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Dr. Jim Penna, interim STM president calls us to rally, to support his challenge

I have been an STM faculty member since 1963 and have witnessed a complete turnover of the faculty and staff other than Fr. Regan, our Alumni Director, who has been at STM since 1962. Nevertheless, assuming the role of Acting President has challenged me to see the College from a new perspective.

I have developed a deeper appreciation of the tremendous efforts of the past principals and presidents of St. Thomas More College. During my time, a period of 33

years at St. Thomas More College, I have personally known Frs. Sullivan, O'Donnell, Swan, Kennedy and Hanrahan. All of these Basilian priests have left their mark on St. Thomas More College. Of course, this is not to deny the many contributions of the other Basilians and religious and lay faculty who staffed the College.

The first major leap forward

Under Fr. Basil Sullivan's principalship and as a result of a Province-wide fundrais-

ing drive under his direction, the College made a quantum leap from the little white house to the STM Greystone Building which provided STM faculty and students and Newman Club with a chapel, library, auditorium, offices and a residence for the Basilians.

Fr. O'Donnell made STM a real home for students. From his chunky vegetable soup and coffee, toast and jam breakfasts after morning masses to his Shakespearean genius in the classroom and on the



"The Virgin will conceive and give birth to a Son and they will call Him Immanuel, a name which means "God-is-with-us."

The World has Need of You

If it's ever so small the part you take,
The world has need of you.
Be it big or little the effort you make,
The world has need of you.
If it's only a thought you give by the way,
If it's only love's word you pause to say,
It's a part that nobody else can play,
So the world has need of you.

By your smile you can change another's
life;
By a word you can bring peace out of
strife;
Then lift your head and never say die;
Count every blessing, stop every sigh.
Get busy . . . don't let a chance slip by,
For the world has need of you.

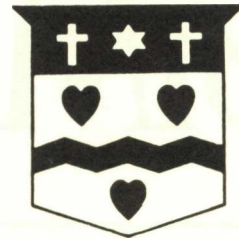
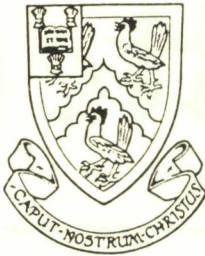
Evelyn Whitell

Merry Christmas And Happy New Year

We send forth to all of our Alumni and Alumnae fervent prayers, all best wishes and fondest remembrances throughout this coming Christmas season. May this blessed time of the year be filled with special gifts, graces and choicest blessings. The STM Basilian Fathers shall be remembering you in a very special manner in their masses and prayers this Yuletide.

ST. THOMAS MORE COLLEGE - NEWMAN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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stage as director, he nourished students in body, mind and spirit.

We continue to grow, thrive and flourish

Fr. Peter Swan, a superb administrator for 17 years brought the College into the mainstream of University life by developing the academic program into upper-year courses, faculty expansion, two major building expansions and the opening of the Corporation to the laity. During this period, Professor Ernie McCullough ably served as Interim President for one year.



*Fr. Leonard Rush
C.S.B.*

Fr. Leonard Kennedy stressed the need to reach out to first-year Catholic students and to find ways to provide outreach to the community. Under his guidance, the College began to establish an endowment fund from the contributed salaries of the Basilians and other religious on faculty, a move which has proven to be farsighted.

With Fr. Jim Hanrahan we had a period of quiet consolidation, student growth and prayerful leadership from a man of God who always had an open door.



*Fr. Basil Sullivan
C.S.B.*

We must change with the times

With this strong tradition of Basilian leadership, it was with some apprehension and humility that I took on the task of Acting President. The uncertainties facing students, the changing educational climate and difficult economic times that the Province is facing have presented many challenges to St. Thomas More College.

Although our work load continues because of peak enrollments in the University, funding has not kept pace with our needs over a number of years. We have, however, been good stewards of our resources, maintaining a high level of services to our students which includes the Chelsea program, an integrated approach for first-year students. Our faculty members perform at an extraordinary level. Uppermost, they strive and have achieved excellence in teaching. They have authored many scholarly publications including the "Chesterton Review," edited by Fr. Ian Boyd, the "Canadian Catholic Review" edited by Fr. Dan Callam, and the publication of the "Anglin Historical Collection Guide" by Margaret Sanche. Dr. John Thompson was seconded by the University's Issues and Options Committee to work on a major study on learning at the University of Saskatchewan. All this has been possible because of the commitment of our faculty and staff and the excellent work by Mr. Bob Lemke, our Controller who has been able to effect economies and manage our resources wisely.



