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Science, Faith Not in Conflict Bishop Says

"A false religion may contradict science, or a false science may oppose religion, but true science and true religion are not in conflict because both stem from the same Source... They are the twin daughters of the one Heavenly Father. They move in parallel lines; between them is the zone of metaphysics friendly to both and partial to neither."

Thus did the Most Reverend Bishop summarize the relations between science and religion in an address on "The Excellence of Science" at the second annual School Health Conference now underway at the San Diego College for Women at Alcala Park.

Opening the week's workshop, His Excellency spoke to a group of prominent educators, medical scientists and health officials gathered at the college to participate in the sessions.

Rests On Certainty

"The excellence of science rests upon the certainty of its conclusions," the Bishop said, "for certainty alone can satisfy the mind of man... Religion affords the highest certainty, the wisdom and truthfulness of God Himself."

Developing the relationship, His Excellency stated that while science derives its excellence from the "importance of its object" and

the "dignity of its subject," religion has for its subject "God... Who unfolds truths beyond the finite intellect" and for its object "the noblest of all pursuits—to lead man to the Beatific Vision, eternal happiness..."

Among the subjects treated at the conference are Health Education in Relation to the Total School Curriculum, Trends in Health Education, Visual Impairment, Hearing Problems in Children, and Communicable Diseases.

Nothing to Fear

"The Catholic Church has nothing to fear from the discoveries of science," the Bishop continued, "because she possesses all truth. She is still animated by the Paraclete, the Spirit of Truth. She lives and acts and speaks through Him... Even amid the storms of

