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For release in AM's, Sunday, August 1st:

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Notre Dame, Ind., July 31 -- Four hundred twenty-five students, the majority of them Sisters, will receive degrees at the University of Notre Dame's summer commencement exercises Friday (August 6th), it was announced today.

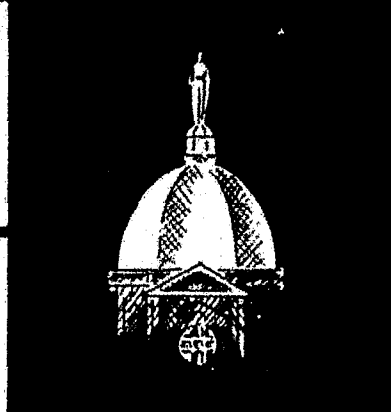
Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., University president, will confer eleven doctorates, 365 master's degrees and approximately fifty undergraduate degrees at ceremonies to be held at the Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes on the campus beginning at 2:30 p.m. (EST).

The commencement address will be delivered by Rev. Leo R. Ward, C.S.C., professor emeritus of philosophy at Notre Dame. Father Ward, author of a number of books including Philosophy of Education, Blueprint for a Catholic University and The Social and Political Philosophy of Jacques Maritain, will receive an honorary Doctor of Laws degree at the exercises.

Rev. Charles Sheedy, C.S.C., dean of the College of Arts and Letters, will preach the sermon during the Baccalaureate Mass to be celebrated by Father Hesburgh in Sacred Heart Church at 9 a.m. Father Sheedy has been dean of Notre Dame's liberal arts school since 1952 and is a former head of its theology department. He is the author of Christian Virtues.

Assisting at the Baccalaureate Mass will be Rev. Paul E. Beichner, C.S.C., dean of the Graduate School, deacon, and Rev. Joseph S. McGrath, C.S.C., director of the summer session, sub-deacon.

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For release in PM's, Thursday, August 5th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 5 -- Dedication ceremonies will be held here Tuesday (August 10th) for Lewis Hall, a new residence for Sisters studying for graduate degrees at the University of Notre Dame.

The four-story building is a memorial to Frank J. Lewis, the Chicago, Ill., businessman and philanthropist, who died in 1960 at the age of 93. Situated near the Administration Building and overlooking a campus lake, it is the gift of the Frank J. Lewis Foundation.

Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., Notre Dame president, will celebrate the Dedication Mass in the Lewis Hall chapel at 10 a.m. and officiate at the blessing of the building immediately afterward.

Sister Mary Ann Ida, B.V.M., president of Mundelein College in Chicago, will be the principal speaker at the dedication luncheon to be held at The Morris Inn on the campus at 12:30 p.m.

Among those attending the dedication events will be Mrs. Frank J. Lewis, members of the Lewis family, Sisters representing approximately one hundred religious communities throughout the United States, other guests and University officials.

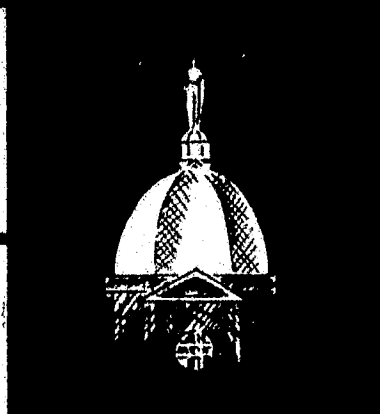
Designed by Ellerbe Architects, St. Paul, Minn., and erected by Wermuth, Inc., Fort Wayne, Ind., Lewis Hall provides 143 private rooms for Sisters enrolled in the Notre Dame Graduate School. Its first floor includes an attractive foyer with adjoining parlors, a chapel designed according to the requirements of the new liturgy, a large Sisters' lounge overlooking the lake, and a courtyard which opens off the lounge and foyer.

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Each of the upper floors has a sewing room, typing room and kitchen where the Sister-students may prepare light meals and snacks. Other facilities in the building are a recreation room, television lounge, music listening room, two music practice studios and a completely equipped laundry.

Mrs. Lewis and her late husband have received many honors for their philanthropy to Catholic churches and missions, hospitals and colleges and universities. They are one of a very few couples who received honorary degrees from Notre Dame. Mr. Lewis accepted a Doctor of Laws degree in 1954 at the same ceremonies in which their son, Edward, received his baccalaureate. Mrs. Lewis, awarded a Doctor of Fine Arts degree in 1962, was cited as "one of the greatest Catholic philanthropists in the history of our country...the gentle lady who has given so much so gladly."