*Fr. Joe O'Donnell
C.S.B.*

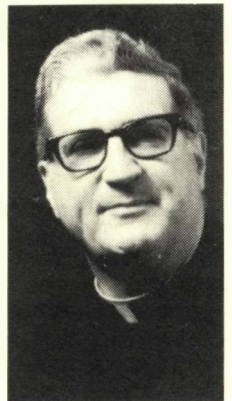
We were particularly graced by the initiative and personal sacrifice by Mr. Al Gerwing who spearheaded the highly successful Thomas More Conference at St. Thomas More College last Spring. It brought together some outstanding speakers and provided a stimulating forum for discussion by many people from different walks of life.



*Fr. Peter Swan
C.S.B.*

We ask our alumni to assess new problems

Despite the tight funding and the heavy demands we launched into the present year with renewed hope buoyed by the enthusiastic responses and participation of Corporation members at the Annual Meeting held at the end of September, 1989. The format for the day included an open discussion in the morning followed by Mass, with the Corporation meeting in the afternoon. In the evening, a banquet in honour of Fr. Hanrahan was held in Marquis Hall with a number of dignitaries present. An academic Mass was held the following Sunday morning.



Fr. Leonard Kennedy, C.S.B.

The morning discussion was especially stimulating and fruitful. A number of Corporation members had been asking for such an open discussion. We had a guest panel consisting of Lois Brockman, Bernard Daley, Peter Dielschneider, Wendelin Herle, Mike Maher and Ida Warren. We then formed small discussion groups. Everything was recorded and will be considered by the Strategic Planning Committee. The quality of the contributions by the panelists and of the discussion groups was excellent and demonstrated a keen interest and hope for the future of St. Thomas More College by providing many fruitful ideas and recommendations. The Corporation meeting discussed and approved a major report on chaplaincy which will focus our efforts in this ever growing dimension of our College.

Among the recommendations coming from the morning discussion and the Corporation meeting was the need to involve our Alumni more in the ongoing development and work of the College. This was also the sense that I received at an STM-Newman Alumni reunion meeting late in August in Ottawa. Thanks to the work and hospitality of Bernard and Mae Daley, 19 alumni (regrets from a number of others) came together for an evening. My wife Marion and I thoroughly enjoyed the evening both renewing old acquaintances and meeting Alumni from earlier years.

A high level of interest was expressed in assisting the College. We promised we would get back to them. We are presently considering ways of enabling our Alumni to contribute back to the College for what they have received and to help College students in the future.

Please do come to our aid

We will need to develop a financial program to guarantee the continued flourishing of the College. Among other things, this will mean that we pursue the development of the endowment fund already started by the Basilian Fathers and other religious faculty contributions. We owe a great deal to the Basilians, but we, the laity, must assume our responsibility to guarantee a future for Catholic higher education. We have been its beneficiaries and we owe it



Prof. Ernest McCullough

to our church and to our students to guarantee its future.

In the meantime, the University of Saskatchewan is involved in a campaign to reach out to all the Alumni of the University which, of course, includes STM-Newman Alumni. At this time, we are still discussing the nature of our involvement in the general University campaign. When you are contacted by the University, you may well want to indicate that you wish to support STM and have your donation so designated.



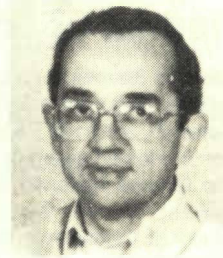
Fr. Jim Hanrahan C.S.B.

Each one of you is all important

You have also received a letter on behalf of the John Stack Memorial Lectures in Ethics. Early response to this appeal has been good. I would like to encourage you to consider this worthy project since there is such an urgent need for leadership and critical reflection on the many ethical issues confronting our society.

Lastly, and by no means the least, I want to express my appreciation to everyone for the support that I personally have received. You, our Alumni and friends of the College, are remembered daily in our community prayers both at Mass and during the Litany of the Hours in Chapel. We ask you also to remember the College, its faculty, staff and students in your prayers.

