C. D. A. Will Hold Picnic Saturday

Seneca Falls, July 10—Seneca Falls Court, Catholic Daughters of America, will have its annual picnic Saturday afternoon at Cayuga Lake State Park. Sports will be on the program during the afternoon, and a tureen supper will be served.

Miss Anna McArdle is chairman of the committee on arrangements. She is being assisted by Mrs. Margaret McGrain and the Misses Helen Warren, Anna Mae Sullivan, Agnes McGain, Camille Scalmassi, Dorothy O'Connor, Dorothy Sullivan, Marie Reagan, Clara McGrain and Mary Lacey. All members and friends are invited to attend.

Bausch
Est. 1858
Duplicate Glasses
To avoid inconvenience in case of breakage let us make you a duplicate pair of glasses. Satisfaction is assured.
E. E. Bausch & Son Co.
Optometrists
Two Stores:
6 MAIN ST. E. Phone: Main 2814
THE SAGAMORE
(105 East Ave.) Stone 5377

SINDEN'S
Furniture, Pillow and Cushion Shop
418 Brown Street
Genesee 5412
Makers of upholstered furniture, pillows and cushions. Also do all kinds of high-class upholstering, repairing, refinishing, caning, etc.
Call for an estimate. No obligation

Where Quality MEATS come from
FAHY MARKET
54 Andrews St.

Fromm Bros.
QUALITY SAUSAGE AND MEAT PRODUCTS
Ask Your Dealer

ZIMMERL
106-108 Scottsville

HOLTHUS CATERERS
Weddings, Clambakes, Banquets, Bridge Parties, Receptions
MONROE 242 — 437 BENTON ST.

W. WOJTCZAK BAKERY
Baked Goods with Home-Like Flavor
Baked in Clean, Sanitary, Modern Ovens. Everything Up-to-Date
Weddings, Receptions, Parties, etc., Supplied
Deliveries to All Parts of City
990 HUDSON AVE. — STONE 6497

DO YOU SLEEP WELL?
Have your old Mattress, Bedsprings and Pillows RENOVATED or RE-MADE by Rochester's Most Reliable Experts.
We Retail Mattresses and Bedsprings at a Great Saving.
24 Hours' Service, by request. We Call and Deliver Anywhere.
Our Special Kopak Silk Floss Mattress, $12.95
GENESEE BEDDING CO.
888 SOUTH AVENUE — MAIN 3774.

A Pleasing Gift
To Others
As Well As For
Yourself
By Subscribing To
The
CATHOLIC COURIER & JOURNAL
OFFICIAL DIOCESAN PAPER
Fitting For Any Catholic Home
Subscription—$2.50 a year
Telephone—MAIN 1567

Speedy Work On New Convent For St. Charles

Ground Broken on June Twelfth, Roof is on Now and Plastering Under way —Finished Next Month.

Rapid progress is being made on the new convent that is being erected by St. Charles Borromeo Church. Ground was broken for this building by Bishop O'Hern on June 12th, and work started at once. The walls are up now, the roof on, and plastering is under way. It is expected that the building will be finished by August 20th, and that there will be an old-fashioned "house-warming" party to give all parishioners and friends an opportunity to visit and inspect the building before it is occupied by the Sisters of Mercy who are in charge of the St. Charles Borromeo School.

The new convent is a substantial two and one-half story structure, and it will make an excellent home for the Sisters. Plans for it were drawn by Charles W. Eldredge, of the firm of Gordon & Kaelber, and it will have suitable living quarters for 17 Sisters, 13 on one floor and four on another. The building will be heated by a Dunham vapor-heat boiler. It will have well-lighted parlors and rest rooms for the Sisters, large porches, and all modern conveniences.

The Rev. William A. Doran, pastor of St. Charles' Borromeo Church, is delighted at the progress that is being made on the new building. Its construction is evidence of the good leadership and zealous work of Father Doran in the parish, and the building will give him a complete parish unit now—church, school, rectory and convent. It adds one more structure of the two-million building program mapped out by Bishop O'Hern for the Diocese of Rochester at the beginning of the year.

Treasure Trove on Farm

On the land of a widow farmer of Aarhus (Denmark) 6,000 copper and silver coins of the days of Eric Glipping (1259-1286), king of Denmark, were found. It was in the reign of this king that the first rigsdag, or general assembly, became an established legislature in Denmark. The coins, as treasure trove, were by law the property of the state, but the widow received a sum of money in exchange.

