

The Viatorian

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A special number announcing St. Viator College \$500,000
Extension Fund Effort among Alumni and
friends of the institution



GREETINGS, ALUMNI

The Extension Fund Campaign for a Greater St. Viator inaugurated some weeks ago is now well under way. The unmistakable attitude of our alumni, the uncompromising pledge of their loyalty, the unquestioned assurance of their support and co-operation is not only a source of encouragement, but, likewise, a guarantee of the ultimate success of our undertaking.

From cities and hamlets throughout the length and breadth of this broad land, from Bishops, Priests and Laymen, letters bespeaking the love and gratitude they hold for their Alma Mater come each day to our desk.

It is truly a comfort for the Viatorians to know that their years of consecrated labor has earned for them the respect and esteem of countless friends, while meriting for them the boasted love and unfailing gratitude of the hearts and the souls which they have fashioned and nourished at their humble fireside.

And grateful, too, are we, noble sons, to God, if we have been a potent influence for good in your life, to you, for your thoughtful remembrance, your cheerful acknowledgment and generous promise of helpful assistance to permit us to continue, unhampered, the great work to which our lives are consecrated.

In the names of those who have preceded me in the office, which I am honored to hold, names blest and revered and revered by each adopted son, permit me to express as sincerely as I may the appreciation which wells from the hearts of the Viatorians.

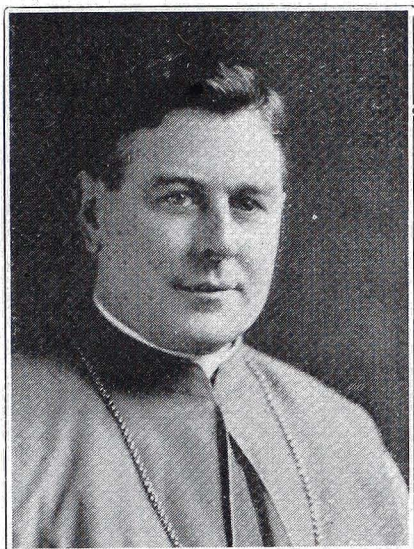
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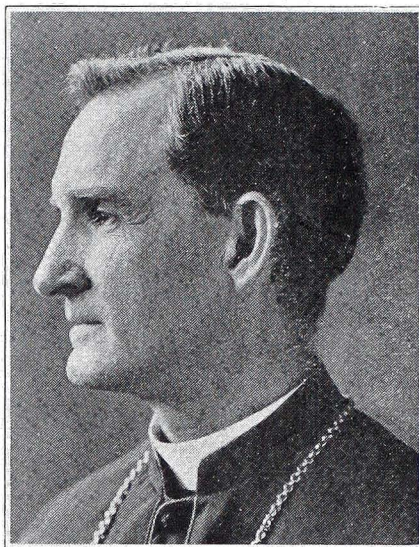


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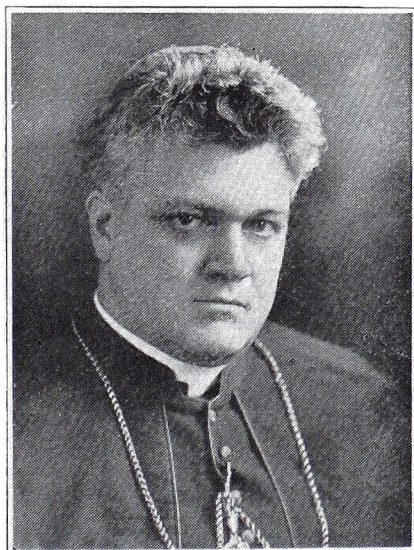


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THE CAMPAIGN

Alumni of St. Viator College, the campaign is on! The objective is a fund of \$500,000 to enable St. Viator College to carry out its

The Object long-cherished plan of extension which includes a new dormitory, a new science hall and equipment, and other sorely needed additions and improvements. This sum at first blush may seem large, but it is imperative that it be raised if this college is to continue its noble work of higher Catholic education. It can be raised! It will be raised! Success however will not come through placidly giving moral support and letting someone else do the work. Each alumnus must work and work hard. He must encourage others to help. He must get the vision of a Greater St. Viator and direct his energies to that end.

St. Viator College has a splendid appeal. It has done great things in educational and spiritual fields. In the fifty-four years of its

The Appeal existence, it has not asked often for aid while at the same time, it has helped many deserving boys to an education. The devoted Viatorian Fathers and Brothers have labored unceasingly and unselfishly for others. Their lives and hearts are bound up in this college. Not for themselves, but for Your Alma Mater, do they make this appeal. Surely you will heed the call. It is up to you and you and you to make their dream of greater helpfulness come true.

Preparing for this drive has been a monumental task. Due to the fire of 1906, insufficient clerical help and other causes, the records of

Organization alumni and former students were in a sadly tangled state. Bringing order out of this chaos, locating the present addresses, zoning the alumni into divisions and further subdividing these divisions into centres, preparing forms, writing thousands of letters—these things have meant weeks of diligent effort. At last the organization for the campaign is taking definite shape. This toil of assembling the parts will be forgotten in the smoothly running machine and such a machine is being built up to reap a harvest of dollars for St. Viator. Each alumnus has an important part in this campaign—a responsibility he dare not neglect. It was only after a series of meetings in which the possibilities of success were carefully considered that the effort was decided upon. These leaders counted on you in their deliberations. Now you must not fail them.

As is shown graphically by a chart elsewhere, the campaign though with a single aim, is divided into three separate drives. The

The Chairmen Northern Division, with headquarters in Room 1341 Congress Hotel, Chicago, has Mr. James G. Condon, '91, a prominent attorney and active alumnus, as its chairman. The Southern Division has its headquarters at the College in Bourbonnais, Ill. In response to many requests and since its organization includes the present student body, the Very Rev. J. D. Kirley, C. S. V., President of St. Viator, was made chairman. A third drive will take place in Kankakee County and headquarters will later be opened in the city of Kankakee. Mr. William Erzinger, an enthusiastic and popular business man of that city, is chairman. As honorary chairman for the combined effort, the alumni are fortunate in the acceptance of the Rt. Rev. Alexander J. McGavick, D. D., '85.

In addition to the three concentrated efforts, a mail campaign will be conducted from both Chicago and Bourbonnais Headquarters to reach all alumni at a distance.

The campaign slogan adopted is "Give it or get it." These words are self-explanatory and preclude a refusal from any alumnus no matter what his circumstances may be. If he cannot afford to give it himself, his efforts among his friends will surely result in a substantial sum. It is believed that nearly all will give and secure contributions from others.

"Give It or Get It"

Already dances, bazaars, raffles, fairs and other forms of raising money are being considered in those centres where organization has already begun. These activities are heartily encouraged by campaign leaders. In Chicago, however, solicitation only will be followed. An idea of the system of centre organization may be obtained. These centres are cogs in the organization of the division, each having its general chairman, co-chairmen and active committeemen, all reporting through channels to the major headquarters.

Centres for reaching all the surrounding territory have been or are to be organized at Aurora, Assumption, Braidwood, Bloomington, Chatsworth, Champaign-Urbana, Clinton (Ind.), Chicago, Dixon, Decatur, Flanagan, Granite City, Indianapolis (Ind.), Joliet, Kokomo (Ind.), Kentland (Ind.), LaSalle, Litchfield, LaFayette (Ind.), Mattoon, Moline, Ottawa, Peoria, Rockford, Rock Island, Sheffield, Spring Valley, Streator, Sheldon (Ind.), and Springfield.