Welcome and congratulations to our new members of Corporation:



Dr. Jim Penna

Diocesan Representatives:

- Mr. Joe Bellefleur, Diocese of Gravelbourg
- Mrs. Evelyn Chapuis, Diocese of Prince Albert
- Mr. Nick Lucyshyn, Diocese of Saskatoon

Basilian Fathers:

- Rev. Mr. Dan Zorzi, CSB

Faculty:

- Dr. Kevin Corrigan, Dept. of Philosophy
- Dr. Gerry Farthing, Dept. of Psychology
- Dr. Michael Tobin, Dept. of French

Students:

- Steve Ambrose
- Lydia Bruse
- Jean Paul Ducasse
- Jodie Kostiuik
- Lance Lacroix
- Jim McHugh
- Dawn Onishenko
- Gertrude Rompre
- Janice Stokes
- Gregory Thomas
- Maurice Thomas



We extend heartiest gratitude to another list of alumnae and alumni who have requested membership in our STM-Newman Association. You too may wish to join our select circle.

- Miss Aulea Matilda Arsenault
- Mrs. M. Diane Andrea
- Mr. Donald Eric Buckingham
- Dr. Brian Mason Chartier
- Mr. Lyle M. Clark
- Mr. Harry Bernard Costello
- Mr. Tom J. Emerson
- Mr. Fred Walter Fraser
- Mary Eileen Finn
- Sister Marianne Flory, S.C.J.
- Dr. Ted Guzik, M.D.
- Miss Teresa L. Karwandy
- Mr. Gerald William Lee
- Mrs. Joyce K. MacLean
- Deanna R. Magoski
- Mrs. Marlene J. Monk
- Sister Agnes Poelzer
- Edward G. Plante
- Mrs. Helen Rennie
- Mr. Sergei L. Sherman
- Emil Schatten
- William A. Yano

STM-Newman alumni executive officers approve program to adopt membership within our association.

Please indicate that you wish to register by enclosing your \$10 fee or more. Fill out the information below and forward to:

c/o Rev. W. O. Regan, C.S.B.
 STM-Newman Alumni Office
 1437 College Drive
 Saskatoon, SK.
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Name _____
 Street and No. _____
 Province _____ Postal Code _____

The dramatic production of "The Dragon" promises to be an all-excelling one

After a much lamented gap of one year, **Newman Drama** is opening a new season with the production of **The Dragon** by the modern Russian playwright, Eugene Schwarz, under the guidance of Professor Elena Corrigan of the STM English Department. This play has been chosen for two major reasons. First, **Newman Drama** wishes to host a production through which it will be able to reach the primary, junior and high schools of Saskatoon and environs, and to remind students of these school ages that there is a university college in Saskatoon, founded as a result of the aspirations of the Catholic community, a liberal arts college which is open to them upon graduation from high school in a spirit of friendship and adventure.

"The Dragon" subtly teaches lessons to us all

Second, once it had been agreed that the play to be chosen should be suitable for children, the play, **The Dragon**, attracted the students in **Newman Drama** because of its subtle combination of fan-

tasy and satire, magic and realism. Eugene Schwarz was a playwright of the Soviet era who directed his attention to children's theatre because the truth in Russia was such that it could only be told to children under the allegorical guise of the contest between knights, dragons and burgomasters. Even so, the play was immediately banned after its first performance in 1942 and was not performed in Russia until the recent years of **Glasnost**.

This play appeals to both the young and also to adults

Strictly speaking, it is a play for a mature audience, for its main subject is a change in the consciousness of the people brought about by the necessity of living under totalitarian regime. Amid a profusion of lies, double-thinking, double-language, double-values emerge. The play is not by any means, however, a grim vision of the kind we find in Orwell's **1984**, because the insistence upon imagination, generosity, courage and the search for goodness awake in adults a childlike quality

of vision which can look upon suffering with hope and upon grief with faith. It is said of Schwarz that he was a magician who awakened maturity in children and childhood in adults. The Newman production will strive to capture this quality, and it extends an invitation to Alumni and their children to share in and to support this venture. **The Dragon** is scheduled provisionally for the third week in January.

