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SISTER LOIS EVELETH RECEIVES DOCTORAL DEGREE

Sister Lois Eveleth, R.S.M., assistant professor of history at Salve Regina, The Newport College, received her doctoral degree at the summer commencement exercises, on July 15, of Walden University, Naples, Florida.

The degree is a Ph.D. in American Studies. Her dissertation is entitled "A Grammar of Nature: Structuring Categories for an Emersonian World-View." An investigation of the essays of Ralph Waldo Emerson, the work presents nine basic concepts which structure the transcendentalist world-view of this nineteenth-century writer. Sister Lois is a member of the Religious Sisters of Mercy, a religious congregation serving in this area. She graduated from Mt. St.

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A Coeducational College of Arts and Sciences

Mary Academy, Fall River, and earned a B.A. degree in Classics from Salve Regina College. Sister Lois did graduate work at Catholic University, Loyola University (Chicago), Fordham University, and Walden University. Her M.A. degree is in Philosophy. Before coming to Salve Regina College, Sister Lois taught in elementary and secondary schools in the Fall River-Providence area. While studying at Fordham University she had a teaching fellowship in Philosophy. She was Director of Public Relations at Salve for one year. This June Sister Lois completed six years on the faculty of the Newport College. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eveleth, live at 127 Cory Street.