

St. Joseph Church To Have Noon Day Novena Services

The Rev. Louis J. Vollmer, C. S. S. R., rector of St. Joseph's Church, 108 Franklin Street, has added another service to the novena of Wednesday devotions which is being conducted in honor of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in preparation for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

Catholic Men Pay Respects and Present Gifts to Somerville

A group of members of Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, Rochester Council, K. of C.; Muscaravan, Order of the Alhambra; and Nocturnal Adoration Society gathered at their hall, Tuesday evening to honor Harry P. Somerville, one of their members who is leaving Rochester to assume the duties as manager of the New Willard Hotel, Washington.

It was a sincere gathering expressing true appreciation of the friendship all have for one who has been most active in the affairs of all organizations. District Deputy John J. Dowling, an intimate friend of the guest of honor presided.

A silver set with the K. of C. emblem was presented Mr. Somerville on behalf of the Knights of Columbus. The Alhambra presented him with a life-size portrait, a beautiful basket of flowers was given him by Mrs. Somerville. District Deputy Doyle presented him with a personal gift.

Talks expressing the regard held by all for the guest of the evening and wishing a successful career were given by Police Chief Andrew J. Kavanaugh; Commissioner of Railways Charles R. Barnea; Faithful Navigator C. Vincent Wisner, Grand Commander Daniel J. O'Mara, Grand Knight Dr. Walter B. O'Neill, Harry E. Carney, Daniel E. Phelan, George T. Boucher and Martin J. Dowling.

Paul A. Predmore led group singing. Music was furnished by David Solomon's orchestra.

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Coming Events

- COLOMBUS CIVIC CENTER Monday, October 31 Good Shepherd Guild Meeting... Wednesday, November 2 Mergy High Meeting... Thursday, November 3 Knights of Columbus Council Meeting...

Catholic Bowling League

Table with columns for team names (St. Boniface, St. Stanislaus, St. George) and scores for various bowlers.

He who has more humility will longer retain the Son of God with him; and he who has less will enjoy less of His divine company.

Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few chewed and digested.—Bacon.

SPORT-O-GRAPHS By Insider

Aquinas Institute football gridderes lost a heart-breaker last Saturday to their arch-rivals, C. B. A. of Syracuse, 6 to 0, in a game marked by only a single offensive spurt by the Brothers. That one sustained drive, however, proved enough, even though for the rest of the game the Dewey Avenue boys pushed C. B. A. all over the gridiron.

It must be remembered that Sully had to build from the ground up this season for ten of his regulars from last season's undefeated eleven were lost by graduation. Sully is building well for the future for he has but few seniors on his club. Good luck, Johnnie.

The "Big Three" of Western New York Catholic College football, all turned in victories. Niagara won its first of the year with a 20-0 verdict over Alfred. Canisius surprised with a 26 to 0 edge over Seton Hall, while St. Bonaventure took the measure of Westminster 13 to 6.

Fordham's Rams lost their first of the season to "Sleepy Jim" Crowley's Michigan State team 13 to 0, the first of the biggest upsets of the week.

Harry Stuhldroher, quarterback of the famous "Four Horsemen" of Notre Dame, continues to romp away with victories. His Villa Nova eleven had easy pickings last week. Don Miller, Crowey and Stuhldroher, who is shared coach at Ohio State, watched the powerful Pitt Panthers do no better than a tie with Ohio State.

This scribe heard with regret last week that Gene Oberst, coach at Canisius College, had been given the air following Canisius' defeat at the hands of Baltimore University Oberst is a fine coach, but not a miracle man. When the late Knute Riekke personally recommended Oberst to the Buffalo school he felt realized that his protegee wouldn't be given at least two years in which to show his stuff.

Oberst won only one game last season but he was in the rejuvenating period. He was attempting to impart the Notre Dame system to a squad which had never been allowed to use its own initiative on the field. It is history that Luke Urban directed his quarterbacks from the bench while he coached Canisius, making automations of young men supposedly brighter than Urban. Oberst's system.

CATHOLIC STUDENTS PREPARE PAMPHLETS

Lucerne—Pastors in the German-speaking section of Switzerland, when they want Catholic pamphlets to distribute among their parishioners, have only to write to "Silvania" at Neuenkirch and they receive, in exchange for postage, packages of 50 to 1,000 or more brochures on such subjects as the Christian family, the importance of the press, the labor question, the Church and the laborer, etc.

