

# **Ex-Priest, Educator Dies At 52**

George M. Dyke, a former Catholic priest and one-time principal of Salpointe Catholic high school, died yesterday at the age of 52.

A native of Tucson, he was named assistant principal of the Catholic high school here in 1949. Two years later he was appointed principal, a post he filled until 1953 when he became pastor of Sacred Heart Church in Clifton.

In 1961, he was appointed pastor of St. Andrews Church, Sierra Vista, and he held the post until 1965 when he left the priesthood. He received a special dispensation from Rome when he quit the priesthood.

He is survived by his widow, Dora, 1302 W. Ajo Way, and two sons, William and Richard of Tucson.