

Mercer Buildings:

The Porter Osborne Era

Administration	1874, following the move from Penfield in 1870-1871. – The structure which was four stories in height contained classrooms and offices for professors, and a laboratory and a museum, a hall for each of two literary societies, library quarters, and an apartment for the President and family and several rooms in the basement and attic that were used later by the Greek letter fraternities: Dowell, 175-176.
Willingham Chapel	1890. – During the year 1940 ... the Chapel Building, hallways and classrooms were completely remodeled, reconditioned and refurbished, including the purchase and installation of a new organ and a new piano at a total cost of approximately \$40,000 ... A new three manual organ was added in 1948, the Chapel was doubled in size with the seating capacity for 1200, transepts were added, and the finest of concert pianos was given in 1952. – Dowell 335. This now houses the English Department.
Tatnall Square Church	1890. Addition in 1940. This building was not owned by Mercer. This now is Newton Chapel and is owned by Mercer. It is where Chapel is held every Wednesday.
Sherwood Hall	1901. This hall is where Porter resided.
Wiggs Hall	1904. Chemistry at Porter's time. It now houses the Psychology Department.
Hardman Library	1907. Now the Art Department, it was reconstructed in 1936-1937 with an addition in 1952.
Faculty Apartments	1922. These were located next to the President's Home.
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