The organization is able to distribute pamphlets of 16 to 28 pages free of charge through the cooperation of college students who are members of "Silvania" and who donate their services during vacation, and through cash contributions from other Catholic organizations.

Aquinas Graduate Gets Niagara Office

Niagara Falls—Donald P. Woods, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Woods of Nelson Street, was quite prominent in dramatic circles at that institution. He was graduated from Aquinas in 1922.

tem permitted his quarterback to be the field general, thus teaching his men the first requisites of business life. That he was making progress is evident in that this year his team lost to the powerful Georgetown team by only 13 to 6, and Baltimore eked out a 7 to 6 victory over Canisius. Then Gene was discharged.

Important details concerning the opening of the Catholic Basketball League at the Columbus Civic Center on Sunday, November 20, were discussed by League officers and managers at a meeting last Tuesday.

The schedule committee of Patsy Provenzano, Tom O'Neill, George Laties, submitted a draft of games which will be ratified at next week's meeting to be held at the Powers and Vail Sporting Goods Store, 117 State Street.

Eligibility lists of players must be posted at the next meeting. Each team is permitted twelve players, which cannot be revised until the end of the first half of the split season to be played. Decision was reached on that ranking first, second, and third could not improve their position in the race by seeking the transfer of a player from any other team, although provision is made to allow top teams in the race the privilege of strengthening the weaker teams by releasing players to those outfits.

Four Councils Of K. of C. Honor T. V. O'Donnell

More than 200 members of the Knights of Columbus from Rochester, Newark, Brockport and Albion Councils honored retiring District Deputy Timothy V. O'Donnell of Albion at a testimonial dinner, Thursday evening of last week in Columbus Civic Center dining room.

A purse of gold was presented to retiring District Deputy O'Donnell on behalf of the knights by District Knight Dr. Walter B. O'Neill, Past Grand Knight, and Charles F. Fitzgerald and Charles B. Barnes and the Rev. Gerald C. Lambert, Council chaplain. The guest of honor, Past District Deputy O'Donnell expressed his appreciation for the support and cooperation given him by the knights in the four councils in office during his four terms in office.

Group singing was led by Financial Secretary Paul A. Predmore and solos were sung by Harry P. Somerville, Patrick A. Dwyer and District Deputy Doyle. John Rozanski was accompanist. Grand Knight O'Neill recited "The Streets of Frederickstadt."

Newly elected officers of the Rochester Council were installed by District Deputy Doyle assisted by District Warden Leo F. Rombaut at a regular meeting of the Council.

Rochester Man Makes National Fraternity

Niagara Falls—J. Robert Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Murray of Eastland Avenue, after being elected eligible for membership, has been accepted as a charter member of the Lambda chapter of the Delta Mu Delta society, national honorary business society, at Niagara University where he is a senior in the College of Business Administration.

Admittance to this society is based solely on achievement in scholastic work. Eligible students must maintain an average of 85% in all subjects for two consecutive years.

Mercy High Hears Fr. Edward Meagher

Special services in preparation for the feast of Christ, the King, were held at Our Lady of Mercy High School, Tuesday, October 25. Rev. Edward T. Meagher, pastor of Our Lady of Good Council Church, gave a short address. Following this, took place the consecration of the entire student body to the Sacred Heart. Services concluded with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

St. Bridget Card Party, Wednesday

The third card party of a series for the benefit of St. Bridget's Church will be held in the school hall, Hans Street, on Wednesday, November 2. Tickets will be \$35. A pleasant evening is assured all who attend. Due to Tuesday, November 1, being a Holy Day, the party was postponed until Wednesday.

Holy Sepulchre Knights Meet



Delegates to the recent Congress of the Equestrian Order of the Knights of the Holy Sepulchre are here shown with His Beatitude Msgr. Louis Barlassina, in the salon of the throne at the Latin Patriarchate in Jerusalem. This was the first official meeting of the heads of the Order held in the Holy Land since the days of the Crusaders. Patriarch Barlassina is Rector and Permanent Administrator of the Order.

Columbus Center To Have Amateur Boxing Contests

Amateur boxing in Columbus Civic Center auditorium will be inaugurated Friday evening, November 4, under the direction of Jack Madison and A. C. Benkwt, experienced men in handling this form of athletic entertainment. The bouts will be conducted under the A. A. C. rules, the franchise having been granted to the two men in charge.

