

USING THE CREIGHTON YEARBOOKS DIGITAL ARCHIVE

NAVIGATING THE TIMELINE

There are two primary ways to navigate the timeline. To flip through the yearbooks one-by-one, use the arrows on the left and right of the display area (*circled in red below*). You can also use the left and right arrow keys on your keyboard for the same effect. To scroll through time at a faster pace, click and drag left or right with your mouse inside the timeline (*outlined in green below*) below the display area. Use the magnifying glass icons on the left to expand and contract the scope of the timeline. When you have located the yearbook you want, click on the bold, blue title (*indicated below by a yellow arrow*) to read it. The yearbook will open in a new tab. Please be advised that you will be leaving the Creighton University Archives website to view the yearbook at the Internet Archive site.

The screenshot displays the digital archive interface for Creighton University's yearbooks. At the top, a text box titled "The Bluejay" provides historical context: "Creighton University's yearbook, the *Bluejay*, was published from 1924 through 1941. Publication stopped during World War II and did not resume immediately following the war owing to a lack of student interest. The *Bluejay* returned in 1949 and was issued each year until 2011, the last year Creighton produced yearbooks."

The main display area features a central image of the 1956 yearbook cover, titled "BLUE JAY" and "1556-1956". To the left and right of the cover are navigation arrows, each enclosed in a red dashed circle. Below the cover, the text "1956 **1956 Bluejay** Volume 26" is displayed, with a yellow arrow pointing to the bolded year and title. To the right of this text, the year "1957" is circled in red, with a right-pointing arrow below it.

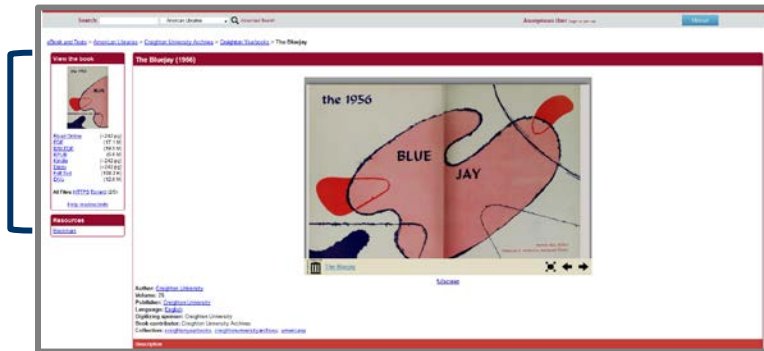
Below the display area is a timeline interface outlined in green. It shows a horizontal axis with years from 1951 to 1961. Small thumbnail images of yearbook covers are placed above the corresponding years. The 1956 thumbnail is highlighted with a blue box. On the left side of the timeline, there are magnifying glass icons for zooming in and out.

Labels on the right side of the image identify the "DISPLAY AREA" (blue bracket) and the "TIMELINE" (green bracket).

VIEWING AND DOWNLOADING

Once you've reached the Internet Archive page, you have options for downloading or viewing the yearbook.

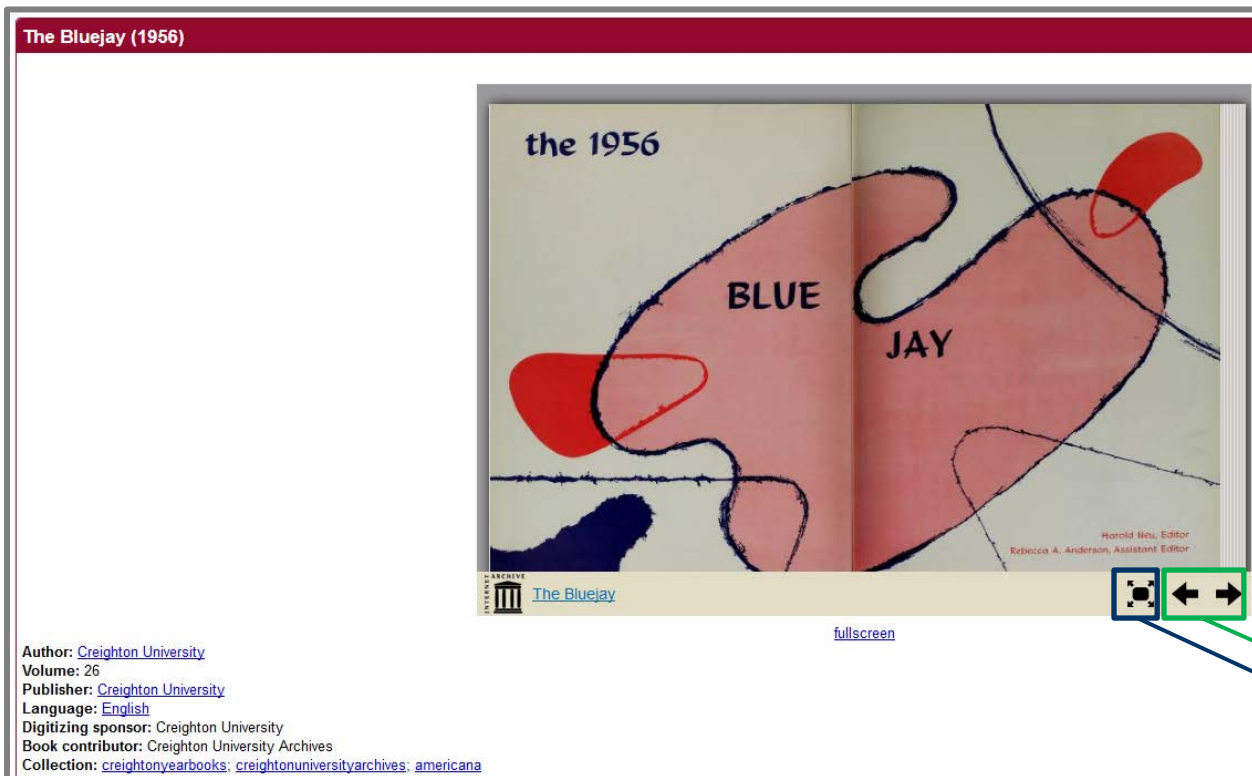
OPTIONS FOR
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WINDOW FOR
ONLINE VIEWING

