The meat inspection branch of the department of agriculture contracted with OSU to design a 5 week class to justify how the meat inspection was based on science. OSU was to supply instructors (50 students per class, 8-5 hours/day and a review on weekends if students requested it (usually prior to exams). There were 8 classes per year for 5 years. This amounted to 1,550 students trained. Ockerman was assigned teaching from 8 to 12 and he wrote the textbook for and taught Bio-chemistry, Lab analysis, Statistics. Textbooks can be found in OSU Knowledge Bank. Several lay inspectors continued their education at OSU after the program ended.