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<td>Abstract</td>
<td>The information contained in the <strong>Sodalitas Latina records</strong> include bound meeting books that outlined meeting activities, members, and financies of the organization; and invitations and correspondence to events promoted and sponsored by the organization. The Sodalitas Latina was the name of the Latin Club formed during the 1915-16 school year and this is a small sample of records of this student organization. Materials in the collection date from 1915 through 1945.</td>
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Historical Note

A Latin Club, known as the Soladitas Latina, was organized during the 1915-16 school year by the students of the Latin Department and was open to students majoring or minoring in Latin. It had a two-fold objective: first the cultivation of acquaintance and good fellowship among the students specializing in Latin; second, the stimulation of interest in classical studies. There was both a senior and junior branch which met semi-monthly, the two branches meeting together once a month. The programs consisted of songs, readings, reports, informational talks and presentations of Latin plays. According to the description of the club in the 1922 Bulletin for the Michigan State Normal College, 'occasionally the meetings are of a purely social character.' Benjamin L. D'Ooge, Orland O. Norris and Clara Janet Allison, all faculty of the Latin Department were involved with the organization.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Conditions Governing Access note

Researchers are asked to request materials 24 hours prior to visiting the University Archives.

Related Materials

Related Archival Materials note

Researchers interested in the teaching of Latin or Classical studies may be interested in viewing the materials in the Benjamin L. D'Ooge papers (010.BLD)

Controlled Access Headings
Personal Name(s)

- D'Ooge, Benjamin L.

Subject(s)

- Campus Life
- College campuses
- Latin language
- Michigan State Normal College
## Collection Inventory

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