

"Artistic and Reverent" Christmas Cantata Presented by Nazareth College Glee Club

The production of the Christmas Cantata by the Glee Club of Nazareth College on Thursday evening of last week in Nazareth Academy auditorium, held its audience spellbound for a few tardy and hesitant moments with a definitely conscious realization of almost flawless beauty.

Catholic Bowling League

The H. R. A. A. team in the Catholic Bowling League last Friday evening, won two games from St. Stanislaus with a score of 2-1. The H. R. A. A. hitting high three-games total of 585. The St. Stanislaus team in its win had a 1006 total. St. George team with Schoen rolling a 654 for three games won two games from St. Boniface.

Some heavy hitting was done by the 200 bowlers Friday. A. Scheuch had 257, 235 and 227; Glechaut, 203 and Weber 207 and 224 on the H. R. A. A. team. For St. Stanislaus the following rolled above 200: Kowalski, 234 and 234; Kowalewski, 242; Oriek, 238 and 230. St. Boniface team 200 bowlers were: Bori, 236; Drees, 247; Ruby, 219; St. George's, Kirschner, 205; Hoffer, 222; Schoen, 235, 232; Ehrmanntrout, 215; Spies, 243, 204.

Table with columns for team names (H. R. A. A., ST. STANISLAUS, ST. BONIFACE, ST. GEORGE) and bowling scores for various bowlers.

Local Sodalis Present Imposing Spiritual Gift to Holy Father

When the special Christmas gift of all the Sodalis of the United States for His Holiness, Pope Pius XI is cabled today from the Central Office of Our Lady in St. Louis, the following report will go from the Sodalis of Rochester:

Table listing contributions from various churches and individuals, including Sacred Heart Church, Holy Rosary Church, St. Andrew's Church, Holy Apostles Church, Mt. Carmel Church, and St. Bridget's Church.

SPORT-O-GRAPHS

By Insider

A cross section of the aspirations of the typical, alert, aggressive and healthy Catholic American boy was proved recently in answers to a questionnaire circulated among 1,534 youngsters who entered the Catholic Youth Organization boxing tournament, conducted in Chicago. Only eight percent of the boys said they desired to become professional boxers.

The practice of law is the ultimate aim of 148 boys, while 440 of them want to follow the various branches of the building trade. 52 wanted to emulate Babe Ruth and be home run kings, four wanted to be generals in the Army. One lad said he would be interested in becoming governor of the state of Illinois. None wanted to be President of these United States Smart kids!

During the course of a hard-fought and exciting football game played between two Catholic colleges in Pennsylvania, this past season, came this announcement over the loud-speaker: "Levy substituting for O'Reilly." From the corner of the Stadium came this bawled interruption: "Murphy leaving the ball park."

In a recent interview with Noble Kizer, coach of the Purdue football team, James Braden, All American selection at Yale in 1931, now a sports writer, gave out this news to the public: "Before the opening kick-off of every game, the Purdue team buddies and repeats the Lord's Prayer, or, at least one of the best things in the world to draw players together as a team."

Purdue is a non-Catholic university, but Coach Kizer, in his college days, was one of the great star guards ever developed by the late Knute Rockne.

Plans have already been formulated by Loyola University officials at Chicago, for the staging of the 10th annual Catholic inter-scholastic basketball tournament. The championships will be held from March 22 to 26 in Chicago, with the defending champion, Rochester, as the first opponent.

St. Mary's Stars, Parochial School champions of Rochester, opened their season last week with an impressive 24 to 15 victory over the Aquinas Frosh Five.

Holy Apostles, pre-season choice of the majority of Catholic League fans, won the first half championship of the organization without losing a game. The Lynn Avenue quint was pressed but once in the first round-robin that time by Cathedral. Holy Apostles won 41 to 40 in an overtime game. These same clubs will stage a non-league fracas at the Columbus Civic Center gymnasium court on Christmas night.

Cathedral and St. Boniface finished in a dead heat for second place, each with three wins and two defeats. Cathedral's quint was broken up on the day of the St. Boniface game and the latter came through with a ten point win. Coach Eli Mulvihill, of Cathedral.

Prominent Knight Is Heard on Air. John A. Doyle, district deputy of the Knights of Columbus who is head of the Doyle Detective Bureau is being heard over Station WHAM in a series of broadcasts based on actual experiences of the noted detective. The radio presentation of the true stories is prepared by Wayne A. Shoemaker of Copy-Art Service. The third in the series will be broadcast next Tuesday evening at 9:30 a. m.

College Girls Talk To Parish Groups. New Rochell, N. Y.—A newly formed group of New Rochelle College students are giving talks on Catholic Action before various clubs and parish organizations. The new college organization, called the Council of Debate Lecture Group has developed for its speakers six topics, all on Catholic Action. These subjects are: "Catholicism and the Modern Mind," "Catholic Education," "Catholicism in Literature," "Catholicism and the Drama," and "Conversion to the Faith."

Two of these talks already have been delivered. One was given before the Woman's Club of Holy Family church, here, and the other before St. Ursula's Guild, Mt. Vernon.

At Fr. Damien's Tomb



Rev. Joseph A. Sweeney, M. M. (left), of New Britain, Conn., and Rev. Peter d'Orgeval, SS. CC., chaplain of the Molokai leper colony, at the grave of Fr. Damien, here, in an article sketching the Catholic writer's life and evaluating her many notable novels.

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Holy Rosary Church Plans Midnight Mass

The Rev. Walter A. Poory, Ph.D., pastor, will celebrate the Christmas Midnight Mass at Holy Rosary Church assisted by the Rev. Joseph McDonnell, M.A., a deacon and the Rev. Mr. Francis Turner of St. Bernard's Seminary as subdeacon. Dr. Poory will preach the sermon at this Mass.

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Stella Maris Campers Pow-wow All Day Affair

Boys who attend Camp Stella Maris in the summer will hold their annual mid-winter pow-wow at Durand-Eastman Park all day Wednesday, December 23. About 150 boys are expected to attend. The Rev. George Vogt, director of the Camp is in charge of arrangements. Headed by Father Vogt, the Rev. Gerald C. Lambert, who is advisor to the Camp; the Rev. Benedict A. Ehmman the Rev. Leonard A. Kelly, the Rev. Joseph Vogt, and other former counsellors at the camp, the boys will leave Columbus Civic Center at about 9:30 Wednesday morning in chartered cars.

Nazareth College To Conduct Statistics Extension Course

The Secretarial Department of Nazareth College will offer a course in Business and Educational Statistics on Friday afternoons from 4 to 6, beginning January 6. The course will carry 2 college credits. Business teachers and college graduates or students preparing to teach commercial subjects or who are preparing to do research work into which statistics enter, will find the course of value. The class will be held at the College building at 402 Augustine Street.

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