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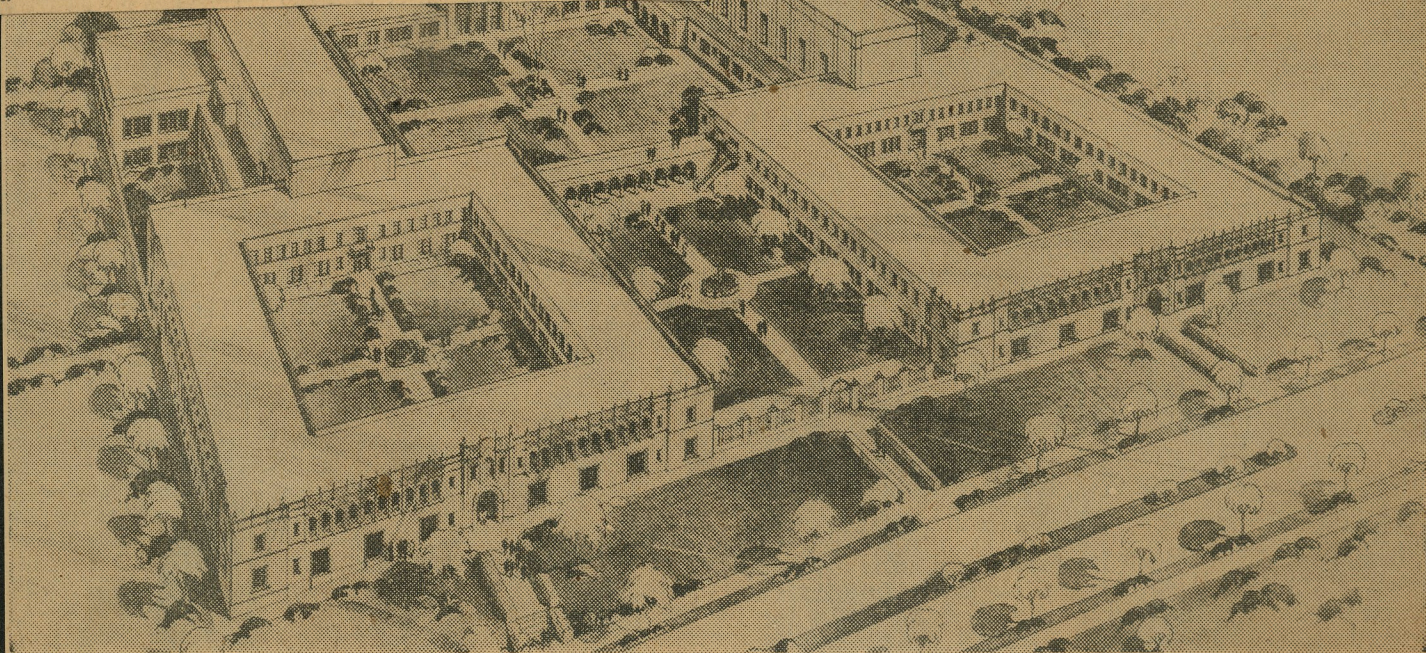
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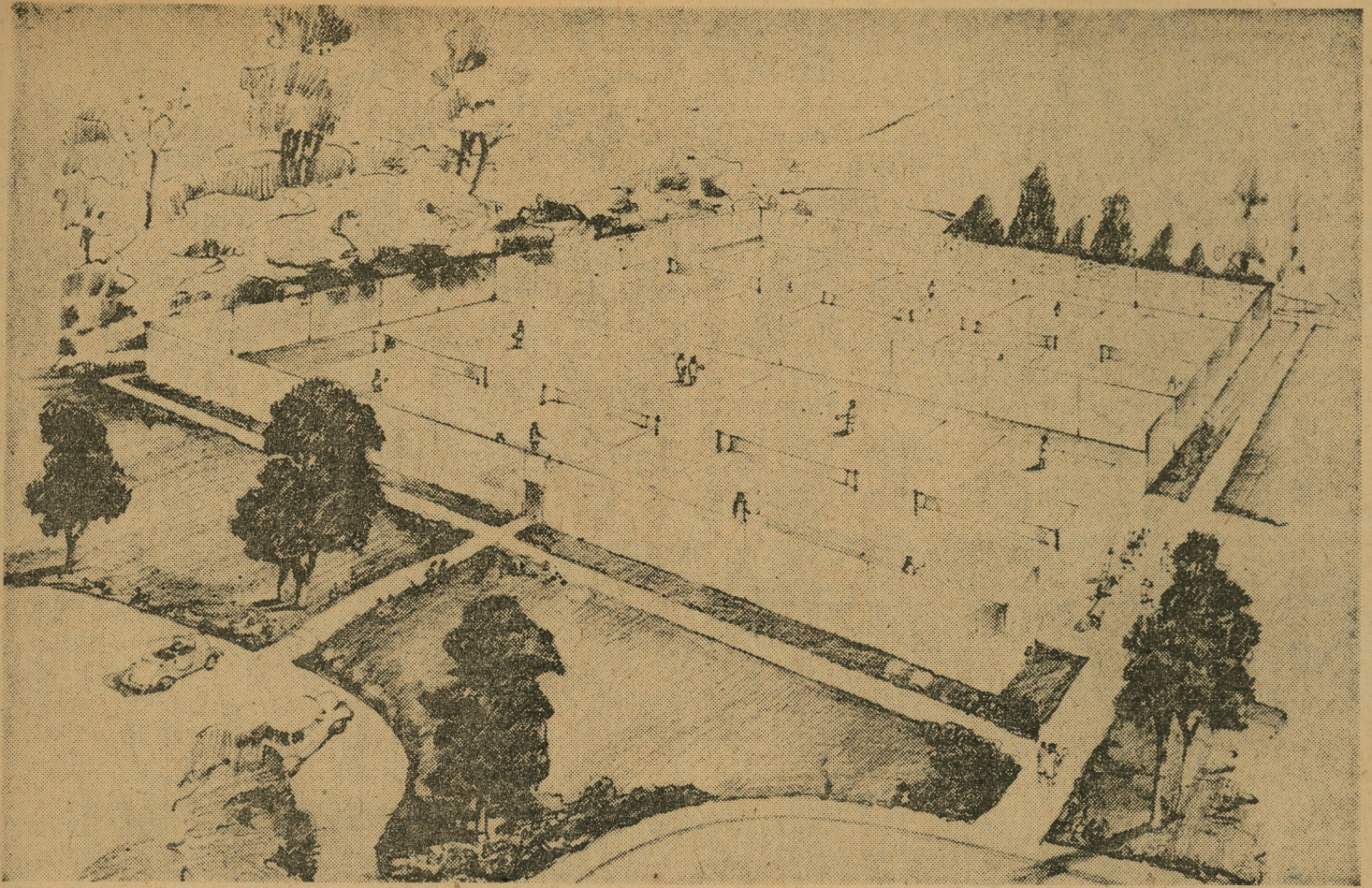
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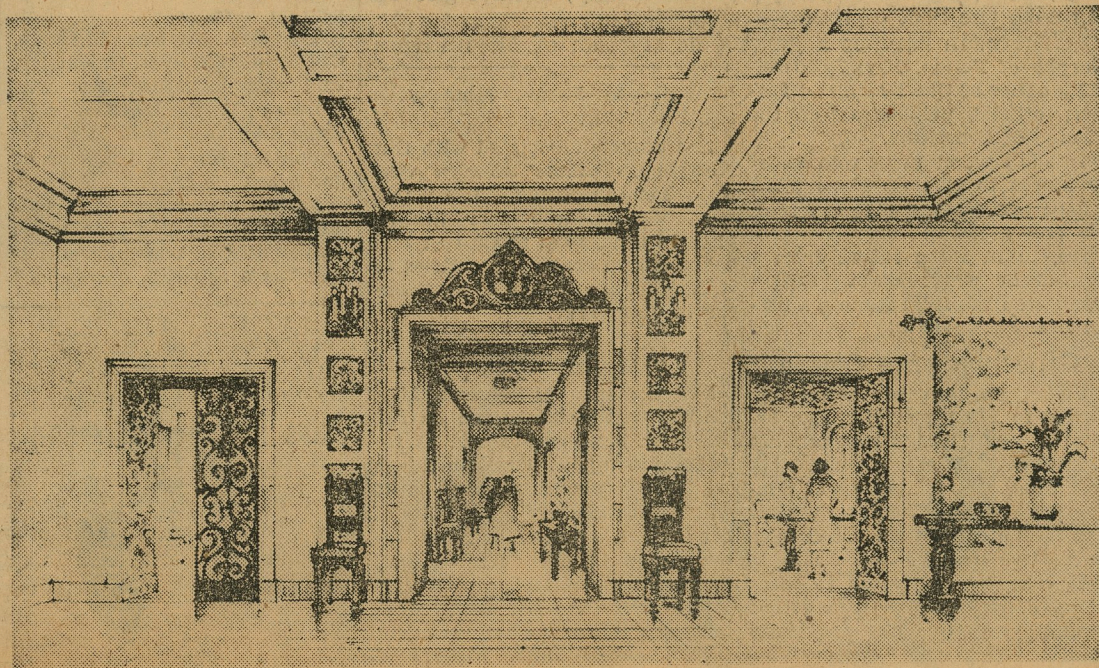
TENNIS COURTS FOR SAN DIEGO COLLEGE FOR WOMEN



