

The 1968 Sit-In and Demonstration of Support in Pictures



Comment by Peter Orgain '70: The whole takeover was about forcing the Trustees to make more money available for Black scholarships and more black admissions. We were all fired up by a rousing speech by Steve Keeney and others. Speaking for myself, I was an easily led sheep. My disciplinary result was that I was placed on Disciplinary Probation for a term, as were most of the other takeover participants. In the photos, many of those students were outside on the lawn watching, and not part of the takeover. For the takeover perpetrators, our minor claim to fame was that we did our takeover the day before Columbia [University] students did theirs in New York. They got the big splash in the media, because they were wild and did a lot of damage to the Columbia Administration Building. We stayed in the Trinity Administration building overnight, and we were very careful to respect the desks and furniture and contents of the Trinity administration building. There was no damage or physical disturbance at all.

Interesting Memory and Comments by James Schumaker '69: [Khranit Vecho: Trinity College and Student Unrest, 1964-1969 \(shocone.blogspot.com\)](http://shocone.blogspot.com)

Students Obstruct Trustees, President, The Trinity Tripod. April 23, 1968

Trustees Agree to Scholarship Plan; Demonstrators End Williams Occupation, The Trinity Tripod. April 24, 1968

160 Indicted for Trustee Blockade; 3-3 Committee Conducts Hearings, The Trinity Tripod. April 30, 1968



Photo 1
002 Outside Chapel



Photo 2
003 Students Gathering



Photo 3
005 Students in doorway



Photo 4
008 Outside Chapel 2



Photo 5
009 Dean Heath across hedge



Photo 6
010 Students crowding hallway



Photo 7
015 man being recorded



Photo 8
016 outside Downes Memorial 3



Photo 9
018 Trinity Faculty Support T.A.N.



