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Salve Regina Adds New Faculty and Staff Members

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Sister Mary Hilda, R.S.M., president of Salve Regina College, Newport, R. I., today announced the appointment of eleven new faculty members for 1963-64. These additions to the faculty will take care of the college's increased fall enrollment and will include three laymen, five laywomen, and three Sisters of Mercy. Faculty and administration will exceed 60 this year.

Miss Joan David of Providence, former feature writer for the Providence Visitor, will join the Department of English and Speech. She will be faculty advisor for the student newspaper, "The Ebb Tide," and will direct the dramatics club, The Regina Players. A graduate of Newton College of the Sacred Heart, she has her Master's degree from The Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C., where she majored in Drama. She has taught at Newton College of the Sacred Heart and at Elmhurst Academy in Portsmouth.

The Home Economics Department staff will be supplemented by Mrs. Donald B. Fletcher of Newport. Mrs. Fletcher earned her B.S. degree from Syracuse University in Syracuse, New York, her home town. She has taught at the Newport Hospital School of Nursing, and was pediatric dietician at the University Hospital, Ann Arbor Michigan, and Administrative Dietician, Children's Hospital, Boston.
In Sociology, Dr. Lorraine N. Gaudreau comes to Salve Regina from Cornell University where she received her Ph.D. in Sociology in June of this year. Her A.B., magna cum laude, is from Syracuse University, and her Master's, in English and Education, is from Smith College. A Phi Beta Kappa, Miss Gaudreau has taught at Colby College and the Grier School for Girls in Tyrone, Penna.

With the degree of Doctor of Philosophy and Letters from the Pontificia Universidad Catolica Saveriana in Bogota, Columbia, S.A., and a mastery of five languages including Russian, Dr. Stanley J. Goicz joins Salve Regina's Modern Foreign Language Department. He has an A.B. degree from the College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, Massachusetts, and has taught French, Spanish, and Russian at Merrimack College, Andover, Mass., Wheeling College, Wheeling, West Virginia, and Spring Hill College, Mobile, Alabama. Advanced and post-doctoral studies have been carried on by Dr. Goicz at Boston College, Laval University, Quebec, and Assumption College, Worcester.

Miss Jane C. Hale of Newport will coach basketball at Salve Regina College. She will also be teaching mathematics at Middletown High School during the coming year. For the past three years Miss Hale taught mathematics at Stone Ridge Country Day School, Washington, D. C., following her initial year of teaching at Salve Regina.

A grandson of the late Joyce Kilmer, American poet, will join the Salve Regina faculty to teach English and Philosophy. He is Mr. Hugh Kilmer, formerly of Green Hedges School, Vienna, Virginia. Mr. Kilmer has his bachelor's degree from St. Mary's Seminary in Baltimore, Maryland, and is currently a candidate for the M.A. degree at The Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.
Mrs. Richard P. (Eleanor M.) McMahon of Pawtucket, R. I., will join the Education Department as Director of Elementary Student Teaching. With a B.S. from the College of St. Elizabeth and an M.A. from Brown University, Mrs. McMahon is presently a candidate at Harvard University, for a Doctor's degree with a major in Teacher Education. She is a member of the Diocesan School Board and is active in the R. I. Institute, N.E. Reading Association, State Advisory Committee on Mathematics, and the Association for Student Teaching. She comes to Salve Regina from the Pawtucket school system where she was a Co-operating Teacher for Rhode Island College in Grade 2, Curtiss Memorial School.

Dr. George V. Morris of East Providence, R. I., is joining the faculty as an Instructor in Physics. His degrees are a B.S. from Providence College and an M.S. and Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry from the University of Rhode Island. He is presently engaged in research; his doctoral dissertation, soon to be published, is entitled "The Thermal Decomposition of Cesium Superoxide."

Sister Mary Harold, R.S.M., M.A., holds a bachelor's degree from Catholic Teacher's College, Providence, and her Master's degree from Niagara University, Niagara, N. Y. Prior to coming to Salve Regina, Sister Mary Harold taught at St. Xavier's Academy, Providence. She will join the History Department.

Sister Mariella, R.S.M., R.N., M.S., is returning to the college's Division of Nursing after graduate study at Catholic University. Her Master's degree from there is in Maternal and Child Nursing, and she also has certification as a midwife from the Catholic Maternity Center, Santa Fe, New Mexico.
Sister Mary Rosarita, R.S.M., R.N., will become assistant instructor in the clinical area of medical and surgical nursing. She is a cum laude graduate of Salve Regina College, Class of 1963.

The only faculty members of 1962-63 who are not returning to Salve Regina this fall are: Sister Cor Mariae of the Nursing Division, who has been assigned to mission work in La Ceiba, Honduras; Mrs. David R. Story (Marcia Fenn), teacher of Physical Education, who married during the summer and has moved to Oakland, California; and Mr. Wolfram Graber, instructor in mathematics and physics, who has joined the faculty of The King's College, Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.