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For release in AM's, Tuesday, August 3rd:

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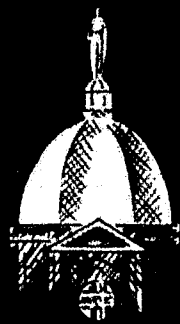
Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 2 -- The appointment of Clyde Pratt Craine, Jr., professor of English at the University of Detroit, as a member of the Notre Dame Library Council was announced today by Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., University president.

A 1934 Notre Dame graduate with two degrees from Oxford University in England, Craine has been a University of Detroit faculty member since 1938 and served as head of its English department from 1961 to 1964. He is treasurer of the Friends of the University of Detroit Library and a member of the Modern Languages Association, the College English Association, the National Council of Teachers of English and the American Association of University Professors.

The Notre Dame Library Council consists of book collectors, bibliophiles and authors who assist the University in obtaining rare books and outstanding collections for the new Notre Dame Memorial Library. The group meets semi-annually on the campus.

Council members include chairman John Bennett Shaw, Tulas, Okla., businessman; novelist Paul Horgan, Roswell, New Mex.; Norman Cousins, editor of THE SATURDAY REVIEW; Prof. Helen Constance White, University of Wisconsin; Walter Trohan, chief of the Chicago Tribune's Washington bureau; Senator Eugene McCarthy of Minnesota; Prof. John T. Frederick, retired head of the Notre Dame English department; John P. Cullen, regional manager, U.S. Veterans Administration, Milwaukee, Wisc.; David C. Mearns, chief of the manuscript division, Library of Congress; Ralph G. Newman, owner of the Abraham Lincoln Bookshop, Chicago, Ill.; and Lester Olson, retired Milwaukee business executive.

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For release in PM's, Thursday, August 12th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 12 -- The University of Notre Dame will sponsor a series of regional population conferences and in-depth studies of certain population problems with the support of a \$100,000 grant announced today by The Ford Foundation.

Dr. George N. Shuster, assistant to the president and director of Notre Dame's Center for the Study of Man in Contemporary Society, said three conferences are planned in the Southwest, New England and the South Atlantic area. The projected research, he said, will deal with a number of population issues which have theological or moral implications. Dr. William Liu, recently appointed as the Center's director of population studies, will administer the two-year program which will include a number of case studies of population dynamics in developing countries.

The regional meetings will continue and extend a series of discussions on population problems and family life held at Notre Dame in September, 1963, February, 1964, and March, 1965. The sessions were co-sponsored by the Cana Conference of Chicago with the support of The Ford Foundation. Participants included theologians, philosophers, sociologists, demographers and other specialists in marriage and family life representing the laity and a cross-section of religious communities. Shuster is editor of the proceedings of the sessions including the forthcoming third volume, The Problem of Population: Educational Considerations (University of Notre Dame Press).

Shuster said the core of participants for the regional population conference will be drawn from those who attended the earlier campus sessions. The sites and dates of the regional meetings are to be announced later.

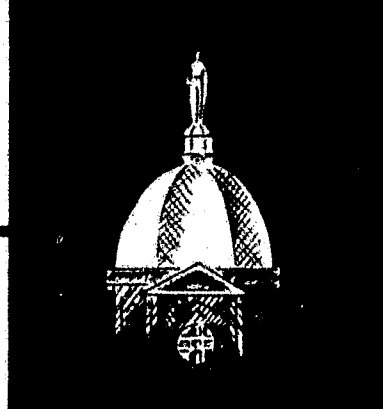
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According to Shuster, the envisioned studies-in-depth to be sponsored by Notre Dame will deal with sexual morality, contraceptive birth control and rhythm, responsible parenthood and contemporary theology, population problems in the developing countries and public policy in the United States.

Some of the studies, he said, will be based on "a conscientious confrontation between theologians and social scientists," and some will be inter-credal or ecumenical in nature. Their research will provide the basis for informational monographs to be published by the University.

Dr. Liu, an associate professor of sociology and a specialist in social psychology, joined the Notre Dame faculty in 1961. He was educated at St. Thomas College, the University of Notre Dame and Florida State University where he received his doctorate in 1958. He also has done postdoctoral research at the University of Chicago. He is the author of a Chinese text, Social Psychology, and is a frequent contributor to sociological journals.

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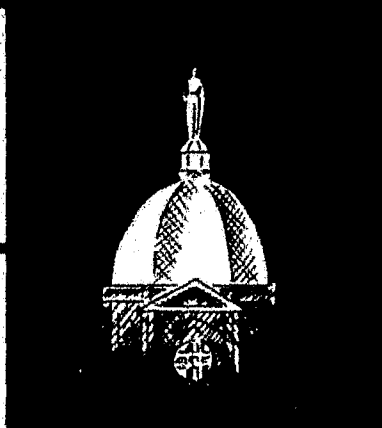
Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 13 -- The appointment of Rev. Ernan McMullin as head of the department of philosophy at the University of Notre Dame was announced today by Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., University president.