Photo 10
024 Students marching on quad

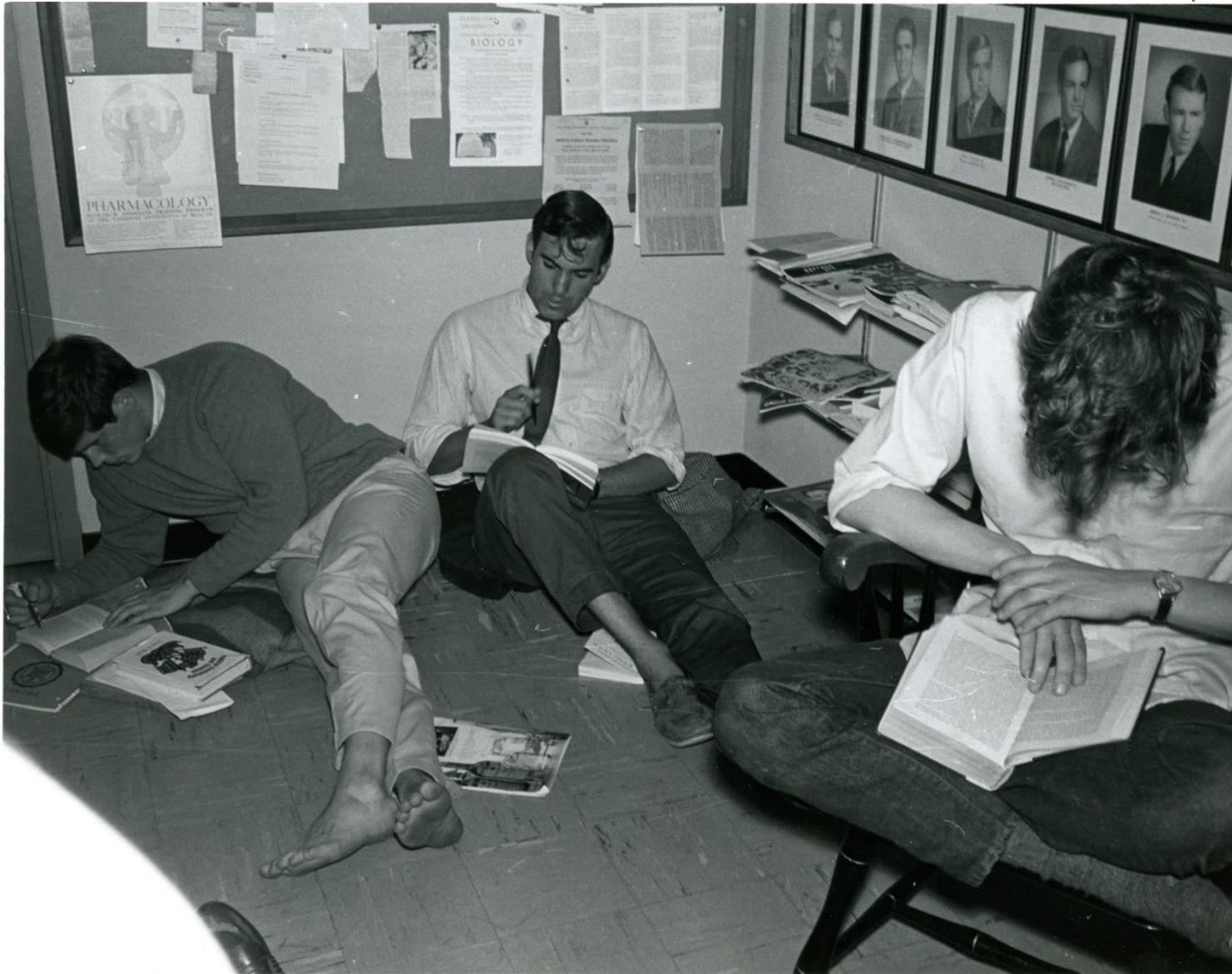


Photo 11
026 Student sitting on floor



Photo 12
027 Students and dog

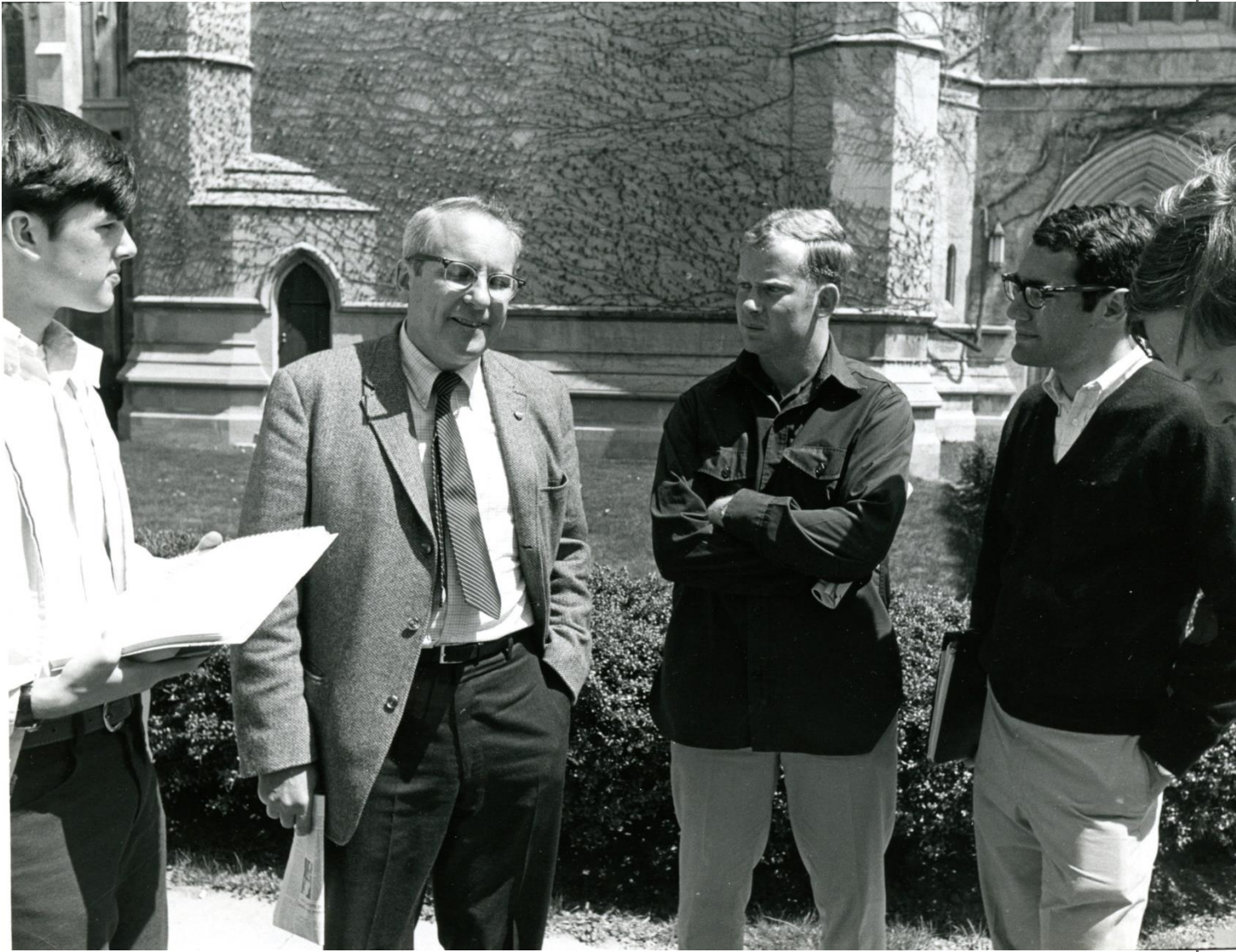


Photo 13
028 Roy Heath and students

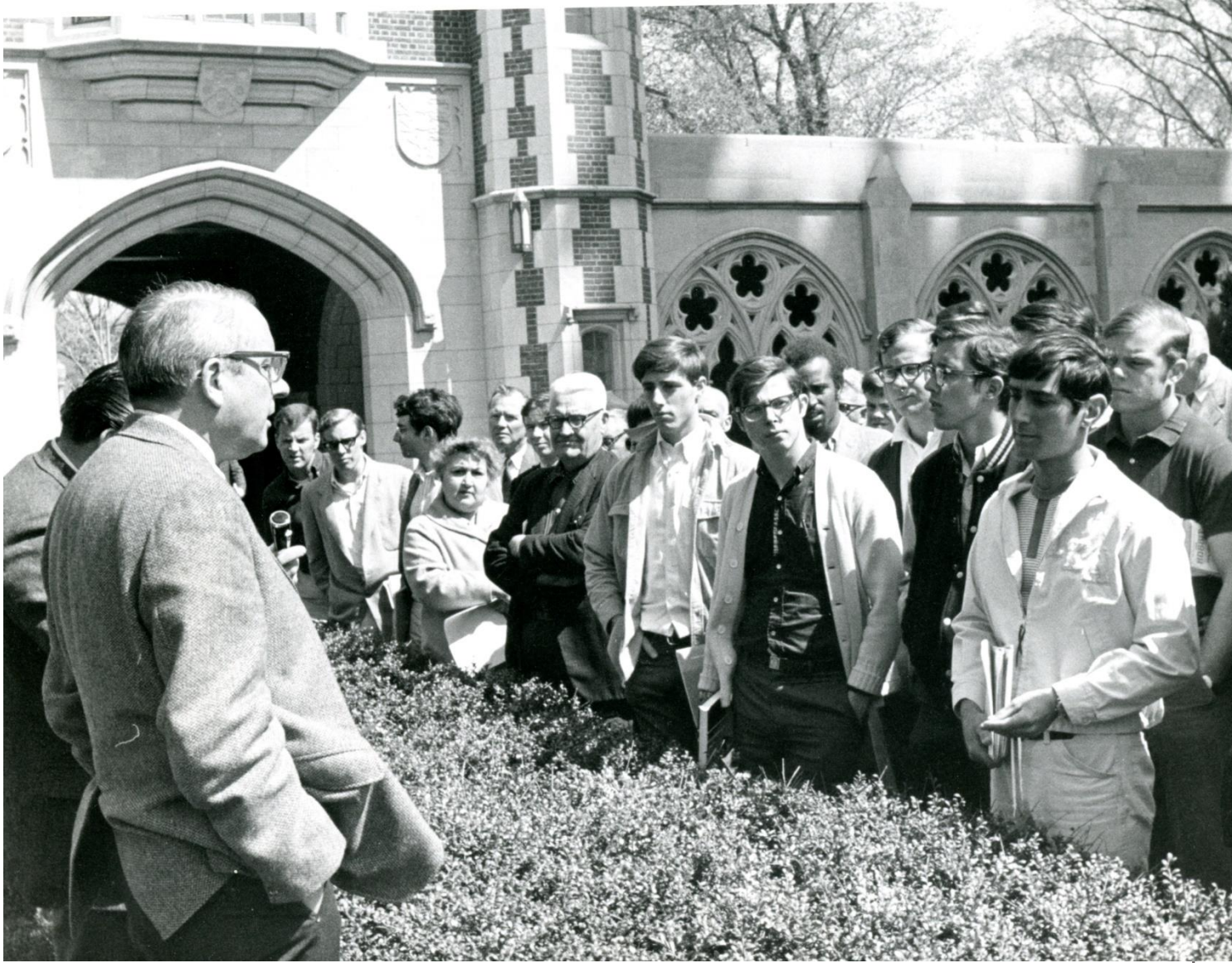


Photo 14
029 Dean Heath across hedge



