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The meeting came to order at 2:00 P.M. Present: Bishop Dougherty, Frs. Sullivan and Seymour, Sr. Margherita, Messrs. Bush, Mahoney, Reilly.

Professor "eiley agreed to be the speaker at the Commission-sponsored panel at the ACHA Spring meeting at Seton Hall. His topic will be "Archbishop Walsh and the Growth of Seton Hall University."

The Director reported that prices would soon be available through Marianna Murphy for printing the Diary of Bishop Bayley. (N.R. Since then, the following quotation has been received: For a 288-page book, 5 3/4" by 8 1/2", with 10 halftone illustrations, soft cover, perfect binding:

2,000 $12,225; 3,000 $13,025; 4,000 $14,000; 5,000 $14,960

for hard cover, gold stamped, prices would be:

2,000 $16,825; 3,000 $19,900; 4,000 $23,125; 5,000 $26,300

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Messrs. Bush and Mahoney then reported on their conference with the NHPRC. The NHPRC seems willing to supply funds for the Commission, but will require the Commission to acquire matching funds. After extensive discussion it was determined to invite Mr. Lee Burke of the University grants office to attend the next meeting, and to contact Dave Galligan of University fund-raising for aid.

The Commission asked for a report of the status of the oral history program at the next meeting.

Mr. Bush urged that the Commission testify before the meeting of the New Jersey Commission on the Humanities at its hearings in Newark on Oct. 13 or Jan 12. This group has received extensive additional funding from the federal government and is now determining how to spend it.

The next meeting will be on Oct. 11, 1977 at 2:00 P.M., in the conference room of President's Hall, Seton Hall University.

Respectfully submitted