

STUDENT EDUCATION ASSOCIATION



The future teachers of New York listen to a lecture by one of New York's best.



Robert Ford, the president, addresses the general membership.

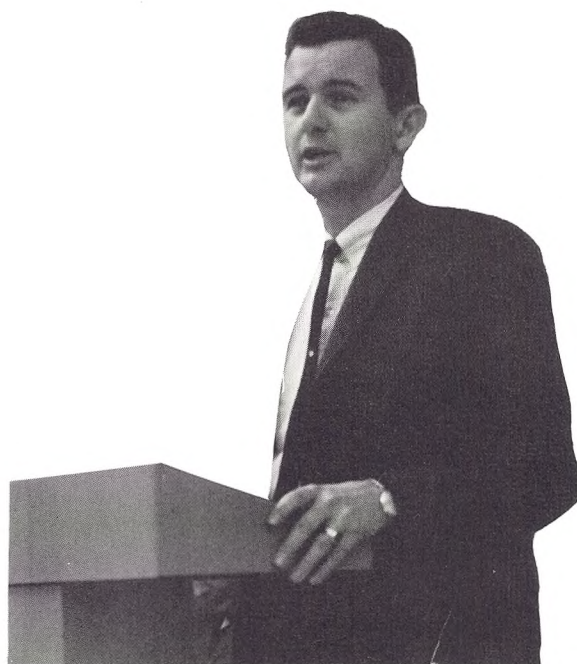
The Student Education Association of New York State is a co-curricular, professional organization formed in order to give an opportunity to future teachers to grow professionally. By their active participation in the discussions, projects and lectures, they are made aware of the educational problems and advances of today.

First hand experience is gained by the members who volunteer their time to help students in the neighboring schools with their lessons. As an affiliate of the National Education Association, the members are offered an opportunity to engage in statewide meetings, discussions, and projects. The Student Education Association provides the link between the theory of learning and the practice of teaching.



Director JOHN CLIFFORD blocks out a scene.

TROUPERS

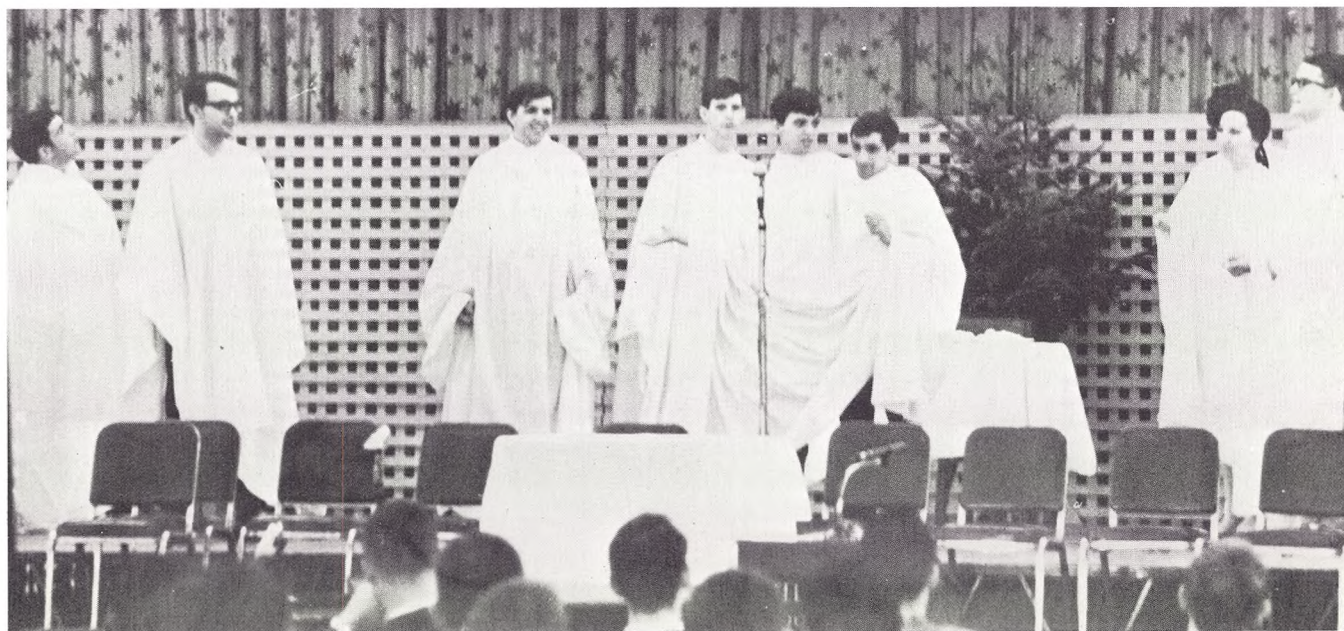


Within the last year, *The Troupers* Dramatic Society has emerged as one of the major activities of St. Francis. Under the able leadership of Brother Anthelm Drowne, the Moderator, and Professor John Clifford, the Director, the society has come up with a number of progressive achievements.

In the Spring of 1967, *The Troupers* staged *Oedipus Rex*. It was a daring project which marked the first time the society ever attempted classical drama. Many felt it was too ambitious a project, but *The Troupers* believed they had enough talent both on stage and backstage to experiment. The production received such unanimous praise that the society decided to undertake an even larger assignment for the Fall of 1967.

To portray the philosophical and psychological drama of Pirandello's Nobel Prize winning *Six Characters in Search of an Author* effectively, is no easy task. Yet the combined effort of *The Troupers* and St. Joseph's College Chapel Players proved that it could be done. The eight long weeks of dedicated work by all concerned payed off in another success.

At present *The Troupers* have about twenty members—a large increase from a few years ago. The officers are: Charles D. Rossi, President; William Farrell, Vice-President; Raymond Sullivan, Secretary-Treasurer; and Charles Isola, S.A.C. Representative. If facilities become available in the near future, the society will stage another first—a musical production.



Troupers entertain the Christmas Assembly with a Christmas Carol spoof.