Only Daddy

Elizabeth Ann's mother was telling the little girl and her small brother the story of Cinderella. Suddenly there came a knock from the front door.

"Go see who's there," said her mother. "Maybe it's the fairy prince."

Elizabeth Ann hurried from the room. "No, it isn't a fairy prince," she called back, disappointedly from the hall. "It's only daddy!"

Pope In Encyclical Denounces Fascisti And Arbitrary Acts

(Continued from Page One)

"You ask us * * * what is to be thought about the formula of an oath which even little boys and girls are obliged to take about executing orders without discussion. From an authority which * * * can give orders against all truth and justice. * * * The answer from the Catholic point of view is inevitably only one; such an oath as it stands is illicit."

Pontiff Is Pleased

The Pontiff expresses "exquisite satisfaction" that Catholic organizations of all countries have expressed their "astonishment and grief" to see the society "persecuted and assailed here in the very center of the apostolic hierarchy." Particularly pleasing are the "convincing proofs * * * that these organizations have remained docile * * * refraining absolutely from any and every kind of political activity."

Disbanding of Catholic Action, he declares, "was carried out with the use of tactics which would give the impression that action was being taken against a dangerous organization of criminals."

Officials Sympathetic

"It is noteworthy," Pope Pius writes, "that even among the officers of the law charged to carry out these orders of suppression, there were many who showed * * * that they were almost asking pardon for doing that which they had been commanded to do. * * * We have reserved for them a special blessing. But, in sad contrast to the manner of these officials, there were many acts of violence extending even to the striking of blows and the drawing of blood.

"How many insults in the press, injurious words and acts against things and persons, not excluding ourself, preceded, accompanied and followed the carrying into effect of this lightning-like police order. * * * It is easy to admit, and it was equally easy to have foreseen, that the limits of these directions (for disbanding Catholic Action) could and would have almost necessarily been exceeded. * * * If we should be silent * * * we would be more unworthy than we already are to occupy this august apostolic chair."

The Encyclical denies charges that Catholic Action harbors many members of the outlawed Popular party, asserting that such members of that party as have become affiliated with Catholic Action have pledged themselves to refrain from political activity.

"Pagan Worship of State."

"We find ourselves," the Pontiff continues, "in the presence of facts which reveal * * * the proposal already in great part actually put into effect, to monopolize completely the young * * * and all for the exclusive advantage of a party, of a regime * * * which clearly resolves itself into a true and real pagan worship of the State."

He expresses himself as preoccupied particularly with the thought that so many young Catholics have taken the Fascist oath and are "tortured by doubts of whose existence we have incontrovertible evidence." To restore tranquility to those consciences, he suggests a mental reservation such as "safeguarding the laws of God and of the Church," or "in accordance with the duties of a good Christian."

"Far better," he says, would it be "to omit the oath altogether, since it is always an act of religion and certainly has no appropriate place in taking membership in a political party.

The Party Not Condemned

"We have not said that we wish to condemn the party as such. We have intended * * * to condemn that which we have seen and have understood to be contrary to the Catholic doctrine * * * and therefore irreconcilable with the name and with the profession of Catholics. * * *

"We believe that we have thus at the same time accomplished a good work for the party itself, because what interest and success can the party have in a Catholic country like Italy in maintaining * * * ideas and practices which cannot be reconciled with a Catholic conscience."

"Everything is definitely promised in answer to prayer; if the answer will not be the re-establishment of serene and tranquil relations it will have its answer at any rate in Christian patience. * * * The Church of God, which wishes nothing from the State that belongs to the competence of the State, will cease to be asked for that which is of the competence of the Church, the education and the Christian formation of youth. This is not through human favor but by divine mandate, and that which therefore she will always ask with an insistence which cannot cease."

The Encyclical Distributed

Many thousands of copies of the Encyclical were distributed at the Masses in churches in and outside of Rome on Sunday. But no Italian newspaper made any reference to it, though the Encyclical caused great excitement and copies of it were eagerly sought everywhere in the land. The assumption is that Mussolini ordered the papers not to publish it, or make any reference to it.