Father Kirley has been dividing his time between headquarters in Bourbonnais and Chicago. He has already visited some centres and will try to visit all before the campaign is completed. In Chicago, the Rev. J. F. Ryan, a former President of St. Viator College, is taking an important part in the direction of the drive.

Dr. Alexander W. Burke, president of the alumni association, is most active in swinging the Chicago alumni into line. The responses from "The old boys" all over the nation has been extremely gratifying and the organization already accomplished, in the light of the condition of the records and other hindrances, has been phenomenal.

Men of St. Viator—this is your opportunity! This is your chance to do something big for the old school. This extension fund will be an enduring monument—you'll always be proud that you had a part in raising it. Now is the time! You know what to do!

LET'S GO, ST. VIATOR!

AN APPRECIATION TO THE PRESS

The President and Faculty of St. Viator College and the alumni desire at this time to express their appreciation of the publicity already given to the campaign by the Chicago and state press and by the Catholic Press. Father Donovan of "The New World" has been particularly generous with his columns. No effort of this sort can succeed without publicity and the reception of St. Viator's press stories indicate that a splendid co-operation may be expected from both general and sectarian newspapers.

WATCH FOR "THE HALF MILLION"—SOON!

THE STEADY GROWTH OF ST. VIATOR COLLEGE

St. Viator College was founded in 1868 by Rev. Father Peter Beaudoin, Brother J. P. Bernard, and Brother A. Martel for the higher education of Catholic youth. These pioneer Catholic educators had come from Canada three years previously to take charge of the parish and parochial school of Bourbonnais, Ill., and seeing the need of a Catholic College in Illinois, decided to extend this school into a High School and College.

As Father Beaudoin was fully occupied with the affairs of the parish, he summoned Rev. Father Thomas Roy from Canada to be the first president of the new College. The first building was erected under Father Roy's regime and a University charter was secured from the State of Illinois in 1874.

Father Roy was succeeded in the presidency by Rev. Father M. J. Marsile, C. S. V. in 1879, who directed the destinies of the institution until 1906. Under Father Marsile's administration St. Viator's College grew very rapidly, the buildings were increased, and a very beautiful chapel was erected.

In February, 1906, a disastrous fire wiped out all the buildings except the new gymnasium, and Father Marsile, feeling that advancing age made him unequal to the task of rebuilding the institution resigned the presidency in favor of Rev. J. P. O'Mahoney, C. S. V., who immediately set about repairing the ravages of the fire. With the help of the Alumni and the Carnegie Foundation, which gave \$32,000, a splendid group of modern fire-proof buildings was erected, and after their completion Father O'Mahoney gave himself to the task of standardizing all the courses, and making them conform to the best requirements of modern education.

The entrance of the United States into the world war was the signal for St. Viator College to give her best service to the nation. Her College classes were depleted by students immediately enlisting in the army and navy or departing for officers' training camps, and several of the ablest professors departed to be chaplains in the army. Plans that Father O'Mahoney had completed for a campaign to raise a necessary extension fund had to be abandoned in the face of the greater need of the nation. Father O'Mahoney resigned the presidency to be succeeded by Rev. J. F. Ryan, C. S. V. The Student's Army Training Corps was established under Father Ryan, at St. Viator College.

Father Ryan directed the College during the scholastic year of 1918-1919. He was succeeded by Rev. W. J. Bergin, C. S. V., who had just returned from service as a chaplain in the American Expeditionary Force in France. Father Bergin reorganized the curriculum after the war, and then desiring to return to the class room as professor of philosophy asked to be relieved of the presidency, and was succeeded by Rev. J. D. Kirley, C. S. V.

Father Kirley immediately set himself to the task of raising an extension fund to meet the pressing needs of the college for improvement and expansion, and prospects are bright for a new and greater St. Viator College.

Our Revered Past Presidents

FATHER THOMAS ROY, C. S. V., 1874-1879.

To Father T. Roy belongs the distinction of being the first President of St. Viator College. There was in him a happy blending of those qualities of mind and heart requisite for the pioneer and leader, sheer courage, consuming zeal, clear vision and marked initiative. A charming disposition won for him and St. Viator many friends in the earlier days of the college.

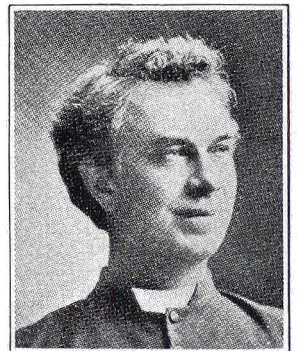


He secured the charter for the college and under his guidance, from its humble beginning St. Viator grew to be an outstanding feature in the educational field of Illinois and the adjoining states. It soon emerged from a two-story frame building into a large stone structure made necessary by an ever increasing number of students.

He presided over the newly founded college until declining health forced him to relinquish the work, he so auspiciously begun.

FATHER M. J. MARSILE, C. S. V., 1879-1906.

The growing prestige and influence of St. Viator College were confided to the care of Rev. M. J. Marsile, its second President, a man of "high erected thoughts seated in a heart of courtesy." To know him was to love him, and to live under his influence was an education in itself.



Capable and energetic, he built up St. Viator's into one of the best schools in the country. Himself a litterateur of fine grade and a scholar of broad culture, he made the college, indeed, an intellectual center.

During his presidency the college buildings became inadequate, two wings were added and a finish given the entire group of buildings by the erection of the beautiful Roy Memorial Chapel.

If Father Marsile has seen the noble fabric he reared razed to the ground by fire, there is consolation in the thought that his finest work still lives in the minds and hearts of hundreds of students whose characters were formed under his potent yet gentle influence.

FATHER J. P. O'MAHONEY, C. S. V., 1906-1918.

In 1906 the college, with the exception of the gymnasium, was completely destroyed by fire. Within a year, two large, stately buildings, modern and fireproof, replaced the old St. Viator's.

Father J. P. O'Mahoney was chosen to inaugurate the career of the new St. Viator's and became the third President. Just in his thirtieth year, he was at that time the youngest college president in the country.



A service of eminent distinction as Prefect of

Studies was only one presage of his success as President. Of a brilliant and especially constructive mind, he reorganized the curriculum of studies to meet the advancement in educational methods of the times. He was always a leading figure in the Catholic Educational Association where he always fought for higher standards and ideals.

Though much of his energy was devoted to the scholastic improvement of the college, yet he found time to form a strong body of loyal alumni and friends for the college.

Today as Treasurer, his administrative ability is still serving St. Viator's.

FATHER J. F. RYAN, C. S. V., 1918-1919.

Under the stressful times of the World War Father Ryan was selected as the fourth President of St. Viator College.

The young men of our universities and colleges were called from their books to serve their country; St. Viator, too, saw her halls well nigh depleted.

In these distracted times it required unusual courage to guide the destinies of a college, but Father Ryan was found equal to the occasion. His faculty was torn asunder by the call for military chaplains, funds were low, yet by a skillful placement of men, and by a wise management of material resources, Father Ryan succeeded in weathering the storm.

His quick action seconded by ceaseless effort were responsible for St. Viator's being one of the first colleges to secure an S. A. T. C. unit. This necessitated a readjustment of the college curriculum and once more Father Ryan proved an efficient organizer, so much so that in a short time classes were running regularly and smoothly. Father Ryan the wartime President, will always be identified as one of St. Viator's devoted and efficient leaders.

FATHER W. J. BERGIN, C. S. V., 1919-1921.

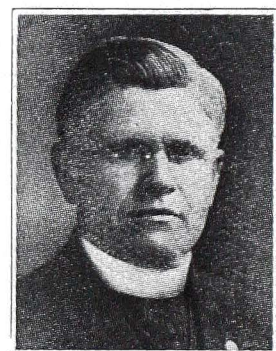
The Fifth President of St. Viator College was Father W. J. Bergin, a man of vigorous intellect, a philosopher, a teacher, an educator, an orator. St. Viator's may well be proud of numbering him amongst its presidents.

