

IN THE WORLD OF SPORTS

Baseball Crown Is Carried Off By Holy Family

Final Game Is Played with St. Margaret-Mary Team, with the Score Almost Three to One.

The Catholic baseball championship was won last Sunday afternoon by the Holy Family team, which played the deciding game with St. Margaret-Mary's team at the Edgerton playground. The score was a decisive one, 14 to 5. Joe Mason was on the mound for Holy Family, and he pitched a brilliant game and was given excellent support.

Bob Messmer pitched for the St. Margaret-Mary team. He put up a good game, but had disheartening support at times. He was touched for 13 hits. There was a big crowd on hand.

FOOTBALL FLASHES

Notre Dame has the hardest schedule it ever faced. Knute Rockne, coach, isn't making any prophecies. But he says his boys have got to work. Some coaches have called the Notre Dame schedule a "suicide" one. Here it is:

Oct. 4—Southern Methodist at Notre Dame.
Oct. 11—Navy at Notre Dame.
Oct. 18—Carnegie Tech at Notre Dame.
Oct. 25—Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh.
Nov. 1—Indiana at Notre Dame.
Nov. 8—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Manhattan College, never to the forefront in the football world, has hopes this year of winning a place in the sun. John Law, captain of last year's Notre Dame eleven, is Manhattan's coach this year, and he is trying to inculcate his boys with Knute Rockne's methods. He is delighted with the vim and speed that are being shown, and he hopes to have an excellent season.

Fordham plays Baltimore a week from Saturday, its first game of the season. Coach Frank Kavanaugh had an unbeaten team last year, and he hopes to keep the old state clean this year, too. Inasmuch as he has had last year's veterans with him, and a whole platoon of snappy recruits, it is pretty certain that Fordham will stay with the big folks this season, too.

Holy Cross has a splendid record in the football world. Its whole playing system is being revamped this year by a new coach, Captain John B. McSwain, formerly of West Point, and later of Oregon. The Captain is scrapping the Notre Dame attack methods heretofore used by Holy Cross, and he will use the Warner "B" formation attack, with flanking back and deep threat man. On October 15th Holy Cross will play its annual game with Harvard, at Cambridge. Its opponent is with St. Bonaventure's, on September 27th. Captain McSwain has a fine team, but he is making no boasts or predictions for the season.

"Chick" Meehan, well known to Rochesterians, is hard at work trying to line up a great New York University team this year. "Chick" suffered some unexpected reverses last year, but that's part of life, and "Chick" is planning to take a whole flock of scalps this year with his team.

Priest Injured In Plane Crash; Passenger Hurt

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 19.—The Rev. Peter Barabino, a Catholic priest of St. Louis, Mo., who is a licensed aviation pilot, was severely injured when his plane crashed Friday.

Witnesses said the accident occurred when the priest landed his plane in a severe windstorm. The two men received emergency treatment and were taken by ambulance to St. Louis.

William J. McGowan, who has a private pilot's license, has been flying about two years. He and Vergano were on a pleasure trip.

Knute Rockne, Back In The Game, Leads Notre Dame

CHICAGO—Will Notre Dame win the national championship in football again this year? Most sports followers here are inclined to think the South Bend eleven will repeat and they give as their principal reason the return of Knute Rockne to full charge of the squad.



Knute Rockne, who has been absent from the team since last year, kept him away from the team. This year, with most of his veterans back, great things are expected of him. His team will play five home games this year in the new Notre Dame stadium.

Russers Open Football Season In Game Sunday

Coach Pat Pasini Has Been Drilling Players For Past Three Weeks—Good Team Is Promised to Fans.

The Russian football team will open the new season at Edgerton Park Sunday afternoon, when the team will play the Rochester one of the strongest clubs in the city last year.

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Shamrocks Play Buffalo Emmets Here On Sunday

The local Shamrock Gaelic football team will play the Buffalo Emmets at Genesee Valley Park at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. A good game is expected, as both teams are well matched and composed of experienced players. There is hot rivalry between the teams, and this will add to the spirit of the game. All lovers of Gaelic football are invited to see the game.

St. Thomas' Works To Be Reprinted In the Chinese

Peking, Sept. 19.—The Summa of St. Thomas Aquinas in Chinese, a work prepared by Father Louis Buello, S.J., in 1929, during his early period of Jesuit activities in China, is to be reprinted by the Synodal Commission under the direction of the Apostolic Delegation. The Social Code of Cardinal Mether has recently been published in Chinese in the collection of the Commission. This Commission is giving to this far eastern republic two valuable documents which it studied with help much toward the orientation of this distracted people.

Sole Survivor Of Seven Sisters In Leper Colony

(Hawaii Series)—Honolulu, Hawaii, Sept. 19.—Recently there was celebrated here the 60th anniversary of the religious profession of Sister Mary Crescenza, who is the sole survivor of the first band of Franciscan Sisters of Syracuse, which arrived in Honolulu in 1831, to take over the care of the lepers of Hawaii. Sister Crescenza has devoted herself to the lepers ever since, though forced to retire from active labors last May. Of the original band of seven sisters all except Sister Crescenza have passed away.

