#### PROPOSED NEW CONSTRUCTION

for the

#### TEACHERS COLLEGES FOR THE

# BIENNIUM 1955-59

The capital projects which are being requested by the Danbury State Teachers College totaling \$1,385,000 are as follows: (These sums include architects' fees, Public Works fees and contingencies; these three items alone take between 20% and 25% from the construction and equipment cost).

#### 1. Enlarge Heating Plant

### Estimated Cost

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\$ 105,000.

Purpose: The addition to Fairfield Hall, the Gymnasium, and the Student Union-Food Service Building will necessitate additional boilers for heating. A building attached to our present boiler room should be built to accommodate boilers for the above buildings. There will also be adequate space in the building for one (1) additional boiler to take care of future expansion. The building will be 40' x 60', ceiling 18' high, three (3) boilers in line, 200 horsepower each. Each boiler 9' wide x 12' high. The building must also accommodate a water tank and pump as well as an oil circulator.

# 2. Remodel Classroom Building

### Estimated Cost

266,700.

Purpose: Construct a floor across the old gymnasium on the first floor. Also construct a floor across the old auditorium area. Each floor would be 40' x 175'. Eight (8) windows will need to be relocated. The heating, lighting, ventilating and fire sprinkler systems will need adjustment. The additional room area will be used for library stacks, offices and additional classrooms. Stairs are to be built from the library to the third floor within the present library area. This will make supervision of the floors possible with fewer staff members. In the basement area old showers, tub, and toilets, as well as old lockers, are to be removed. The area will be divided into rooms for storage and for a janitor's workroom.

#### 3. Enlarge Science Building

## Estimated Cost

\$ 648,300.

Purpose: A duplicate of the present science building 60' x 115' in size; two (2) stories high, plus basement. This building will be attached to the present building by an arch. The added space will provide six (6) additional laboratories, one large lecture room and classrooms. The need is apparent now; therefore this project is placed in the first biennium.

4. Purchase Land on White Street

### Estimated Cost

\$ 240,000.

Purpose: Eight (8) pieces of property with approximately 60' frontage each. Houses (seven are two family houses) and garages are on each parcel of land. All of the property abuts land now owned by the college. This land is absolutely necessary if additional buildings are to be constructed. The purchase price should include a sum for the demolition of the eight (8) houses and garages.

5. Renovation of Fairfield Hall

### Estimated Cost

\$ 125,000.

Purpose: The renovation of Fairfield Hall dormitory is necessary to gain entrance to the addition of the dormitory on the first floor. The food-service function now carried on in this building will be moved to the new food-service building. The area now occupied by the kitchen and dining room will be used as a passage to the dormitory addition and for additional student rooms and offices.

#### COMMITTEES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Announcement of the Committees of the General Assembly was made in the General Assembly Legislative Bulletin of January 10, 1957. The membership of the three committees of particular interest to those concerned with educational legislation are listed herewith. The listing of the chief officers of the Senate and House is also given.

### THE SENATE:

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Theodore S. Ryan, Sharon Elmer S. Watson, Wethersfield Arthur H. Healey, New Haven John L. Gerardo

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Speaker, Majority Leader. Minority Leader, Clerk,

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### COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION:

Senators: Philip J. Bauer (Chm.)-Avon; Henry J. Dunleavy-Thompson; William B. Miller-Middletown; Newman M. Marsilius, Jr.-Trumbull; Anthony J. Armentano-Hartford. Representatives: Edwin O. Smith (Chm.)-Mansfield; Eugene J. Arcand-Sterling; Lucy T. Hammer-Branford; Arline M. Benson-Newington; George W. Hatfield-East Haddam; Gustaf A. Carlson-Killingworth; Bernadette C. Maynard-Lisbon; Harriet L. Clark-Cornwall; Richard C. Noyes-Farmington; Hilda S. Clarke-Stamford; Alvin H. Phillips-Somers; A. Richard Cushman-New London; Clinton B. Taylor-Shelton; Harold O. Douglass-Greenwich; Roland W. Tyler-Watertown; Joseph A. Goodhue-Glastonbury; Cornelius F. Caldwell-Derby; Frank W. Gray-Middlebury; Florence S. Lord-Marlborough; Clifford W. Hall-New Canaan.

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Senators: Newman M. Marsilius, Jr. (Chm.)-Trumbull; Domenic Castelano-Waterbury; Clarence G. Hummel-Seymour; Theodore F. Lynch-New Haven; Anthony J. Armentano. Hartford.

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Representatives: Prosper F. Lavieri (Chn.)-Barkhamsted; Beulah L. Blackman-Trumbull; Sidney S. Platt-Southbury; Kenneth P. Bosworth-Pomfret; Laurence H. Roberts-Barkhamsted; Marjorie D. Farmer-Darien; Arthur H. Russell-Watertown; Lilliam E. Hutton-Winchester; Ray S. Warren-Manchester; Helen W. Mackie-Westport; Claude P. Watrous-Chester; Carrie F. Mansfield-Preston; Lavergne H. Williams. Columbia; Luther B. Martin; Jr.-Hartland; Reginald H. Wood-Groton; Nicholas A. Novaco-Danbury; Julia T. Wright-Orange; Anna May Pallanck-Union; Clara P. O'Shea-Beacon Falls; James T. Patterson, Jr., Old Lyme; Rubin Cehen-Colchester; Lillian M. Frink-Canterbury; Allen Mopsik-Plainfield.