Long and varied experience in college life, a keen eye for the educational needs of the age, and a thorough grasp of educational problems made of him an effective and progressive director.

More efficient teaching, better scholarship, may be regarded as his watchwords and he bent every energy of his mind to compass both. It is needless to say that his fine enthusiasm for intellectual growth was caught up by both professors and students, and lifted St. Viator's to a high plane of scholastic excellence.

The end of the war found many students knocking at the doors of St. Viator's, especially college men. They were welcomed, and were taught by Father Bergin to love the things of the mind.

In losing a brilliant President in Father Bergin, the college has found in him an invaluable Prefect of Studies.



WHAT ST. VIATOR IS DOING

Though handicapped by debt, and lack of adequate resources St. Viator College is giving excellent higher Catholic education to her students. The courses leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Letters, Bachelor of Philosophy, Bachelor of Science, and Bachelor of Philosophy in History and Economics are now carefully systematized and correlated in accordance with the best educational standards. Students who have passed after graduation from St. Viator College to the graduate schools of the larger universities have without exception done creditable work, and succeeded in winning higher degrees with honor. This fact attests the thoroughness of the training they had received while undergraduates.

In the field of intercollegiate debating St. Viator College has an enviable record of uniform success which testifies to the excellence of the courses in Philosophy, English and Public Speaking. Despite their poverty the Faculty of St. Viator College has always endeavored to afford the possibility of higher education to any young man who sincerely desires it, and no student has been refused owing to lack of sufficient funds.

Work has been furnished for needy students, and in many cases their notes have been accepted to be paid after they have graduated and established themselves in a profession or in business. At the present time 67 such students are attending the college. Vocations to the priesthood have been fostered in large numbers at St. Viator College, nearly three hundred priests being numbered among the alumni. Every year several of the graduating class enter some seminary to complete their studies for the priesthood, and their records in the seminaries prove the value of the moral and intellectual training received at St. Viator College.

In addition to the College proper St. Viator's conducts a first-class High School which is fully accredited to the University of Illinois. The equipment of the High School is complete and up-to-date, and the standards of scholarship maintained are very high. The High School makes many demands on the class room, library, and laboratory facilities, and renders imperative separate facilities for the College.

It has always been the aim of the faculty of St. Viator College to give a thorough, well rounded, intellectual, moral, and physical training to the students committed to their charge. Friends and former students of the College know well that the professors are not so much professors as friends of the boys, and that there is a peculiar spirit of comradeship and respectful familiarity between teachers and students not often to be found at other schools.

In this way the work of education is carried on all day, and not confined merely to the class room. The primary purpose is to develop and turn out good, intelligent, moral, Christian gentlemen, and for this reason the students are taught to think, and to understand the reasons for right human conduct. A liberal system of discipline prevails, which develops character, and teaches students the importance of responsibility and self-reliance.

Great attention has always been paid to the physical training and development of the students at St. Viator College, and the success of her teams in football, basketball and baseball is evidence of the thor-

oughness of the work done in physical education. Few schools of the same size can point to such uniformly victorious teams as St. Viator turns out year after year, and this without any special effort to recruit athletes, or any large athletic fund from which to meet expenses.

For six years St. Viator College has been a member of the Little Nineteen Conference of Illinois, and every year has been at the top fighting for the championship of the Conference in every sport. The baseball championship has been captured every year but one. This year a swimming tank 100 feet by 40 feet has been added to the athletic equipment, but still needs to be covered to be available for use all the year round.

The departments of Psychology and Sociology are also in need of apparatus and equipment. Plans have already been approved by the College Council for the institution next year of a four years' course of College Commerce and Accounting, and this new department will need books and proper equipment. The department of Psychology is undertaking the work of giving mental tests to the problem children in the parochial schools of Kankakee, and this excellent psychological clinic should be allowed to function without the embarrassment of insufficient funds. This clinic affords splendid laboratory experience for the students in psychology.

The athletic department has also made requisition for additional funds. The swimming tank needs to have a roof put over it, to enable it to be used all the year round. This necessary building, with shower baths, heating and filtering plant will cost according to the best estimates about \$12,000, and should be completed as soon as possible. If this were done St. Viator would have the largest swimming tank possessed by any college in the United States.

The athletic field needs to be leveled at an approximate cost of \$2,000, and new bleachers and stands while not absolutely essential would be highly desirable. These improvements can not be undertaken without the necessary funds being supplied by the friends and alumni of the College.

Religious services are at present conducted in the chapel in the basement of Marsile Hall, and while this serves the purpose, a separate chapel building would add greatly to the impressiveness and solemnity of religious services, and would deepen the religious impressions received by the students. An auditorium is also badly needed for plays, lectures, entertainments, meetings, commencement exercises, etc. At the present time the gynasium has to perform the double function of gymnasium and auditorium.

Such in brief are the pressing needs of St. Viator College. The faculty is composed of men who have devoted their lives to the cause of Christian education without any remuneration, and they are often sorely tried by the handicaps under which they have to labor. They do not complain, but they often feel their efficiency is lessened tremendously by the lack of adequate equipment and facilities. They would like to accomplish more, and the only obstacle in their way is debt, and the want of money. Surely the friends of St. Viator College will supply the lack of money to these men who care nothing about it for themselves, but only as a means to increase their powers and opportunities to perform efficiently the great work of Christian education.



THE FACULTY OF ST. VIATOR COLLEGE
1922

ENCOURAGEMENT FROM A NOBLE LEADER

Oak Park Hospital, Oak Park, Ill.

January 19, 1922.

Very Reverend J. D. Kirley, C. S., V., Pres.

My dear Father:

From a bed of sickness, I trace these lines to endorse your timely scheme for the aggrandizement of St. Viator. Without such a step, no further development in her favor is possible, for the lack of room. The rebuilding after the fire taxed the resources of the institution to the utmost.

What Viatorian will not be happy to contribute his mite to enable his Alma Mater to open wider arms to new Brothers? What son of St. Viator will not be proud to lay upon her brow, in erecting new buildings, as it were a crown of towers? Is there today greater joy for a son than to read the name of a parent carved in stone on the front of our many American Colleges or Universities? May it be the lot of many of ours to share in part if not in entirety such a blessing.

With the permission of my Very Reverend Superior, I promise to give one thousand dollars (\$1,000), made up of personal gifts and offerings for extra labor (intended at first to print few literary works) as my very humble and most cheerful subscription.

Living in the dear past and dreaming of a bright future, I remain, affectionately yours,

(Signed) M. J. MARSILE, C. S. V.

Son! Your Mother Calls You!

By the Rt. Rev. James J. Shannon, '81, Peoria.

Painfully, patiently, a-throb with the pulse of unconquerable youth, Alma Mater has trod the upward path of sacrifice for half a century. Facing the future unafraid she has marched sturdily on, renewing her strength at every step and gathering fresh courage from every trial. Through the long years she has held steadily to her task of bearing benedictions to the unblessed by lighting the way for those who wander in the darkness of ignorance. With the sympathy of a saint and the vision of a prophet she has searched the souls of her children for signs of budding goodness and set their hearts aglow with the promise of higher and better things. She has given purpose to their lives and inspiration to their faltering spirit. She has sustained them in defeat and made them calm in victory. Kindlier nor wiser mother has never come to earth.

