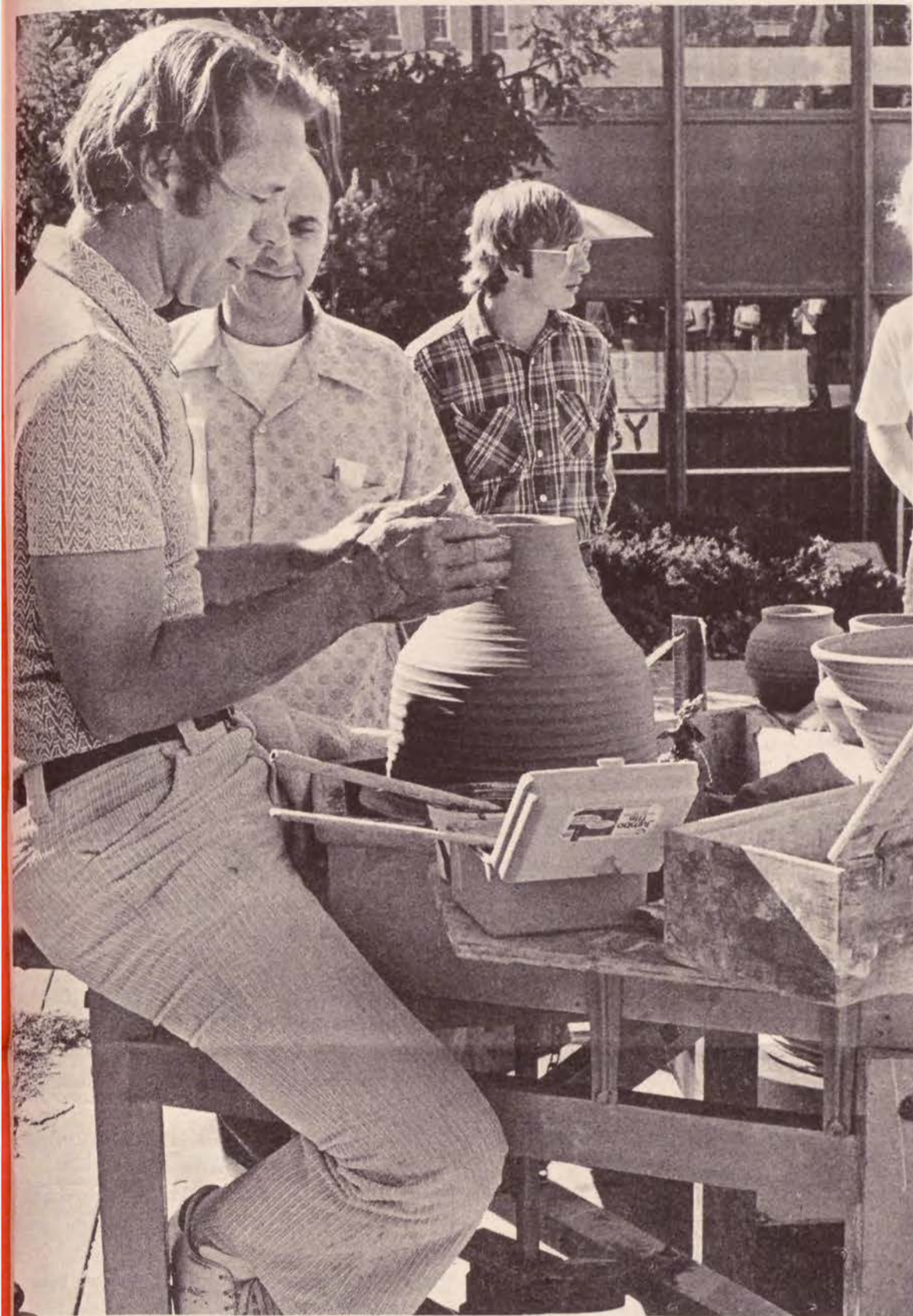


# CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY Alumnews

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## Health grants, loans total to \$33.3 million

## Residents' use of alcohol approved



## Fine arts on display

The whirl of the potter's wheel contrasted with ballet as the Creighton Fine Arts Department took over the East Quadrangle of the campus one day last month.

Jerry Horning (above), a nationally-known potter who joined the fine arts faculty this year, demonstrated his skills during the exhibition. He has ordered ten new potting wheels from England and will conduct a kiln building workshop this month.

But Horning wasn't alone in demon-

strating skills. Acting Department Chairman Don Doll, S.J., demonstrated portrait photography with just a ten second wait for results. Tom Bartek and Frances Kraft painted and sketched. A troupe of dance students, under direction of Valerie Roche, performed ballet.

The goal of the program was to attract more students to the fine arts in preparation for the department's move to the current School of Dentistry building next fall.

Approximately 1,400 Creighton students over age 19 living in campus residence halls have been granted permission to keep and drink alcohol in their rooms.

The action by the Rev. Joseph J. Labaj, S.J., president, grants the same privileges to Creighton campus residents as other Nebraska 19-year-olds have had since July 6.

At the same time, the Rev. Michael Sheridan, S.J., vice president for student personnel, said definite limits will be placed on dorm residents to assure a positive social atmosphere.

Students under age 19 will not be permitted to drink or possess alcohol, he said. Alcohol may not be consumed in lounges or hallways or other public areas of the campus, he added. State law concerning possession and consumption of alcohol will be strictly enforced, he said.

Father Sheridan said Father Labaj has directed "me to abrogate the new policy in whole or in part whenever conditions warrant such action."

Several factors were considered before changing the long-standing policy against possession of alcohol by campus residents:

—Nebraska has lowered the legal drinking age to 19. More than eight out of ten students attending Creighton may legally possess alcohol and consume it.

—Parents and alumni representatives surveyed by the University endorsed the University's plan to permit possession by residents who are of age. The Committee on Student Life Policy, made up of students, faculty members, administrators, parent and alumni representatives voted approval without dissent.

—The Nebraska Legislature last year refused to legalize sale of beer or other alcoholic beverages in a University-controlled rathskeller.

—Some 23 of 28 Jesuit colleges and universities and a growing number of state and private institutions have permitted alcohol use in residences, often with a positive social awareness of the temperate use of alcohol.

—Illegal use of alcohol in residence halls has occurred regularly for decades. The clandestine nature of alcoholic consumption in the halls has emphasized anti-social drinking.

Federal grants and guaranteed loans of \$33.3 million have moved Creighton University's health education facilities a giant step toward reality.

The funds were received to finance a major share of the facility planned to replace St. Joseph Hospital, and to aid in construction of Unit III of the Dr. C.C. and Mabel Criss Medical Center.

Groundbreaking for both buildings is planned for 1973.

The Department of Health, Education and Welfare gave Creighton a grant of \$5.87 million for construction of Unit III of the medical center. Total estimated cost of the structure is \$8,559,000.

Unit III will be built east of the current Criss buildings. It will house administrative offices of the health science vice president, the School of Pharmacy, two 250-seat classrooms and several multi-purpose laboratories.

The Regional Health Care Corporation, the organization incorporated to conduct Creighton's health care delivery systems, received a \$5.47-million grant toward construction of the \$54 million in facilities planned on the Creighton campus west of the North Freeway.

In addition, HEW guaranteed \$22 million in private loans for the new building. Guaranteed loans are negotiated privately with the Federal government paying all interest costs over three percent in addition to guaranteeing payment of the loans.

Regional Health Care Corporation officials plan the following projects with the funds:

—A 430-bed replacement hospital for Creighton Memorial St. Joseph Hospital.

—An outpatient department capable of handling up to 200,000 outpatients a year.

—A parking garage to house 1,500 cars. It is planned to be built over the North Freeway to link the main campus with the new 15-acre West Campus. Direct access for the North Freeway is projected.

—A physicians' office building linked to the new hospital.

All of the projects are expected to cost \$54,281,000. In addition to the federal grants and loans, Centennial Thrust money and other privately-obtained loans will be needed.

## University enrollment climbs to 4,313

Creighton University's total enrollment reached a record high of 4,313 this fall. There were more students than a year ago in five of the eight university divisions.

The College of Arts and Sciences experienced a drop of 35 students; the College of Business Administration enrollment dropped seven students and the School of Pharmacy registered a decrease of 11 students.

In its first year as a separate college, Nursing registered 27 more students than were enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences nursing program a year ago. Total enrollment in Nursing is 253 students.

The School of Medicine expanded enrollment in the freshman class to 104. The 104 seats were filled from 5,500 applications, more than any other medical school in the nation. Total enrollment is 391, an increase of 52 over a year ago.

The School of Dentistry, awaiting completion of new facilities, admitted 65 students from the 1,300 applications. Total enrollment is 217, eight more than a year ago. Significant in Dental enrollment is admission of Creighton's first female dental student in 27 years—Cheri Lewis of Los Angeles, Calif.

The School of Law admitted 173 freshmen from 1,200 applicants. Total enrollment is 406.

The Graduate School increased 54 students to a total of 426. Much of the increase was recorded in a revitalized Master of Business Administration program.

Total enrollment in the College of Arts and Sciences is 1,986, with 433 enrolled in the College of Business Administration. Pharmacy School enrollment is 147.

## Nursing dean aims to train professionals with status

Professionalism is a must for Dr. Eleanor Repp.

The newly installed dean of the newly formed College of Nursing is at Creighton because she thinks that is the best way she can advance the profession of nursing.

A nurse with a doctorate, she is a member of an elite professional leadership core—there are less than 700 nurses with doctorates in the nation.

Nursing as a profession faces some handicaps that other groups of health science professionals have been spared, Dr. Repp believes.

"Nursing has been surprisingly lacking in power," she said. "Being primarily a woman's profession, they do not organize the same way the physicians organize. If all nurses belonged to the American Nursing Association, it would be more than 15 times as large as the American Medical Association. There would be no question that you would have a power block that would be hard to beat. But nurses being women are not oriented to nursing as their primary concern. Their primary concern is home and family."

### Help

"I see the whole women's lib program as benefiting nursing tremendously," she added.

Dr. Repp believes three groups have to alter their opinion of nursing if the profession will ever develop to full potential. The groups: The public, the physicians and hospital administrators.

Thousands of career-oriented nurses should be making the decisions that would advance nursing as a profession, Dr. Repp said.

"As the public, hospital administrators and physicians see it, the girl who graduated from college in nursing, left to raise a family for ten years and then entered the profession is just as much a nurse as a career nurse with advanced degrees," she said. "They are not the same at all and some of us feel those career-oriented nurses are the people who must be respon-

sible for making the decisions about nursing. The people who move in and out have to go along with them. But nursing doesn't function that way, primarily because of the other three groups. Nurses are not employed by nurses."

While the limited number of nurses practicing their profession has often been attributed to the choice of mother over career, Dr. Repp feels other factors should be looked at more closely.

### Growing

"I feel there is no shortage of nurses. Nursing is the only health profession that has continuously and consistently increased its number of graduates," she said.

"A large proportion of the graduates are home raising families...I feel that we have not examined closely enough the working conditions," Dr. Repp said. "We have a major problem in that the working conditions are not sufficiently attractive—if a young woman has some other option like a husband to support her, she will choose not to work. Salaries have increased tremendously; working conditions have not."

"We are finding on both the east and west coast something that is beginning to resemble an oversupply of nurses," she said. But she thinks the oversupply results from lack of public support rather than lack of need.

"I don't think there is a hospital in the country that could not use twice the number of professional nurses that they now have," she said. "There are all kinds of community based programs that some of us in nursing would like to see developed. But who is going to pay for it?"

### Solution

Dr. Repp said the nursing professional could actually help solve the maldistribution of physician health care.

"A professional nurse is prepared to assume a range of functions that have been traditionally thought of as medical," she said. "I question



Dr. Repp . . . nursing professional.

whether many of these functions actually require the knowledge and skill that a physician has. In the allied health professions there are many areas where nursing could teach other categories of personnel things they need to know. We are developing many technically oriented programs that deal with a relatively narrow scope of problems. I think nursing could assist with them."

"One of today's big controversies in the health professions is about who is the proper supervisor. Does the nurse have any role here or is it the physician's only? To me, that depends entirely on what specifically you are talking about," she said.

Dr. Repp previously was an assistant dean at the University of Kentucky's College of Nursing. She found the size of Kentucky U. too great to permit the kind of health science development program she wants to be a part of.

### Developing

"Many of the kinds of things the health sciences people are talking

about developing here at Creighton in terms of testing out new roles for health professionals and curriculum revisions that would mean a better education for the health professions are the names of the game as far as we are concerned," she said.

Creighton's plan to have all health professionals share some instruction that all need seems practical to Dr. Repp.

"If they are ever going to work together as colleagues in a professional setting, they have got to start when they are students," she said of joint education of all health professionals.

Meanwhile nursing at Creighton continues to grow. Some 253 students are in Creighton's College of Nursing this fall—an increase of 15 percent over a year ago.

The program can't become much larger, because Omaha has a limited number of patients with which to teach the various health professionals and technicians. At the same time, Dr. Repp is working to define new roles for the professional nurses Creighton does educate.

## Program for clergy to help them keep up with flock

Once looked to as the community's intellectual leaders, priests, ministers and rabbis are turning to Universities to help them keep up with their pastoral flock.

To meet the need, Creighton has introduced a program in Continuing Education in Pastoral Ministry. Creighton's program will culminate in a Master of Divinity degree taking, as do most master's programs, 33 credit hours to complete.

The Rev. Lawrence J. Dorsey has been appointed director of the program. Father Dorsey is a priest of the Omaha Archdiocese.

"I am on the Creighton faculty because of my interest in this program. We feel since the main body of men we will try to reach will be diocesan clergy, it would be good for someone with a vastly wide experience in diocesan parochial work to be a director of the program," he said. "I've been in the urban, rural and inner-city ministry and in education in all three areas."

### Assistant

Father Dorsey was an assistant pastor at three Omaha parishes and at Norfolk and Creighton, Nebraska. Before joining Creighton he was guidance director at Dominican High School, an Omaha inner-city school. He holds a master of guidance degree from Creighton.

The program currently uses the faculty of three Creighton departments—sociology, theology and counseling. However, Father Dorsey hopes the program will become successful enough to permit development of its own faculty.

Already he has made plans to bring qualified diocesan priests to the campus to aid in instruction.

He plans to take the courses to the priests ministers and rabbis, too. For example, he plans two courses to be taught in Norfolk, Nebraska, when the program gets underway in the second semester. Lincoln and other nearby

cities may be sites for future courses, he said.

The need for the program is great, Father Dorsey said. Creighton will provide the courses — even at a dollar loss at first — to fill the University's role as a partner in the region, he added.

### Change

"We find that with the fast-changing times—especially the Catholic Church since the Second Vatican Council—there are a number of clergymen who feel somewhat inadequate to deal effectively with the people they serve today," he said.

"They are professionals and they are men of great dedication, but as in any profession there are developments in your field. We seek out workshops where we can spend a weekend kind of regrouping and getting new ideas, but if we are to do this really effectively we feel we need a degree-

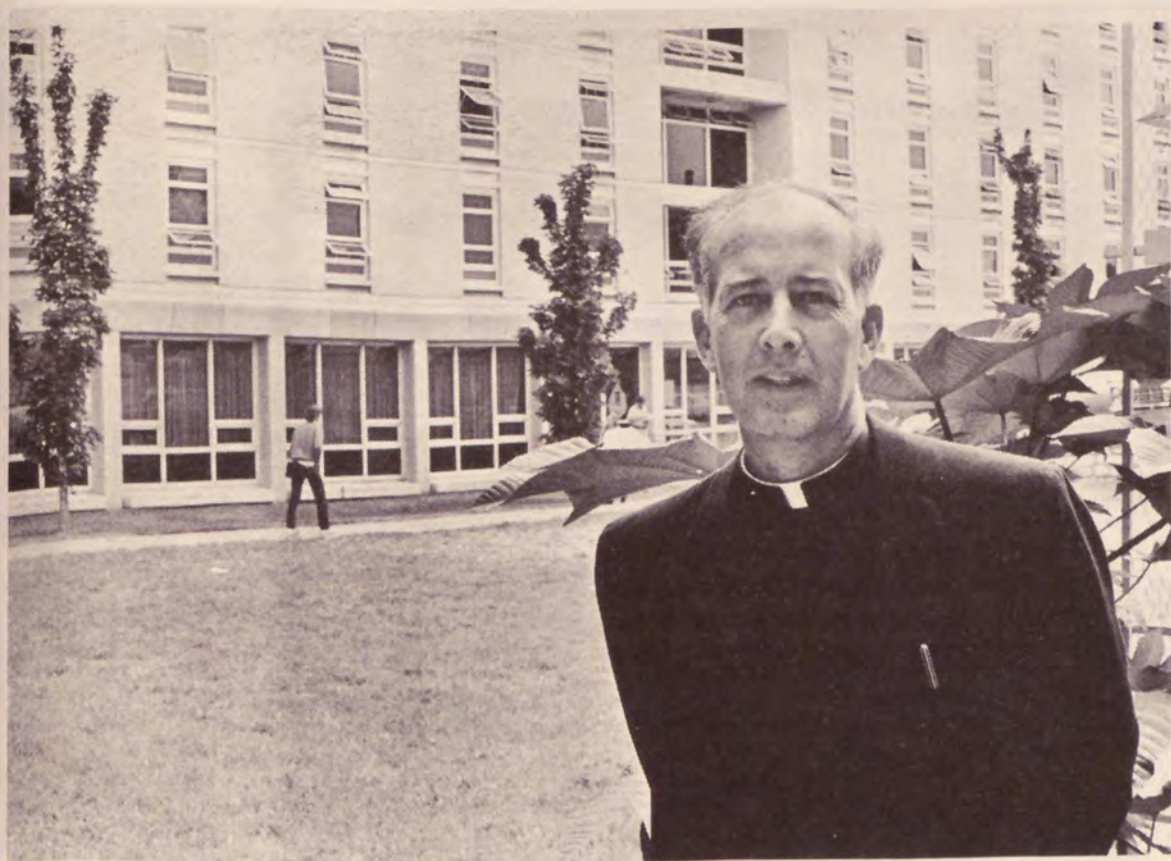
type program that will give the emphasis to getting into some really serious study so we can serve our people better," he said.

He used counseling as an example. "Most priests are not well prepared to do counseling and would like help in learning how to counsel better—particularly on a one-to-one basis. Some have a knack for it, but many others would like to know how to deal better with troubled people."

"The big benefactor in the area will be the people, whether Catholic, Protestant or Jewish," he said.

"Years ago in this country the clergyman was sometimes the only man in the community who was educated at all. Immigrants went to them to have letters written, to learn who to vote for and how to buy a home," he said.

"Today many people are at least as well educated as a priest. We want them to keep abreast of their field and of developments in society so they will be effective and competent," he said.



Father Sheets . . . theology chairman.

## Jesuit theologian building quality of department

A strong theology department is a goal of the Rev. Joseph J. Labaj, S.J., Creighton president. He has said so on a number of occasions.

Making the department a strong one is the task of the Rev. John Sheets, S.J., new chairman of the Department of Theology.

Not that Creighton's Department of Theology isn't strong now. Jesuit universities have long held a respected place in the theological education. But renewed emphasis has been given to theology in recent months as University leaders look for greater attention to values in Creighton's education.

Father Sheets came to Creighton this year from Marquette University. There he was instrumental in developing a master's degree and doctoral program in theology. He saw Marquette's theology department grow from five qualified instructors with five graduate students until in 1966 there were 70 applicants for the doctoral program, 200 applicants for the master's program. The two programs could accommodate just 40 students.

### Potential

Why leave a successful program at a large university? Father Sheets in-

dicates he really didn't want to. He didn't want administrative duties, was working on a book—he was comfortable. So why change?

"I don't know. I think it was realizing the potential and the orientation Creighton University has," he said. "There is an orientation along christian, Catholic lines that you see not only theorized about by the administration, but really is part of their orientation."

"Then there is a chance for service in the midwest and in Omaha," he added. "I would conceive Creighton's theology department serving a need just as the dental and medical schools have fulfilled a different need."

Father Sheets is a native Omahan. He graduated from Creighton Prep in 1940 before receiving the rest of his undergraduate training from St. Louis University. In 1957 he received a doctorate from the University of Innsbruck.

### Team

As department chairman, Father Sheets leads a team of ten faculty members, six of whom hold doctorates and six of whom are Jesuits. Laymen and a diocesan priest complete the department roster.

All Creighton undergraduates are required to complete six hours of theology before graduation. Previous to this fall non-Catholics were offered an alternative through Cultural Studies courses.

Father sheets said the all-inclusive requirement is not meant to impose a Catholic viewpoint on non-Catholics. A good liberal education requires the understanding of some theology, he said.

He doesn't anticipate a major amount of dissent from the requirement. The first course required of all students is designed to teach students

how to approach the study of theology. Then some 45 other courses are available ranging from history, to Biblical theology to contemporary questions. Specific titles include Living Eastern Religions, Modern Protestant Thought, Theology Since Darwin, Christianity and the Racial Question, and the Role of the Holy Spirit in the Lives of Men.

### Readings

For students who feel for some reason they cannot fulfill their theology requirements through regular courses, special reading courses will be designed and supervised by a department member.

Unfortunately, Father Sheets said, most students aren't very interested in the content of required courses. They want a "C" primarily. "But if there is a conscience hangup," he said, "We will find a solution."

Though he said he doesn't want to be thought of as an elitist, Father Sheets said his primary interest is in the student interested in serious study of theology. Currently about 15 students are majoring in theology. Their reasons for concentrating there differ. Some just like the study of theology. Others plan to use it in a career, such as coordinating religious programs for a large parish. Others want to teach theology as a profession.

In building the strength of the department, Father Sheets said good teaching is the key. Increased specialization by faculty members will be encouraged so they can be genuine experts. Interest in the subject being taught is important, too, he said.

If his faculty members can be strong teachers, they will begin to be called upon for help in the community as well and the department reputation spread—and the region will be served.

## Camper carries pharmacy dean to alumni

It was a little like a political campaign in late July when Dr. Robert J. Gerraughty, dean of the School of Pharmacy, led three colleagues on a camper tour of Nebraska pharmacies.

Dr. Gerraughty assumed the deanship of the School on June 1 and the tour of Nebraska cities served as his introduction to some 40 pharmacy alums as well as his first request for their help.

Like practitioners of new politics, Dr. Gerraughty said he made the tour to listen as well as to ask for help. He was accompanied by James Rouse, administrative assistant; Dr. Asaad Masoud, assistant professor of biopharmacy, and Dr. Walter Gloor, Jr., professor of pharmacy.

Use of a camper trailer offered a chance for great mobility and served as an opportunity for the four to become better acquainted.

Dr. Gerraughty said he used the trip to assess problems in continuing education programs, to seek help in recruiting students, to learn the special problems of Nebraska pharmacists, and to stimulate interest in Creighton's new curriculum.

### Program

Dr. Gerraughty plans an active program in continuing education and expects to present programs outside the Omaha area, a step judged necessary following his outstate tour.

Meanwhile, a continuing education program will be held at the New Tower Motel, 78th and Dodge Streets, on Sunday, October 29.

The day-long program will begin with registration at 11:00 a.m. and conclude with dinner at 6:30 p.m.



One half of the program will be conducted by the Nebraska Pharmaceutical Association and will deal with the pharmacists' role in dental health. The other portion, conducted by Creighton, will include Dr. Ann Czerwinski, professor of pharmacy, presenting a program on drug interactions, and Dr. Edward Grinnell, professor of physiology and pharmacology, speaking on the "Controversy Over Oral Anti-Diabetic Drugs."

### Cost

Cost of the program and dinner is \$10 per pharmacist; guests may attend the dinner for \$5. Advance reservations are urged.

Many outstate pharmacists will be unable to attend the program, Dr. Gerraughty said. Often the pharmacist is the only source of medication for as many as 8,000 persons.

Hastings, Trenton, Scottsbluff and Cozad were camping sites for the four during the five-day, 1,200-mile journey.

Dr. Gerraughty plans a new trek for next summer, reaching different areas of the state. He used similar techniques when living in Rhode Island, though he didn't camp out. He said he enjoys measuring the pharmacists' local pride. They often are more honest when discussing problems at home, he added.



Discussing pharmacy in the Hastings, Neb., area (left) while relaxing in the camper-trailer are, left to right, Dr. Masoud, Dr. Gerraughty, Dr. Gloor, Kenneth J. Boeding, BSPha'51, and Guido S. Rindone, BSPha'52. Gene B. Noon, BSPha'57, (above) provides a tour of his Scottsbluff, Neb., pharmacy to Dr. Gerraughty and Dr. Masoud.

After six decades as a home for working girls, Creighton Hall has become a home for male students.

The Oblates of Mary Immaculate, a religious missionary order, has leased the Hall as a home for 27 students, three priests and a brother.

Creighton Hall had origins similar to Creighton University. It was founded in 1912 by John Creighton as a refuge for farm girls who went to Omaha to earn a living.

A year ago, the board of trustees of the Hall decided there was no longer a need for the concept and turned the building and trust over to Creighton University.

Creighton in turn has leased the hall to the Oblates.

### Move

Affiliation with Creighton by the Oblates began in September, 1968, when some 51 priests and brothers moved into two buildings east of the Creighton campus.

The move reflected an attempt by the Oblates to withdraw from teaching in order to serve more effectively as a missionary order.

With the addition of Creighton Hall to the Oblate housing, the move of college-level education for Oblates from a wide area of the nation is complete.

The students who moved into Creighton Hall this fall would previously have entered predominantly male Lewis College in Lockport, Ill.

### Vows

According to the house Director, The Rev. Allen Maes, OMI, the students will attend Creighton for two or more years while deciding if they wish to take vows. If they do, they will then leave Omaha for a year of intensive prayer in the novitiate.

After taking preliminary vows, the students return to the second Oblate house—the one begun four years ago—to complete their collegiate education in the field of their choice. Following graduation from Creighton, the brothers move to a seminary in Rome, Boston or another city for theological studies.

Creighton Hall is located at 2104 Davenport Street, about four blocks from the campus. When Father Maes and his students moved to the Hall, they found it well equipped to fill their needs. Much of the building was air-conditioned, it has been well maintained and includes a variety of recreation and housekeeping rooms.

### Chapel

One added advantage was the presence of a large chapel. Father Maes said the chapel was too "feminine" for male use and a redecorating job has been completed.

The location of Creighton Hall is "ideal" according to Father Maes. It provides an opportunity to know and work in a neighborhood, provides proximity to downtown, and is close to the Creighton campus.

Mention of the coed nature of Creighton draws an expectant laugh from Father Maes.

"You really have to look at the effective life of these men," he said. "We can't afford to have a closed system. They have to learn to deal with women; they will be doing it all of their lives."

He said there is an added element of excitement because most students come from minor seminaries, but he added that Lewis College had some coeds in attendance.

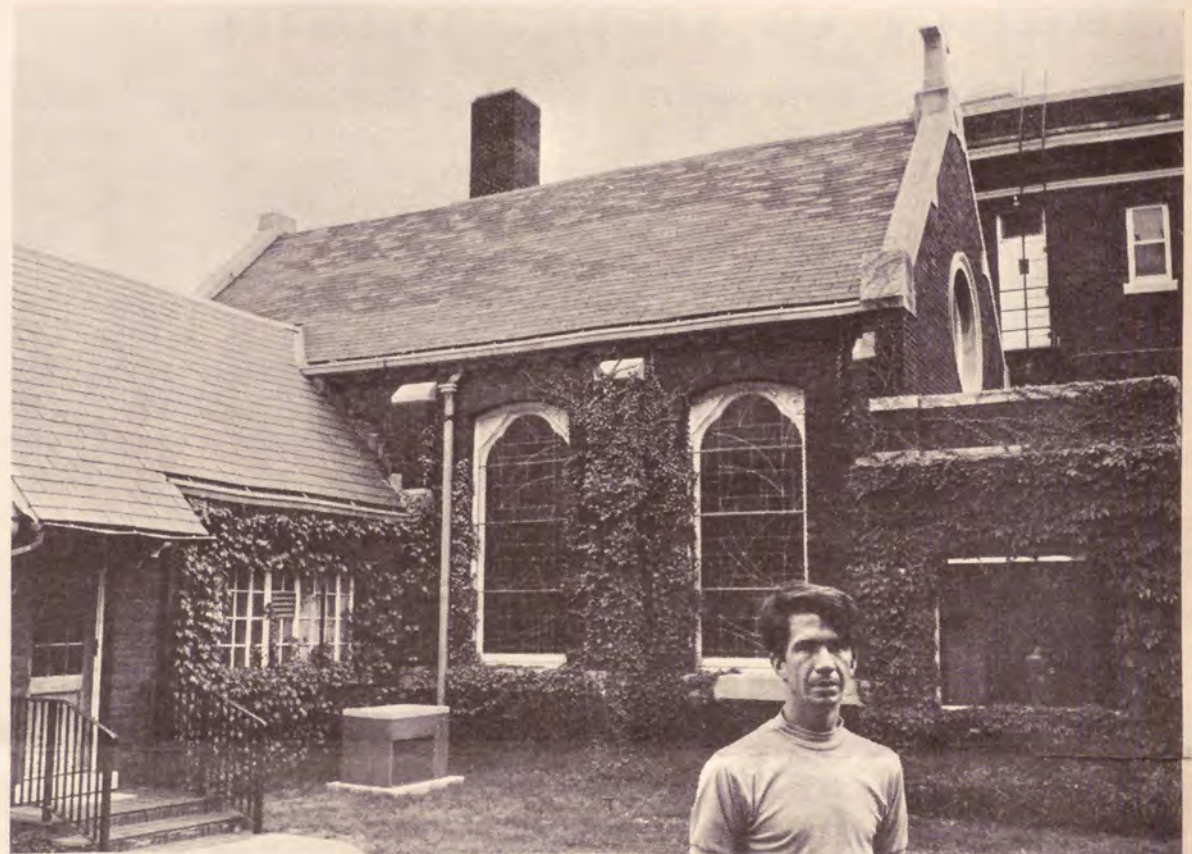
Father Maes hopes to involve the students in the Omaha Community, particularly as advisors to parishes. By finding parishoners to execute ideas introduced with the Oblates, Father Maes thinks the students can make a lasting contribution.

Involvement in Creighton by the Oblates is apparent. Both groups seem to like the arrangement. In fact, one Oblate priest is chairman of Creighton's Department of Philosophy.



## Oblate priests make use of Creighton Hall

*The Creighton Hall living room (above) provides ample space for relaxation. Father Maes (right), director, finds the chapel, behind him, a useful feature of the Hall.*



## Corning health care upgraded through C.U.

Health care in Corning, Iowa, is being upgraded through a program developed between Rosary Hospital there and Creighton Memorial St. Joseph Hospital.

Under the direction of John C. McDonough, administrator of Rosary Hospital, the 35-bed facility has become informally affiliated with Creighton and St. Joseph.

The relationship began, according to Dr. Richard Booth, associate dean of the School of Medicine, when McDonough joined 73 other hospitals in the midwest in the Creighton electrocardiogram service. Creighton specialists read EKG's that are sent from community hospitals to St. Joseph via telephone connections.

McDonough then arranged to have certain kinds of medical emergencies treated at St. Joseph requiring the attention of specialists not in the Corning area.

Most recently he has arranged to have some Creighton physicians travel to Corning to present continuing education material to the physicians that live in the Corning area.

The chance of physicians going to Omaha for such instruction is slight. Corning has just four physicians in a patient area of 16,000. Two lectures a month are usually scheduled.

McDonough looks forward to joint purchasing agreements that may make the community hospital eligible for quantity discounts that larger institutions, like St. Joseph, enjoy.

To date the Corning link has been informal and not viewed as a pilot project. However, Dr. Booth said St. Joseph Hospital would carefully evaluate requests from additional community hospitals that wished to increase the quality of health care through a relationship with the teaching hospital.

Creighton's School of Medicine enjoys only one benefit from the relationship: The patients transferred from Corning become teaching patients.

Some success stories have been reported on a human scale from Corning, however:

During the summer a farmer whose arm had become mangled in a hay bailer was rushed to Rosary Hospital. Physicians quickly realized a team of five surgeons would be needed to care for the farmer.

He was sent to St. Joseph. While riding the 68 miles to Omaha, the surgical team was assembled. Though the four-hour surgery didn't save the farmer's arm, it may have saved his life.

## Foundations give \$94,000 in grants

A total of \$94,075.24 was granted Creighton University during the early part of September by philanthropic foundations.

Largest grant was \$74,295.24 from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation of Princeton, N.J., for a four-year medical student aid program.

The Andreas Foundation of Minneapolis, Minn., granted \$15,000 over a three-year period to be used for books and equipment in a new multimedia learning resource center of the Health Sciences Library.

A grant of \$3,780 came from the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation of New York to obtain a computer time-sharing service for the College of Business Administration.

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# Calendar

## October

- 19 Quad Cities Creighton Club Party
- 20 Milwaukee Creighton Club Party
- 21 Chicago Creighton Club Party
- 21 Film, "A Midsummer Night's Dream," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 22 Film, "Fort Apache," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 23 25 26 Play, "The Mikado," 8 p.m., Music Hall, Civic Auditorium.
- 24 Southwestern Iowa Creighton Club Party
- 24 Play, "The Birds," Music Hall, Civic Auditorium, 8 p.m. (by the Catholic University Players).
- 28 Film, "Destiny," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 29 General Creighton Medical Alumni Dinner (Cocktails 6:30 p.m., Dinner 8 p.m.) Becker Hall (on campus).
- 29—Nov. 3 San Francisco-Las Vegas Dental Alumni Tour.
- 30 Creighton Dental Alumni Dinner, The San Francisco Hilton Hotel.
- 30—Nov. 1 Omaha Mid-West Clinical Society Meeting and Creighton Medical Class Reunions.
- 31 Film, "The Bride of Frankenstein," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.

## November

- 1 Concert, Alli Jerri-Karl Herres-Hoff, Eppley Lecture Hall, 8 p.m.
- 2 Alumni Council Meeting
- 3 President's Council Banquet, 7 p.m. reception, 8 p.m. dinner, Becker Dining Room.
- 4 Film, "Wild Strawberries," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 5 Film, "Anatomy of a Murder," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 6 Lecture, Colin Jackson, "The World in Crisis, 1972: A View from London," Eppley Lecture Hall, 8 p.m.
- 8 Indianapolis Creighton Club Party
- 9 Detroit Creighton Club Party
- 9 Lecture, "Matters of Life and Death: Ethics of the Biological Revolution," Rigge Lecture Hall, 8 p.m.
- 10 Washington, D.C. Creighton Club Party
- 11 New York Creighton Club Party
- 11 Film, "Darling," 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 12 Philadelphia Creighton Club Party
- 12 Films, Experimental Festival, 7:30 p.m., Rigge Hall, free.
- 15 Poet James Liddy, "Up the Republic and Poetry," Eppley Lecture Hall, 8 p.m.
- 21 Basketball, Bluejays Vs. Chilean nationals, 7:30 p.m., Civic Auditorium.
- 22 Thanksgiving recess begins
- 23 Thanksgiving Day Mass and Breakfast for alumni and families, St. John's Church and Brandeis Student Center.
- 28 Lecture, Dick Gregory, "Social Problems: Social or Anti-Social?," Brandeis Student Center, 8 p.m.
- 30 Basketball, Bluejays Vs. St John's (Minn.), 7:30 p.m., Civic Auditorium
- 30—Dec. 3 Play, "Exit the King," Eppley Little Theatre, 8 p.m.

## December

- 8 Annual Alumni Homecoming Party following Creighton-Arizona State Basketball Game. Brandeis Student Center.

# Club notes

The autumn schedule of Creighton Alumni Parties is underway. September meetings included the following:

West Point, Neb.—Elected to run the 1973-1974 parties were Bert Bertolini, BSPha'52, president; Mrs. Francis Kakrda, SJN'39, president-elect, and Mrs. Bert Bertolini, secretary. Some 21 persons attended.

Carroll, Ia.—Some 56 persons attended the September 12 party and heard Dr. Richard Shugrue represent the University. Alumni Director Bernie Conway, in his last year as traveling representative for Creighton, delivered a farewell speech.

Fort Dodge, Ia.—The Fort Dodge Country Club was the site of the September 13 meeting attended by 39 persons. Dr. Richard Shugrue was featured speaker.

Sioux City, Ia.—New officers to run the 1973 party were elected by the 51 persons attending on September 14. They are Rev. Paul J. Schwaab, AB'50, president; James O. Slattery, DDS'45, president-elect, Mrs. Betty Topf McManaman, BSPha'58, secretary-treasurer, and J. Patrick Ryan, BA'65, president-elect.

Grand Island, Neb.—Elected by the 47 persons attending the September 19 party to run the 1973 and 1974 parties were John M. McElroy, DDS'61, president; William H. Riley, JD'61, president-elect, and Mrs. Marde Riley, secretary.

Norfolk, Neb.—The party was held at Prenger's on September 20. Some 15 persons heard Public Relations Director Mike Byrne speak.

Lincoln, Neb.—The Rev. Michael Sheridan, S.J., was guest speaker at the September 21 party. Elected by the 27 persons attending to run the

1973 and 1974 parties were Morris J. Bruckner, JD'58, president; Allen Beermann, JD'65, president-elect, and Don DeMars, BSBA'61 secretary-treasurer.

Sioux Falls, S.D.—Forty persons met at the Howard Johnson Motel on September 22 to hear the Rev. Carl M. Reinert, S.J., vice president for University relations, speak.

Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.—Forty persons, including ten parents of Creighton students, attended the party held at Jax Restaurant. Bernie Conway and his wife, Dorothy, were presented a farewell gift from the club.

Algona, Iowa—The Country Club was the site of the Northern Iowa Creighton Club party on September 24. Cocktails were served at the Eldon Winkel home before dinner at the club. A total of 20 persons heard Father Reinert speak.

Mason City, Ia.—Officers elected at the September 25 party to conduct the 1973 and 1974 parties are James P. McGuire, JD'57, president; and Howard M. Nichols, DDS'67, President elect.

Waterloo, Ia.—Warren Nash, MD'53, was elected president and Joseph M. Jacoby, BSC'50, president-elect to run the 1973 and 1974 parties. Some 35 persons attended the September 26 party at the Elks Club.

O'Neill, Neb.—Officers elected by the 31 persons attending the October 3rd party to run the 1973 and 1974 parties are Donovan J. Becker, ARTS'56, president; Francis D. Lee, JD'35, president-elect, and George A Janousek, ARTS'50, secretary-treasurer.



Dr. Kratochvil, left, Dr. Kenney . . . co-chairmen.

## Medical Alumni Dinner to be Sunday, Oct. 29

### S.F. Hilton site of dental dinner

The San Francisco Hilton, headquarters for Creighton Dentists at the American Dental Association Convention, will be the location of the Creighton Dental Alumni Dinner on Monday, October 30.

The presidents of Creighton's two Bay-area alumni clubs will be co-hosts for the evening. They are James M. Keefe, DDS'60, 3694 Nordstrom Lane, Lafayette, Calif. 94549, and Kenneth C. Stergion, DDS'60, 15 Forest Lane, San Carlos, Calif. 94123.

Cocktails will be at 6:30 p.m. and Dinner at 7:30 p.m. (\$9.50 per person) in Continental Parlors 7-8-9.

Dr. Robert V. Vining, dean of the School of Dentistry, will provide a report on the School of Dentistry today and next year when the new \$9-million building goes into operation.

Reservations may be made for the dinner through either co-hosts or through the Creighton Alumni Office.

Dr. Vining will be in the San Francisco area three days to meet dental alumni.

The annual Creighton Medical Alumni Dinner will be on Sunday, October 29 in Becker Hall on the Creighton Campus. Announcement of final plans for the dinner was made jointly by dinner co-chairmen Dr. N.P. "Pat" Kenney, MD'56, and Dr. Bernard L. Kratochvil, MD'57.

Dr. Kenney, president of the Creighton Alumni Association, will be toastmaster for the evening.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Joseph Holthaus, dean of the School of Medicine, who will report on recent developments in the School.

Certificates will be presented to graduates of 25 and 50 years.

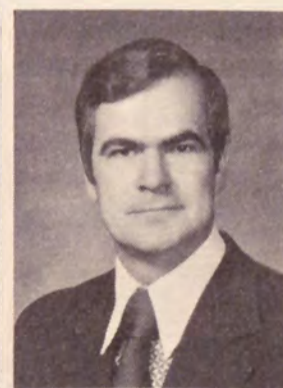
Cocktails will be served beginning at 6:30 p.m. with dinner scheduled for 8 p.m. Tickets for medical alumni and their spouses may be purchased at \$7 per person from the Creighton Alumni Office, 2500 California Street, Omaha, 68131.

The annual Alumni Dinner is held in conjunction with the Omaha Mid-west Clinical Society. Class reunions for persons whose graduation year is a multiple of five years have been scheduled. Persons wishing to seek additional information about the reunions on October 30 or 31 may contact the Creighton Alumni Office.

Physicians' wives may take advantage of a calendar of social activities planned in conjunction with the Omaha Mid-West meetings. On Monday a brunch and style show is planned at the Omaha Club. Tuesday activities include shopping in Omaha's Old Market area and lunch and a show at the Firehouse Dinner Theater. On Wednesday, an art show will be at the Nebraska College of Medicine Library and a luncheon with the doctors will feature a program entitled "Nature Photography as a Hobby."



Nash, MD'53



Becker, Arts'56



Schwaab, AB'50



Bruckner, JD'58



McElroy, DDS'61



McGuire, JD'57

# Alumnitems



O'Gara, BSBA'58



Schulte, BS'51



Temin, BA'71



Keough, MS'65



Buckley, MD'65



Sheehy, BA'64

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Lawrence A. Donahoe, DDS, Omaha, has been inducted into the Nebraska Dental Association Hall of Fame.

28

Burke C. Herrick, BSC, Bloomfield Hills, Mich., has been named director of marketing services for Tuff-Kote Dinol.

31

Sr. M. Flavian Launderville, MA, is celebrating her 60th year at Saint Anns Church in Vail, Iowa.

34

Wade H. Ellis, JD, Alliance, Neb., filed for a county district judgeship in the 16th Judicial District.

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Richard C. Morehouse, JD, Fremont, Neb., Dodge County Judge, filed as a candidate for the Sixth Judicial District.

36

Frank F. Freimuth, DDS, has opened his dental office in Sutton, Neb.

38

Lee J. Reynolds, JD, Port Angeles, Wash., judge of Clallam County district court and long-time Port Angeles attorney, will run for judge of the Superior Court of Clallam and Jefferson counties.

39

Rev. John F. Hart, PHB, has been appointed administrator of Saint Joseph Parish in Winterset, Iowa.

40

Bernard A. Opitz, BSC, Omaha, has been elected assistant vice president for Mutual of Omaha. He has also been appointed to the Communication Committee on Consumer Affairs.

41

Charles F. McManus, BS, Princeton, N.J., has been appointed First Vice President and Eastern Division Institutional Sales manager for Dean Witter & Co. Incorporated of New York City.

42

Maureen Polking Miller, PhB, has accepted a position as Family Learning Specialist with the Department of Adult Education of the Des Moines, Iowa, Public Schools. She recently received a Masters Degree in Mass Communications from Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa.

45

William J. Reals, MD, Wichita, Kans. Pathologist and director of laboratories at Saint Joseph Hospital and Rehabilitation Center in Wichita, has received Senate confirmation for promotion to brigadier general in the U.S. Air Force Medical Corps (Reserve).

46

Donald C. Dendinger, DDS, Yankton, S.D., was elected president of the South Dakota Dental Association.

47

James Herbert, BSC, Omaha, observed his 25th anniversary as a Creighton College of Business Administration faculty member. He and his wife Helen Hughes Herbert, BS, are observing their silver wedding anniversary.

48

John A. Johnson, BSPH, Bellevue, Neb., has been named a Director of the Nebraska Community Technical College. He has also been named by Dean Robert Gerraughty to the Advisory Council of the School of Pharmacy at Creighton University.

Lt. Col. Wallace L. Lancaster, DDS, dental surgeon and consultant in prosthetics to the medical director in the Canal Zone, was the 1971-1972 president of the Panama Canal Zone Dental Society.

Samuel V. Cooper, JD, Omaha, has filed as a candidate for County Judge of Douglas County.

49

Edward A. Hittner, MS Edu, Fremont, Neb., is principal of Scotus Senior High School.

John Bruggeman, BSC, Omaha, has been elected assistant vice president for Mutual of Omaha.

50

Thomas C. Smith BS, is specialty salesman for the carpet department of Stevens Gulistan Carpets in Spokane, Wash.

Herman E. Myers, BSC, president of Continental General Insurance Company, was elected to the board of the Northwestern National Bank of Omaha.

Eugene C. McFadden, JD, Norfolk, Neb., has filed as a candidate for district county judge of the Ninth Judicial District.

51

Carl Schechinger, BSC, Hays Kan., assistant manager of the Hays Social Security District Office, has been elected to serve as its treasurer for a two-year term.

Bernard J. Schulte, BS, secretary of Morton-Norwich Products, Inc., will transfer his offices from Norwich, N.Y. to corporate headquarters in Chicago. He has been named director of governmental relations for Morton-Norwich.

John E. Clark, JD, Omaha, was appointed by Gov. J. J. Exon to a Douglas County District Court judgeship.

Frank Goodell, MA, Manassas, Va., chief training officer for the National Park Service, has been named Chief, Division of Manpower Planning and Development for the agency.

John S. Barrett, JD, Omaha, has filed for Douglas county judge.

Frank B. Svoboda, JD, Ogallala, Neb., has filed for the position as District 13 county judge.

52

Col. Paul E. Mullen, BSC, Potomac, Md., was assigned to the Office of the Surgeon General, Headquarters, USAF, as Chief of the Financial Programs Division.

Kenneth Moersen, COM, Columbus, Neb., has been elected treasurer of Dale Electronics.

James Macken, JD, Scottsbluff, Neb., has filed as a candidate for a county judgeship for the 17th Judicial District.

54

Sr. Paula Melmer, BS, is on the teaching staff of the art department at Neumann High School in Wahoo, Neb.

Eugene F. Barta, BSC, deputy comptroller at Anniston Army Depot, Anniston, Ala., has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant colonel.

Rev. Roy Conry, BS, Joliet, Ill., is assistant director and counselor at the Aylesford Renewal Center near Westmont, Ill.

55

William E. Ramsey, BS, Omaha, has been elected president of the Omaha Chapter of Serra International. The Serra Club is an organization that fosters vocations to the Catholic priesthood.

56

Richard Korth, BSC, Englewood, Colo., has joined Western Federal Savings as Director and Vice President of data processing.

George Blue Spruce, Jr., DDS, Bethesda, Md., was honored as the Outstanding Indian of the Year at the American Indian Exposition at Anadarko, Okla.

Frank J. Bocek, BS, Palatine, Ill., has been appointed Director of Technical Training for the Dearborn Educational Services group of Dearborn Chemical Division, Chemed Corporation.

57

Donald J. Goaley, BSBA, Omaha, has been elected vice president in charge of accounting for Mutual of Omaha.

Thomas J. Skutt, JD, Omaha, was elected vice president and associate coordinator of affiliates for Mutual of Omaha.

Thomas Carey, JD, Omaha, has filed for the office of Douglas County judge.

58

Col. John H. O'Gara, BSBA, has been appointed commander of the Civil Air Patrol's North Central Region headquarters office in Omaha.

Col. William L. Wardle, DDS, has been decorated with the Meritorious Service Medal at Tachikawa AFB, Japan. Col. Wardle distinguished himself as chief of the Dental Health Department at the USAF Academy.

George Sommer, JD, Scottsbluff, Neb., is seeking a county judgeship in the 17th Judicial District.

59

Gerard Knight, BS, Wayzata, Minn., has been named marketing manager for new products in the Agri-Products operation of The Pillsbury Company.

Robert Brokman, COM, is Assistant General Manager of K-poi Radio Station in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Bill Pazderka, BSPH, Omaha, has opened a drug store in Elkhorn, Neb.

John L. Gordon, MD, Omaha, has been elected president of the Nebraska Society of Anesthesiology. Dr. Gordon was also named director of Anesthesiology at Bergan Mercy Hospital in Omaha.

Thomas O. David, JD, Thedford, Neb., has filed for county judge in District 13.

60

George Mosley, BSBA, has been appointed book fulfillment manager for the diversified fulfillment service operation of Meredith Corporation in Des Moines, Iowa. Meredith's fulfillment services perform data processing and magazine subscription and book club fulfillment services for Meredith and other publishers.

61

Fred Montag, JD, Omaha, was appointed by Nebraska Gov. J. J. Exon to sit on the Municipal Court bench.

Sr. Joy D. Weideman, BA, Omaha, has been awarded a stipend to be used toward obtaining a master of arts degree in gerontology in the aging studies program at the University of South Florida, Tampa.

Alfred H. Schuele, Jr., BSBA, has been appointed manager of the Omaha office of Harris, Upham & Company.

Viola M. Feldman, MS, has been appointed Assistant Registrar and director of Records at the University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio.

62

Jacelyn Schlautman, BSPH, Germantown, Ill., received a Master's degree in Hospital Administration from Saint Louis University.

Mary (Connie) Keough, BA, associate dean of students at Regis College in Denver, has been appointed associate dean of student life at the University of Denver, Colo.

63

Gerald P. Hart, BS, Moorhead, Minn., has received his doctorate degree in physics from the University of Idaho. He is an assistant professor of physics at Moorhead State College.

Joseph M. Pilmaier, BA, has been appointed President of International Products Company of Omaha.

64

Dr. Tim Sheehy, BA, Omaha, was appointed executive assistant to the chancellor at the University of Nebraska at Omaha. He is also an assistant professor of educational administration.

Thomas M. McGinnis, BA, St. Louis, Mo., has received a Doctor of Philosophy degree from Saint Louis University.

Dr. Stephen E. Szmrecsanyi, BA, Bellevue, Neb., is an assistant professor of history at Bellevue College.

65

Dora R. Parker, Arts, has been recognized as one of 1972's Outstanding Young Women of America. She is presently a Registered Medical Record Administrator and Administrative Coordinator, Medical Records Department, with Saint Anthony Hospital Systems in Denver, Colo.

Allen J. Beermann, JD, Lincoln, Neb., received an "Eyes on Nebraska" award from the Nebraska Optometric Association.

Mary K. Green, BA, Omaha, has been named temporary chairman for the Mayor's Commission on the Status of Women.

Jerome M. Buckley, MD, has been appointed to the pediatric staff at the National Jewish Hospital and Research Center in Denver, Colo. Dr. Buckley will conduct research in exercise-induced asthma and bronchial provocation testing.

66

Mary M. Scherr, BA, has received an M.A. in French from Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Mass. She is currently teaching at Julie Billiard High School in Boston.

David K. Bruening, BS, St. Louis, Mo., received his Doctor of Philosophy degree in physics and mathematics from Saint Louis University.

Thomas Ranney, JD, Plattsmouth, Neb., is a law associate of Paul Fauquet.

David F. Wooten, BS, Ames, Iowa, was awarded a Doctor of Philosophy degree in mathematics from Iowa State University.

Thomas Jaworski, BSBA, Omaha, has been named head football coach at Creighton Prep.

Dr. Vincent Sullivan, ARTS, has joined the staff at the Sisseton Clinic in Sisseton, S.D.

67

Robert L. Goetz, MD, Tigard, Ore., has begun practice in pediatrics and neonatology at the Salem Pediatric Clinic.

Robert R. Wintz, BSBA, received the degree of Juris Doctor from the University of Nebraska and has been admitted to the State Bar. He has taken a position with the Internal Revenue Service as an Estate Tax Attorney in West Palm Beach, Fla.

David Moran, MBA, has been appointed plant manager of the metal container division of National Can Corporation's installation at Hanover, Pa.

Capt. Ronald Van Iperen, BA, a pilot, is assigned to a unit of the Strategic Air Command at Grand Forks AFB, N.D.

Gary Luick, MBA, has moved to Detroit to join Michigan Consolidated Gas Company as Manager of Financial Services.

David L. Vesely, BS, Tucson, Ariz., received two doctoral degrees simultaneously from the University of Arizona. They are in medicine and zoology.

William H. Prophater, BSBA, is domestic buyer for Gold Circle Discount Stores in Worthington, Ohio.

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Mary Beth Martin, BA, is a part-time instructor in drama and head resident of Frees Hall, a women's residence hall, at Doane College in Crete, Neb.

Terence J. Sullivan, BA, Ames, Iowa, has earned a Doctor of Philosophy degree in nuclear engineering from Iowa State University.

Donald H. Dick, BSBA, Des Moines, Iowa, has been promoted to general manager of the Highlander Company.

Terry J. Franco, BA, is an assistant reference librarian at Kearney State College in Kearney, Neb.

Larry Forslund, MS, received a Ph. D. at summer commencement from Tulane University, New Orleans, La. Dr. Forslund, a biologist, has joined the faculty of Oregon State University, Corvallis, Ore.

**Lt. Benjamin F. Stahl, III, BA**, is Battalion Adjutant of the 3rd Battalion 7th Special forces Group (Airborne) in Fort Gulick, Canal Zone.

**Michael Hammond, BS Pha**, has received his Master of Science degree in Hospital Pharmacy Administration from the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy. He is Chief of Pharmacy of the Iowa University Hospital Outpatient Services at Iowa City, Iowa.

**Donald J. Mueeting, BA**, St Paul, Minn., is on the staff of the Minnesota Attorney General.

**William A. Chebuhar, BSBA**, St. Louis, Mo., has received a Master of Science Degree in Commerce from Saint Louis University.

**John J. Kroening, MD**, has opened his office in Mitchell, Neb.

**William Griffiths, MBA**, Bloomfield Hills, Mich., is Manager of the Detroit office for Arthur Anderson Company, one of the largest accounting firms.

## 70

**James O'Boyle, BS**, has completed graduate studies in Botany at Arizona State. He is presently attending Saga Management Orientation Center at Lewis and Clarke College, Portland, Ore. Upon completion he will be assigned to Eastern Montana College, Billings, Mont.

**Grace F. Otte, JD**, is an attorney for the Bluffs Legal Aid Society, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

**Jerry Ortman, BSBA**, has joined in forming the Omaha law firm of Story and Ortman.

**K. Reed Peters, BS**, Geneva, Neb., a student at the University of Nebraska School of Medicine, is working at the Fillmore County hospital under a program called MECO. The program is to acquaint medical students with medical practice in rural areas and rural hospitals.

**Jerome M. Rosenblum, JD**, has opened his office in Hollywood, Fla.

**Kevin Dingfield, BA**, Sac City, Iowa, is one of a number of Peace Corps volunteers working in Lago Agrio, the dense northeastern jungle of Ecuador.

**Michael Jolliffe, DDS**, and **Ruth Kruce Jolliffe, BA**, are presently sailing around the world with one other couple on a 44-foot catamaran. They are presently in Pago Pago, American Samoa.

**John M. Jennings, BSBA**, has received his masters degree from Texas Tech University. He is presently working with the Albuquerque National Bank in Albuquerque, N.M. **Suzi Sanders Jennings, BA**, received her Master's degree in Speech Pathology and Audiology from Texas Tech University. She is working with the Albuquerque Hearing and Speech Center as clinician and diagnostician.

## 71

**Michael D. Howard, JD**, has received his L.L.M. in Taxation at New York University. He is now a trial attorney for the United States Department of Justice, Tax Division, in Washington D.C.

**Michael S. Glode, BSBA**, was awarded a M.S. in Finance from the University of Illinois. He is associated with the Shively Hardware Company in Saratoga, Wyo.

**Martin Sears, MD**, Fairmont, Minn., has opened his office at the Fairmont Medical Center.

**Lt. David Temin, BA**, has been awarded silver wings upon graduation from U.S. Air Force navigator training. He is assigned to Nakhon Phanom Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

**Harry F. DeLashmutt, DDS**, Craig, Colo., was in Guatemala in Central America for a six weeks' volunteer program working with the natives in rural Guatemala.

**Charles J. Coleman, JD**, Des Moines, Iowa, is an Assistant Attorney General for the State of Iowa.

**John D. Dunn, MD**, has begun his medical practice in Elgin, Neb.

**Robert S. Fox, MD**, has joined the medical staff at the Hastings Neb., Regional Center. Dr. Fox is medical director in the Medical-Surgical Building.

**Carol DeSalvo, ARTS**, Wheat Ridge, Colo., has received a Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Therapy from the University of Colorado.

**Mary L. Haerr, BS**, is currently a medical student at the University of Colorado School of Medicine in Denver.

**Charles E. Breunig, MS**, Wahoo, Neb., is the guidance counselor at Central Catholic High School.

**William Vilmont, JD**, and **Rick Hoffman, JD**, have opened an office in Papillion, Neb.

## 72

**Tom O'Connor, BA**, Shenandoah, Iowa, has joined the *Evening Sentinel* staff as sports editor and city reporter.

**Rev. Raymond V. Roh, MA**, Omaha, is a member of the Neumann High School religion department.

**Bert Engles, JD**, Omaha, has been admitted to the Nebraska Bar and is now associated with the firm of Haney, Wintroub and Haney.

**Dennis Fitzgerald, JD**, Algona, Iowa, has joined the McMahon and Cassel legal firm as an associate.

**Sharon Gau, BA**, Grand Island, Neb. is a teacher of biology and American problems at Central Catholic High School.

## Births

### 63

**Denis Walsh, BA**, and Mrs. Walsh, Memphis, Tenn., a daughter, Sharon Elizabeth, born July 11.

### 64

**Charles H. Bedard, MD**, and Mrs. Bedard, Pueblo, Colo., a son, Adam, born Aug. 12.

### 66

**Thomas Woods, II, BA**, and Mrs. Woods, Central City, Iowa, a daughter, Deedra Danielle, born July 13.

**Thomas Hotek, BSBA**, and Mrs. Hotek, Cedar Falls, Iowa, a daughter, Jill Christine, born Aug. 19.

### 68

**Michael Collins, BS**, and Mrs. Collins, Omaha, a daughter, Jennifer Leslie, born Sept. 5.

**Joseph Marold, DDS**, and **Kathryn Schneider Marold, BA '66**, Wheatridge, Colo., a son, Dean Matthew.

**Patrick R. Conway, ARTS**, and **Susan Montag Conway, BA '70**, Omaha, a daughter, Molly.

**Theodore Tam Sing, BS Pha**, and **Ann Kelly Tam Sing, BA '69** Honolulu, Hawaii, a daughter, Naelani.

### 69

**Benjamin F. Stahl, III, BA**, and **Ann Hagerman Stahl, BS '70**, Fort Gulick, Canal Zone, a son, John Patrick, born Aug. 4.

**Robert Clarke, BA**, and **Mary M. Brady Clarke, BA '71**, Waverly, Iowa, a son, Daniel Robert, born June 6.

**Dennis Kutach, BA**, and **Phyllis Zimmer Katach, BSRT '70**, Atlantic, Iowa, a son Christopher Adam.

**Gerald Mornin, BS**, and **Mary Good Mornin, ARTS '70**, Omaha, a son, Robert William.

### 70

**Alan Vacek** and **Pat Langenfeld Vacek, BSN**, Findlay, Ohio, a son, Michael Alan born Nov. 30.

**Peter M. Kellen, DDS**, and **Mary Stueber Kellen, BA '69**, El Toro, Calif., a daughter, Kristin Michelle, born Aug. 6.

**Kenneth L. Noller, MD**, and **Mary Mills Noller, BA '67**, Rochester, Minn., a son, Kenneth Lawrence, II, born Sept. 2.

**James Roy Peterson, BSBA**, and Mrs. Peterson, Omaha, a daughter, Susan Marie, born Aug. 6.

**Fred Zack, BSBA**, and Mrs. Zack, Omaha, a daughter, Rebecca Marlene.

**Jerry Ortman, JD**, and **Mary Jo Walsh Ortman, Arts '68**, Omaha, a daughter, Deborah Marie.

**Thomas E. Lydon, MS**, and **Camille LaPierre Lydon, BA '68**, Omaha, a son, David Patrick.

### 71

**Daniel P. Jones, DDS**, and Mrs. Jones, Sacramento, Calif., a daughter, Bridget Mary, born July 20.

**Peter Menghini, MD**, and Mrs. Menghini, Camp Pendleton, Calif., a son, Mark Thomas.

## Marriages

### 61

**Sandra Nelson** and **Thomas Kawa, Bus Ad**, living in Omaha.

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**Irene Keil** and **James McShane, JD**, living in Omaha.

**Deborah Lynn Earle** and **Dennis Little, BSBA**, living in Des Moines, Iowa.

**Mary Albietz, BSN**, and **Lawrence Price**, living in Mill Valley, Cal.

**Susan Kinne, BA**, and **Leopold Moreno**, living in Norfolk, Va.

### 68

**Mary L. Aitken, BA**, and **Terrence Donohue, Jr.**, living in Cincinnati, Ohio.

**Ann Marie Brick** and **James K. Williams, BA**, living in Fort Collins, Colo.

**Mary Deitch** and **Terry J. Franco, BA**, living in Kearney, Neb.

### 69

**Mary Brady, BS**, and **Frank Tilton**, living in St. Joseph, Mo.

**Margaret Hutton, BA**, and **Joseph Cumiskey, DDS '70**, living in Denver, Colo.

**Mary Naughton, BA**, and **Dennis Bell**, living in West Germany.

**Mary Fitzgerald** and **Robert McMahon II, MD**, living in St. Louis, Mo.

### 70

**Kathleen Powers, BA**, and **Michael D. Howard, JD '71**, living in Washington, D.C.

**Dorothy Deppe** and **Donald A. Lawse, BS**, living in Washington, Neb.

**Juliana Nichol森, BA**, and **David Hefflinger, JD '72**, living in Omaha.

**Meredith Hansen** and **Lt. Michael Smith, BS**, living in Kentfield, Cal.

**Rae Ann Morin** and **Russell J. Hopp, BS**, living in Des Moines, Iowa.

**Gwanetha Metz, MS Guid**, and **Jerry Neff**, living in Omaha.

**Margaret Tomek, BS**, and **John E. Duggan, Jr., BSBA**, living in Omaha.

**Ernestine Mary Thoene, BSBA**, and **Lawrence Larsen**, living in Omaha.

**Alice Thompson, BA**, and **James Villone**, living in Carbondale, Ill.

### 71

**Jane Hackfort, BSN**, and **Robert S. Build, BA**, living in Omaha.

**Catherine Bausch, BA**, and **Rockne J. Chick-inell, BA '72**, living in Omaha.

**Ursula Rose Connolly, MS Guid**, and **Harold Obrist**, living in Omaha.

**Maureen Rice, BS**, and **Arthur Dorrington, MD '72**, living in Wauwatosa, Wis.

**Kathryn Oberg, BA**, and **Gregory R. Christian, BSBA**, living in Chicago, Ill.

**Jane Rodenborn** and **Theodore Wynn, BSBA**, living in Lisle, Ill.

**Susan Doster, BSN**, and **Lawrence Swenson**, living in Omaha.

**Terri Lacy** and **Richard Baumert, Jr., BS**, living in Omaha.

**Georgiann Weishapl, BA**, and **Stephen Regan, BA**, living in Omaha.

**Marilyn Brezina** and **Christopher Schmid, BS**, living in Omaha.

**Debra Diers** and **Terry Schroeder, BS**, living in Omaha.

**Connie Tietgen** and **Don J. Sixta, BSBA**, living in Omaha.

**Mary Lou Meyer, BA**, and **Larry Rodgers**, living in Omaha.

### 72

**Marlene Lampe** and **John Cimpl, BSBA**, living in Omaha.

**Mary Maassen** and **Charles Carroll, BS Pha**, living in Joplin, Mo.

**Carol Jo Dowell** and **Randy Bussey, BS**, living in Omaha.

**Patricia Kirby, ARTS**, and **Michael Oehler**, living in Missouri Valley, Iowa.

**Mary Patricia Knowles, BS**, and **Dennis O'Malley, BSBA '71**, living in Denver, Colo.

**Ruth Emanuel** and **Alan Slattery, BA**, living in Plattsmouth, Neb.

**Julie Chickinell** and **Arthur Haney, BS Pha**, living in Omaha.

**Teresa Treinen, BSN**, and **Leonare Burgett**, living in Omaha.

**Mary Kellen** and **Michael Mathiasen, ARTS**, living in Sioux City, Iowa.

**Kathleen McTaggart, BS**, and **John Kearney**, living in Omaha.

**Elayne Casterton, BS Pha**, and **Dante Cannarozzi, MD**, living in West Haven, Conn.

**Mary Ann Lutkewitte, BSN**, and **Collin McCullough, JD**, living in Sac City, Iowa.

**Peggy Leighton, BS**, and **Jim McGillen**, living in Chicago, Ill.

**Sandra Moffett** and **Rick Jacobi, DDS**, living in Waukon, Iowa.

**Karen Pentis, MS Edu**, and **Thomas Lengowski, DDS**, living in Saint Louis, Mo.

**Linda Heithoff, BA**, and **Tyler Borman**, living in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

**Mary Judith Millar, BS**, and **Jan Linn Miller**, living in Omaha.

**Diane Weddum** and **Timothy White, BA**, living in Omaha.

## Deaths

### 08

**Mabel Fraser**, wife of **W. C. Fraser, JD**, Omaha.

**Charles J. Nemec, MD**, Omaha.

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**Thomas Emery, PHG**, Omaha.

### 13

**Charles Brugh, DDS**, York, Neb.

### 14

**Joseph Daly, Law**, Long beach, Cal.

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**Mark J. Ryan, JD**, South Sioux city, Neb.

**Robert F. Farrell, MD**, San Francisco, Cal.

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**Arthur J. Denney, JD**, Fairbury, Neb.

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**Paul F. O'Brien, DDS**, Orleans, Neb.

### 24

**Alexander McKie, Jr., ARTS**, Omaha.

### 26

**James M. McGrath, JD**, Alhambra, Cal.

### 27

**Cornelius (Frank) Norris, PHAR**, Omaha.

**Anthony J. Monty, MD**, San Jose, Cal.

**James W. Corrigan, COM**, Los Angeles, Cal.

**Michael Haun, JD**, San Francisco, Cal.

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**William V. McKnelly, MD**, Jefferson City, Mo.

**William L. Schwinghamer, DDS**, Redlands, Colo.

### 30

**Vaclav Jedlicka**, husband of **Luella Phalen Jedlicka, SCN**, Silver City, Iowa.

**Elmer Gressley, Phar**, Aurora, Neb.

### 32

**Lee K. Foster, PhC**, Harlan, Iowa.

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**Michael Nocero, MD**, New York, N.Y.

**Francis M. Markwell, DDS**, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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**Lumir J. Rysavy, DDS**, Bellevue, Neb.

### 37

**G. William Coulthard, BSC**, Las Vegas, Nev.

**Charles L. Preston, BSC**, Tullahoma, Tenn.

### 43

**Leonard F. Prochaska, Arts**, Dwight, Neb.

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**Joseph F. Cita, Jr., Arts**, Indianapolis, Ind.

### 56

**William A. Woods, BSC**, husband of **Helen Woods, Arts '72**, Omaha.

### 68

**Mary Irene George Krueger, BA**, Rapid City, S.D.

### Former Faculty

**Rev. Alban J. Dachauer, S.J.**, former assistant professor of modern languages.

**Mrs. Edith Bettinger**, wife of **Alvin K. Bettinger**, former math professor at Creighton University for 41 years.

### Former Staff

**Margaret Curran**, Fremont, Neb., Registrar of Creighton University for 36 years.

# Nine diamond hopefuls sign Testing for credit can save time and money

Nine baseball prospects signed national letters of intent to attend Creighton this fall, according to Coach Dave Baker.

The nine were recruited to fill weak spots in the Bluejay lineup as Baker sets about moving the team into national prominence.

Included in the group are four pitchers, a catcher, a catcher-outfielder, two infielders and a utility man. Baker called the signings "an outstanding recruiting year."

Players signed include:

—Randy Hill, Fort Dodge, Ia., right handed pitcher. His summer pitching included a perfect game.

—Gary McCabe, Albert City, Ia., right handed pitcher. In northwest Iowa competition he posted a 13-2 record this summer.

—Rick Dominik, St. Louis Park, Minn., right handed pitcher. He was drafted in the fourteenth round by the Chicago White Sox, but passed up pro ball to attend Creighton.

—Joe Butkiewicz, Glendale, Ariz., catcher. He played two years for Glendale Junior College where he batted .429.

—Ronald Williams, Chicago, Ill., infielder. The Chicago Catholic League All-Star hit over .300 for the season.

—Steve Vogel, Omaha, Neb., infielder. A Rummel High School Graduate, he won all-Metro Conference honors.

—Ron Wolfe, Council Bluffs, Ia., catcher-outfielder. He was a member of the team that finished second in Iowa and was chosen for the Junior Legion all-star team.

—Jim Roach, Council Bluffs, Ia., pitcher. He posted a 5-2 record with Lamar (Colo) community College last season.

—George Maness, Omaha, Neb., Utility player. He starred for Burke

High School and Jensen's Junior Legion team.

## Service honors go to two

Dr. Ann Czerwinski, professor of pharmacy, and the Rev. Richard D. McGloin, S.J., associate professor of classical languages, received Distinguished Service Awards at all-University ceremonies September 28.

Dr. Czerwinski was cited for "outstanding classroom ability, exceptional administrative aptitude, notable research activity, special service, unique awareness of contemporary problems, high moral principles and genuine interests in serving society."

She joined the faculty 25 years ago and is now a member of the Governor's Drug Commission and director of the Omaha Drug Abuse Education Center. She is a former acting dean of the School of Pharmacy.

Father McGloin has been a residence hall counselor for 17 years. He counseled male students in Dowling and Wareham Halls and has been a live-in adviser in Swanson Hall since its construction in 1965.

A testing program that allows students to earn college credit without taking a college course has been adopted by Creighton University's Colleges of Arts and Sciences and Business Administration.

The national program offers bright persons the chance to save money, shorten their time in college or take a wider variety of courses while in school.

The test is called CLEP—College Level Examination Program. About 1,000 Universities have introduced it. Creighton will be testing center for the program.

For a \$15 fee persons may come to the campus and take a nationally written examination on one or more subjects. If the student passes the test with a high enough score, and if he enrolls at Creighton, the University will award him credit for the course or courses.

Although the tests are standard, each department decides what test score is passing. The score is usually determined by having Creighton students take the test after they complete

a course. Their average score is then used as Creighton's standard for that course.

The CLEP program recognizes the value of material learned outside the classroom. Travel, military service, independent reading and work experience may teach enough to qualify the student for college credit through the test.

Creighton has placed strong limits on the program to guarantee continued excellence. No one may test for credit in a required course or a course in the student's major field of study.

Credit in a total of 24 courses can be awarded on the basis of test results.

Most examinations for credit from Creighton require an essay be written and judged by a Creighton professor before credit is awarded.

The program can mean significant cost savings for some students who excel academically or gave gained knowledge by extensive practical experiences.

The program is being administered by the Creighton University Counseling Center.



Baseball Coach Dave Baker surveys the new field from what will be home plate.

## Ticket drive is underway

Creighton's Bluejay basketball season ticket drive is underway. Named to head the 1972-73 season ticket drive is Dick Upah, owner of the Unpainted Furniture Center in Omaha.

Tom Brosnihan, director of athletic promotion, has joined Upah in offering readers of the Alumnews the chance to be first in ordering season tickets.

Creighton's home schedule includes number of traditional basketball powerhouses. Among them are Santa Clara, Southern Illinois, Ohio State, Tulsa, Colorado, Houston and Marquette. In all, 14 games will be played in the refurbished Omaha Civic Auditorium Arena.

To order, send the coupon below to the Department of Athletics, Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska 68131. Checks need not accompany the coupon. Purchasers will be billed before the beginning of the season, November 30.

## Baseball Bluejays to have home field

Creighton University's baseball Bluejays will play their 1973 home games on their own diamond, according to Athletic Director Eddie Sutton and head Baseball Coach David Baker.

The new diamond is currently under construction west of 24th Street 19 blocks south of Dodge Street (near Center Street).

The project is a joint venture of Creighton, the College World Series,

the Salvation Army and the City of Omaha.

"This should be one of the finest collegiate baseball diamonds in our area," Sutton said. "Without the cooperation of the other groups involved, it would not have been possible."

The Salvation Army provided the land at a lease price of one dollar a year to Creighton University. The City of Omaha is helping with construction. Creighton and the College World Series Board have directed planning. Cost of building the field is estimated to be \$50,000 to \$75,000. Creighton will maintain the field.

Creighton will use the field in the spring and fall; City of Omaha recreation teams in the summer, and the College World Series participating teams for practice during that event each June.

"This field will fill a great need for us," Baker said. "It has been a handicap to try to arrange fall and spring practices and games without a regular field."

Working with Athletic Department officials have been attorney John McClellan and the Rev. Richard McGloin, S.J., faculty member.

The field will have distances of 305 feet down each foul line, 370 feet to right and left field walls and 396 feet to centerfield.

An underground sprinkling system will help maintain the fenced field. Construction will be completed this fall with turf to be ready for spring action.

Creighton plays a major college baseball schedule and is the traditional host school for the annual College World Series each June.

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