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S. D. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN FOYER



A foyer in the new San Diego College for Women now being completed at Alcala Park is shown here in architect's sketch. The buildings which will house the new educational institution have been widely acclaimed for their beauty as well as for the excellent facilities they will offer. Classes have been scheduled to open February 11 after Mass offered by the Most Reverend Bishop.

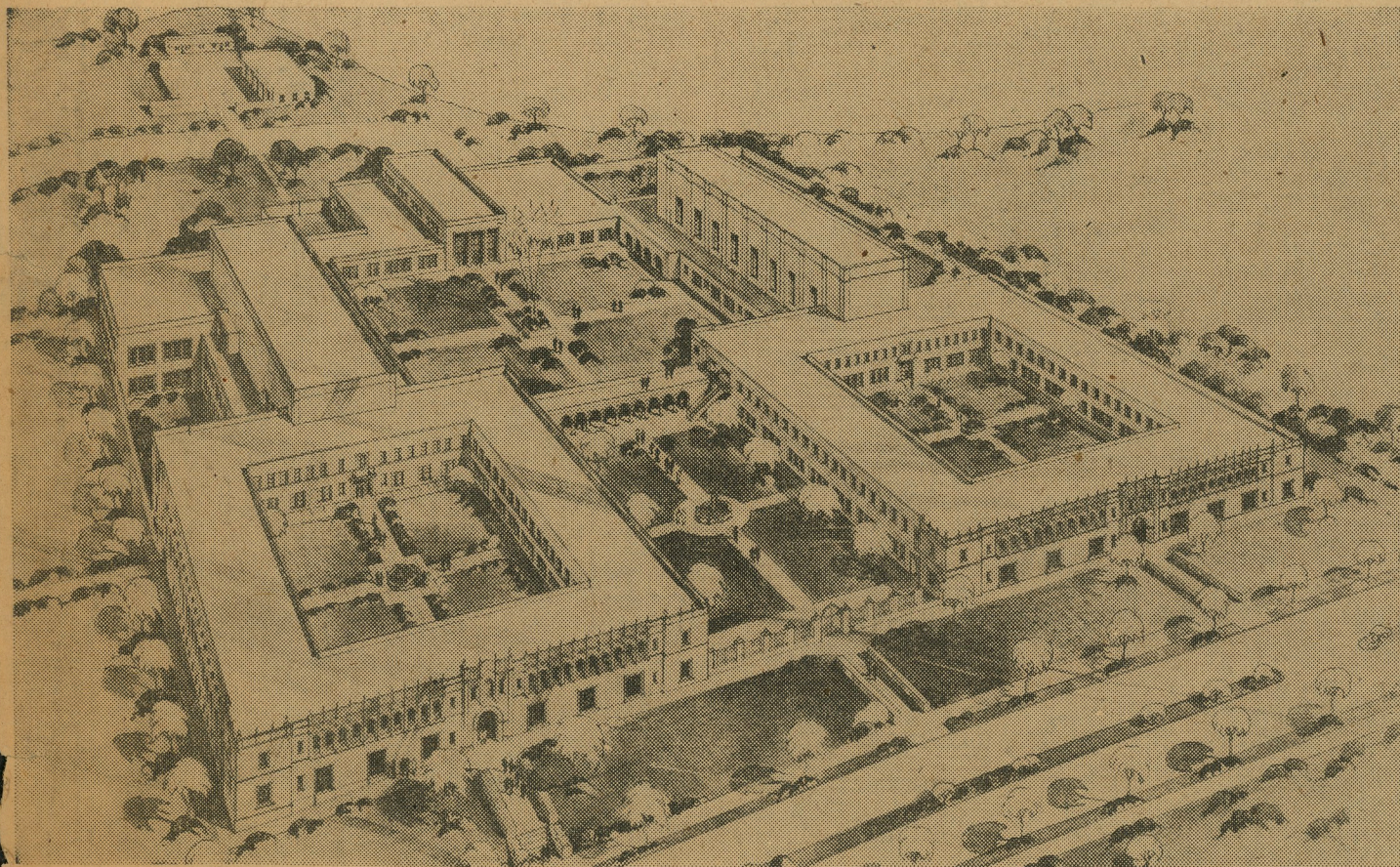
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Will Open in June ^{S.D. Union 187151}