Father McMullin, who joined the Notre Dame faculty in 1954, is a specialist in the philosophy of science and editor of The Concept of Matter (University of Notre Dame Press, 1963). During the past year he has been a visiting professor at the University of Minnesota. As department head he succeeds Dr. Harry A. Nielsen who will devote his full time to teaching.

A native of Donegal, Ireland, Father McMullin received honors degrees in physics and theology at Maynooth College of the National University of Ireland. Following his ordination in 1949, he studied theoretical physics at the Institute of Advanced Studies in Dublin. From 1950 to 1954 Father McMullin studied at the Institut Supérieur de Philosophie of the University of Louvain in Belgium, receiving baccalaureate, licentiate and doctoral degrees. He held a National Science Foundation post-doctoral grant in the philosophy of science at Yale University from 1957 to 1959.

Father McMullin, vice president of the American Catholic Philosophical Association, has lectured at many American colleges and universities. He was chairman of the Galileo Quatercentenary Congress held at Notre Dame last year. He has contributed articles to AMERICA, THE NATURAL LAW FORUM and a number of philosophical journals. His professional affiliations include The Metaphysical Association of America and the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

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For release in AM's, Sunday, August 15th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 14 -- Morris B. Abram, prominent New York City attorney who practiced law in Atlanta until 1962, has been appointed to the Notre Dame Law School Advisory Council, it was announced today by Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., University president.

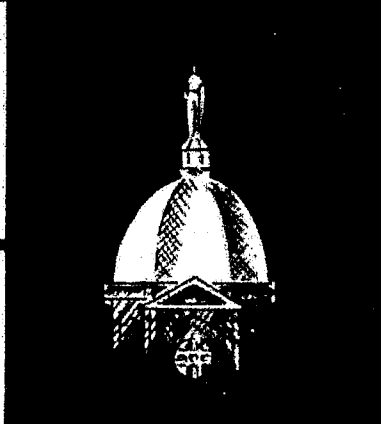
Abram is U. S. representative to the United Nations Human Rights Commission and national president of the American Jewish Committee. He is a member of the New York law firm of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton and Garrison and formerly was a partner in the firm of Heyman, Abram and Young in Atlanta.

The Notre Dame Law School Advisory Council is composed of twenty-six judges, lawyers and businessmen who meet semi-annually on the campus with Dean Joseph O'Meara to review the law school's progress and programs. Norman J. Barry, Chicago attorney, is chairman of the group which will convene for its fall meeting November 19th.

Born in Fitzgerald, Georgia, Abram is a graduate of the University of Georgia and the University of Chicago Law School. As a Rhodes Scholar, he holds baccalaureate and master's degrees from Oxford University in England. He was admitted to the Georgia bar in 1940 and to the bar of the State of New York in 1962.

Abram is a former chairman of the Atlanta Citizens Crime Commission and was a candidate for the Democratic nomination in Georgia's 15th Congressional District in 1954. He was decorated with the Legion of Merit for his service as an Air Force major during World War II. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and a contributor to legal journals.

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For release in AM's, Monday, August 16th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 15 -- A Conference on Law and Business dealing with current developments in the enforcement and construction of the Robinson-Patman Act will be held at the University of Notre Dame September 24-25, it was announced today.

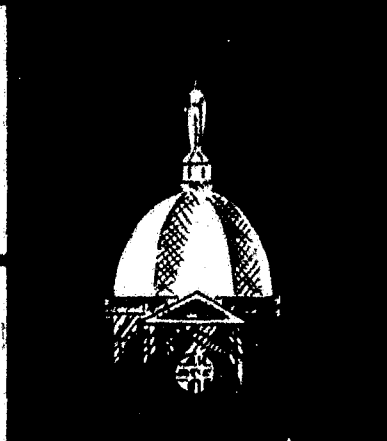
Officials of the Federal Trade Commission, antitrust practitioners and law teachers are expected to participate in the sessions in the Notre Dame Memorial Library auditorium. The conference will be held under the auspices of the Indiana Continuing Legal Education Forum, an organization sponsored by the Indiana State Bar Association, and the law schools of Indiana University, Valparaiso University and the University of Notre Dame. Prof. Daniel Baum of Indiana University is conference program chairman, and Prof. Thomas Shaffer of Notre Dame is in charge of local arrangements.

