Using D-III, Lemma 1.1. we conclude T(ux) = uT(x) and  $T(xu^*) = T(x)u^*$  for all  $x \in \hat{M}$ . Hence

T(x) = T(uu\*xuu\*) = uT(u\*xu)u\* = uT(pu\*xup)u\* =

= upu\*xupu\* = uu\*xuu\* = x

for all  $x \in \hat{M}$ . From this we obtain that for every bounded sequence  $(x_k)$  in M  $\lim_m \|T_m x_m - x_m\| = 0$  for some subsequence of the  $T_n$ 's and of the  $x_k$ 's. This conflicts with our assumption at the beginning, hence the theorem is proved.