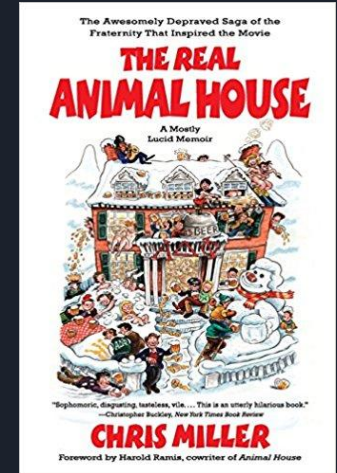
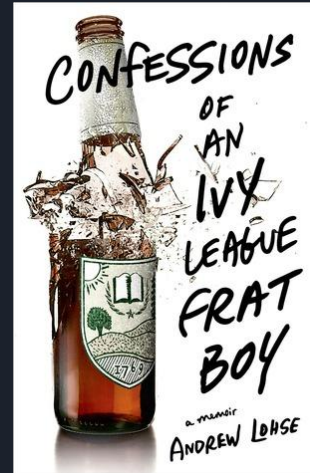
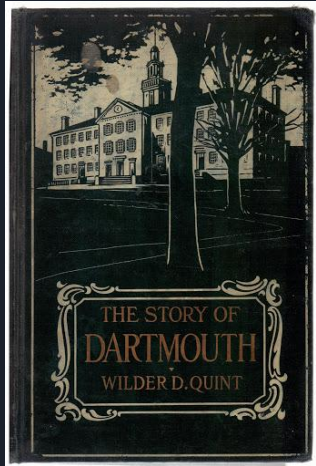


# Writing 5 Historical Dartmouth Presentation

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# Final Paper

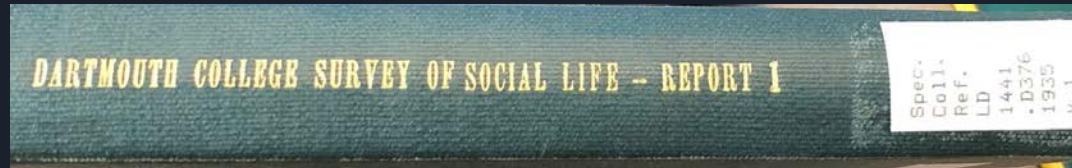
Potential Thesis/Concept: Using the various primary and secondary sources pertaining to aspects of Dartmouth's social life throughout the college's history, to what extent is drinking portrayed as necessary for thriving social spaces at Dartmouth.