The University of San Diego College for Women will open with a summer session the latter part of June, 1952. Very Rev. George Rice, diocesan superintendent of schools, said yesterday.

Courses in English, history, natural sciences, ancient and modern languages, religion and philosophy will be offered for credit toward A.B. and B.S. degrees. A summer session prospectus will be available the first of December.

The faculty will include 10 or 12 nuns, all doctors of philosophy, who are members of the Religious of the Sacred Heart, the group which will conduct the college. They will arrive in early June, after several years' preparation in study, research and teaching.

Courses will be offered also in education when the first semester opens in September.

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Construction of the college for men, which will emphasize the study of English and philosophy, will begin as soon as restricted

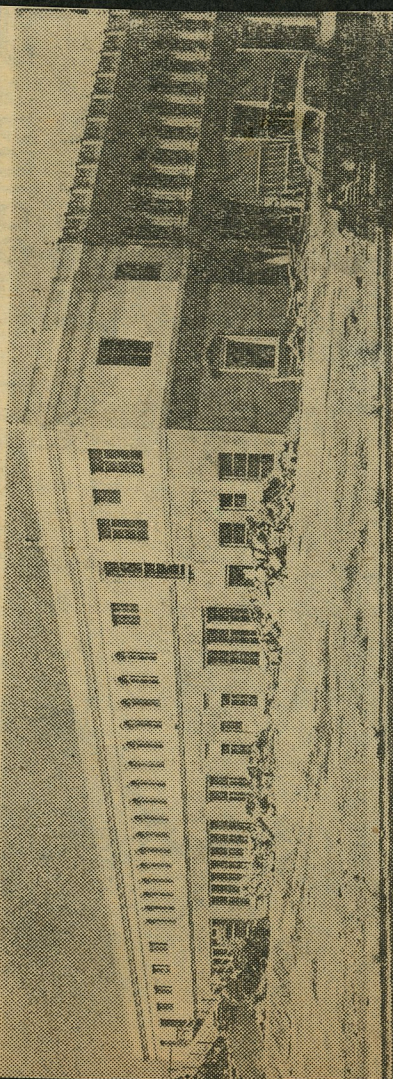
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The University High School for Boys is planned for a plot of 21 acres across Linda Vista Rd., adjacent to the university. In the vicinity major and minor seminaries for the extensive education of young men for the priesthood also will be built in future years.

San Diego Boys Town will be located in the El Cajon Valley on a site presently occupied by the seminaries. Although the buildings are already provided, a foundation must be established to finance its operation, Father Rice said.

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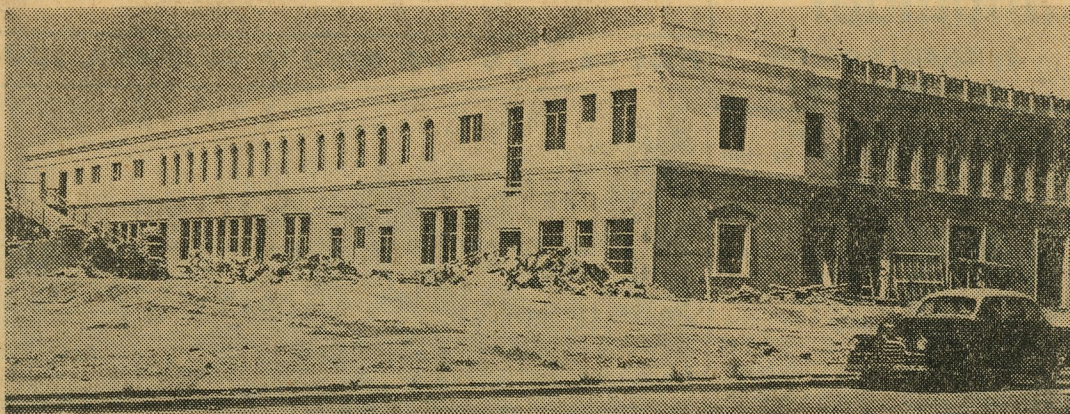
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University of S. D. To Open Sept., '52

The University of San Diego will open its doors to students of all faiths and races in September, 1952, according to an announcement made this week by its founder and president, Most Reverend Bishop Charles F. Buddy.

