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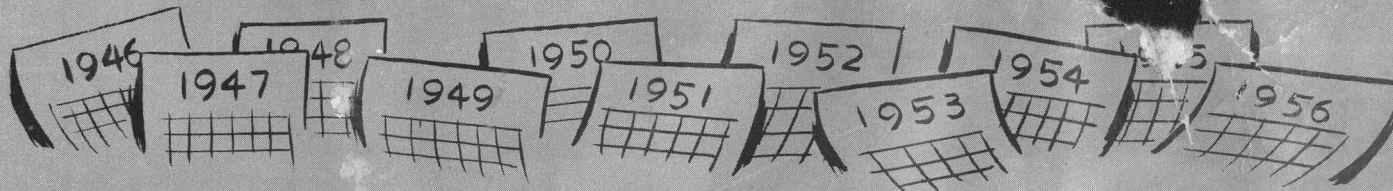
# ROUNDUP

MAGAZINE



*Fall 1956*

VOLUME III  
NO. IV



# POST-WAR EXPANSION HIGHLIGHTS

In past decade Regis has added:

- Three new buildings
- Increased enrollment
- Enlarged faculty
- Evening Class Division
- Expanded curriculum
- Placement Office
- Guidance and Testing Program
- Television series
- Long-range development program
- "3-2" Engineering Program
- Many other improvements

## REGIS 1956: A DECADE OF GROWTH

Ten years ago Regis felt the first ripple of the post-war tidal wave in education. Veterans were just beginning to return and resume interrupted careers, and many took advantage of the G.I. Bill to finish or begin a college education.

During the war, Regis had donned its own version of khaki, opened its doors to the Army Specialized Training Program, and accelerated many of its courses. Then, with the war over and the training program finished, we reverted to peacetime. But it was vastly different from the pre-war period. Boom years were beginning, and carried over into education.

This upsurge in education continues, and promises to increase even more. Classrooms across the nation are jammed, and Regis is no exception. Enrollment this semester is up nine per cent. The potential enrollment from local sources alone indicates a possible increase of seventy-five per cent in the next ten years. Regis, like Denver, is growing.

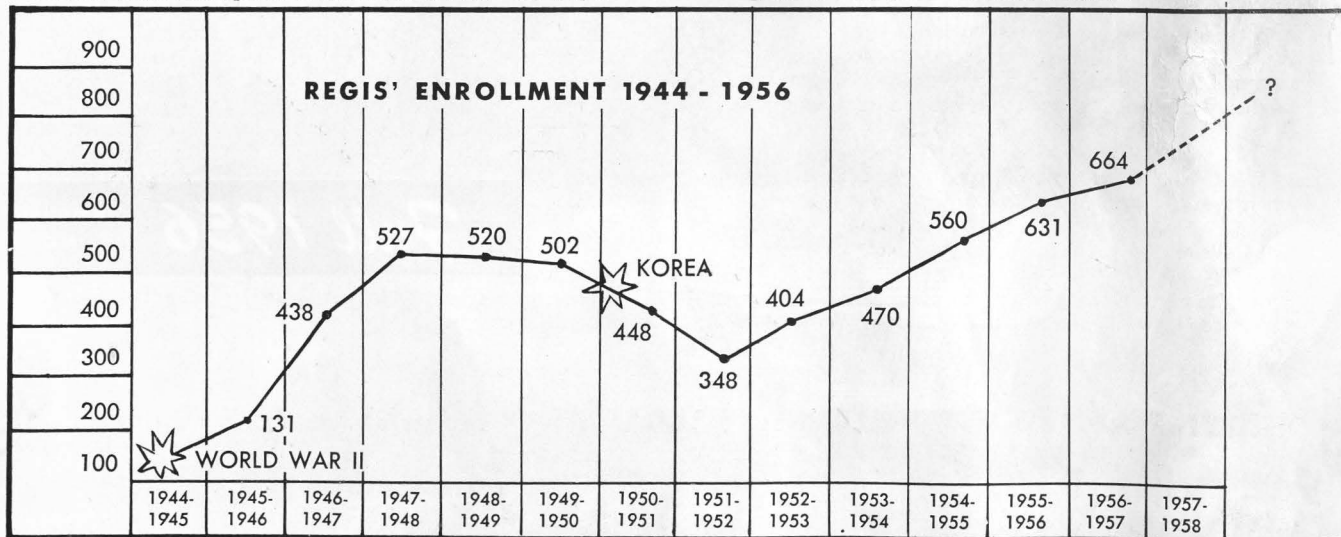
Loyola Hall was completed in 1952 to provide badly-needed classroom space. This month will see the begin-

ning of another forward step in the development of Regis to meet the increasing demands and responsibilities with which we are faced.