# Dartmouth College Survey of Social Life 1935

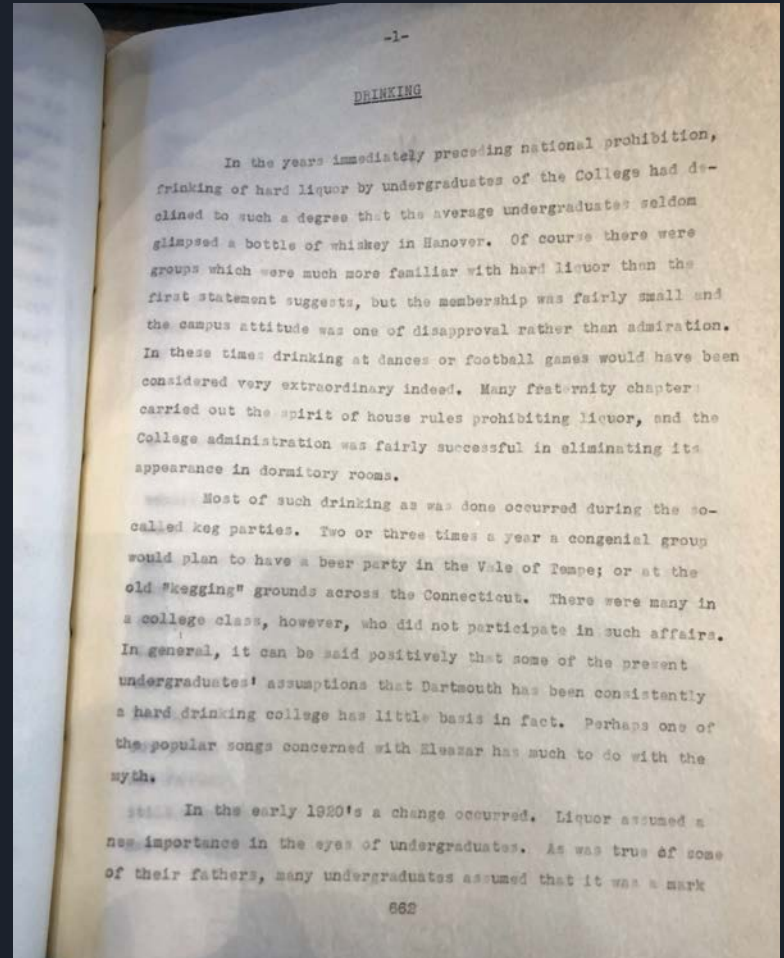
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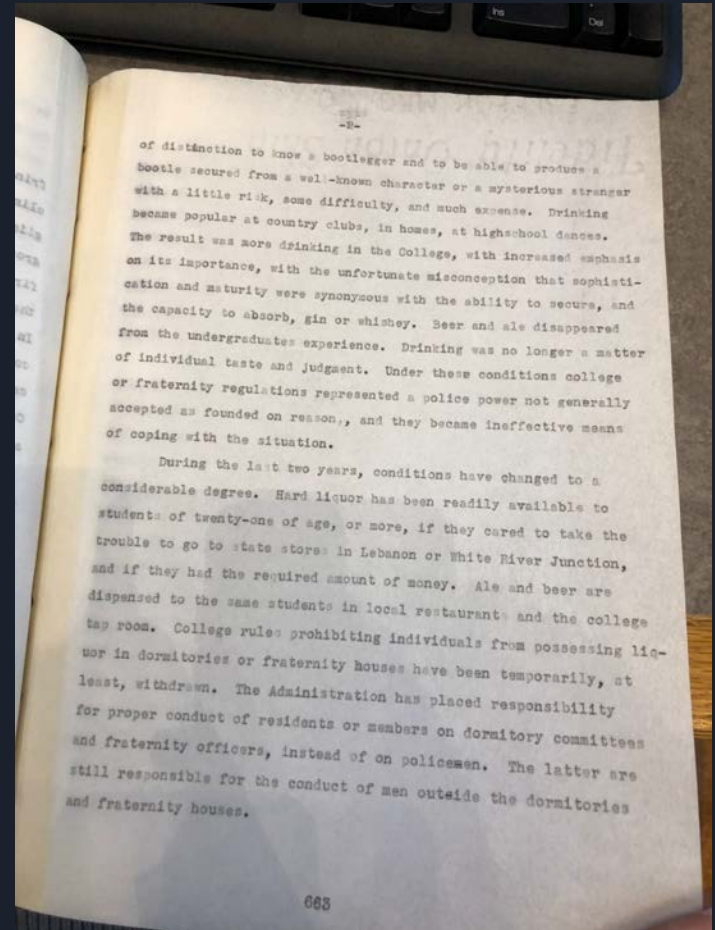
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Composed in 1935 two years after the end of the prohibition, the survey takes college drinking as a serious topic in discussion. This first page offers an introduction to the matter discussing early 20's drinking at Dartmouth.



