

# COLLEGE ENROLLMENT MAY REACH 350 TO SMASH RECORDS IN 7th SUCCESSFUL OPENING

## FACULTY ADDITIONS PROBABLE DUE TO LARGE ENROLLMENT

Enrollment Is Much Higher  
Than Expected — College  
Draws From Suburbs

With the total of enrolled students rapidly nearing 350 today, the probability that several new instructors would be added to the faculty of Youngstown College was greatly increased.

The new instructors will probably be added to the business administration departments, and to the mathematics-science staff, Business Manager R. A. Witchey said.

The illness of Director Jones last week delayed the selection of the teachers, but it is understood that there are several under consideration.

The enrollment of 350 students surpassed all the predictions made by faculty and administration members concerning the size of Youngstown College for the fall semester. Officials said they had not counted on such a large out-of-town enrollment.

A much larger proportion of the student body this year has come from surrounding towns than previously. More than a dozen have enrolled from Warren, there are several here from Sharon and New Castle, and one student whose name could not be ascertained, is believed to have come from New Wilmington, Pa., the location of Westminster College.

The increased enrollment in Youngstown College is following the general trend forecast by experts this year, who said that the larger colleges would find themselves with fewer students, and the smaller colleges with more. They claimed that the reason for the exodus was chiefly financial; that many prospective students had given up the idea of larger college life in preference to living nearer their homes at less expense.

The present school is a far cry from the first establishment of a liberal arts college in Youngstown. There were only 50 students in the first school in 1921, and the classes were held in the Y. M. C. A. building.