Construction of the new residence hall and the student center begin this month. When completed they will provide facilities for some 150 additional boarders, plus dining and limited recreational facilities for many other students.

But physical development is not the only way in which Regis has grown. New courses are constantly being added to the expanding curriculum, and Regis now offers more than 355 courses in five divisions and sixteen departments. Each year new instructors are added to the faculty, enabling Regis to maintain its long-standing policy of small classes with a close relationship between student and teacher.

In short, every part of the college has expanded. We are in the middle of a booming Western economy which gives every indication of continued progress. The two new buildings are a part of the long-range Regis program to keep pace with that progress.



# IT'S A NEW REGIS!

By REV. JOHN P. TEELING, S.J.



(Editor's note: The Rev. John P. Teeling, S.J., a member of the college English Department, holds the chair as guest columnist for this first issue of the "new" magazine. Each succeeding issue will contain a timely article by some guest writer, either Jesuit or layman.)

Returning to the Regis campus after an absence of 14 years I certainly found many reasons for rejoicing. That ancient dowager, the Administration Building, is now safely stayed up with an abundance of structural steel and is crackling with new life throughout her entirely revamped electrical system. Trenches and modern transite pipe criss-crossing the campus outline the framework of a vastly expanded water system that will be adequate for a triple or quadruple usage. Over there in the Business Office they're pretty proud of the new pay scale recently adopted for our clerical, maintenance, and custodial help. This last summer, professional personnel directors classified all such jobs at Regis, and assigned an adequate wage scale to each classification. And in the brick-and-mortar department we're launching a million-dollar building program for a student union and dormitory (see pages 5 and 6), with (we hope) a field house, library, science building, and faculty residence not too far in the future.

## STUDENTS, STUDENTS EVERYWHERE

But the most colorful sight, and the one that gives the thoughtful "Jebbie" the most food for thought, is the freshman class, a thermometer-popping, graph-breaking 260 strong. I can't help remembering that that's all we had in the whole school, if everyone showed up, back before the war. But here they are, the class of '60, in their feathered Robin Hood freshman caps, crowding the dorms and labs and classrooms. For Regis, the future is already here.

But please don't, repeat don't, feel sorry for these young men. They're getting the same high quality education which Regis has always given. Regis College would be untrue to herself, to the alumni, to the body politic, and to almighty God if she ever let the individual get trampled on by the herd. Education is a vital, personal matter, and Regis knows it comes only from the living contact of student and teacher.

I notice with pleasure that in spite of unprecedented pressures Regis has held the line on its teacher-to-student ratios. For example, the all-important freshman English classes have been kept down to about 20. Those who show need of extra help meet in groups of 12 only. And then there is the English Lab where those who require or request it can indulge in vicious toe-to-toe slugging with grammar and rhetoric. However, the English battle may be going on other campuses, it isn't being lost at Regis.

## THE SHEEPSKIN: VALUE \$100,000

What do these Regis frosh face four years from now when they graduate? As far as we can see, a long, long ride on the gravy train. Clarence Lovejoy, author of the *College Guide*, estimates that a college education adds \$100,000 to the lifetime earnings of the high school grad. Clearly, a college education is the best investment going today. The more so when we remember that in a

men's liberal arts college like Regis student fees cover only two-thirds of all operating expenses. Every student at Regis is, in effect, the beneficiary of a rather substantial scholarship. The Jesuits who donate their services and the lay professors who could earn much more in private industry pick up a fair share of the tab for the Regis educational banquet.

## THE BLACKROBES CAN'T DO IT ALL

And that brings us to the most notable fact of all about Regis' recent growth, the growth in faculty—the backbone, good right arm, and living soul of any college. Regis College has on its staff 33 Jesuit fathers, 26 engaged in actual teaching. Obviously they couldn't possibly teach our 670 day and 216 night school students and still give the personal attention Regis is famous for. That's where the lay faculty comes in. These non-Jesuit teachers have responded marvelously to the challenge of Catholic liberal education. They, as much as the Jesuits, want to graduate the thinking, articulate Christian man that is the true product of Jesuit education.

Our 16 full-time and 26 part-time lay professors range in service at Regis from the good gray (sorry, John) John V. Coyne, long-time veteran of the educational battle, to Messrs. Charles F. Baier, Louis Gachic, Donald Titus, Steven Wagner, and Fred L. Wiesner, who joined our staff for the fall semester. Together our lay professors possess some seventy degrees and total hundreds of years of priceless educational experience.

