

## Scholarships to help double minority group students

Santa Clara University will open its doors to twice as many minority group students as in previous years when the university's expected 5,500 students begin classes on Sept. 24.

About 5 per cent of the incoming freshman class will be black or Mexican-American students. The total minority enrollment at Santa Clara will probably be about 125 undergraduates.

Most of these students will

be on scholarships funded by Santa Clara's Board of Regents and Fellows. In the past, the boards have contributed \$27,000 toward scholarships for the disadvantaged students annually. This figure is expected to reach \$35,000 by the time school begins.

The faculty and administration have also pledged funds to the Martin Luther King Scholarship Fund to aid minority race students.

Fall's curriculum will include courses in black and Latin-American history, economics, sociology and English.

Santa Clara has also hired Cecil Reeves, a graduate student attending the university, to help minority students coordinate their programs.

The increases in minority enrollment is not the first change in Santa Clara's one-time homogenous male student population.

In 1961, the university began accepting female students. This fall the females will compose over one-third of the expected enrollment.

The Very Rev. Thomas D. Terry, S.J., will begin his first academic year as president of the university. He was appointed its 25th president March 1. He has announced six administrative appointments recently:

Gerald G. McGrath is dean

of students, heading a reorganization in student services. He will have two associate deans and one assistant dean.

Dr. John B. Drahmann, chairman of the physics department, is acting dean of the College of Sciences.

The Rev. John H. Gray, S.J., is acting dean of the College of Humanities. Search committees are seeking permanent replacements for both deanships.

## at Santa Clara University

Marc Callan, Santa Clara accounting executive, is new vice president of finance. He will assume some of the duties of the Rev. Charles F. Guenther, S.J., who has been treasurer and vice president since 1962. Father Guenther will continue as treasurer.

The Rev. Charles Van Dorn, S.J., is the university's first chaplain.

William R. James is chair-

man of the department of speech and theater arts.

The building pace at Santa Clara has slowed following a 10-year program that added a dozen new buildings to the campus at a cost of more than \$13 million.

The last building to be completed was the Kenna Hall School of Business, which was dedicated in March, 1967.

The next project planned is a major remodeling of the

Alumni Science Hall, which now houses the biology department. The overhaul was to begin this week. The cost is estimated at \$442,000.

The remodeled building will provide laboratories for faculty and undergraduate research in anatomy, physiology, botany, genetics, systems and microbiology; an animal room; a cold room; classrooms; lecture halls; and faculty offices.