There is a strong feeling that Mussolini will answer the Encyclical, and considerable anxiety as to the nature of his answer. Fascist officials are greatly disturbed over the Encyclical, it is known, and some of them are quite enraged. The position of the Pope, however, is well known. Only a few days ago he said: "They may ask our lives, but not our silence."

German Never Predominant

Although there was a discussion in the Continental congress in regard to the use of the German or English language in the colonies, and a motion was made in favor of using the German language, the matter never came to a vote. Only in Pennsylvania was the German element more than a small minority before the Revolution. Perhaps a third of the settlers in Pennsylvania were Germans. Although the German language persisted in the speech and in the press in Pennsylvania, the English stock outnumbered all the others from 1760 to 1790.

New President Of Seton Hill College Chosen

The Rev. Dr. James A. Wallace Reeves Chosen To Succeed the Late Rev. Daniel Richard Sullivan.

Greensburg, Pa., July 10—Formal announcement was made Sunday of the election of the Rev. James A. Reeves, S. T. D., to the presidency of Seton Hill College, Greensburg. Seton Hill, a Catholic College for young women, has been without a president since the death some months ago of the Rev. Dr. Daniel Richard Sullivan.

Dr. Reeves has been associated with Seton Hill since 1920 when he joined the faculty as its first instructor in Philosophy. In 1922 he became professor of psychology. He founded the psychological laboratory which is now an endowed department of the college. Dr. Sullivan early enlisted his help in administrative duties and in 1926 he was named vice-president. Since that time he has been active in forming the educational policies of Seton Hill.

Dr. Reeves' cultural and educational interests are wide and varied. He is an Associate of the American Psychological Association, and a member of the American Association of University Professors, the Mediaeval Academy of America, the British Institute of Philosophical Studies, the Department of Superintendence of the N. E. A., and the University Club and Social Workers' Club of Pittsburgh. As president of the college section of the National Catholic Educational Association he presided at its 27th National Convention in Philadelphia.

Dr. Reeves was ordained by the late Archbishop Canevin in 1918. He received his Master of Arts degree from St. Vincent College in 1916 and his Doctorate in theology at St. Vincent's Pontifical Seminary in 1921. He has pursued graduate research studies at Columbia University, University of Pittsburgh, Cambridge University, and the University of Louvain.

Catholic Daughters of America Pledge Loyalty to the Pope

(Continued from Page One)

At the convention luncheon on Tuesday, S. Cameron Hinkle, Assistant Prosecutor of Atlantic County, told the delegates that the police alone cannot combat crime. He declared that women must help by influence in their home, and in their neighbor's home. He urged the women to train their daughters to shun men who identified themselves with graft.

Miss Mazie V. Scanlan, national junior director, and supervisor of Physical Education in the Atlantic City Schools, told a conference of the Junior Catholic Daughters that during the past six months twelve junior chapters had been added, bringing the total number up to 212, with a membership of 15,000. She said that $6,000 had been given to charity and unemployment in the past six months.

Fine Influence of Clubs

Miss Scanlan pointed out that club activities was one of the finest influences in the lives of girls today, and added that night clubs and moving pictures cannot be combated by telling young people that such influences are wrong. Girls must be given something else to do.

"If the American people continue to be watchers, instead of doers, the next generation will be much less physically fit," she said.

The first of two elaborate pageants was held Tuesday evening in the Chelsea Hotel when Miss Lola Lopez played the leading role in the "Life of Jeanne D'Arc." On Friday afternoon the second pageant will be shown in the convention hall when the young people of the State present a mammoth junior pageant, depicting the life of Katherine Tegakwitha, "the Lily of the Mohawk."

A large class of candidates was initiated into the order in a brilliant ritualistic ceremonial Friday night, July 10; a crack degree team taking charge of the initiatory exercises.

On Saturday the convention program will officially close with an ocean drive, stopping en route for luncheon, and visit to Georgiancourt College, Lakewood, N. J., formerly the George Gould Estate. The Knights of Columbus of the New Jersey jurisdiction will be hosts on the July 11 automobile tour and luncheon.