Naturally such talent doesn't come cheap. Regis College is currently paying out \$74,826 a year to its lay professors, and they're worth every penny of it. In fact, almost any college teacher could earn more in business and industry than in the godly profession of molding young minds and training future leaders for Church and nation.

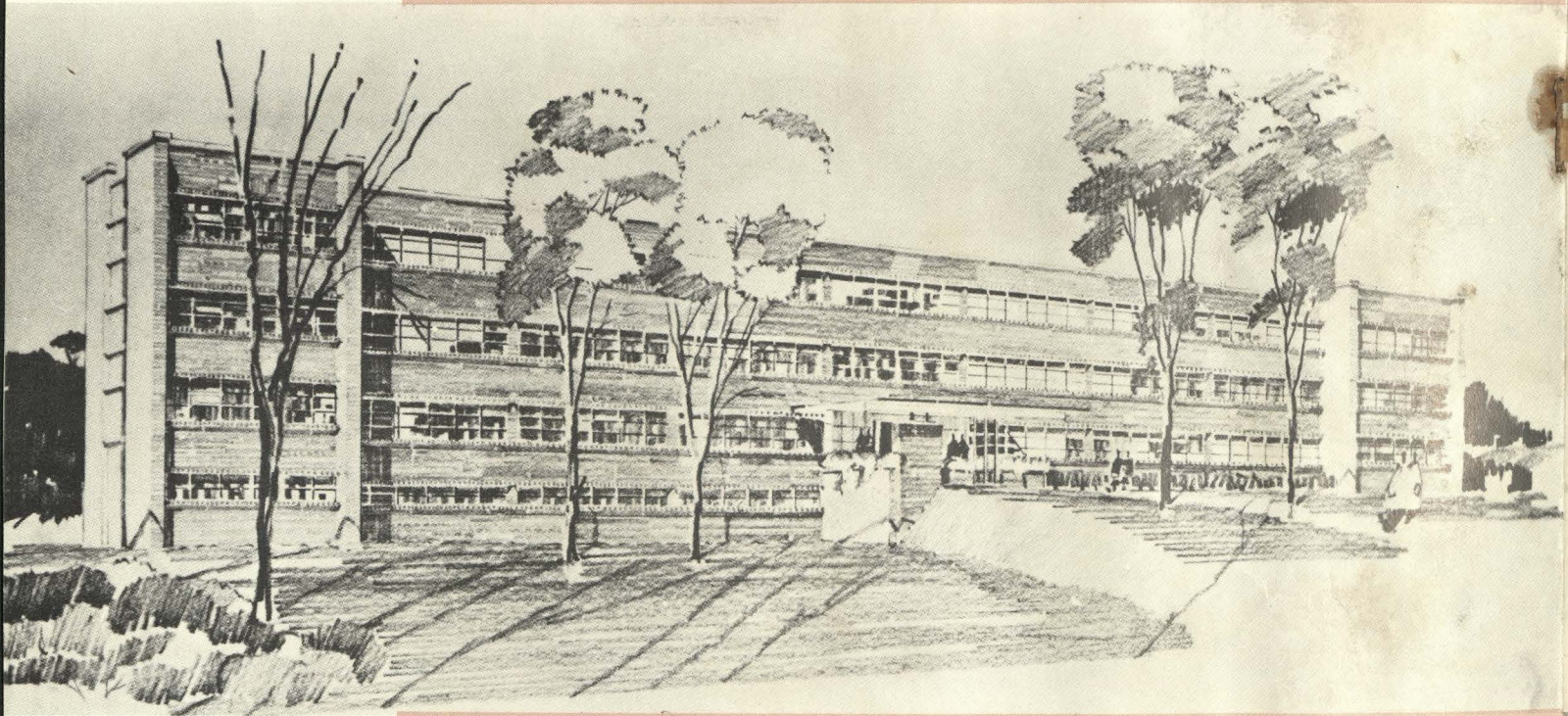
## THE CHALLENGE OF THE FUTURE

And so we arrive at the number one problem facing the new Regis—maintaining, enlarging, and improving our already excellent faculty. Our Ford money, wisely invested as it is, will help. But there wasn't so much that it arrived in an armored freight train. The Ford Foundation itself only intended its generous gift to spur the colleges themselves on to make continuing faculty improvement. So the Regis College of 1956, with basic utilities taken care of, new facilities on the way, and a plethora of students on campus, must now prepare to turn concentrated attention to over-all faculty improvement. According to figures released by the State of Colorado, Regis can expect almost 2,000 students by 1969, a short 13 years away. Clearly a Jesuit and lay faculty capable of giving a Regis education to this mounting tide of students will have to be found somewhere, somehow. If the past is any criterion, Regis will not fail, I am sure.