Photo 15
032 Roy Heath Interview



Photo 16
034 Heath addressing students 2



Photo 17
035 Heath in crowd of students

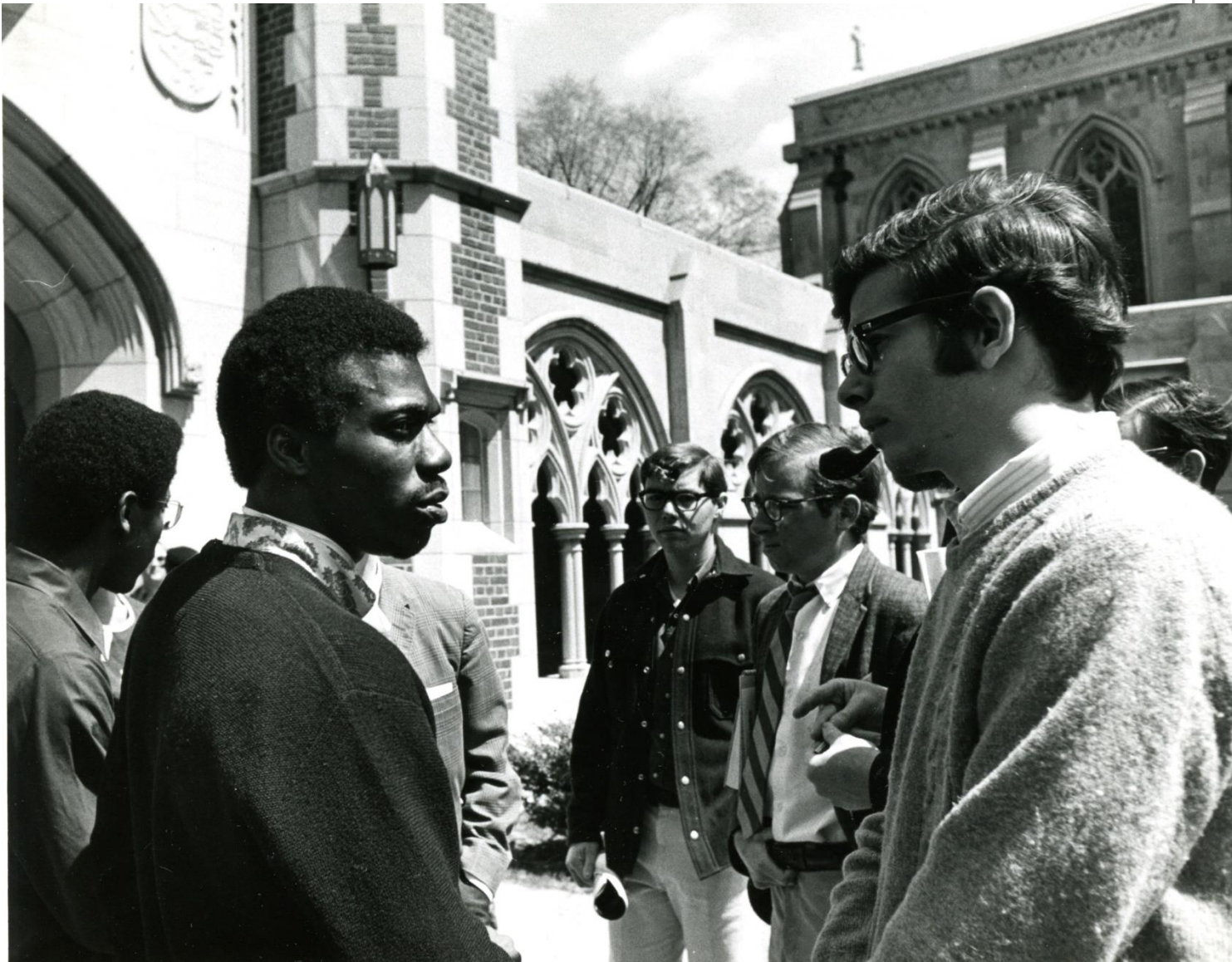


Photo 18
036 Black and white students talking



Photo 19
037 Students gathered outside Dean's Office



Photo 20
038 Students sitting on grass



Photo 21
039 Students sitting on grass 2



Photo 22
043 Students interviewing on grass



Photo 23
045 Dean Roy Heath being interviewed on grass



Photo 24
046 Two Men Talking On Quad



Photo 25
047 Two Men In Archway



Photo 26
048 Walking Interview



Photo 27
049 Black and White Students Walking Together