Conference participants will include Everett MacIntyre, a member of the Federal Trade Commission; former FTC chairman Earl W. Kintner; Francis Mayer, chief of the Commission's Division of Discriminatory Practices; Joseph E. Sheehy, director of the FTC Bureau of Restraint of Trade; and Basil Mezines, Commission attorney.

Antitrust lawyers addressing the conference include Jerrold G. VanCise, Henry Bison, James F. Rill and Edwin S. MacIntyre. Also participating will be Prof. Charles Hewitt of Indiana University and Prof. Baum, who is a former FTC attorney.

Shaffer said the conference is open to all interested lawyers, businessmen and teachers. Conference papers are to be published in THE NOTRE DAME LAWYER. Additional information is available from the Indiana Continuing Legal Education Forum, Bankers Trust Building, Indianapolis, Ind.

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For immediate release:

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Tokyo, Aug. 23 -- Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president of the University of Notre Dame, will participate in meetings here of the International Federation of Catholic Universities August 25-30 and the International Association of Universities August 31-September 6.

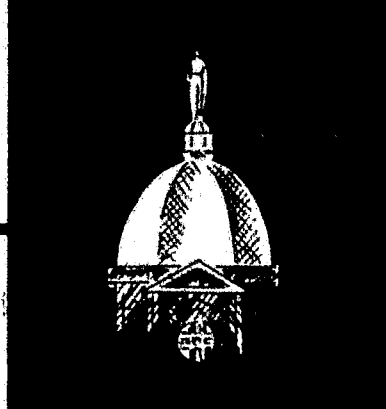
Father Hesburgh is president of the Federation and will preside at its general conference and administrative board meetings. "Access to Higher Education" will be the theme of the quinquennial meeting of the 600-member International Association of Universities. Rev. John E. Walsh, C.S.C., Notre Dame vice president for academic affairs, also will attend the two Tokyo meetings.

En route Tokyo, Father Hesburgh visited Rome and Bombay where he inspected an Indian atomic energy installation. Following two conferences here, he will visit the University of Ryukus on Okinawa and Fu Jen Catholic University at Taipei, Formosa.

As a trustee of the Rockefeller Foundation, Notre Dame's president will meet with officials of the International Rice Research Institute in Manila and the University of the Philippines. While in the Philippines, Father Hesburgh will receive an honorary Doctor of Education degree from Saint Louis University in Baguio City, and he will meet with Notre Dame alumni in Manila.

Father Hesburgh returns to Japan in latter September as Vatican City representative to the general conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency. Its annual sessions were held in earlier years in Vienna. He will return to the Notre Dame campus about October 1st. In the interim Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., executive vice president, is serving as acting president.

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For release in PM's, Thursday, August 26th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 26 -- An estimated 1,200 married couples from the United States, Canada, Mexico and twenty other countries will attend the 14th conference of the Christian Family Movement opening at the University of Notre Dame tomorrow (Friday).

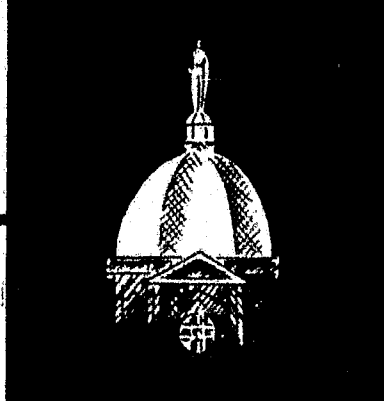
The conference, to be addressed by theologians, educators and specialists in marriage and family life from throughout the world, will launch the CFM's 1965-66 program which is focused on international life and the creative use of leisure time.

Major conference speakers include Rev. Bernard Haring, C. SS. R., professor of moral theology at the Lateran University in Rome, who will conduct a seminar for CFM couples on "The Theology of Married Love." Father Haring is also addressing an advance meeting of approximately 300 CFM chaplains tonight (Thursday) on "The Church in the Modern World -- Schema 13."

Other conference speakers include Belgium's Abbe Francois Houtart, "Challenge to Change;" James Norris, director of Catholic Relief Services, "World Poverty and the Christian Conscience;" and Dr. Franklin Littell, professor of church history, University of Chicago Theological Seminary, "Unity Through the Religious of the World."

Also Sister Jacqueline, S. L., president of Webster College, "The Christian Response to Culture;" Dr. Martin Marty, editor of THE CHRISTIAN CENTURY, "The Layman and the Ecumenical Movement;" and Rev. Walter Imbierski, director of the Cana Conference of the Archdiocese of Chicago, "Population and Responsible Parenthood."