Boomerang Long in Use as Weapon of Warfare

An article in the Encyclopedia Britannica on the boomerang of the Australian aborigines mentions various peoples that have used similar instruments. Both the return and nonreturn boomerang are found in most parts of Australia. The return form was, according to General Pitt-Rivers, used in ancient Egypt. A weapon closely resembling the boomerang survives to the present day in northeast Africa, with allied forms made of metal, or throwing knives. In south India is found a boomerang-shaped instrument which can be made to return. The Hopis of Arizona use a nonreturn form. The Indian Cyclopedia gives details of the chakra or steel disk, formerly carried by Sikh soldiers. Thes were 6 to 9 inches in diameter and about an inch of breadth of rim, and had sharply ground edges. They were rotated on the forefinger, then projected with considerable force 150 feet or more. They are called expensive and almost useless weapons. Another form of boomerang used in India is made of wood and iron at Gujerat and of wood and ivory at Trichinopoly.

Small Stature No Bar to Great Achievement

There have been a great many short men besides "the little corporal," the five-foot-two Napoleon, who have made the world sit up and take notice. Two of our Presidents were among them, Martin Van Buren and John Quincy Adams. Martin Van Buren was often alluded to as "the little magician," because of his shortness of stature and his mastery of political wizardry. And there was Stephen A. Douglas, scarcely more than five feet tall, affectionately nicknamed "the little giant."

Gen. George B. McClellan, the Democratic candidate against Abraham Lincoln in 1864, was "Little Mac," and sometimes—paradoxically—"Little Napoleon," a title which he shared with General Beauregard. Admiral Farragut was five feet six and a half inches tall.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, John Paul Jones and Gen. Phil Sheridan were each five feet; Beethoven was scarcely more than five feet four; John Keats a little more than five feet, and Swinburne and Whistler are given as five feet or so in stature.

Other men who are described as being short, or under medium height were Chaucer, Michelangelo, Chopin, John Milton, Robespierre, Alexander Pope, Savonarola, Thomas B. Macaulay, Charles Lamb, Ibsen, Thoreau, Thomas Moore, William H. Seward, William Ellery Channing, Andrew Carnegie and Alexander Hamilton.

Lizards Feast Royally on Eggs of Crocodile

I have sometimes watched monitors, or African water lizards, at their work of robbing crocodile nests of their eggs, C. R. S. Pitman writes, in Anis Magazine. The antics of these prehistoric looking creatures, which are usually about four feet long, are most entertaining.

On more than one occasion when I have been lying in concealment, observing the behavior of the guardian females on the breeding grounds, I have seen a monitor deliberately provoke a crocodile until it rushes off in pursuit into the water. In the meantime the monitor's mate arrives on the scene, excavates the nest with great haste and begins gobbling up the eggs.

Soon it is joined by No. 1, which had only taken to the water as a ruse. They usually succeed in disposing of the greater portion of the eggs before the return of the rightful owner. Even when forced to withdraw, they will decamp each with an egg in its mouth.

Medieval Clocks

Into the making of clocks and their cases has gone much of man's inventive and decorative abilities. Comic and performing clocks had a great vogue during the Fifteenth and Sixteenth centuries. In the museum at Basle, Switzerland, may still be seen a specimen in which the vibration of the pendulum gradually caused a long tongue to protrude. Other clocks were made to show a whole series of scenes, such as processions of the apostles and other characters. Great interest was also excited by clocks representing the positions of the heavenly bodies and the days of the week and month. Repeating clocks which sounded the hours when a string was pulled were prized in the days when the only method of striking a light at night was with flint and steel.

Professors Crawl, Growl

Called the strangest club in the world, the "Red Lion club" recently held its annual dinner at Bristol, England. Its members are professors, and the "King Lion," who presided, was ceremoniously addressed as "Your Majesty" by the other "lions" and "cubs." At supper they sedately quaffed strong old English ale, and the marrow bone. The red lions of the club are the senior scientists, and the cubs are new members, who were made on admission to "wag their tails," and go through a ritual of initiation. There were also two jackals, and when the king lion gave an order they had to growl ominously. Professors even went down on all fours on the carpet in their conscientious effort to look lionlike.

Giralda

In Seville of Andalusia, Giralda dwells. It is one of the most beautiful Moorish monuments of Spain, a Twelfth century minaret stretched against the blue sky, and now the shrine of two dozen assorted bells. Giralda is the mother and sweetheart of Seville; without Giralda the city would feel compelled to hide and change its name. The Moors wished to destroy it before surrendering to San Fernando, but he replied that a Moorish head would be cut off for every stone removed. The heads changed their minds. To an American, Giralda marks holy ground, for in the cathedral stands the sarcophagus of Christopher Columbus.