Our Drama Department promises more rewards to come

In addition, **Newman Drama** proposes a series of drama, prose and poetry evenings later in the year. **A Victorian Evening** (in full dress for all participants) at the end of February (following St. Valentine's Day) with a specific invitation to high school students, and **A Poetry Evening** for STM English Department students in particular, at Eastertime. For the future, **Newman Drama** intends to develop a vibrant theatre for both children and adults. Alumni participation is **always** welcome.

Committee announces names of scholarship and bursary recipients

Claude Lang, assistant to the president, has announced the award of a number of scholarships and bursaries by the STM Scholarship Committee. These include three new entrance bursaries of \$500 each funded by the Saskatoon Chapter of the Knights of Columbus, and the first annual scholarship from the Henry J. Brockman Fund, valued at 75% of tuition (\$1,008). The recipients of the Knights of Columbus Bursaries are Melissa Keller and Mark Meier of Saskatoon and Darold Sturgeon of Moose Jaw. The first recipient of the Brockman scholarship, awarded to STM students taking courses in developmental psychology and philosophy, is Susan Angelstad of Humboldt.

In the meantime, the John and Elizabeth Kaufmann Memorial Scholarship of \$200 was awarded to John R. MacDonald of Warman, a fourth year honours student in Religious Studies, while Carr Foundation Scholarships of \$200 each for students in Religious Studies were awarded to John R. MacDonald, Marilyn Hansen of Saskatoon and Vincent Saretsky of Humboldt.

More students reap rewards and honours

The Scholarships Committee also designated three students as Christopher

Dawson Scholars: Todd Yakimoski of Saskatoon, Gwendolyn Schmidt of Leader and Karen Zypchyn of Regina. Such designation carries an award of \$400. Named after the famous historian of the Middle Ages and the church, the program fosters the study of Christian culture at St. Thomas More College.

In addition, 20 students will receive STM Entrance Scholarships of \$150.

These have been funded by a variety of donors, including the Basilian Fathers, the STM Faculty Union and a bequest left from the estate of Victor Draftenza of Yorkton.

Asked if he had any comments, Mr. Lang noted that the Committee had reviewed the files of many students worthy of scholarships and bursaries, and that he hopes the College will be able to add to its scholarship funds in the future.



Please do remember in your prayers our deceased alumni and alumnae. During the month of November, masses will be offered up in St. Thomas More College chapel for them. We pray too that we have missed no one in our listing. If so, please do inform us.