General sessions will be held in the Stepan Center on the campus Friday at 7:30 p.m., Saturday at 8:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., and Sunday at 10 a.m.
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For release in AM's, Friday, August 27th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 26 -- The Catholic Biblical Association of America will hold its twenty-eighth general meeting at the University of Notre Dame August 31-September 2, it was announced today.

Members of the hierarchy and Biblical scholars from throughout the country will participate in the sessions at The Morris Inn on the campus. The program for the three-day meeting includes the presentation of sixteen scholarly papers, a business session and a banquet Sept. 1st at 6 p.m.

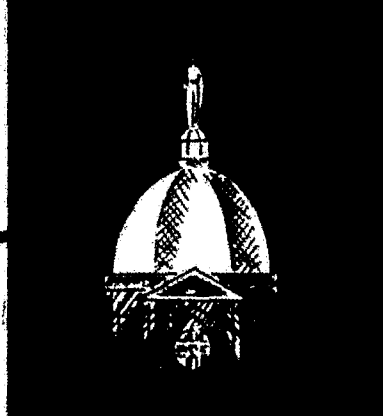
The Most Rev. Leo A. Pursley, Bishop of Fort Wayne-South Bend and episcopal host to the Biblical scholars, will celebrate a Mass marking the opening of the meeting August 31st at 9 a.m. Following the Mass, the presidential address will be delivered by Rev. Barnabas Mary Ahern, C. P., of the Passionist Fathers' Seminary, Louisville, Ky.

A Mass for deceased members of the Association will be offered by the Most Rev. John F. Whealon, Auxiliary Bishop of Cleveland, on September 1st at 9 a.m.

Other officers of the Association, in addition to Father Ahern, are Rev. Frederick L. Moriarty, S. J., vice president; Rev. Joseph E. Fallon, O. P., treasurer; Rev. Louis F. Hartman, C. SS. R., executive secretary; and Rev. Roland E. Murphy, O. Carm., editor of the CATHOLIC BIBLICAL QUARTERLY.

Rev. Albert Schlitzer, C.S.C., head of the Notre Dame theology department, and Rev. Thomas Barrossee, C.S.C., of the theological faculties of Notre Dame and Holy Cross College, Washington, D.C., are in charge of arrangements.

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For release in AM's, Sunday, August 29th:

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Notre Dame, Ind., Aug. 28 -- The creation of the Philosophic Institute for Artificial Intelligence at the University of Notre Dame was announced today by Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., University president.

The new institute will have a two-fold purpose, he said, "interpreting advances in computer technology and applied science generally to the humanities and, on the other hand, providing the traditional insights of the humanities for the advancement of computing science."

Father Hesburgh said the institute will be interdisciplinary in its approach, involving specialists in philosophy, computing science, the biological sciences, the several branches of engineering and the fine arts. It will be "research-oriented," he said, and will offer graduate level instruction.

He named Dr. Kenneth M. Sayre, assistant professor of philosophy, as director of the new Notre Dame institute, and Dr. Frederick Crosson, head of the University's General Program of Liberal Education, as its associate director. The Philosophic Institute for Artificial Intelligence will be affiliated with the Center for the Study of Man in Contemporary Society and the University Computing Center, and its quarters will be on the eighth floor of the new Notre Dame Memorial Library.

Dr. Sayre said the Institute will offer courses in the areas of artificial intelligence, in aspects of information theory relevant to the humanities and in the theoretical aspects of man-machine relationships.

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For the present, he said, its research will revolve around three themes. One will deal with the use of computers to recognize patterns, to prove mathematical and logical theorems, to create music and paintings and "to play games creatively." Another facet of the research, Sayre explained, will concern "making the basic concepts and insights of information theory relevant whenever possible to philosophy, theology, the fine arts and other humane disciplines." In still another area of research the Notre Dame institute will encourage "critical examination of basic concepts of the life sciences as they relate to the philosophy of man in general."

Sayre said Notre Dame research to date in the field of artificial intelligence has been supported by several grants from the National Science Foundation. He indicated that a number of faculty seminars on the general subject of artificial intelligence have been held and that others will be scheduled in the future.

Sayre is a specialist in analytic philosophy while Crosson has specialized in phenomenology. Both teach courses in symbolic logic, and Sayre also conducts a course in the philosophy of science. They are co-editors of the book, Modeling of Mind: Computers and Intelligence, and Sayre is the author of the recent work, Recognition: A Study in the Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence. Associated with them in the work of the Institute is Rev. David Burrell, C.S.C., of the Notre Dame philosophy department.

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