Always has she borne her burdens in silence, now she must give them voice. Unto her children everywhere she calls out of the depths of her need. The good she has done, the good she will do gives her the highest and holiest right to ask for help. The memory of her past, the hope of her future gives power to her appeal. Generations yet to be and by her to be blessed join their voices to ours in pleading for her preservation. No child of hers worthy of the name can turn a deaf ear to the call of gratitude and duty. The privations of her pioneer days should have been ended long ago. What an appalling indictment of our indifference is written in her present poverty; there can be but one verdict if that indifference continue. We have not forgotten her, messages of cheer come from everywhere. Her children are gathering around her in love and recollection with a high resolve that her abiding place shall be made more fitting to her honor and her needs, that she shall be provided with the resources necessary to the larger work she seeks to do.

In her day of distress Alma Mater is calling for help. We shall not fail. Out their abundance the rich will give, out of their poverty the poor—all from a generous, unforgetting, loving heart.

"WHAT ST. VIATOR CAN DO"

No one can estimate what St. Viator College could accomplish were she freed from debt and furnished with an extension fund for additional buildings and equipment. The most pressing need at the present time is a dormitory building for the College students. Roy Hall, the present dormitory building, is overcrowded, and it is highly desirable that the College students be separated from the High School students as much as possible, so that a distinctively college atmosphere may be created. If adequate funds were furnished a modern fire-proof dormitory building would be erected immediately for the college students, and thereby the overcrowding in Roy Hall would be relieved, and more room would also be available for High School students.

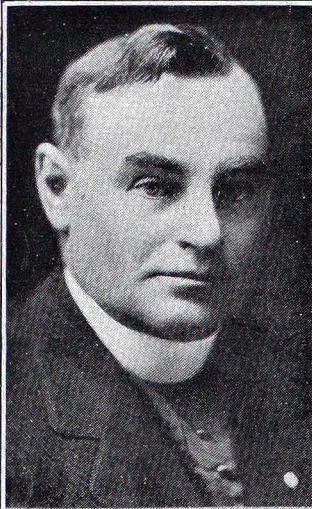
New and additional equipment is also sorely needed in the scientific laboratories. Recently the departments of Biology, Physics and Chemistry have made requisitions for additional equipment amounting altogether to almost \$12,000. It should be borne in mind that requirements in scientific equipment are increasing year by year, and it is imperative that these necessary demands be met, for students have a right to adequate facilities in their scientific studies. Another sum is urgently needed to buy books for the library, and a library building is highly desirable. The heart of every college is the library, and at the present time the library rooms are overcrowded, and there is no more space for additional book stacks. Keeping a library up to date entails a tremendous annual outlay in these days when so many important books are being published, and so many new discoveries are being made, and while the administration of the College has sacrificed many other important things in favor of the library during the last few years, it is now absolutely necessary that funds be found for the purchase of books. Professors and students are under a tremendous handicap in modern college education without an adequate library. Books are not luxuries in a college, but a vital necessity. Give St. Viator College adequate scientific equipment and a good library, and she will give inexpensively as good a college education as money can buy.

CAMPAIGN MISSIONARIES

Wherever Viatorian priests travel, they carry the message of the \$500,000 Extension Fund. Father E. M. Kelly, C. S. V., who has been in Columbus, Ohio, the guest of the Berry Brothers of that city, returned to Bourbonnais by the way of Detroit where he looked up former students of the college. Father Frank Moisant, C. S. V., is making a trip through Michigan in which he organizes the alumni with whom he comes in contact. The fruits of these expeditions will be seen when the pledge cards start coming into headquarters.

MEMORIAL BUILDING SUGGESTED

It has been suggested that the mothers, wives, sisters and sweet-hearts contribute to a fund in connection with this drive to erect a memorial building for the departed Viatorians. And yet, this idea has not taken concrete form. More of this and other matters will be reported in "The Half Million," the campaign's weekly bulletin.



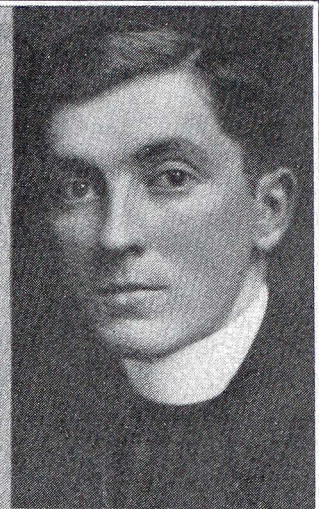
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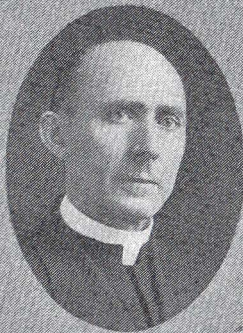
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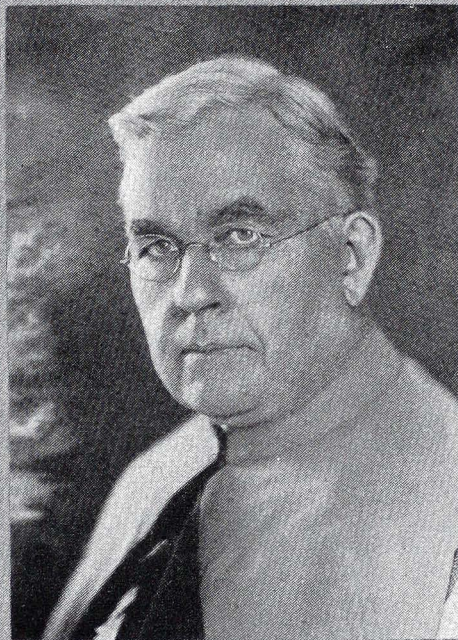
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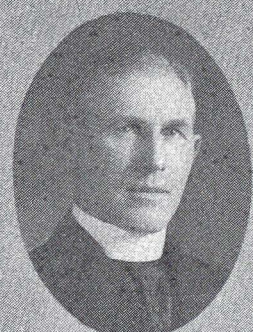
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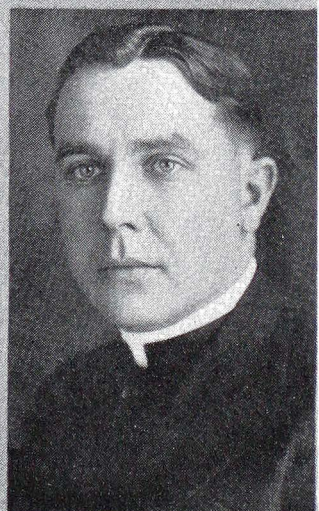
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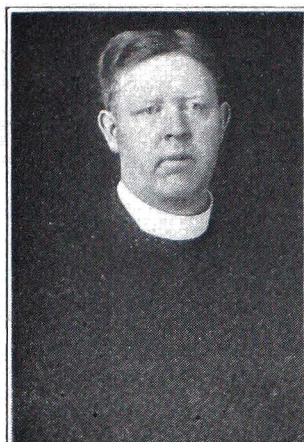


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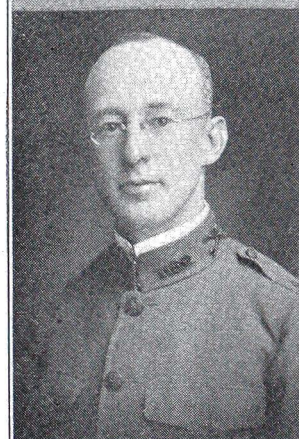
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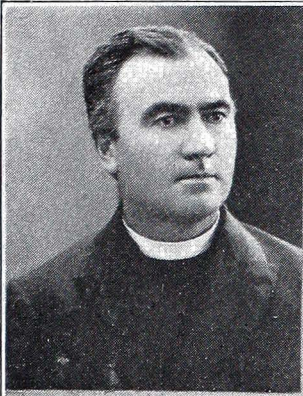