ARN, Loretta L.K. '65
 ARSENAULT, Sister Marie Louise '65
 ATKINSON, Janice C. '59
 ATWOOD, William J. '64
 BALDES, Dr. Edward J. '18
 BEDARD, Edward J. '61
 BERSCHIED, Mathias J. '49
 BILODEAU, Claudette M. '68
 BINTER, Bernard J. '47
 BORYCKI, John '57
 BOUCHER, Marion M. '40
 BOULANGER, Dianne L. '73 (Mrs. K.A. Bassandowski)
 BOURHIS, Roland '47
 BOYLE, Joseph P. '70
 BRAUN, Anton G.H. '60
 BROST, George J. '70
 BUBNICK, Linda May '76
 BUJILA, Bernadine Agnes (Mrs. Hoeschen) '25
 BURNS, Fr. Frank C.S.B.
 CAMERON, Thomas M. '50
 CARR, Fr. Henry C.S.B.
 CHOMIAK, Elarry H. '60
 CHOUINARD, Dr. Clarence J. '47
 CHURKO, Donald M. '68
 COLLEAUX, Ronald Arthur '49
 COLLINS, Cecil P. '39
 COONEY, David J. '71
 CURTIN, Sylvester Charles '48
 CYCA, Randolph J.P. '67
 DAUNAIS, Marc Donald '57
 DAVIS, Joseph Arnold '75
 DAWSON, John '57
 DEMONG, Roger K. '67
 DEUTSCHER, Michael Stanley '47
 DEUTSCHER, Rudolph J. '45
 DIAKUW, Vivian Darlene (Mrs. W. Johnson) '66
 DUKOWSKI, John Arthur '49
 DWYER, Mrs. Mary Jean (Quigley) '42
 DWYER, Francis Richard '41
 EHLERT, Edwin Wayne '65
 FAHLMAN, Mildred Joan Miss '48
 FAHRENSCHON, Walter Julien '65
 FEDERKO, Alexander '67
 FEEHAN, Edward (Ned) Francis '44
 FIEGER, Peter Paul '50
 FODCHUK, Miss Usteen '47
 FOLEY, Eugene Brian '74
 FORBES, Donald Alex '34
 GARTNER, Edward Edmund '71
 GENEREUX, George, P.P. Dr. M.D. '56
 GOBELL, Robert Elie '48
 GODDARD, George Edward '51
 GONDA, Frank S. '66
 GRADISH, Steve
 GRANT, Lloyd Louis '53
 HAWKINS, Wilfred Joseph '30
 HEIT, Ronald Gary '70
 HERRINGER, William Bernard '49
 HOLATA, Morris William '58
 HUDEC, Dr. Albert Vincent '39
 HEIDGERKEN, Dr. Joan Agnes '70
 HUGHES, William J. '25
 KACSMAR, James J. '48
 KEENAN, Michael G
 KELLERMAN, William M. '49
 KINDRACHUK, Dr. William Henry '39
 KLIMCHUK, Dr. Miroslaw M. '49
 KLUS, Edward S. '53
 KNAPIC, Theresa Veronica '51
 KOKESCH, Colette Cecile '67
 KOLLER, Eric Markus '61
 KOVAL, Josef '52
 KROCHENSKI, Rodney P. '62
 KUSCH, Anthony Gerard '40
 LABELLE, Mrs. Judith Anne '64
 LAVENTURE, Dr. Arthur R. '57
 LEE, Helen '32
 LEEPER, Fr. Desmond W. '52
 LEIA, Albert Lawrence '51
 LENHARD, Veronica Theresa Mary '42
 LUCAS, Frank S. '37
 LaBRASH, Irene Ethel '58
 LEBEL, Fr. Eugene (Nig) C.S.B.
 MAGDICH, Frank Stanley '53
 MAHER, Elinor '37 (Mrs. J.B. Glenn)
 MAHER, Judge John H. '59
 MALACH, Vincent W. '51
 MALLON, Fr. Paul C.S.B.
 MANN, Mrs. Marie Grace '43 (nee Taylor)
 MARKEL, Fr. Basil
 MATTE, Leo Joseph '56
 MAXTED, Wm. John Dr. '51
 MEEHAN, Dennis R. '57
 MELANSON, Madeleine Marie '49
 MICHAUD, John M. '48
 MONGEON, Fred C. '37
 MONTAGUE, Fr. Bob C.S.B.
 MONTBRIAND, Gerald T. '71
 MORRIS, James Michael '87
 MUNNELLEY, Fr. Leo C.S.B.
 MURPHY, Bernard Francis '43
 MURPHY, Mrs. Dorothy Isabelle '47 (nee Tronrud)
 McCORKELL, Fr. E.J. C.S.B.
 McCORKELL, Wilfred J. '51
 McDONELL, Gertrude S. '45
 MaGAHEY, Fr. Joe C.S.B.
 McLEOD, Dolly Catherine '55
 McLEOD, Earl Wm. '51
 McLEOD, Roderick '33
 McREAVY, Fr. Jack
 McGINN, Gerald James '56
 McGOEY, Joseph Richard '46
 NEALD, Mary Anita P. '61
 NIEMAN, Theodore Jacob Q.C. '38
 O'CONNOR, Mary Lorraine '63
 O'DONNELL, Fr. Joe C.S.B.
 PAJOT, Thomas Basil '47
 PANASIUK, Meraslav '64
 PASLOSKE, Rudolph Richard '65
 PLUECKHAHN, Victoria Dale Mrs. (nee Wat-chicoski) '62
 POLLEY, Joseph F. Q.C. '48
 POURBAIX, Dr. William E.J. '46
 PROVICK, John Martin '51
 RACH, Gordon L. '62
 RAUCH, Dr. Josephine '62
 RICHARDSON, Mrs. Helen E. '45 (nee Helen Elizabeth Meats)
 RIFFEL, Dr. James Casimir '43
 RINK, Melfort Allan '72
 ROBERTS, Neil Francis '47
 REPSKI, Alex '52
 RODDY, Agnes Mary '31
 RUBIN, Morgan Edward '45
 RUSH, Dr. Desmond Keiran '49
 RUSH, Eileen Joan '71
 RUSH, Fr. Leonard C.S.B.
 RYLAND, Robert Neil '74
 SABRAW, Joseph Henry '37
 SALEMBIER, Louis Joseph '48
 SCHMIDT, Dr. Donald Joseph '55
 SCHMIDT, Joseph M. '52
 SCHMIT, Kenneth James '55
 SCHMIDTZ, James Leonard P. '67
 SCHREINER, Matilda Alma '55
 SEDOR, Harold John '76
 SELLS, Wm. John Peter '65
 SLOBODZIAN, Michael G. '78
 SMITHWICK, Wm. Patrick '38
 SMYNSUCK, Garnet Peter '66
 SOUCY, Louis Andre '49
 STACK, Mrs. Gertrude Emma '29 (nee Baldes)
 STACK, John Ambrose '58
 STILWELL, Dr. Gregory A. '66
 STOCK, Mrs. Yvette '42 (nee Bourhis)
 STRICKLAND, Philip Wheaton Brig. Gen. '32
 STROHOFFER-LeMARRY, Regina Ute '66
 STUART, Robert Adam '75
 SULLIVAN, Fr. Basil C.S.B.
 SULLIVAN, Helen Marie (nee SUKNACRY) Mrs. '49
 SUTTLE, John Leo M. '50
 SWEENEY, Vincent Dan '42
 TAYLOR, Agnes Elizabeth '59
 THORBURN, August James '48
 THURMEIER, Jacob John '38
 TOMASHEWSKI, Paul '61
 TOSZAK, Tenna Genevieve '48
 TOUPIN, Joseph Gilles P. '65
 TOURIGNY, Mrs. Laura Marie '47 (nee Normond)
 TRELEAVEN, Robert James '55
 TRETIAK, Norman '51
 VOGT, Anton George '34
 WAKARUK, Mrs. Rita Rose '66 (nee Prothman)
 WASYLENKA, Mary Henry Sister '63
 WAUGH, Mrs. Dorothy Jean '34 (nee Craigie)
 WEBER, Sister Magdelene (Ursuline) '45
 WEDGE, James Balfour, Q.C. '44
 WESOLOWSKI, Fr. Roman Antonini '83
 WOOD, John Garth '74
 WOODARD, William Devere '44
 ZAKRESKI, Mrs. Norman Mary '52 (nee Mahoney)
 ZAKRESKI, Orest Nickolas '49
 ZINTEL, Sister Antonia A.M. '79

