School Plans New Building

Horan, O'Donnell Bequests Provide Funds For Science Building

Two outstanding bequests within two years have supplied sufficient funds for the construction of a two hundred and fifty thousand dollar Science Building by the authorities of Canisius College, Rev. Francis J. O'Malley, S.J., president of the College, announced today. Architects are preparing plans for the structure on which construction will be started during the coming summer.

The edifice will be erected on Hughes Avenue, behind the school. It is expected that it will include, in addition to the laboratories of the various science departments, a much-needed auditorium. Glass will play an important part in the construction of the building in order to afford sufficient lighting for scientific research.

Doctor and Teacher, Donors
Miss Marian A. Horan, a Buffalo teacher who died in November, 1936, left approximately one hundred thousand dollars to Canisius College specifically for the erection of a science building.

Dr. William J. O'Donnell, a neurologist who died on January 7 of this year, left his entire estate equally to Canisius College, St. Bonaventure College, and Niagara University.

Building Ready in 1939
It is expected that the new science quarters, to be called either the Horan-O'Donnell or the O'Donnell-Horan Building, will be ready for use at the beginning of the school year, 1939-1940. The new building will be a three-story structure.