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**A NATIONALLY KNOWN SOCIOLOGIST LOOKS AT "Successful American Families"**

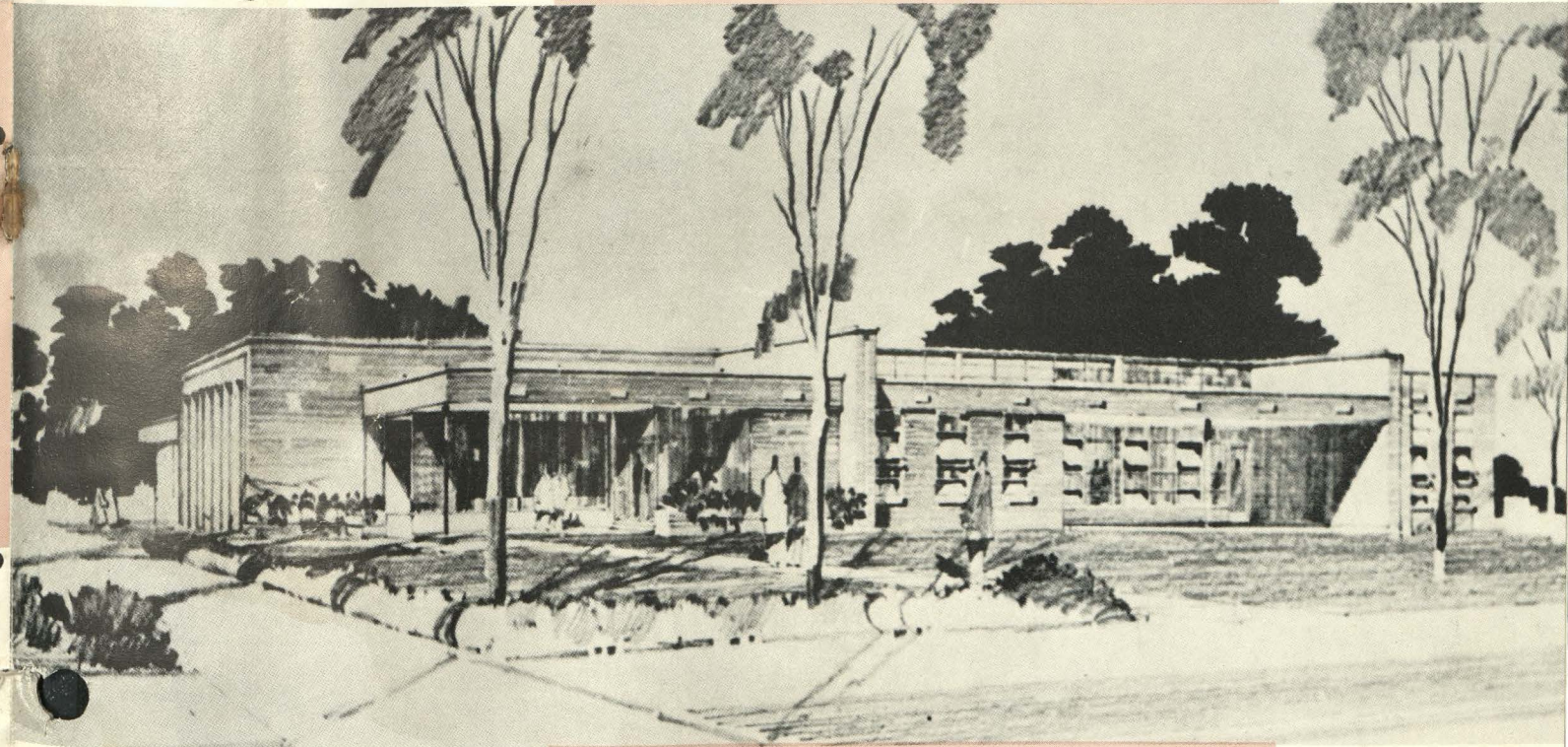
# Steady Progress...



Regis students in the not-too-distant future will be living and studying in this modern new residence hall. Three stories with a full basement, it's designed to accommodate 216. There will be 103 spacious double rooms, several single rooms, and each floor will house a prefect's suite. A small lounge where parents may meet their sons will be situated off the lobby on the first floor. The residence hall will be located directly east of the site of the present grotto, with DeSmet and Carroll Hall to the south and the Student Chapel to the north.

# TO A GREATER REGIS

Steel, concrete, and glass can make a mighty pretty picture when they are combined as they will be in the new student center. When finished, the new hub of on-campus activity will have a gleaming new cafeteria capable of seating 350, a student lounge, game room, snack bar, private dining room and lounge, and a covered patio or terrace. Situated southwest of the Administration Building and just off Lowell Boulevard, the new student center, when completed, will furnish a magnificent view of the valley and the mountains to the northwest.



