

Fr. LeBuffe, Noted Jesuit, Describes Evidence Guild In Timely Article

The Rev. Francis P. LeBuffe, S.J., associate editor of America who has written the prospective listeners...

The article quoted in full is as follows: The evidence guild is a Catholic organization which has been very much alone...

Two factors are required: study and definition. The study is a process to find out an essential...

A question is often raised whether only three groups should be called Catholic Evidence Guilds which have as their explicit purpose to parvey Catholic truths to non-Catholics...

It is certainly just as praiseworthy a bit of evidence work to back the borders of ignorance in a Catholic as to give totally new knowledge to a non-Catholic.

One must remember that the United States is a very large country and that needs and opportunities and tastes vary, both in those who would like to do something to spread God's truth, and in those who

Bishop's Brother Officiates



Officers of the Federal Mass included the Most Rev. William Turner, D.D., Bishop of Buffalo, with Rt. Rev. Msgr. John F. Roppel as assistant priest and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns (right) deacon, and the Rev. Thomas J. O'Hern, pastor of St. Bartholomew's Church, Buffalo, brother of Bishop O'Hern, subdeacon (left). The Rt. Rev. Msgr. John F. Goggin, master of ceremonies, is also shown in this photograph.

A Pioneer Name for a New Bridge

The State Highway between Auburn, N. Y., and Seneca Falls, N. Y., crosses the Seneca River within three miles of the outlet of Cayuga Lake. At the point of crossing, thirty persons have hitherto been confounded by the name "René Menard"...

Between May, 1856, and March, 1858, Fr. René Menard was resident missionary of the Cayuga Indian Reservation. He combined in himself the highest qualities of scholarship and refinement with a sense of duty and disregard of the hardships of canoe and wilderness travel...

René Menard was born in Paris September 7, 1815. Three years later Champlain founded the city of Quebec on the St. Lawrence River, and four years later Hendrik Hudson explored the Hudson River as far north as Albany. In the ensuing years Dutch and French traders made contacts with the Iroquois. The stage for Fr. Menard was being set...

Requiem Mass for Bishop O'Hern Sung at St. Mary's, Auburn

Auburn.—A solemn high Mass of requiem in honor of the late Most Rev. John Francis O'Hern, third Bishop of Rochester, was celebrated at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning in St. Mary's Church at the request of the Auburn Council...

The impressive services constituted Auburn's tribute of respect and love for their departed Father in Christ, Bishop O'Hern. The services were held in St. Mary's Church because of the fact that Bishop O'Hern began his career in the priesthood as an assistant to the late Rev. William Matheron, former pastor of St. Mary's Church.

Activities in Auburn

Forty Hour services at St. Patrick's Church in the village of Moravia opened at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. Services were conducted each morning and on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings. The sermon on Sunday evening was preached by Rev. George M. Kabb, pastor of Our Lady of the Lake Church, Church, Ludlowville, Monday evening the sermon was delivered by Rev. H. J. Doerbeck, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Moravia. Rev. John M. Sullinger, pastor of St. Anthony's Church at Getzton, preached at the services on Tuesday evening.

The Young Ladies Sodality of Holy Family Church held its annual banquet and reception Monday evening at Lakeside Inn. Doct. of Owasco Lake. Miss Mary Hayden was general chairman of the function and was assisted by Margaret Brady, Audrey Derby, Gertrude Kennedy, Catharine Convery, Marie Walker, Mary Jacoko, Nora Donovan, Mary Curry, Marie Fitzgerald, Alice Kaiser, Florence Cuddy, Virginia Holger, Mildred Rooney, Bernadine Youtt, Margaret Shea, Lillian Donahue and Margaret Scott.

Events connected with the various Catholic churches and organizations, originally scheduled for last week, have been postponed indefinitely on account of the sudden death of Bishop O'Hern.

Members of the Flower Guild of Mercy Hospital are making plans for their banquet to be held Wednesday evening, June 13, at Springside Inn, west side of Owasco Lake. The committee, assisting Miss Blanche O'Grady, general chairman, is composed of the Misses Geraldine Lower, Mary Hayden, Margaret McConnell, Tessie Kessan, Helen Powers, Marie McGovern, Agnes Ganley, Catherine Coffey, Helen Scholey, Jessie Moffitt, Helen Comaty, Laura Fley and Audrey Derby.

The Nocturnal Adoration Society hold its monthly meeting Saturday

Bishop Walsh Officiates At Three Confirmations In Auburn Churches

Auburn.—Most Rev. Emmett M. Walsh, D.D., Bishop of Charleston, S. C., administered the Sacrament of Confirmation to large classes Sunday afternoon and evening in three churches in this city. Bishop Walsh, who has paid episcopal visits to Auburn before, officiated in the place of the late Bishop John Francis O'Hern.

At 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Bishop Walsh confirmed a class of 93 at St. Aloysius Church of which Rev. John B. Crowley is pastor. He then administered the Sacrament to a class of 156 at 6:30 o'clock in the afternoon at St. Mary's Church of which Dr. William B. Cowen is pastor. Assisting him at the services were Rev. John B. Crowley, Father Julius, Rev. Edward Lyons of Seiplo, Rev. Charles Reynolds of Rochester and Rev. William Bergan, Catholic chaplain at Auburn Prison.

His third and final administration of the Sacrament for the day was upon a class of 125 at 8 o'clock Sunday evening at St. Hyacinth's Church of which Rev. Jerome Holzbower, O.M.C., is the pastor.

evening at Holy Family Church. At 9:30 o'clock there was a reception of new members followed by the adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament throughout the hours of the night. Various groups each in attendance one hour kept vigil during the night.

The month of May devotions at St. Mary's Church were brought to a close Wednesday evening with a reception of new members into the Young Ladies Sodality, a sermon by Rev. Bartholomew L. Gulik of Seneca Falls and the crowning of the statue of the Blessed Virgin.

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ITHACA ITEMS

By LOUISE PATRICKA PAUL The Young Ladies Sodality of the Immaculate Conception Church held a picnic Tuesday, May 29, at Taughanook Falls State Park.

The Nocturnal Adoration Society met Saturday evening at the church.

Thirty-five altar boys were present at the annual picnic on May 29 at Taughanook Falls.

Members of the Young Ladies Sodality received communion in a body at the 7 o'clock Mass Sunday morning.

Woman over much in Mary; but man's debt to her is still greater. The Madonna has humbled the heart, purified his life, raised his character. — Archbishop John J. Keane.

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