The College for Women, under construction since September 1950, and the University Administration Building, recently started, will be completed by March of next year, the Bishop said.

The women's college, composed of five units connected by seven patios, will provide accommodations for 300 resident students and educational facilities for these and 1000 day students. This institution also includes a hall of science, a large auditorium, a chapel, apartments for the domestic staff, convent for the faculty, a library and a students' dining hall.

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Extensive Library

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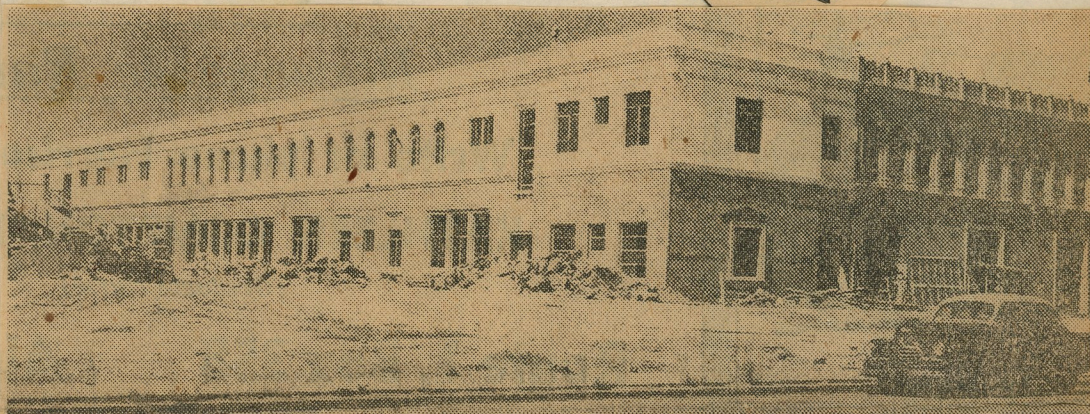
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ing built at a cost of \$150,000 by the San Antonio Corporation, general contractors.

Future Units

Other units scheduled for the future include a College for Men, Seminaries, a Military High School and an Academy for Girls.

Overlooking Mission Bay and the western part of Mission Valley, the site of the University's several buildings in Alcala Park consists of 140 acres. Development of the land, installation of streets, sewers and sidewalks cost \$139,000. Edifices now nearing completion will cost more than \$3,000,000.

