

## **Inventory of items found in Carpenter Sports Building Time Capsule**

On August 27, 2012, contractors working on the renovation and expansion of Carpenter Sports Building discovered the building's time capsule embedded in the front façade of the building. The box holding the capsule was damaged at this time by a backhoe used to remove the concrete. Athletics' Department staff opened the box to determine the state of the contents, which were found to be in good condition. University Archives staff viewed the contents of the box on August 30, 2012, and prepared this inventory on August 31, 2012.

### Newspapers

*The Review*, May 22, 1942. (Item torn by construction equipment)

*The Newark Post*, May 21, 1942 (Item torn by construction equipment)

*Journal – Every Evening*, March 19, 1942 (Item torn by construction equipment)

*Journal – Every Evening*, May 22, 1942 (Item torn by construction equipment – full upper-left corner of paper torn off)

*Wilmington Morning News*, May 23, 1942 (Item torn by construction equipment – full upper-left corner of paper torn off)

*The Morning News*, November 16, 1967 (2 sections)

Clipping – May 21, 1942, *Wilmington Morning News*, “New Field House Stone to be Laid”

### Catalogs

*Bulletin of the University of Delaware*, 1941-42 – Delaware College, The Women's College, University Divisions (Item torn by construction equipment)

*Bulletin of the University of Delaware*, September 1941 – President's Report (Item torn by construction equipment)

*Bulletin of the University of Delaware*, 1941 Financial Report - **\*\* Evidence of previous mold growth on item, with risk of growth becoming active again, causing mold bloom – Item disposed of on advice of Archives Coordinator. University Archives is in possession of other copies of this item.**

### Publications

*Delaware Alumni Bulletin* – December 1940

*Delaware Alumni Bulletin* – April 1941

*Delaware Alumni Bulletin* – May 1941

*Delaware Alumni Bulletin* – October 1941

*Delaware Alumni Bulletin* – December 1941

*Delaware Alumni Bulletin* – April 1942

*The Freshman Handbook*, 1941-42

*University of Delaware, 1743 – 1940* (Item extensively torn by construction equipment)

*Delaware Intramural Handbook 1967-68*

*Introducing Dodge Adventurer* – truck advertisement from Chrysler – 1960s

#### Programs

*University of Delaware Twenty-Ninth Annual Inter-Scholastic Track and Field Meet*, Saturday May 16, 1942 (2 copies)

*Football - West Chester vs. Delaware* – September 27, 1941

*Football – Dickinson vs. Delaware* – October 18, 1941

*Football – Mount St. Mary's vs. Delaware* – November 1, 1941

#### Miscellaneous

*Annual Report of the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics and Physical Education* – April 30, 1942 (Paper in somewhat poor and crumpled condition – fragile; Item extensively torn by construction equipment)

*Athletic Facilities, North Campus* report and copy of blueprint– August 23, 1966 (Paper in somewhat poor and crumpled condition – fragile; Item torn by construction equipment)

List of First Staff of Carpenter Sports Building with signatures and four 1967 pennies – November 16, 1967

1950 Penny

1964 Penny

Signature of John E. Gebhart, who sealed the time capsule, November 15, 1967

Invitation to Commencement, Central High School, Charlotte, North Carolina – May 26, 1942

Envelopes (sealed unless noted) – all appear to be from 1940s

Coins dated 1942

Letter Award Winners, 1941-42

Delaware College Track and Swimming Records

Lista of Articles Placed in Corner Stone Box

Prayer of Dedication at Laying of the Corner Stone of R.O.T.C. Building and Field House at University of Delaware

List of designers, architects, and contractors, etc.

Governor Walter Bacon's Remarks

Excerpt from the President's Report of June 1942

Results Athletic Season 1941-42

Program for Laying of Corner Stone, University of Delaware Field House

List of Printed Material used in the Department of Athletics, 1942 (damaged by construction equipment)

Unlabeled large envelope (damaged by construction equipment)