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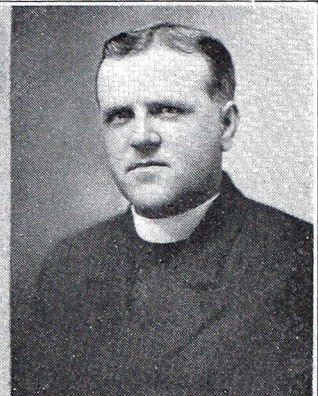
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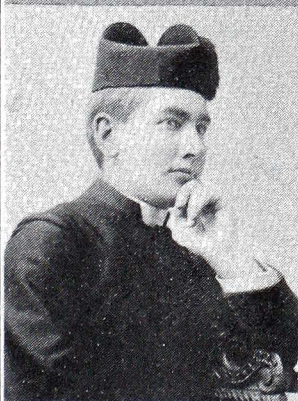
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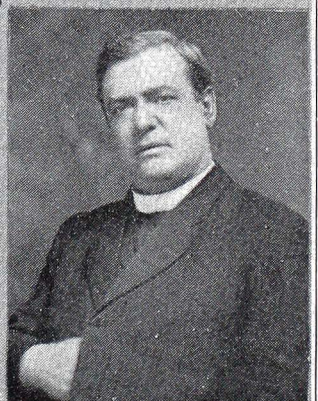
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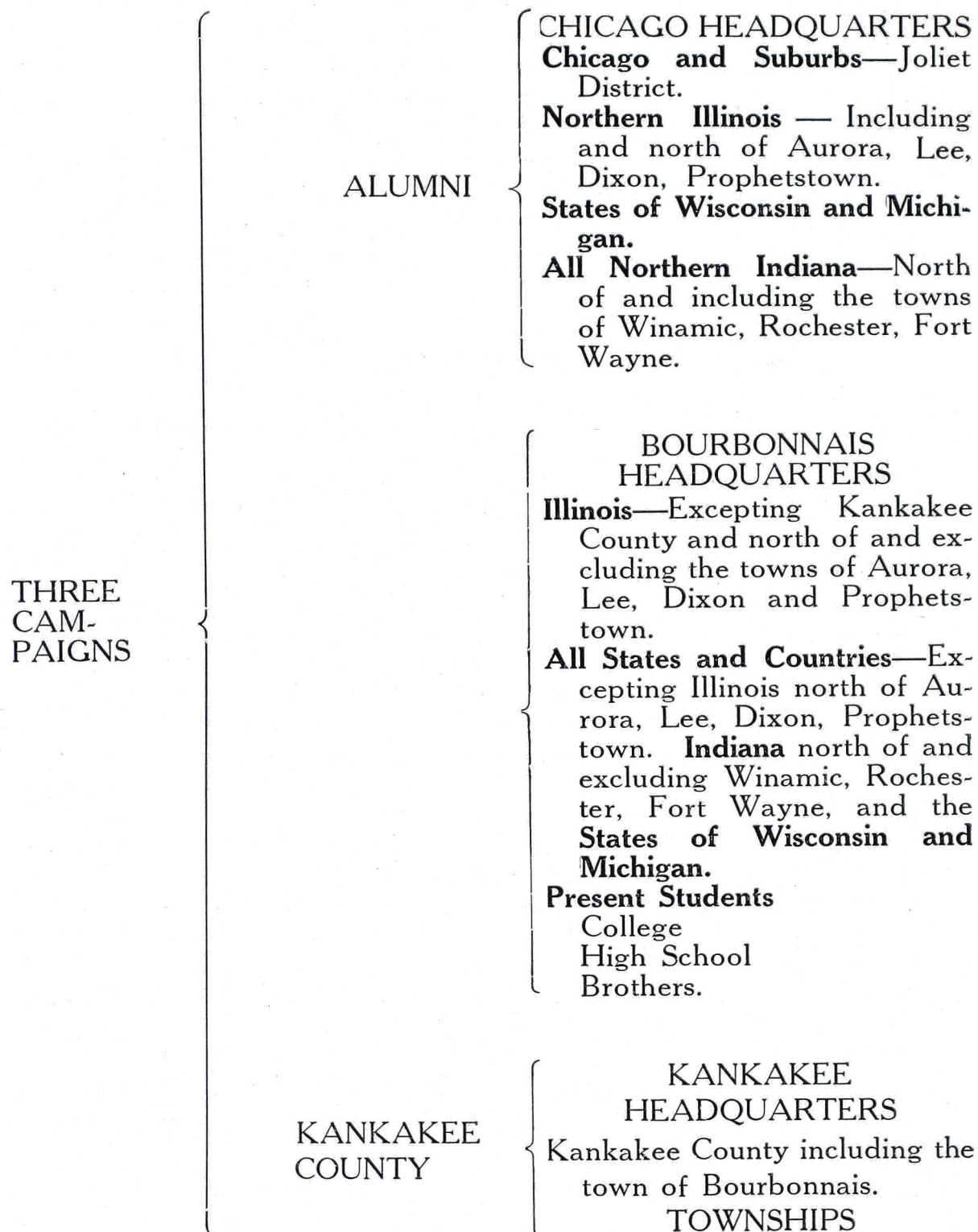
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ST. VIATOR COLLEGE

\$500,000 Extension Fund

The working organization of St. Viator College shall consist of three campaigns. A campaign with headquarters at Chicago, one at Bourbonnais, and one at Kankakee.

The outline of the organization is as follows:



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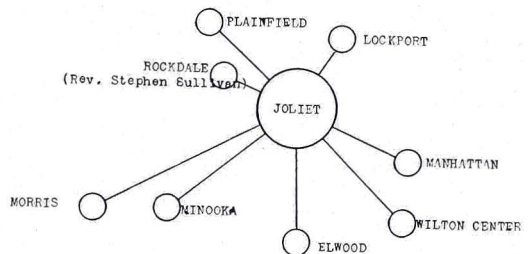
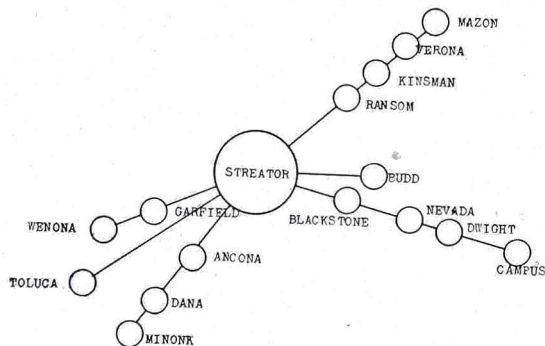
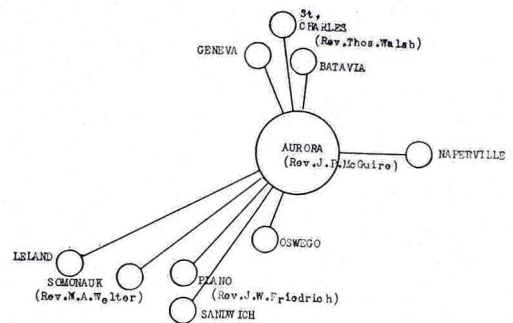
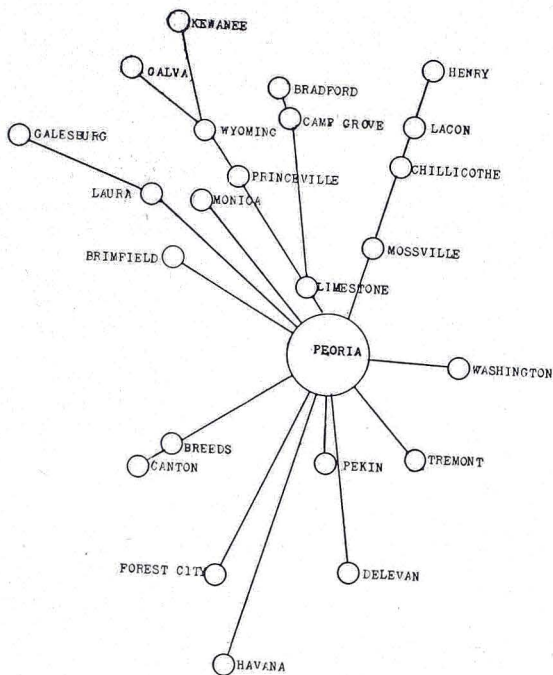
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FOUR PROMINENT ILLINOIS CENTRES

Peoria, Aurora, Streator and Joliet are four of thirty alumni centres outside Chicago now in process of organization. Many have already completed a splendid working group and are making things hum in their locality under the direction of "live wire" chairmen and committeemen.