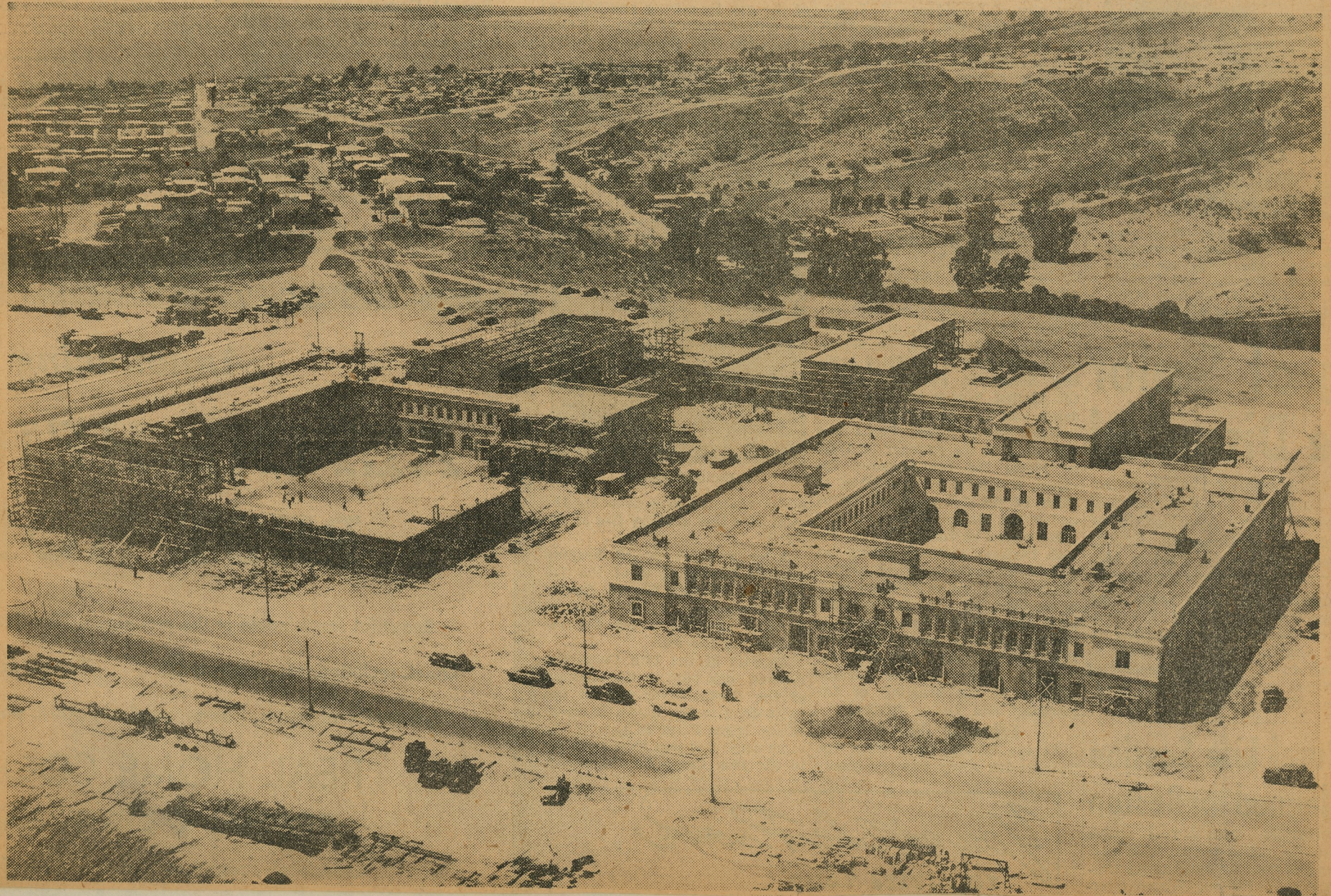


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WORK PROGRESSES ON COLLEGE FOR WOMEN BUILDINGS



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THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1950

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Contract for Construction Of S. D. University Signed

With the materials at hand and the contract signed for a sum under \$3,000,000, His Excellency, the Most Reverend Bishop this week gave orders for the construction of the University of San Diego.

Units to be built immediately include the college for young women, a residence for its students, a large auditorium, a chapel and a hall of science. An important appointment in the college is an extensive library.

Spanish Renaissance in style, reinforced concrete in structure, these five units will be connected by seven patios. The contract calls for their completion within 400 days. The college, with all of its appointments and residences for the students, will thus be ready for occupancy by September, 1951.

Courses in all of the liberal arts

and related subjects will be conducted in the new school. Home economics at the college level will also be a course. Students will be prepared for the degrees of both Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science.

The university for women will be staffed by the Religious of the Sacred Heart, some members of which are already in residence in San Diego. The superiors here are Mother Rosalie Hill, Mother Genevieve Clarke and Mother Suzanne de Leon.

Mother General's Approval

Interviewed this week by a representative of The Southern Cross, Mother Hill stated that the Mother General, Very Rev. Mother Marie Therese de Lescure, who resides in the Order's motherhouse in Rome, "follows with great interest the university's progress and has been very generous with her permissions and approval of every step taken by her Sisters here."

65 Acre Campus

Already prepared and fitted with roads, sewers and the rest, the 65-acre campus has been donated to the Religious of the Sacred Heart by the Most Reverend Bishop.

Frank L. Hope is in charge of construction as architect and the Griffith Co. of Los Angeles and San Diego, as contractors.

Erection of the college and related edifices will be followed by construction of three other schools, nursery, grammar and high and residences for their students.

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College Adds 9 to Faculty

University of San Diego's College for Women welcomes next week nine new members to its faculty. The increase in the teaching staff enables the school to offer five new majors in the fields of art, drama, mathematics, physics and psychology.

Mr. Oscar Baird, for many years head of the department of physics at San Diego State College, has joined the staff of the Women's College to plan and develop its department of physics. Mr. Baird received his Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of California.

Another new faculty member is Miss Teresa Crem of San Francisco. Miss Crem received her Bachelor of Arts degree, magna cum laude, from the San Francisco College for Women and her Master of Arts and Licentiate in Philosophy degrees, summa cum laude, from Laval University in Quebec, where she also was awarded her doctorate in philosophy. She will be an instructor in the philosophy department.

Mrs. Myron Hill has joined the arts department of the Women's College. Receiving her Bachelor of Science degree from the Cleveland School of Art and Western Reserve University, and her master's from the latter institution, Mrs. Hill has been on the teaching staff of De Sales College in Toledo. She also has taught mechanical drawing to Navy personnel at the Bureau of Aeronautics in Washington, D. C.

Rudolph Lippert, noted astronomer, will become a faculty member of the science department. Mr. Lippert holds his degree from Albright College in Reading, Pa. He is a Fellow of the Royal Astronomical Society of Great Britain, of the British Interplanetary Society and of the International Lunar Society. He is also a member of the Astronomical Society of Switzerland. In

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In addition to his research work and writing for daily newspapers and periodicals, Mr. Lippert has agreed to lecture in astronomy at the college.

