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Bob Costello watches recordings on new polaragraph machine.

## Science and Mathematics

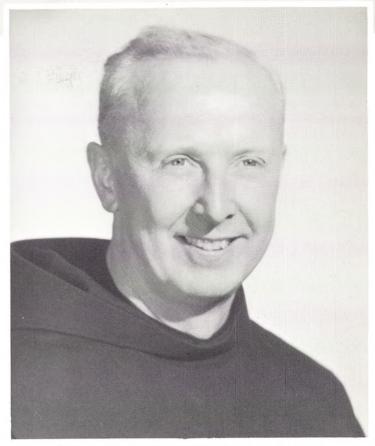
Like a giant test tube the Science Division bubbled over and engulfed the Butler Street Annex. The secret catalyst was elbow room.

The old library is now a Biology Lab. Rooms 103 and 105 minus a dividing wall are now one huge lecture room. For the first time, faculty members have their own research lab and the Science Department has a lab for physical chemistry.

Drs. Burke, Taschidjian and Schneider were among the first to take advantage of the expanded facilities. They conducted research under a joint grant by St. Francis College and the Federal Government. Brother Simeon was able to open up the labs to high school students whom he aided in a number of special projects.

Science majors worked with Dr. McLaughlin who is associated with Haskins Laboratories. Other students in the science curriculum participated in the American Chemical Society's "Meeting in Miniature" and the Eastern Science Competition.

A series of Friday morning science lectures furnished food for thought. A typical lecture was by Dr. Herman Marks of the Nuclear Research Association who spoke on "Energy Conservation in Outer Space."



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