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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Newport County student Assemblymen, their alternates, faculty advisers, and legislators will meet at Salve Regina College Wednesday, (April 1) in preparation for the Rhode Island Model General Assembly at the State Capitol, April 3-4.

The preliminary session, which will serve to acquaint the students with the procedures and activities of the General Assembly, will be held in the College's O'Hare Academic Center, beginning at 3 P.M.

A large number of Newport County's senate and house delegates will be on hand to discuss with their student counterparts the bills which will be presented to the Model General Assembly.

Sister Mary Christopher, R.S.M., Salve Regina president, will welcome the group to the meeting, the first preliminary General Assembly to take place at the College.

Moderating the discussion will be Rhode Island 99th District Rep. Robert J. McKenna, Newport, who is also a member of the College's political science department.

Also scheduled to address the group is Sister Ann Nelson, R.S.M., history department chairman at the women's college.

The student Assemblymen will represent six Newport County secondary schools: St. Catherine Academy, De La Salle Academy, and Rogers High School, all in Newport, and Middletown, Portsmouth, and Tiverton High Schools.

The annual Model General Assembly at the Capitol is under the sponsorship of the Rhode Island Social Studies Association.
Charles E. O'Loughlin, North Providence, has been named dean of Salve Regina College's division of continuing education, it was announced today (Monday, March 30.)

Mr. O'Loughlin, 32, who has been assistant to the dean and director of the Middletown, Kingston, Davisville, Westerly, and Warren Community Center Programs for the University of Rhode Island's Extension Division, will begin his new assignment April 1. As dean, he will be responsible to Dr. Lester Carr, vice president for academic affairs.

In making the announcement, Sister Mary Christopher, R.S.M., Salve Regina president, said: "The appointment of Mr. O'Loughlin to coordinate our extension program, which includes both the evening division and the summer session, is indicative of the College's concern for the growing importance of continuing education and community involvement."

A native Rhode Islander, Mr. O'Loughlin received his bachelor of arts degree from Providence College. After earning a master of arts degree in history at Brown University, he did graduate work in educational administration at Rhode Island College. In addition to his administrative duties at Salve Regina, he will serve as a member of the history department faculty.

"Salve Regina is looking toward closer ties with the community through a greatly enlarged offering in continuing education," Mr. O'Loughlin said. "The summer session and the evening division are growing steadily; and I am particularly impressed by
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the rapid, statewide expansion of the College's new police education program. We hope we can soon announce an increased number of summer and fall evening division courses emphasizing the special interest of the College in the areas of basic and environmental sciences, community psychology, and special education."

Mr. O'Loughlin and his wife, the former Catherine Thomson, will move to Newport this summer. Mrs. O'Loughlin, a Pembroke graduate, is a teacher at the Lincoln School, Providence.