Catholic Papers Are Bound to Grow Fides Editor Says

Brussels, Sept. 19.—The appearance in the near future of distinctly Catholic journals served by an efficient Catholic news agency was predicted Tuesday at the closing session of the International Catholic Journalists' Congress by an American delegate, Father Considine. He is manager of the Fides New Agency. He said it was intended to attract to these enterprises the best newspaper talent in America and elsewhere.

Father Edmund A. Walsh of Georgetown University, another American delegate, read a paper dealing with religious persecution in Russia. He said Hebrew and Mohammedan faiths were menaced by the Soviet attitude as much as Christianity.

Booze In Ireland Is On The Decline Among The People

Catholic Temperance Bodies Are Increasing Rapidly, and Their Effect Is Felt All Over Land.

Dublin, Sept. 19.—The past six years there has been a remarkable decline in the consumption of alcoholic drink in Ireland. The Catholic temperance bodies enjoy steady, rapid growth and increased prestige, while the liquor trade is at its lowest ebb for a generation. Twenty years ago there were at least 20 distilleries for the manufacture of whiskey in what is now the Free State. Dublin less than a quarter of a century ago had half a dozen distilleries. Now there is only one working full time.

The government has placed a heavy tax upon whiskey, making it necessary for dealers to charge a prohibitive price. This has killed off the sale as a popular beverage for all time. The government has steadfastly declined to reduce the duty. The temperance sentiment fostered by the Catholic temperance bodies is now so strong and so widespread that no government would feel called upon to do anything to popularize the drink trade.

During the world war years, the holders of licenses for the operation of public houses in Ireland arrived at the golden age. There were no limitations on the sale of drinks, and the pubs were open from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m. One well-known public house said—\$4,600,000. Today it is very difficult to sell licensed premises. At public property auctions they are withdrawn even on other day. One establishment that brought \$70,000 in 1920 was now offered for a fortnight ago, and the highest bid was \$3,000.

New Convent For The Franciscan Sisters Blessed

The Rt. Rev. John Francis O'Hara, D.D., Bishop of Rochester, recently blessed the new convent of St. George Littlemore Church on Hudson Avenue. This convent is occupied by the five Franciscan Sisters who came here to take the place of St. George's school. The Sisters are doing splendid work in educating and training these boys and girls.

Mosque A Catholic Church (Rochester, Sept. 19)—A Mohammedan mosque has been transformed into a Catholic Church to serve the new colony of Italian settlers whose spiritual needs are being provided for by the Franciscans. The building, which originally was a synagogue, has been made four-sided and now serves as a compound, fitted with four ancient bells brought from outside. Make now the reflections and resolutions which you will make at the hour of death, then you will make them without fruit.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Curran of Hobart Street, have returned from a visit to Buffalo and Erie for several days.

Orrin Feller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Feller of 321 Woodbine Avenue, entered Fordham University, New York, this week to take a course in social service work. His many friends will wish him the best of success in the undertaking.

Franco-German Boundary Line Cross Suggested

Swiss Professor Says Huge Cross, Symbol of Spiritual Power, Would Help End Fratricidal Wars.

Cologne, Sept. 19.—Just as the statue of Christ in the Andes Mountains stands as guardian of the peace, friendship and good will of South American nations, so would a huge cross on the Franco-German boundary line, Prof. Zout-Creyer of Switzerland believes. He suggests that such a cross be erected on neutral ground, and he believes it would help put an end to fratricidal wars.

Fall Card Party In Annunciation Hall, Sept. 26th

The first Fall card party of the Annunciation Hall will be held at that hall, evening, September 26th, Norton Street, near North Goodman. Pedro will be played, for five hundred and thousand. If this party will be set, and there will be a number of prizes. The rector of the church, the Rev. George Weimann, extends a cordial invitation to all interested people to attend this party and help encourage his parishioners in the work of maintaining their church. His card party is a helpful source of revenue.

Medical Mission Makes An Appeal For San Domingo

Rev. Edward P. Garesche, S.J., Director, Asks That Donations Be Sent to the Mission Board.

New York, Sept. 19.—The Rev. Edward P. Garesche, S.J., Director of the Catholic Medical Mission Board, with headquarters at No. 19 West 17th Street, New York City, has sent out an appeal to Catholic people all over the country, asking them for donations to help the hurricane sufferers in San Domingo.

Great Authority On Mission Work Died Recently

Vatican City, Sept. 19.—Doctor Robert Strick, O.M.I., the greatest of Catholic mission bibliographers, died in Germany recently, receiving the blessing of Pope Sixteen. Pontifical Strick has been an important figure in the history of the mission work.

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To Honor Saints At Auriesville On September 28

Special Services Will Be Held at the Shrine of Our Lady of Martyrs on That Day.

Auriosville, N. Y., Sept. 19.—A special celebration will be held here on September 28th in honor of the recent canonization of Isaac Jogues and his companions, Rene Goupil and John de Lande, Jesuit martyrs, slain by Indians. This place was the site of their labors, suffering and martyrdom.

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