If you would prefer to download a copy of the yearbook for yourself, you can find a list of available formats on the left side of the page, in the box labeled “View the book.” Note that selecting **Read Online** will open the full-screen viewer.

In the center of the page, there is a small viewer window where you can preview the yearbook. Use the left/right arrows in the bottom-right corner to navigate page-by-page (*outlined in green below*). You can also use the left/right arrow keys on your keyboard. To scroll through the book at a faster pace, click the full-screen button to the left of the arrows (*outlined in navy below*). Viewing in full-screen also allows you to search for text inside the book.



VIEWER
WINDOW

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FULL-
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VIEWING IN FULLSCREEN

Below is the right-hand side of the full-screen window. You can use the white search bar on top to look for any text inside the book. This does *not* search across yearbooks, but only inside the one you are viewing. For this example, we have entered the search term “Gibson,” which returns results for Bluejays basketball and baseball standout Bob Gibson, class of 1957. Each instance of a search result is highlighted in blue on the page, and is marked with a yellow pointer on the scroll bar at the bottom of the page. The black box with the pointer-finger can be dragged left and right to scroll through the book quickly.

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On the Court . . .



Bluejay Basketballers — Bob Weinert, Glen Sullivan, Jim Maher, Dan Simon, Jack Green, Bill Klimisch, Doug Klanderud, Lyle O'Dell, Wayne Muenster, Ves Tamast, Chuck Farberg, Bob Gibson, Don Brummer, Jim Barry, Kneeling, Coach Tommy Thomsen

Year of Decision

. . . 1956 . . . Creighton starts return to big time . . . limited athletic program . . . but we're going to be good in what we do have . . . expansion of scholarship program announced . . . intended to attract outstanding prep stars . . . six outstanding foes included on schedule . . . all post-season tourney selections . . . Theron "Tommy" Thomsen brought in from Coe College . . . good record in past . . . showed why this year . . . first appearance in NAIA big success . . . old rivals got new scares . . . new foes got their share of lumps . . . new blood pumped into old veins . . . the days of the C. U. Powerhouses may be revived . . . our present course should bring results . . . the decision has been made . . . the whole team is returning . . . several outstanding preppers headed our way . . . a successful and youthful coach is calling the shots . . . the Garden is still fresh in many memories . . . it's time for a repeat performance . . .

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| 39 Manningside | 44 |
| 57 Texas Western | 58 |
| 69 St. Thomas | 58 |
| 58 East Texas State | 64 |
| 71 Regis | 64 |
| 72 Southeastern Oklahoma | 67 |
| 60 Drake | 85 |
| 76 South Dakota State | 93 |
| 71 South Dakota | 83 |
| 77 Omaha U. | 60 |
| 71 South Dakota | 54 |
| 65 Canisius | 81 |
| 78 Seton Hall | 86 |
| 60 Holy Cross | 97 |
| 75 St. Francis of Brooklyn | 99 |
| 73 St. Michael of Vermont | 72 |
| 75 Lorain | 61 |
| 65 Marquette | 73 |
| 72 Omaha U. | 61 |
| 64 Loyola of Chicago | 45 |
| 73 Drake | 90 |
| 67 South Dakota State | 66 |

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ADJUST PAGE VIEW

ZOOM IN/OUT

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RETURNING TO THE TIMELINE

To return to the yearbook timeline, click on the tab for “Creighton University : Yearbooks” (indicated below by a yellow arrow) at the top of your browser.

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https://archive.org/details/bluejay01year

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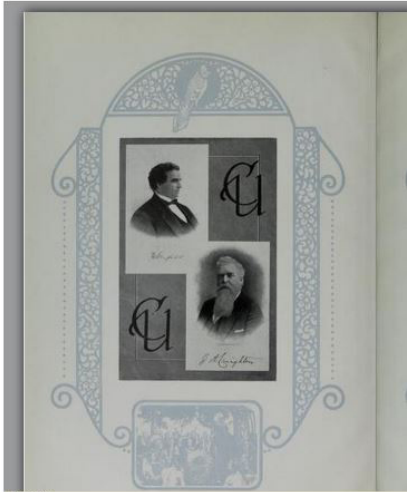
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The Blue jay (1924)



[The Blue jay](#)

Author: [Yearbook Committee, Creighton University](#)
Volume: 1

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If you have any useful information, comments, or stories about the material you find in the yearbooks, please don't hesitate to get in touch by using the contact info listed on our website.

Some issues of the *Bluejay* yearbook may be available from the University Archives at no cost. If you would like a copy of a certain yearbook for yourself, please contact the University Archivist to check availability.