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To the Administrative Committee
of the Summer Session:

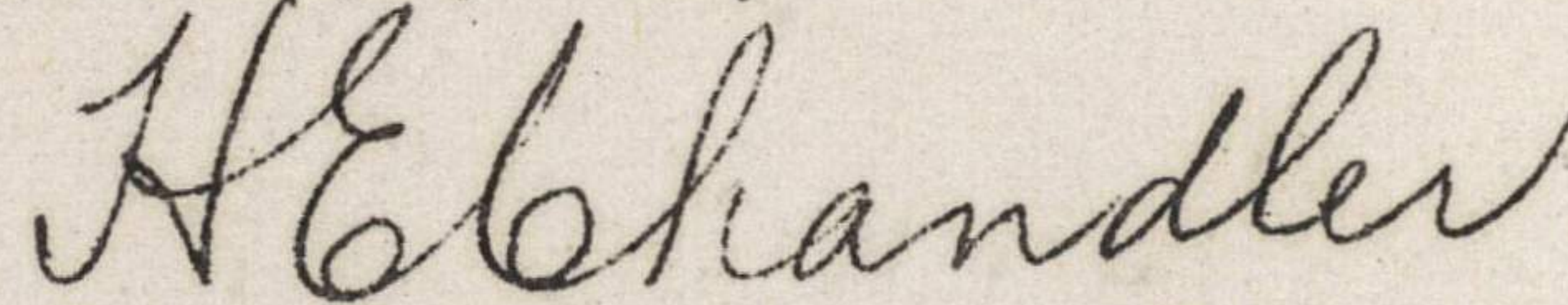
On the following pages you will find the statistical report covering the work of the 1939 Summer Session. The usual tables are included and cover the same ground as those of previous years. In the interest of brevity a few of them have been shortened slightly. If the committee wishes more detailed information on any item it will be furnished on request.

Our net enrollment increased 35 over 1938. In credit hours earned there was a slight decrease amounting to 57.5 hours. This indicates a tendency for students to decrease the size of their summer load. This would seem to be a wholesome trend and ought to result in better work. The average cost per credit hour was \$5.94 a slight decrease from the \$6.00 cost of 1938.

Most departments maintained a healthy enrollment and did not show great fluctuations from last year. The most serious situations were in the departments of chemistry, French, home economics, Latin, Spanish and zoology. The low enrollments and correspondingly high costs in these departments demand our careful scrutiny.

The activity and recreational program under the direction of Dr. Allen was very effective and elicited a fine response from the student body. Excellent musical entertainment was furnished by the faculty of the School of Fine Arts and by the Summer Music Camp. The education conference and the reading clinic were both well attended. The education forum committee brought in two speakers who presented discussions not directly related to education. These meetings were particularly well attended and interesting. One speaker furnished by the National Society for Art Appreciation presented an illustrated lecture to a good audience. The success of these three meetings indicates that there is a place for a few good lectures as part of our summer entertainment program. It is recommended that this matter receive your attention as plans for next year are made.

Sincerely yours,



Secretary of the
Summer Session

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