

HAZEL E. GRAHAM COLLECTION

Papers, 1935-1970
(Predominantly, 1935-61)

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The papers of Hazel E. Graham were placed in the University Archives in June of 1970 by Miss Graham when she retired and received emeritus appointment from Wayne State University. Her papers were opened for research in October, 1973.

Miss Hazel E. Graham, long active as teacher in the Clinical Psychology section of the Department of Education, was born in 1906, in Crescent Gardens, Belfast, Northern Ireland. Immigrating to the United States in 1926, she enrolled in the Detroit Teachers' College from where she received her baccalaureate in 1931. Subsequently, she taught in the Detroit public schools from 1931-34. In 1934, after earning her M.A. degree at Wayne, she joined the faculty of the College of Education as a substitute instructor of two departments, Psychology and English Education. In 1956 she became a special associate professor and in 1958 was promoted to associate professor, a rank she held until her retirement in June of 1970. Post graduate work was done at Columbia University, Rorschach Institute, University of Michigan, and the University of Chicago.

In the course of her thirty-four years of teaching at Wayne State University she helped Dr. Gertha Williams set up and inaugurate the present Master's Program in Clinical Psychology. An important phase of the program was the introductory course during which the students visited various institutions or agencies to learn of the type of service offered, the scope of the work, the problems encountered and the relationship of the agency to other agencies engaged in public services in Metropolitan Detroit.

Since her work in the graduate school was largely in the testing courses, she was designated by the Psychological Corporation to administer the giving of the M.A.T. in the University. As Director of the Psychological Corporation Test Center at Wayne State University she extended psychometric services to applicants to the Syracuse Home Study Experimental Program, to the Medical College and Engineering College of the University of Minnesota, and to managerial applicants at various national corporations.

Committee work have all been continuing commitments through her many years here, and included among the many have been the YWCA 1939-43, Alumni Faculty Conference 1966-67, College of Education Centennial Committee 1967-68, University Social Committee 1966-69, School Diagnostician Certification 1958-70, and Board of Governors College of Education Alumni Association 1967-69. In addition to committee work she was one of the sponsors for Sigma Rho Chi which ultimately became affiliated with the national Alpha Sigma Alpha. To the end of her career she was the honorary advisor to the EPX Alumni group. She herself was affiliated with Alpha Delta Kappa.

Miss Graham was requested by Dr. Rosecrance, then Dean of the College of Education, to write a chapter on "The School Psychologist" for his School Guidance and Personnel Services, Allyn and Bacon, Boston, 1960. She also collaborated with Perceval Symmonds on "Development of Case Histories of Rejected Children."

Her professional memberships included the American Psychological Association, American Association of University Professors, Detroit Women Administrators Association, and the Association of Faculty Women. She attended the International Congress of Psychology in Moscow, U.S.S.R., in August, 1966. While on sabbatical leave she did research on the duties of school diagnosticians. Conducted in the Tri-County area in the fall and winter quarters of 1968, her study was completed March 19, 1969.

The papers reflect her career at Wayne State University and in particular her interest and involvement in the Introductory Clinical Psychology Course that began in 1935 and terminated in 1970.

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Gertha Williams

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