# The Measure of Success

By JOHN A. FLANAGAN  
Athletic Director, Regis College

Double-headers, coast-to-coast trips, top-ranked teams, that's the picture for the coming basketball season at Regis.

The 1956-57 schedule extends from December 2 to March 2, from West Point in New York to Southern California, from the inter-squad game to Dayton University. The current schedule includes Pepperdine, Loyola, New Mexico, Gonzaga, Seattle, St. Michael's of Vermont, Gustavus Adolphus, Portland, Cincinnati, Niagara, Army, Dayton, Washington of Missouri, and Texas Southern from outside the boundaries of the state of Colorado. Add to these the fine traditional rivalries we enjoy with Colorado institutions and you have the toughest schedule in Ranger basketball history.

Looking to the home schedule, we find no shortage of food for the sports appetite. A total of ten programs will be presented in City Auditorium Arena. Six of these represent the Saturday afternoon double-header series, with the Air Force Academy sharing the spotlight. Four games will be promoted in cooperation with the Knights of Columbus Home Board. The opponents for home games will travel a combined total of some 18,000 miles to play the Rangers. From the Pacific Northwest to New England to the land of the Rio Grande, opposing squads will be moving into Denver to do high altitude marksmanship with the Regis five.

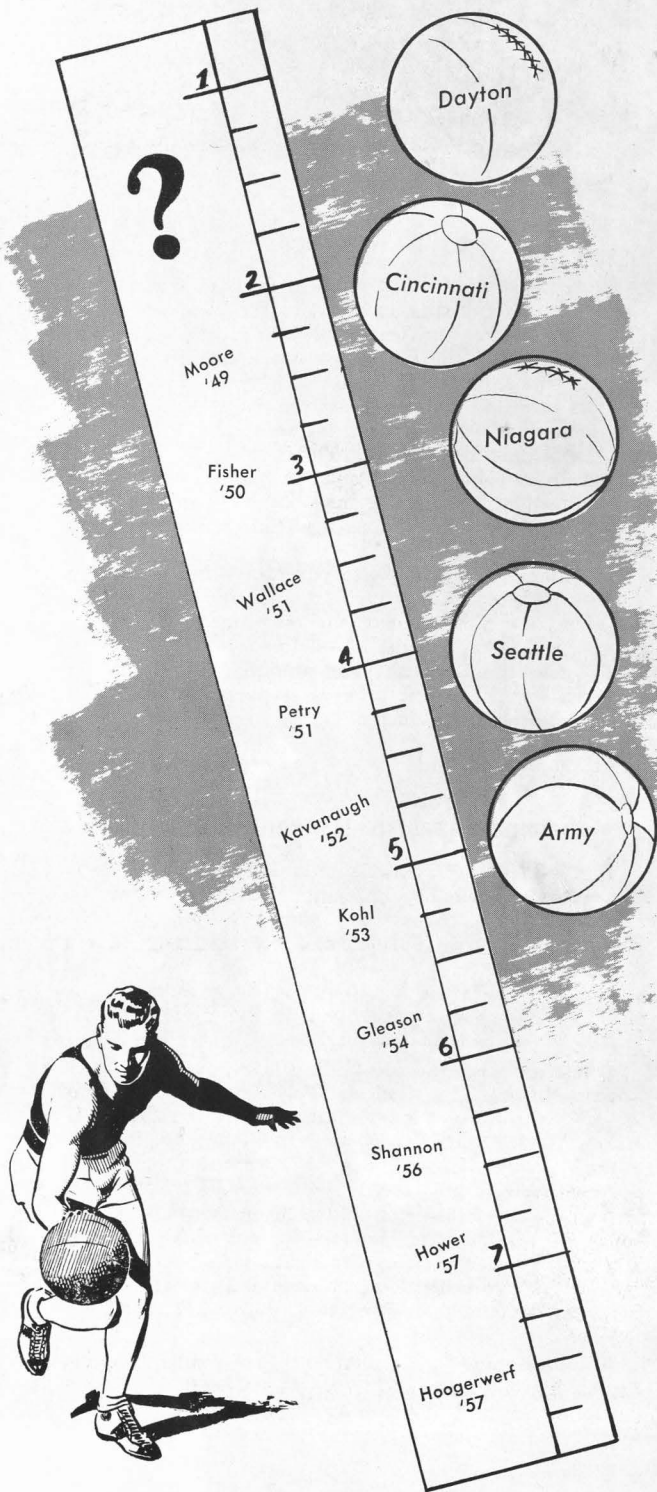
That's the schedule. Let's take a look at the squad that will have to face it. Back from last year are seniors Tom Hoogerwerf, Allen Hower, Dick Eckhard, and Tony Rendulich. Junior returnees are Ted Sermonet, Bill Bollwerk, and John Gatens. Second-year men are Terry Sheehy, Jim Butler, and Bob Linnenberger. The new men at Regis include Dennis Boone, Jim Vigil, Dick Lazzeri, John Waris, Jerry Haushalter, Harold Marcotte, and Gene Mueller. Coach Harvey Moore, beginning his fourth season, is looking to last year's junior varsity and incoming frosh to provide at least one dark horse candidate.