"Witch" Elm Claims Victim

How the "witch" elm tree claimed another victim recently was told at the coroner's inquest at Port Talbot, Wales. Thomas J. Richards, thirty-six, had been engaged by the Penybont council to trim the branches. A branch on which he was standing snapped, and he fell 40 feet to the road and was killed. A lineman previously had been killed while cutting away the branches of the same tree under similar circumstances. The tree, nearly 50 feet high, is known among woodmen as "a traitor tree."

Low this path we must lay aside every burden, and therefore I will not have you love me or any other creature, unless it be in God.—St. Catherine of Siena.

Odd New Zealand Bird, Kiwi, Nears Extinction

The strangest bird in the world—the kiwi-kiwi, is described in a news in Boys' Life, the Boy Scout publication.

"Native of New Zealand, he early makes that an ancient fable—current when the continent was first discovered—that everything around Australia was upside down. The kiwi is practically wingless and completely flightless. He has no visible tail. His brownish plumage, moreover, because the feather-filaments are disjointed, looks more like coarse hair. His bill, unlike any other bird's, has at the very tip of the long beak that is flexible and very sensitive to touch.

"The kiwi growls like a dog, and snaps his bill as you crack your fingers; he can kick like a cat when angry. His extraordinarily powerful legs can give mighty kicks not backward but forward, and have been known to break a bone in a man's hand. In small flocks, the few kiwis left of a disappearing species inhabit New Zealand's hilly forests. Females have long tunnels, laying in a nest at the very end of it two large eggs—each a quarter the length of the whole bird. Incubating is entirely the job of the male.

"Maoris are very fond of kiwi flesh broiled or roasted, so fond that the bird was well hunted out before ever a white man saw one. Now the peculiar bird, distant relative of ostrich, emu, cassowary, and survivor of a species that flourished with the extinct, gigantic dinornis and Moa, sluggish moas, millions of years ago is fast approaching extinction."

Marriage Promises Just Incident of Vacation?

A New Yorker, lifted out of his habitual caution by the balmy atmosphere of Florida during a winter vacation, brought suit against a girl he met down there, to recover a ring. The young lady contested the suit.

When it came up in court, the young man said that they had enjoyed a good-by on the beach, but later, when both had returned to New York, the girl had passed him up cold. The girl herself admitted it, saying:

"I really didn't know whether I should recognize him or not. Our acquaintance in Florida was really very slight."

"But," expostulated the court, glancing at the sparkling ring, "you promised to marry him, didn't you?"

"Why, yes," admitted the girl, "but that was all."—Los Angeles Times.

C. D. A. Editor
[redacted]
MISS MARY F. [illegible]
Mrs. Mary F. [illegible] of Syracuse, Grand Regent of the Catholic Daughters of America, [illegible] monthly magazine of the Catholic Daughters of America, [illegible] largely [illegible] were [illegible] at the convention of the order at Atlantic City this week.
Subscribe for the Catholic Courier and Journal

RUSTNAUGHT PAINT
A [illegible]
For metal roofs
For metal siding
For gutters
For metal [illegible]
For [illegible]
For [illegible]
GIVES POSITIVE [illegible]
AT VERY LOW [illegible]
We [illegible]
Bernard, Porter & [illegible]
8, 12, 16 [illegible]
Store Open [illegible]
Phone [illegible]

Tennis - - -
Why stop playing when your court can be flooded with light?
On a well-lighted court tennis may be played in the cool of the evening. Their use may be materially increased by extnding the possible playing hours.
Let us show you how easily your court can be lighted. Telephone Main 3960.
Industrial Sales Department
Rochester Gas & Electric Corp.
of the Associated System

Rochester's Oldest Financial Institution
Taking Chances
Why take "chances" with the future?
Why not deposit something every pay day in this Century Old Bank and provide for what ever emergencies may come? It is easy. It is safe. It is convenient.
Rochester Savings Bank
47 Main St. W. —Two Offices— [illegible]
OPEN SATURDAY EVENING—[illegible]
Resources over [illegible]