

morial Hall, erected in 1875 at a cost of half a million dollars, in memory of the Harvard men who fell in the war of the rebellion. This building consists of three parts, the great dining hall, Memorial Transept, containing tablets in memory of the fallen, and Sanders' Theatre, used for commencements, plays, concerts and the like.

In the near vicinity of The Yard we find the Hymenway Gymnasium, Austin Hall, the Law School, the Lawrence Scientific School, the Jefferson Physical Laboratory, the Engineering building, the Agassiz and Peabody Museums, Divinity Hall, Walter Hastings, Perkins and Conants Halls. Space forbids the mention of a number of other dormitories, college and private, in the immediate vicinity of The Yard.

Further west are the Botanic Gardens, Grey Herbarium and the Astronomical Observatory buildings. This latter has a branch in South America. The Medical, Dental and Veterinary schools are across the Charles in Boston. The Bussey Institution and Arnold Arboretum are in the Jamaica Plain districts of the city.

Much has been written of life at Harvard. The task of describing it is a rather difficult one. In a University which has on its rolls in the neighborhood of four thousand students, there is great variety in the character of the students, the homes they come from, and the life they lead. Some are sons of millionaires and spend thousands of dollars a year, others earn their own living here in a multitude of ways. Most of the men live in the college dormitories. They have their clubs and societies, but the one thing that draws the whole college together as a whole, is athletics.

In 1849 college commons were abolished, but more recently, especially since the building of Memorial Hall, there has been a place where the college sits down to eat. The dining hall at Memorial accommodates eleven hundred hungry mortals three times a day. Students who cannot get into Memorial board at private houses or at the Foxcroft Club, which is a co-operative institution, run on the European plan. It accommodates four hundred at present, but when it gets into Randall Hall, the new quarters, three or four times that number will be accommodated