IT'S NICE TO LEARN JUST WHERE THEY
ARE AND WHAT DO THEY DO?
WE BID YOU ALL TO SHARE WITH LOU
AND SUE AND YES, YOU TOO!

FEIST, Sister Bernadette '79, works in the Regina Archdiocesan Native Ministry program. Her convent is in Balcarres.

BUCKINGHAM, Donald E. '81, practises law in Halifax. At present, he is studying at Cambridge University to complete his degree.

KIMMERLY, Gloria Mrs. '84, is now studying for her Master of Divinity degree at Newman College in Edmonton. She and her husband, Robert, reside in Kimberley, B.C. She works for the Ministry of Social Services and Housing in Cranbrook.

CHAMNEY, Wayne '71, received his M.A. degree in '74 and is now a pedagogical counsellor at the Canadian Forces Language School in St. Jean, Quebec. Recently, he and his wife adopted two Mexican orphans. "Please keep us in your prayers," he writes.

SHERMAN, Sergei '66, received his B.Ed. degree in '72 and is now in a junior high school as teacher-counsellor in Winnipeg. He is also very active in the Knights of Columbus, Holy Family Council. His first year at STM was '56; and so, he still entertains fondest memories of the old, white house.

BYBLOW, Sister Frances Eudoxia, S.S.M.I. '56, is the Superior General of the Sisters Servants of Mary Immaculate missioned in 12 countries. She lives in Rome, Italy.

COPPER, Paul Dr. '60, received his M.A. in '62 followed by his Ph.D. degree at the University of Western Ontario. He has been in Sudbury, Ont., for the past 22 years. He is on the Geology Department at Laurentian University where he is a full professor. He has enjoyed three sabbatical leaves overseas in Europe, South America and Southeast Asia. His two, bright, talented daughters may come to STM and the University of Saskatchewan.

ALDRIDGE, Nancy Marie '76, is Mrs. Larkin and her office is at Psychiatric Services, Department of Health in Moose Jaw, Sask.