Going back to the schedule, we find that the Ranger quintet will make two major trips, as has been the custom in past years. The first comes after the opener against Colorado School of Mines. The team will fly to Los Angeles for games with Pepperdine and Loyola. On the way back, they stop at Durango and enjoy the honor of playing in the dedication of the Fort Lewis A & M fieldhouse ceremonies. In the feature game of this affair, the Rangers meet the New Mexico University Lobos.

Opening the eastern swing, the Rangers meet the University of Cincinnati, and the going doesn't get any easier after that. In quick succession, they face Niagara University at Niagara Falls (a word to the wise: Coach Moore is very touchy about remarks on honeymoons), Army at West Point, then head home, meeting Dayton University at Dayton and Washington University in St. Louis.

Future potential is excellent. We have the opportunity to build something new and fan-appealing in the Saturday afternoon doubleheaders with the Air Force Academy. The tentative plans are to continue this program in the future. This is also true of the K. of C. home series. It is the hope of this department and the members of the home board at the Knights of Columbus that this is to be the beginning of an annual series which will culminate in a nationally-known four-team tournament for which Regis College will be the host.

At this moment our biggest problem is to get more and more people to see the Ranger five play just once. We feel that we will be playing attractive basketball and that anyone who sees us once will be back. We encourage every alumnus, every friend of the college, and every sports fan interested in basketball to come down and look us over. We think you'll like what you see.



## ...from the President's desk...

Dear Friend of Regis:

In the July, 1955, issue of the "Roundup," this paragraph was carried on the front page: "Regis is certainly on the threshold of expansion. We are a dynamic college in a dynamic city. As the city and the region grow, we at Regis must grow too."

It seems particularly appropriate to quote these lines now, a little more than a year later. Much has happened in the course of that year, and Regis is no longer "on the threshold of expansion." We have crossed it, and are beginning the largest expansion program in our history. A \$160,000 grant from the Ford Foundation will enable us to begin to undertake a program to increase lay faculty salaries. A planning committee has established the framework within which we build for the future. A \$920,000 government loan will be used to construct a new residence hall and a new student service building.

It is in line with these over-all development plans that we have also decided it was time for a change in the "Roundup." In the months and years to come Regis will continue to keep pace with the increasing educational needs of our population. This revised version of the "Roundup" will enable us to bring the story of our expansion to alumni, friends and community.

Regis is indeed a "dynamic college in a dynamic city." To fulfill our aims and obligations, we need the understanding and support of the community and our alumni, and we must inform them of our objectives and our progress. This magazine is intended as a means to bring this information to all who have a natural interest in Regis and its development.

Cordially,  
RICHARD F. RYAN, S.J.  
President

### Regis Ford Foundation Recipient

Two checks were received by the college in recent months, both grants from major corporations designed to aid American colleges and universities.

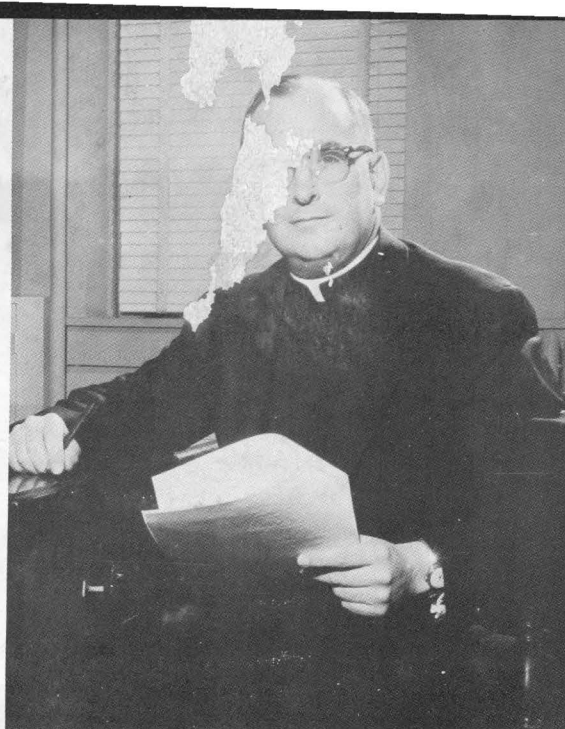
The first payment, \$80,000, of an estimated \$160,000 Ford Foundation grant to be used to increase lay faculty salaries, was received July 2. The balance should be received by July, 1957. Earlier, a \$1,000 unrestricted grant from the U. S. Steel Foundation was also received.