The drama department claims Gwen Holly Simpson. Having taken her Bachelor of Arts degree at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, Minn., Mrs. Simpson engaged in graduate study at the Catholic University of America and at the University of Mexico. She was awarded her master's degree by the University of Minnesota. She has written and produced several plays for stage, radio, and television. For many years she was director of the Marywood Little Theatre.

Mr. Gordon Thomas, Jr., instructor in mathematics, earned his Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Illinois and has done graduate work at the North Illinois State Teachers College.

Mother Margaret Reilly, Mr. Norman Ortwein, and Baron Hans von Koerber will also become regular members of the faculty. Mother Reilly, who holds her Master of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from Loyola University of Chicago, has also studied at the Illinois Institute of Juvenile Re-

search. She was a visiting professor of psychology during summer session, but, with the opening of the fall session, she will become a permanent professor of education and psychology.

Both Mr. Ortwein and Baron von Koerber taught at the college during the second semester of last year. They now have become regular members of the teaching staff. Mr. Ortwein received his Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Washington in Seattle and is currently an engineer at Navy Electronics. He will teach an extended day class in calculus.

Baron von Koerber is a graduate of the University of Berlin. He also engaged in graduate studies at the Universities of Bonn, Marburg, and Cambridge. He was awarded his doctorate by the University of Marburg. For years Baron von Koerber lived and taught in the Orient and later became professor of Asiatic studies at the University of Southern California. He also has written several books. He will be a lecturer in German at the college.

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FIRST CONCRETE POURED AT WOMEN'S COLLEGE



His Excellency the Most Reverend Bishop, Rev. Mother Rosalie Hill, RSCJ, and Mother Suzanne DeLeon, RSCJ, were interested witnesses to the pouring of the first concrete for the foundations of the San Diego College for Women. Also included in photo are Very Rev. Richard R. Daniels, vice chancellor, Very Rev. Francis Dillon, cathedral rector (in rear), and seniors from Cathedral Girls' high school.

Women's College Foundation Laid

The foundation of the \$3,000,000 San Diego College for Women was blessed by His Excellency, the Most Reverend Bishop on Friday afternoon, September 22.

Approximately 100 priests, nuns and laymen were gathered at the Alcala Park site of the University of San Diego

to witness pouring of the concrete for the foundation of the first unit to be erected there. Included among those present were a number of Mesdames of the Sacred Heart, the order which is financing the college for women; members of the senior class at Cathedral Girls' high school, Mr. Frank Hope, AIA, architect for the university, and Mrs. Hope.

Clergy Attend

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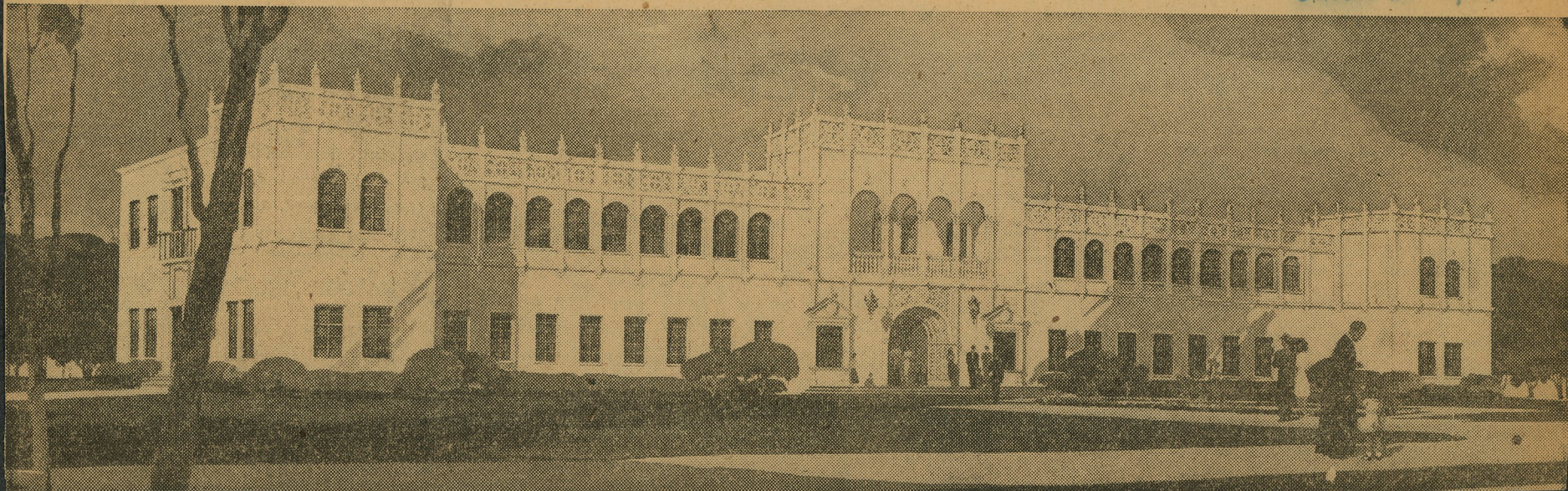
The buildings are expected to be completed by September, 1951.