AMBEAU, Wesley Glen '86, is studying for the priesthood at St. Joseph's Seminary in Edmonton.

ANDREYCHUK, Kasmer Anthony '65, received his law degree in '66 and now serves as a judge in Yorkton, Sask.

APRIL, Joseph Emile '63, is an ordained priest and serves in the mission field, St. Mary Magdalene Parish in Alagoas, Brazil.

BAYDA, Edward Dymtro '51, received his law degree in '53 and is now Chief Justice working in the Court of Appeals. He received an Honorary Doctor of Law degree at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, last May.

BECK, Kenneth Rev. '71, is rector at St. Pius X Seminary at the University campus here in Saskatoon.

BEDARD, Richard Joseph '66, is a medical doctor practising in Sydney, N.S.

BELL, Misses Marion and Phyllis '45 and '45, received law and commerce degrees respectively and now reside in Houston, Texas.

BERGERMAN, Roman William '71, is connected with Bergerman-Soulodre Architects stationed in Saskatoon.

BERNATSKY, Sasha Ruth '88, won the president's medal presented to her at the '88 graduation exercises. She lives in Zehner, Sask.

BIENERT, Helen Ms. '83, works at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington, D.C.

BLANCHETTE, Gisele Marie Miss '71, works for Saskatchewan Social Services and lives in Prince Albert, Sask.

BOBOWSKI, Ernie Sylvester '65, is judge of the Provincial Court of Saskatchewan and resides in Yorkton, Sask.

CAMPBELL, Allison Leah '81, is now Mrs. Philip Holzer teaching at Estevan Comprehensive School. She received her B.Ed. degree in '83.

CAVANAGH, James Creighton The Honorable '50, is a Supreme Court Justice residing in Edmonton, Alta.

CHARTIER, Brian Mason Dr. '74, received his Ph.D. degree in '85 and is now the head of the Psychology Department here at STM.

CLARK, Lyle Matthew '85, works for C.I.B.C. in Toronto.

DANTZER, Herbert Alexander '78, received his LL.B. degree in '81 and is now working at the Canadian Consulate in New York City.

DAVIDUK, Walter James '65, received his B.Ed. in '67 and has taught for some 34 years. He now owns and operates his family hardware store in Hafford, Sask.

DeCOTEAU, William Earle '60, received his M.D. degree in '64. He is married to Anne Marie Phelan. Dr. DeCoteau is on the Department of Medicine at University Hospital in Saskatoon.

DEUTSCHER, Joseph Charles '48, is a Roman Catholic priest stationed at St. Anne's Church in Regina, Sask.

DREW, Ernest Andrew '60, is a Business Chartered Accountant residing in Calgary, Alta.

DUTLI, Margaret Catherine Miss '63, received her M.A. degree in '66 and teaches on our English Department here at STM.

GUZIK, Emil '65, is teaching at Archbishop O'Leary High School in Edmonton, Alta.

HALL, John Emmett Dr. '48, practises medicine and teaches Pe-

diatrics at Harvard University. He resides in Brookline, Mass.

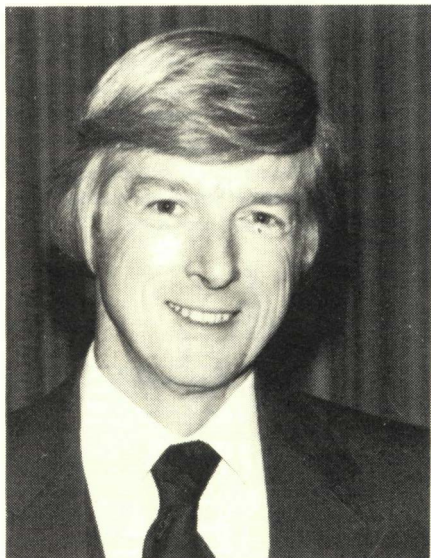
HICKIE, Robert Allen Dr. '58, is on the Department of Pharmacology here on our campus. He received his Ph.D. degree at the University of Toronto.

HODAY, John '62, has been an R.C.M.P. officer, now retired and is living in Ottawa.

Keenan lecturer issues challenge to STM College

Catholic colleges must be prepared to dare life and to dare the future. This challenge was the highlight of the third annual Keenan Lecture, delivered on October 29 by Sister Kathleen Feeley, SSND, President of Notre Dame College of Maryland.