The Ford grant must be invested for a period of at least 10 years, and the income derived must be used to increase faculty salaries. Praising both foundations, the Very Rev. Richard F. Ryan, S.J., Regis' president, said he hoped "these grants will lend encouragement to others to aid the nation's private educational institutions in solving their formidable financial problems."

### Two Jesuits Observe Jubilees

876,000 hours adds up to a mighty long time—100 years to be exact. And that was just the total of the combined service of two Regis Jesuits last August when they celebrated their Golden Jubilees as members of the Society.

The Rev. Raphael C. McCarthy, S.J., and the Rev. B. J. Murray, S.J., both well-known to hundreds of Regis graduates and former students, were feted at a joint reception held Sunday, August 19, in Loyola Library on the campus. Both were Regis students before entering the Society on August 14, 1906.



### The "New" Roundup

The leaves are turning and winter clothes are being taken out of mothballs and sent to the cleaners. It's a season of change, and the "Roundup" is no exception.

We've revised the four-page newspaper in favor of this eight-page magazine format which will give us more freedom in presenting an attractive, comprehensive view of the Regis picture and alumni activities. Like Regis, the "Roundup" is growing. The newspaper has been published for several years now, and its mailing list has grown steadily. We felt the time had come to enlarge it, to revise it, to improve it as a vehicle used to tell the Regis story.

The magazine will come to you four times a year, on October 10, January 10, April 10, and July 10. In addition, between each issue of the magazine you will receive an up-to-the-minute newsletter reporting the day-to-day activities of faculty and alumni, plus such other items as special events, progress reports, and the like. We hope you like the change.

### Seminar Analysis Denver Potential

A five-week "Citizens Seminar For A Greater Denver" is being held on the campus this month, with a roster of guest speakers that reads like "Who's Who?" in Colorado politics, journalism, economics, religion, and education.

Held in Loyola Library each Tuesday evening during October, the sessions are open to the public free of charge. Each session begins at 8 p.m.

Guest speakers include U. S. Congressman Byron G. Rogers, Robert S. McCollum, Republican candidate for the U. S. House of Representatives; Rev. Dr. Arthur L. Miller, minister of the Montview Boulevard Presbyterian Church; Joseph Ross, president of Daniels and Fisher; Dr. Kenneth E. Oberholtzer, superintendent of Denver Public Schools; Rt. Rev. Msgr. Matthew Smith, editor of the Catholic Register System of newspapers; Mayor Will F. Nicholson, State Senator Frank L. Gill; John A. Carroll, Democratic candidate for the U. S. Senate, and Donald G. Brotzman, Republican candidate for governor.

Topics include "Denver At The Crossroads," "Denver Builds For Tomorrow," "Crises In Education," "Reapportionment," and "Denver And The U. S."



# ...ABOUT REGIS ALUMNI...

**Tom Conlon**, former Regis Cager who graduated in 1953, is now a telephone company toll office supervisor in Wichita, Kansas. He plans to do work toward an M.A. at the University of Wichita. His address is 6124 Oakwood Drive, Wichita, Kansas.

**Lawrence F. Morris**, '51, is now Placement Interviewer for the Colorado State Employment Service. Lawrence live with his wife, Judith Alayne, and their 22 months old son, Joseph, at 1125½ E. 9th in Pueblo, Colorado.

**Ernest Pasquale Marranzino**, '38, operates his Marranzino Television Co. at 3558 Oscage Street, Denver. The Marranzinos has three boys and three girls.

**Army Pvt. Roger J. Nittler**, '54, recently was graduated from the Military Police Training Center at Fort Gordon, Ga. Nittler entered the Army in November, 1955, and completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colorado.

**Edward J. Koerber**, '40, is an Insurance Adjuster for General Adjustment Bureau, Craig, Colorado. He and his wife have three children. Koerber recently spent a week in Denver.

**Jack A. Udick, Jr.**, of 3405 W. Hayward Place, is shop manager for the W. H. Moore Equipment Co. The Udicks have a boy and two girls.