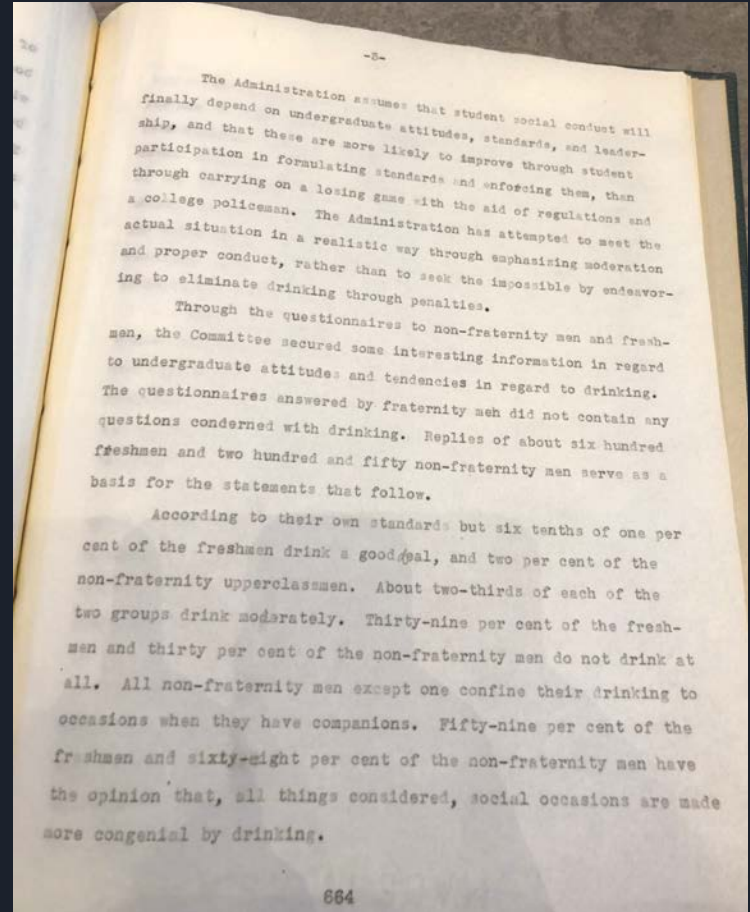
# Post-Prohibition Drinking at Dartmouth cont.

This particular piece of the six page section on drinking highlights access to alcohol during the 1920's. The passage touches on the fact that many students had a trusted bootlegger to produce them with bottles of liquor when needed.



# Post-Prohibition Drinking at Dartmouth cont.

This page of the section written summarizing the drinking at Dartmouth states that the administration's belief is that they can never eliminate drinking on the campus. Specifically they think that it will be a development of the student body's mentality on the matter to eventually bring drinking to a more secondary issue of the college.



# Student Surveys

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leisurely		17	7	38	8	44	18	2	11	41
half hr.		11	7	14	7	17	5	2	50	19
8. Drink	a. Much			6	1	17	4	1	25	5
	Moderately	2								
	Not at all	42	19	1		1				
b. Usually in company		13	3	38	11	43	19	9	4	1
	Usually alone	44	18	38	10	25	8	2	126	49
			1			43	18	3	125	46
9. Soc. occasions more congenial by drinking	Yes	39	17	34	9	43	17	3	119	43
	No	14	3	20	6	25	7	2	61	16
10. Drinking here dif. from away from Hanover	Drink more	4	2	5	3	8	3		17	8
	Drink less	14	6	11	5	22	5	2	44	16
	No difference	36	12	38	7	35	19	3	112	38
1. Recreational and social pursuits most attractive	Pool	15	4	13	4	18	9	1	47	17
	Billiards	4	3	9	2	12	3		26	8
	Ping Pong	23	5	30	8	40	15	2	95	29
	Radio	42	15	45	12	47	24	5	139	51
	Bridge	28	11	26	7	32	14		86	32
	Poker	9	4	5	4	13	6	2	29	14
	Other card games	12	3	11	6	18	11		47	20
	Piano	5	4	10	2	11	3		26	9
	Victrola	13	8	13	4	17	9	1	44	21
	Touch football	25	9	27	7	29	13	3	84	29
	Indoor baseball	13	2	11	3	15	3	2	41	8
	Beer Parties	8	1	14	3	16	8		38	12
	Use of Tower Room	33	8	25	5	29	17	3	90	30
	Bull sessions	36	15	42	11	39	21	3	120	47
	Others <i>Swimming + other sports</i>	5	1	13		12	1		30	2
	<i>Hockey + skating</i>	2	1		1	1	2		3	4
	<i>Chess</i>	2	1			1			3	1
	<i>Cocktail parties</i>									
	<i>Concerts</i>									
	<i>Reading</i>		2	1					1	3
	<i>Handball</i>	2								