Elimination bouts will be conducted in the following classes: 115 pounds, 125 pounds, 135 pounds and 147 pounds and plenty of action is promised. Entry blanks may be obtained from either Mr. Madison or Mr. Benkwt at Columbus Civic Center. Prices for admission will be \$5.00 for general admission and \$1.00 for reserved seats.

Madison who will handle the bouts is a graduate of Dartmouth College in the class of 1924 and has held the New England and Western New York amateur boxing championships in the years 1926, 1927 and 1928. Benkwt is a graduate of the University of California in the class of 1928. He will take care of the clerical and financial details of the bouts.

Society to Receive Nocturnal Members

A reception of new members into the Rochester Nocturnal Adoration Society will take place, Saturday evening, October 29, in Our Lady Chapel, Plymouth Avenue North. The new members will be received by the Rev. Msgr. Charles P. Shay, director of the Society. The customary all-night vigil before the Blessed Sacrament will take place starting Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

RETURN HOME Mr. and Mrs. William P. Stichel have returned from their summer home at Westminister Park, Thousand Islands, and are residing at 11 Appleton Street.

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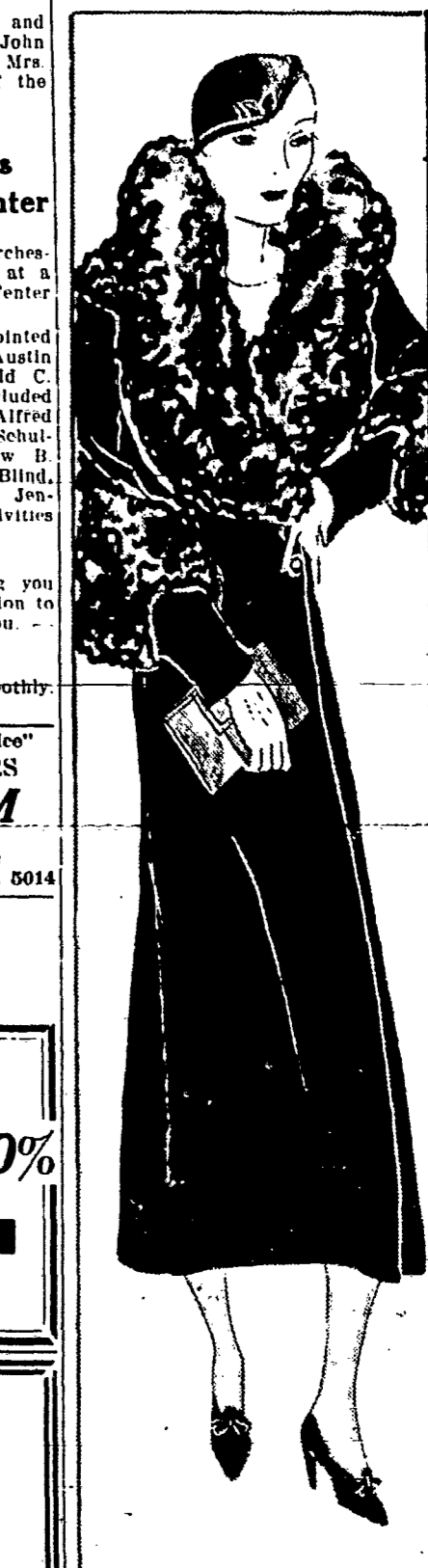
Somerville Gets Important Post In Washington

Congratulations were extended by his numerous friends in Rochester to Harry P. Somerville, recently resigned manager of the Hotel Sagamore, on his appointment as manager of the famous New Willard Hotel in Washington. D. C. Many dinners were given in his and Mrs. Somerville's honor during the week.

The announcement of Mr. Somerville's appointment came as a distinct surprise to his many friends here. During his administration of the affairs of the Sagamore, Mr. Somerville has been active in civic and fraternal circles. In every Catholic organization in which he holds membership he has shown exemplary participation in the activities of that organization. Accepting no office, he has, however, served faithfully and efficiently on committees and his leaving Rochester will be a loss to the many circles in which he moved. The same is true of his wife, who just recently conducted a successful card party for the Vincentian mission girls who are going to China. Their daughter is a student at Mercyhurst College, Erie, Pa.

Although all of their friends are happy over the important post accorded Mr. Somerville, all have expressed regret over the Somerville family's leaving Rochester.

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