**John R. Crowley**, '52, Accountant, lives at 733 - 18th Street in Boulder, and is Assistant to the President of Harman, Donnell and Henninger Association. John and Louette now have a 5-month old son in addition to their 21-month old daughter. John is taking graduate work in Public Administration at the University of Colorado.

**Joe V. Connelly**, '28, is District Sales Manager for Sevel, Inc. His address is 1926 Channing Avenue, Palo Alto, California. He and his wife, Mabel, have one boy, Martin.

**Phillip G. Brockish**, '47, is living with his wife and one son at 254 South Downing. He is Employment Manager for Sundstrand Aviation of Denver.

**Alex Berlinger**, '42, is warehousing foreman for the National Biscuit Co. Berlinger lives with his wife, Alice, and sons, Stephen, Ben, and a daughter, Patricia, at 5009 Alcott Street, Denver.

**Jay Barrett, Jr.**, is a real estate broker for Harry Barrett, his dad. Jay and his wife, Joyce Jeanne, have a daughter, Candy Jeanne, age 2. They live at 7529 Navajo, Milwaukee, Wis.

**Thomas Edgar Egan**, '41, is a printing salesman for the Egan Printing Co. He and his wife have two boys and two girls. They live at 1134 S. York, Denver.

**William Joseph Hight**, '52, a revenue agent for the State of Colorado, lives at 1940 S. Sherman Street.

**Joseph Tarabino**, '09, is Manager for the Tarabino Real Estate Co., Inc. in Trinidad, Colorado. Tarabino's son, John, is attending Regis. He has another son, Joseph.

**John Patrick Mulligan**, '42, is an employ of the U. S. Government State Department in Foreign Service. The Mulligans have one boy, 3 years, and one girl, 10 months. They live at 263 S. Washington in Denver.

**Thomas B. Masterson**, '42, practices law in Denver. Thomas and his wife, Viola, have two children, Tim 5, and Diane 7. They live at 2757 S. Garfield, Denver.

**John J. Conway**, '54, lives at 4475 Xavier Street in Denver. He is a law student and Deputy Clerk in Superior Court, Denver. The Conways have two boys, John, and Michael 4 years and 3 months, and one daughter, Kathleen, 2 years.

**Brown Whitaker** and his wife, Margaret, have one little girl. The Whitaker live at 19 Fuente, San Francisco 27, California.

**James M. Stranger**, '49, is an Internal Revenue Agent —auditing federal tax returns. James and his wife, Helen, have two sons, Robert 6, and John 3. They live at 1116 W. Ash, Carlsbad, New Mexico.

**Albert E. Seep**, '22, and his wife, Margaret, have two boys and four girls. He is president of the Mine and Smelter Supply Company. The Seeps live at 11 Ivy Lane.

**Edward Thomas Lyons**, '36, and his wife, Genevieve, have three boys and six girls. Ed is a Chemist for the Bureau of Reclamation, Denver Federal Center. The Lyons live at 3046 W. 34th Avenue.

**Victor Lee Coffey, Jr.**, '42, of 4368 Zenobia Street is Secretary-Treasurer of the Coffey Investments, Inc. He and his wife, Bette, have a daughter 2 years old.

**Franklin G. Murphy**, '40, works for John P. Murphy Implement Company. He and his wife, Virginia, have one son, Joseph 6, and three daughters, Judy 11, Catherine 4, and Rosemary 3. They live at 410 Lincoln Street, Longmont, Colorado.

**Donald Dunn**, '25, and his wife, Mary, have three sons, Don Jr. 19, Mike 16, and Stephen 12. Don is a Denver accountant for Coughlin and Company. The Dunns live at 2360 Dahlia.

**Max M. Jonke**, '35, of 3232 Fenton Street, Denver, is Cereal Chemist for Colorado Milling Elevator Company. Max and his wife, Mary, have two girls, 4 and 6 years old.

**Stephen P. Keating, Jr.**, '24, is an Engineer for City of Denver Fire Department. He lives at 2647 Dahlia Street.

**Jim Sweeney**, '49, of 3270 Magnolia, Denver is Supervisor for Dow Chemical at Rocky Flats. Jim and his wife, Mary Jane, have three girls, Betty 7, Mary Lou 4, and Sheila 1.

**Thomas J. Gargan**, '49, lives at 3353 S. Grape, Denver. Thomas and his wife, Tina, have one boy and one girl. He received his Masters Degree in Personnel and Industrial Relations in June, 1955, at D.U. He is a Blue Cross and Blue Shield Representative for Colorado Hospital and Medical Service, Inc.

Any information on grads or former students which could be included in this column will be greatly appreciated.

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