Standing before an audience of 140



Michael G. Keenan

gathered in the STM auditorium, Sister Feeley spoke on the topic "Creating the Future in Catholic Liberal Arts Colleges," dealing with the question of how colleges adapt to changing times. Four elements are key to creating the future for colleges: history, physical reality, providence and choice. Although Catholic colleges have a level of confidence which only belief in divine providence can give, it is in the area of choice that they have control over their future.

Focus must be on the whole person

Catholic colleges have changed dramatically in the last few decades. Faculties and boards of directors which were once composed of members of the religious orders have become predominantly lay. Yet the mission of Catholic colleges has

not changed; the mission is to provide a liberal arts education. "We are working to free and liberate minds . . ." or, in the words of John Henry Newman, to produce "a cultivated intellect . . . which brings with it a power and a grace to every work and every occupation which it undertakes."

But what does it mean to be a Catholic liberal arts college? The role of the Catholic college, according to Sister Feeley, is not to proselytize, not to subtract something from a liberal education by narrowing it, not to exclude certain ideas or individuals. Catholic liberal arts colleges are church related but not sectarian. They bring a plus to education and not a minus; they add an extra dimension to education.

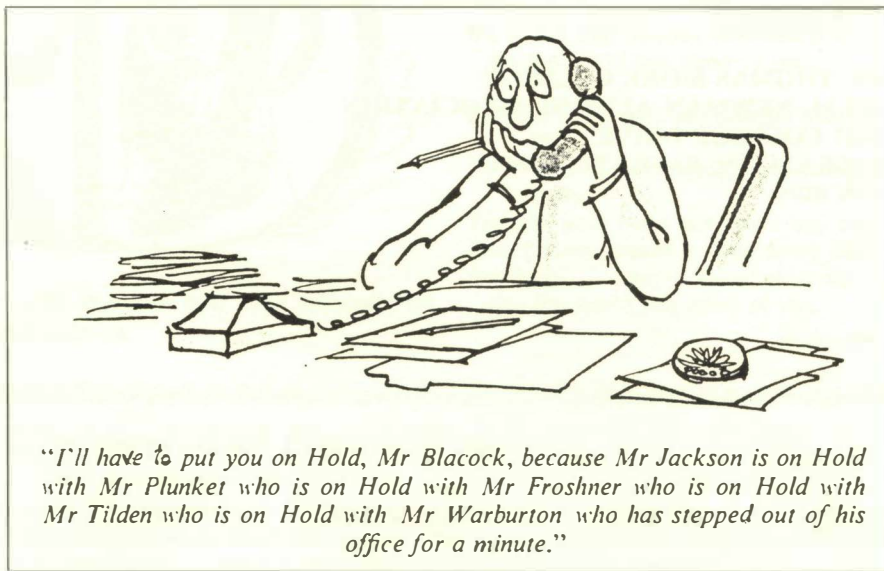
There are four ways, Sister Feeley continued, by which Catholic colleges can develop this extra dimension and strengthen their identity. They can work together to build a sense of community among administration, faculty and students which will be a shining example to others. Second, they can develop a strong theology or religious studies department which will break down walls against the life of the spirit. Third, they can foster a broadly

based campus ministry program. Finally they can reach outside their walls with programs oriented to the community at large.

Mindful of this added dimension, Catholic colleges can dare face the 1990s. The new decade, according to Sister Feeley, calls us to develop a curriculum and campus life which are international, interactive and intergenerational: international in developing a world vision; intra-active in involving students in the learning process; and intergenerational in opening doors to students who are older than the traditional college age, and in enabling young and old to learn from one another.

Sister Feeley's visit to St. Thomas More College included a second talk on "Flannery O'Connor: Territory and Technique," and an informal meeting with the Faculty Administration Forum to discuss strategic planning for the future of the college. Her lectures and comments were received enthusiastically by each audience she addressed.

Copies of the third annual Keenan Lecture will be available on request from the Dean's Office, St. Thomas More College.



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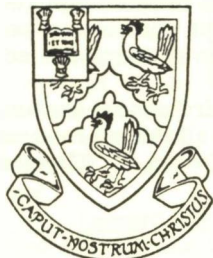
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