NOT THE FIRST APPEAL

The statement that this is the first great nation-wide, all-embracing public appeal ever made for St. Viator College has given rise to some misunderstanding. It is not to be assumed that no contributions have been made to the college in the past. Quite the contrary is the case. Donors have given generously and often, but to reach all alumni and former students as well as all friends of the college is the purpose of the present effort. The president and faculty as well as the alumni feel most warmly toward the men and women who have given freely in years gone by, and it is no slight whatsoever to them to mention this as the first real "campaign," open to the world.

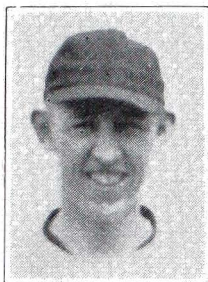
The Rev. Fr. Walter J. Suprenant, pastor at Bourbonnais, Ill., will make an expedition into Canada in the interest of St. Viator College.

WHAT SOME OF THE LEADERS IN COLLEGE SAY

FRANK B. LAWLOR, QUINCY, ILLINOIS.

President of the Senior Class

"This year's Senior Class can leave no finer memorial than the knowledge that we have done our share in putting over this long-cherished scheme of extension."



JOHN CLANCY, ODELL, ILLINOIS.

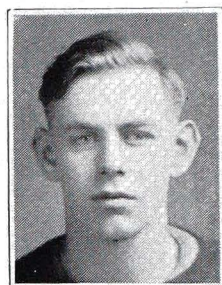
Captain, 1922 Baseball Team.

"I am very glad that I am in school when such a great event takes place. I believe every fellow in school is optimistic over the campaign's success."

VINCENT J. McCARTHY, ROCK ISLAND, ILLINOIS.

Captain, 1922 Football Team.

"Count on the football squad behind this campaign to a man. It is going to be a splendid thing for St. Viator College."



LEROY WINTERHALTER, ELBURN, ILLINOIS

Captain, 1921-22 Basketball Team.

"Quick and snappy—lots of pep and enthusiasm—steam up all the time. The same tactics that win basketball games will put this campaign over. Count me in."

JOHN A. LYNCH, ROCKWELL CITY, IOWA.

Captain, 1921 Football Team.

"It's certain that every man who ever won a 'V' will put the same energy into this campaign that he did to get the coveted letter. With this force, nothing can stop us."



RAY T. MARVEL, CLINTON, INDIANA.

Manager Athletic Teams.

"The student body at St. Viator now has a lot to do with the success of this campaign. Don't leave it all to 'the old boys.' We all have a part to play."

JOSEPH A. BOLGER, HOMEWOOD, ILLINOIS.

Student Editor, "The Viatorian."

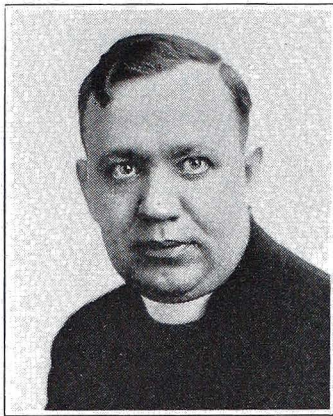
"It is a distinct honor to 'The Viatorian' to use it as the means of announcing the \$500,000 Extension Fund. The faculty and alumni may be sure we'll keep up the good work."



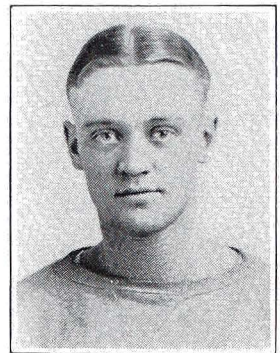
WHAT THE ATHLETIC COACHES SAY



T. J. FINNEGAN
Champaign
Football Coach



The Rev. E. M. KELLY,
C. S. V.
Director of Athletics
and
Baseball Coach



H. BUSHELL
Peoria
Basketball Coach

Father Kelly: "I know the student body will throw itself as earnestly into the work of the student organization as it does into its sport."

Tom Finnegan: "The harder the game the better my scrappers like it. It won't be any cinch raising \$500,000, but the St. Viator spirit will put it over."

H. Bushell: "There seems to be only one thing to be done—get the money. Let's go, St. Viator!"

WILL COMPLETE "KELLY POOL"

Acquatics at St. Viator will come into their own when the natatorium, happily and facetiously known as "Kelly Pool" in honor of Father Kelly, Director of Athletics, is completed. Ray F. Mudd, an active and enthusiastic member of the Executive Committee of Chicago, has given a new Ford Sedan to the students to sell off during the Easter vacation. It is believed that a sum sufficient to roof and equip the pool will reward the diligent sale of tickets.

CARNEGIE FUND PLEDGES LIBRARY

One of the earliest promises of success received in this campaign was the pledge of the Carnegie Foundation of New York of \$50,000 for a new library. A new and properly equipped library has long been needed at St. Viator and one of the first steps of the extension fund movement was to present the institution's needs to the directors of the Carnegie Fund. So eloquently did Father Kirley tell St. Viator's story that this generous gift was promised. This is the second time in history that the Carnegie Funds have aided St. Viator, the first occasion being after the memorable fire in 1906.

"THE HALF MILLION"

A distinct feature of the campaign will be the publication of a bulletin to be known as "The Half Million". This breezy little newspaper will contain information from all fronts, personal notes of the workers, announcements that all should know and hints from the leaders on how best to organize. "The Half Million" comes to you weekly without charge—if you don't get your copy, kindly notify your division headquarters. WATCH FOR THE FIRST NUMBER.

