No Such . Office)			
Westhampton	Academic	Senior; High Academic . Standing	Academic	Junior or Senior	Senior ; High Academic Standing	Junior or . Senior	.Senior
William and Mary							

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cult to measure. I have presented in detail faculty powers of censorship, methods of nominations and elections, the use of the printed ballot and the popularity of "Election Day at the Polls," and the qualifications that make for eligibility. It would seem from the foregoing tables that no one college shows outstanding value in methods of procedure. If one college excels the others in a certain method or form, it is soon paralleled by another of unusual value in another college.

LORRAINE GENTIS

AN ACCORDION BOOK

A Unit in Industrial Arts and History for the Upper Grades or the Junior High School.

Situation: The class had made different types of alphabets and wanted a book in which they could mount them. The question thus came, "What is the best book for this purpose, and how shall we make it?"

I. What the Children Did

- 1. They discussed books they had previously made:
 - a. By fastening sheets together with brads.
 - b. By folding paper, punching three holes, and lacing with raffia.
 - c. By sewing several signatures together.
- 2. They examined material supplied jointly by teacher and pupils consisting of books, pictures, and charts.
- 3. They decided to make the accordion book because:
 - a. It would best show sequence.
 - b. It could be made of "home materials".
 - c. It was a new type of book.
- 4. They secured further information about the accordion book by:
 - a. Consulting the art supervisor.
 - b. Reading.

- c. Writing to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York City, and to paper companies.
- 5. They planned the book by:
 - a. Deciding to use old tablet backs for the covers and to have them 4¹/₂ in. by 6 in.; deciding to use two strips of brown wrapping paper each 5³/₄ in. by 20¹/₂ in. for leaves.
 - b. Discussing the cover paper and the design for same.
- 6. They made the book by:
 - a. Measuring and folding the paper for the pages.
 - b. Pasting the two strips together. See Fig. 1.

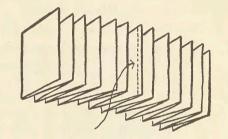


FIGURE 1

- c. Cutting the cardboard to the desired size.
- d. Covering the cardboard with the cover paper.
- e. Pasting the folded pages to the cover. See Fig. 2.

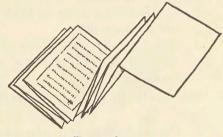


FIGURE 2

- f. Drawing and then painting the cover design.
- 7. They decided to leave a record for ensuing classes consisting of: