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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Sister Mary Christopher, President of Salve Regina College, Newport, R. I., announced that a check in the amount of \$798.54 has been given from the college for the needy in Biafra.

The check represents the savings in the cafeteria during the recent "hunger strike" by the students to emphasize student requests.

After the recent demonstration, Sister Christopher asked the students if they would be in favor of sending this money to Biafra. The Student Council voted to accept Sister's offer.

The check was presented to Rt. Rev. Daniel P. Reilly, Chancellor of the Diocese of Providence and Coordinator for the Bishop's Catholic Relief Organization in the state for distribution to the needy in Biafra.

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