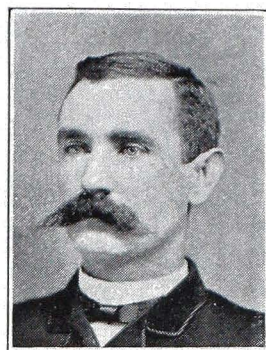
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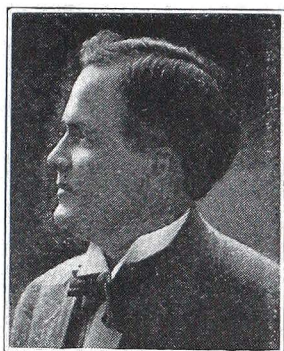
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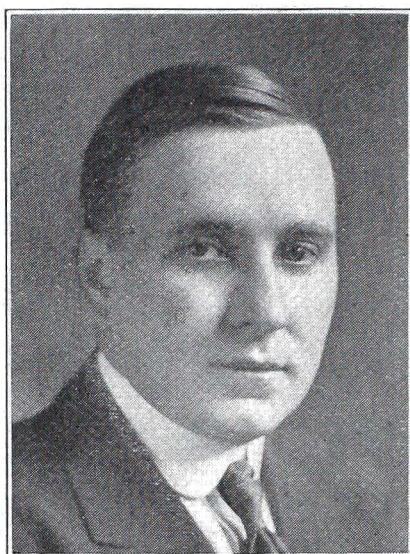
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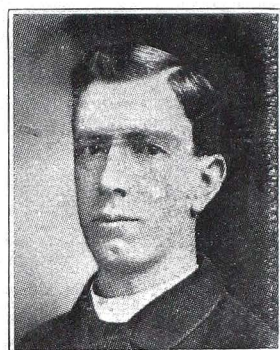
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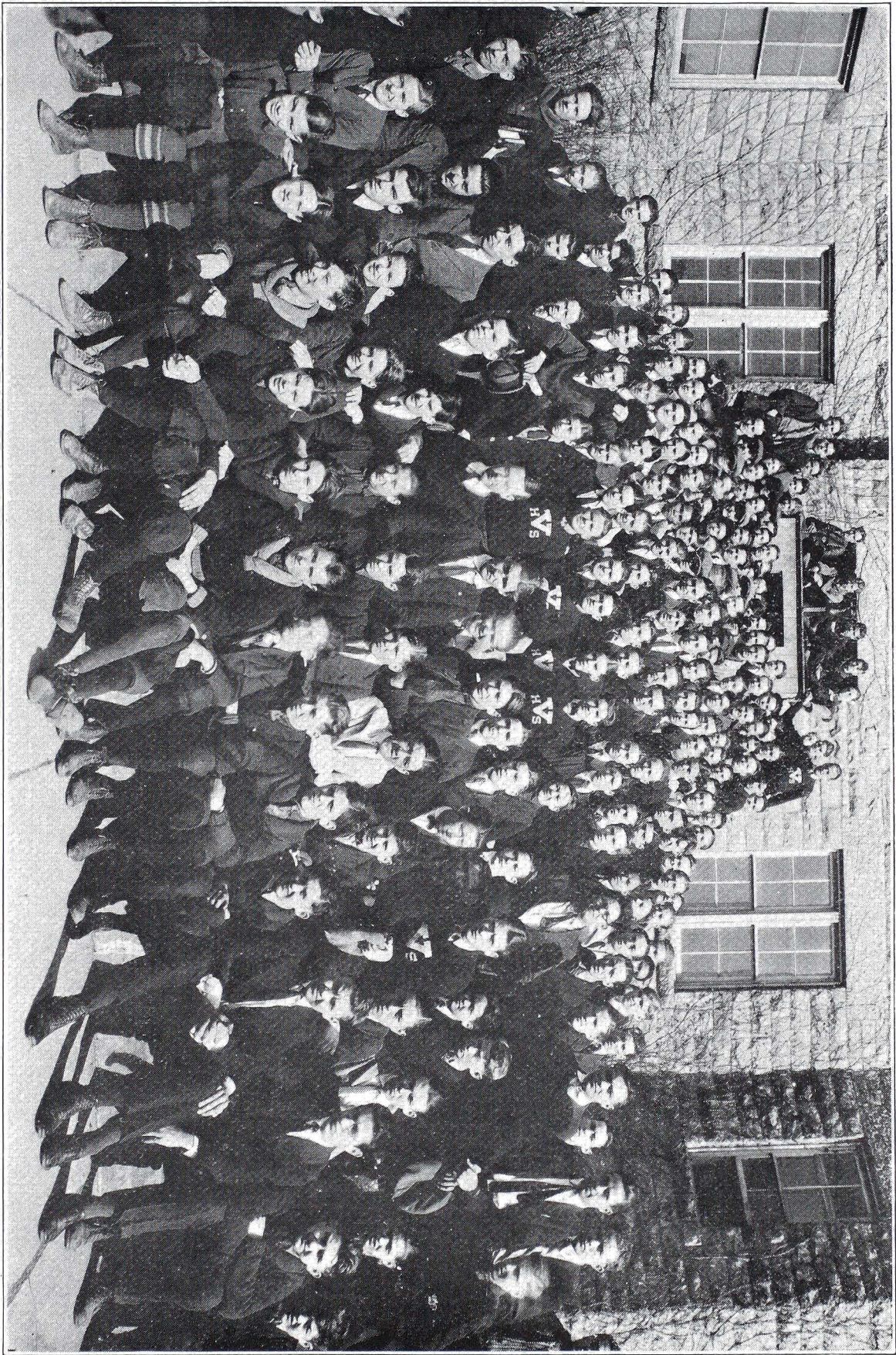
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Very Rev. Joseph D. Kirley, c. s. v., '06
President, St. Viator College

A. Walter Burke, M. D., '05
President Alumni Association



THESE ARE THE ALUMNI OF TOMORROW

NOTES ON ORGANIZATION

To Chatsworth, in the Southern Division, goes the distinction of being the first centre to organize. This enterprising little city has always been active in Catholic affairs and the young men in charge of the drive in that district may be expected to produce some novel methods of raising funds.

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At the time of going to press, Peoria Centre had not been completely organized. Father Kirley called on the clergy there and was royally received. In addition to generous hospitality, a number of pledges were made by prominent priests. These sums will be made public later. A number of active laymen have promised their support and without doubt the second city in Illinois will make a distinguished showing.

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Rockford Centre is fortunate in having for its chairman Father Frederick Connor, Chancellor of the Diocese of Rockford, and a power of the Church in that locality. One hundred per cent is looked for from Rockford.

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LaSalle's organization was practically perfected at one rousing meeting. The young men of that community were roused to a high pitch of enthusiasm. It is reported that the LaSalle contingent is all ready to make its pledges now.

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"The Half Million," the official bulletin of St. Viator Extension Fund, is open to everyone interested in this campaign. Contributions are desired from each and every centre. If you have a novel way of raising funds, pass it along. Don't be selfish! It may help another city to raise its quota. Send photographs—send personals—send campaign news. It all helps, and the editor is depending upon you.

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The decisive victory administered to the State Normal five by the speedy St. Viator quintet on Friday evening, February 24, did much to arouse enthusiasm for the campaign in Bloomington Centre. The Viatorians in that city certainly had cause for general rejoicing.

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By the way, the fast St. Viator basketball team is helping spread the name and the fame of the college up and down the state this year. We cannot have too much publicity about the old school at this time.

Priests from everywhere in the United States continue to endorse St. Viator's \$500,000 Extension Fund. Three endorsements received as The Viatorian was on its way to press are The Rev. James N. U. McKay, Kansas City, Mo.; The Rev. P. Markey, Loda, Ill., and The Rev. J. P. O'Donoghue, Lockport, Ill.

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Greater interest—larger attendance—increased enthusiasm characterize the series of meetings of the Executive Committee held at the Northern Division Headquarters in the Congress Hotel, Chicago. Names of prominent and well-known men who will aid in the intensive campaign in this metropolis are being daily added to the list of members. The prospects are more than bright—they are roseate.

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Flanagan, Ill., has been well organized with a group of "live wires" at the helm. Returns from this group are optimistic.

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Granite City Centre will present a determined front when the drive commences. Advices from "down in Egypt" are that the former students of St. Viator are being brought into line in record time.

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Father Kirley's promised visitation is eagerly awaited in Litchfield Centre. This is not a large centre, but earnestness and hard work are expected to make up for lack of numbers.

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The Ottawa contingent will show other centres something fancy in the way of raising money, it is believed from reports. Very likely a dance and card party will be among the "stunts."

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Seneca Centre has a strong line-up of local business men, an organization which should put the quota for that community over in excellent shape.

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Springfield is another centre which boasts of its staunch committee and already shows an "over its quota" feeling.