The Most Reverend Bishop has expressed hope that erection of the other units of the university will soon be underway.

Mr. Hope has been retained to draw plans for the college for men. First unit to be constructed is an administration building, according to His Excellency, who stated that plans for a much needed auditorium are also being prepared.

Administration Building, University of San Diego

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College for Women Classes To Open With Mass Feb. 11

Night Classes

Night school for employed young women who wish to improve their education or work toward a degree will be conducted by the Religious of the Sacred Heart at the San Diego University's College for Women at Alcala Park. Two sessions will be provided; one at 5:15 p.m. for those who live outside San Diego and the second at 7 p.m. for those at home. For these students and others classes also will be held every Saturday.

Like the college itself, the night school will be open to students of all creeds and no creed at all. Mother Genevieve Clark will be in charge of registration on February 11.

The San Diego College for Women, first unit of the University of San Diego, will open its doors to students for the first time on Monday, February 11, 1952.

This announcement was made last week by His Excellency, Most Reverend Charles F. Buddy, Bishop of San Diego and founder of the University of San Diego.

Registration of students will take place Friday, February 9. The college is conducted by the Religious of the Sacred Heart, world-renowned educators. Rev. Mother Rosalie Hill is president.

Bishop to Speak

Classes will be officially opened on February 11 by a Solemn Pontifical Mass of the Holy Ghost. His Excellency will celebrate the Mass and also deliver the opening address.

The College for Women, erected on the campus of the University of San Diego, Alcala Park,

will offer complete courses in Religion, Philosophy, English, Science, History and Languages.

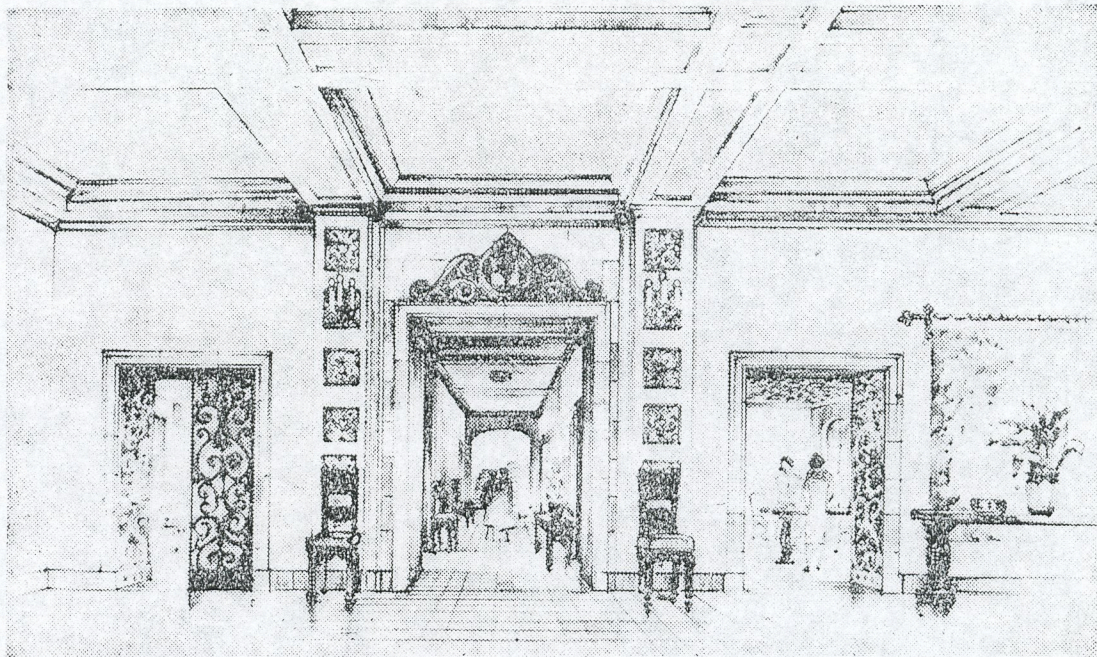
Plans are now underway for construction of the College for Men adjacent to the College for Women. The extra-curricular and social activities and functions of the two units will be integrated.

A six-weeks' summer school has also been announced for the College for Women. Registration for summer sessions will begin June 23.

The entire calendar of the 1952-53 academic year will be published in next week's issue of The Southern Cross.

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S. D. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN FOYER



A foyer in the new San Diego College for Women now being completed at Alcala Park is shown here in architect's sketch. The buildings which will house the new educational institution have been widely acclaimed for their beauty as well as for the excellent facilities they will offer. Classes have been scheduled to open February 11 after Mass offered by the Most Reverend Bishop.