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The group of smaller towns tributary to Streator Centre have prominent and active committeemen who are working in harmony with Mr. James L. Farrell, the chairman for the entire district.

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Viatorians in Rock Island may be depended upon to do their share. Such is the cheering report from that centre.

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The student body at St. Viator will be organized for the sale of tickets for the "Kelly Pool" car sale and for other activities incident to the local drive in Kankakee County.

CHICAGO CAMPAIGN UNDER WAY NOW

The work of raising Chicago's quota for St. Viator College is in progress at the time this reaches you. An aggressive executive committee with well known and indefatigable leaders is in action, and this group alone has pledged itself to bring in \$25,000 in addition to the general solicitation among alumni and friends of St. Viator College. The quota for Chicago is \$100,000 and every indication points to an excess of this amount being secured.

Among the activities marking the effort in Chicago were a dinner on Friday evening, March 3, at which Father Kirley met the prominent laymen interested in the campaign and discussed ways and means. Monday evening the Executive Committee met at the call of Mr. James G. Condon, the chairman, and final instructions were given out, the last orders "before going over the top." Tuesday evening Father Kirley and Father Murray met the following clergymen at dinner to talk over plans for the effort: Fathers McCarthy, Darche, Girard, Buckley and A. G. Quille.

Workers are busily engaged in filling out their solicitation cards. These contain the names, addresses and information on the persons they expect to approach. The cards are in duplicate. One half is returned to headquarters, the other being retained by the worker. If two workers have submitted the same prospect, it is discovered in the checking and one worker is instructed to remove that name from his list in order that there may be no duplication of effort in calls.

A committee composed of Fathers A. G. Quille, Edward Burke and William Irwin Murray will select six district chairmen, prominent laymen, who will direct the work on three fronts in Chicago, North, South and West.

Co-operating with Chairman Condon is The Very Rev. James F. Ryan, C.S.V., a former president of St. Viator. His wide acquaintance with the alumni and his winning personality is an invaluable force in the work here.

John J. Broderick, Jr., well known among local sportsmen and Father Kelly, Director of Athletics, are planning some interesting athletic stunts which will both raise money and gain valuable publicity for the drive. These Viatorian promoters have not yet divulged their plans but everyone is looking for something big and exciting.

Daniel Boyle is another active Viatorian who is assisting with helpful publicity ideas. Albert E. O'Connell has devoted hours of his valuable time in helping headquarters straighten out its records of "old grads." The generous helpfulness of a large group of local alumni cannot be too highly commended.

The Chicago campaign is the first attack of the campaign and will be followed by the others as rapidly as the machinery of organization is completed.

ALUMNI, WATCH CHICAGO!

The Rev. J. Barry of Ridgeway, Wis., is one of the latest endorsers of the Extension Fund Campaign. His name was received too late to include with the list of endorsers.

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Father Connor at Rockford, Ill., is one of the busiest men in that diocese, but he has accepted the post of chairman, nevertheless, a further proof of the entire unselfishness of the clergy. Father Connor is a priest of great personal charm and his efforts will undoubtedly bring in large sums to the fund.

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E. F. Corcoran was a caller at Chicago headquarters last week. We are always glad to welcome such visitors—men with the interest of St. Viator College so much at heart.

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At Wilmington, Mr. James Dorsey, star pitcher for the famous unbeaten Shamrocks of 1891, is chairman, and he is putting the same energy into the organization that he did to fool the opposing batsmen thirty years ago.

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Dixon Centre has a splendid leader in Father Thomas C. Flynn, a popular priest, who may be counted upon to rally the forces for St. Viator. Too much cannot be said in commendation to these clergymen who have accepted chairmanships of centres. In addition to their many other labors, they have assumed this additional burden as a duty. Surely the laymen can do no less than help to the limit of their power.

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Joliet has a remarkably active committee. In the Northern Division the committeemen are confident they will not only lead their group, but the cities of the Southern Division as well.

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Aurora is another Northern Division Centre that is claiming great things and doing much to bring out a fine competitive spirit. Other cities may well look out for Aurora.

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A number of names of endorsing priests, members of the executive committee and photographs have been received too late to be incorporated in The Viatorian. This is a matter much regretted by the Editors, but in order to get this publication into the hands of the alumni at an early date, it was impossible to hold the forms open longer. The photographs will be used later in "The Half Million."

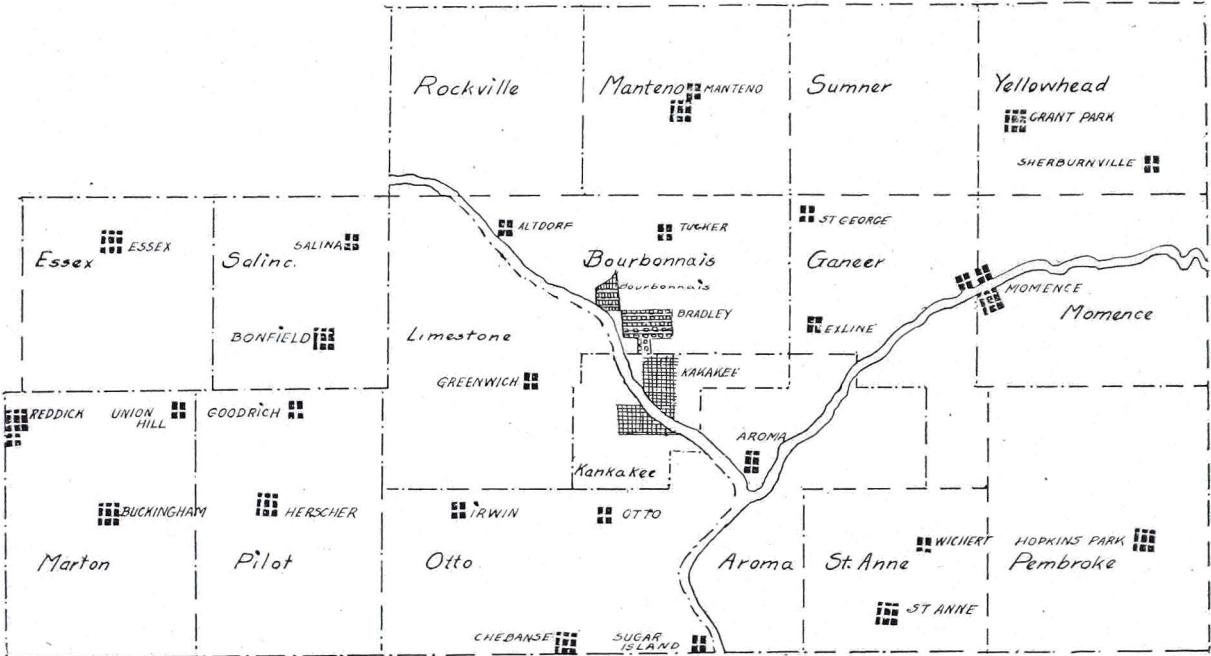
LAST MINUTE BULLETIN

Father E. M. Kelly, C.S.V., just returned from Toledo, Ohio, announces a pledge of \$10,000 from the Berry Brothers of that city, loyal and active Viatorian alumni. Details will appear in "The Half Million."



ST. VIATOR BASKETBALL TEAM 1921-1922.

Top Row:—T. R. Marvel, Mgr., B. Connor, R. Langton, J. Lyons, H. L. Bushell, Coach.
Bottom Row:—V. McCarthy, J. Clancy, L. Winterhalter, C. Donnelly, W. Barrett, J. Winterhalter.



This is the battle ground for
Chairman Erzinger's Committee

OUTLINE MAP
OF
KANKAKEE COUNTY