

**NUN, LEPER, DIES**  
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**OLD CATHOLIC BASEBALL LEAGUE'S SUCCESS GIVES INSPIRATION TO YOUTH TODAY, REUNION REVEALS**

Regardless of what the years have done for them in their positions in life, 110 old members of the Catholic Baseball League that existed during 1901 to 1904 assembled in the Rathskellar of the American Brewing Company Thursday evening of last week to be transported back in memory to those hallowed days at Geneva Valley Park which saw these men, then boys, performing so well on the baseball field as to attract record breaking attendance and to make local baseball history that has not dimmed with time.

It was not a Supreme Court Justice, a doctor, a lawyer, a successful business man or a man concerned with any present day occupation, it was "Hawkes," "Bill," "Judy," "Junk" and other nicknames so deeply, sentimentally reminiscent of the inter-parish activities on the ball field at the turn of the century.

Gathered together for the first time since playing days the former ball players were as happy as they were when their teams won on the old South Park diamonds. To direct the festivities Supreme Court Justice William F. Love who wore an immaculate Conception uniform in those days acted as toastmaster.

In the course of his remarks he recalled the spirit of clean play and

good sportsmanship engendered in the league, a spirit so well developed that it has transcended three decades of year and exists today as an inspiration for Catholic young manhood of the present day. Although every player in those days was in the grip of fighting his best to win, enmities were carried off the ball field and beautiful friendships were formed which the gathering demonstrated had stood the test of time. And these were not confined to the men of Catholic faith alone, many others having been drawn into league by their playing ability and fine characters.

Reminiscences, mostly of a humorous nature, but which showed the strong bond of good fellowship which the league had formed were given by Leo A. MacSweeney, George Hawkes, "Judy" Lawley, James Collins, John Lane, Dr. James Flynn, Patrick Boland, Big Bill Sullivan, Joe Courtney, Joe (Junk) Graigon of Geneva, Archie Sharp who spoke for his twin, Edgil, also present, and others. A period of silent prayer was observed for league members who have died.

Commendation of the other fellows' prowess on the ball field was the gist of the talks. The reason for the delay in many a game was given by Justice Love who said that George Hawkes and his team "Navy" supposed to bring the equipment were too often a half hour late. Many other instances well remembered by the former players were recounted.

Telegram poured in from various parts of the country from Vic Schiltzer, former Boston and Philadelphia American star in Boston; Bill McNamara, Clinton, Iowa; Bill Klein, National League umpire, now in Orlando, Fla., who started in the old Catholic League; James (Rip) Collins, Jacksonville; Frank Boyle, Waterloo, Iowa baseball magazine; John Heydler, president of the National League and Walter (Rabbit) Maraville from his hospital bed in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Before the meeting had progressed very far it was voted to form a permanent organization and a committee consisting of Chairman Leo MacSweeney, Charles Heveron and John Murray retired to return with the following slate, later elected. President William Marks, Vice President George Hawkes, Secretary George J. Sullivan and Treasurer William J. Carey.

Scrap books showing clippings of games played by the teams in the League Holy Apostles, Immaculate Conception, St. Bridget's, St. Boniface, St. Mary's, St. Menoias and Cathedral, attracted much interest as did photographs of some of the teams.

Copies of the CATHOLIC COURIER containing an account of one of the games rewritten by William E. McCarthy for last week's edition were distributed.

Arrangements for the dinner were handled by James Heveron, George Sullivan and James Garin.

Incomplete records may have resulted in some former players connected with the league being omitted from the roster of the new organization. Such are invited to notify Assistant Postmaster George J. Sullivan at the Rochester Main Post-office. Other activities are being planned for the organization.

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**THE LAST WOLF**  
Among the daily dangers to be encountered by the early inhabitants of Rochester was the menace of Wolves.

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**April 18 Set For Irish Minstrels At K. of C. Auditorium**

Conflict of dates at Columbus Civic Center Auditorium has caused the Cathedral Irish Minstrels presentation to be postponed until Wednesday, April 18.

Rehearsals are bringing the Minstrels to old-time form, it is announced by the Rev. John S. Randall in charge of the show. Jack Lee, WHAM announcer will be interlocutor. F. Leo Hogan, an Irish minstrel favorite will be again in one of the end chairs. Walter Wheelahan of Paddy Hill Players will sing "It's the Irish in Me" from a current success.

Ballad singers will include Harry Bucher, Eugene McCabe, Edward Sweeney and Wilfred Lappan. Tickets are on sale at Keanealy's Restaurant and at Trant's Book Store.

**Card Party Is Planned For Catholic Evidence Library On April 24th**

Card party in the ballroom of the Columbus Civic Center Building on Tuesday, April 24, at 8:15 p. m., will be held for the benefit of the Catholic Evidence Library. Mrs. Benedict Ehmman Sr. is general chairman of the party, and a corps of volunteers is already at work in distributing tickets. The entire proceeds of the party will be used in the purchasing of new books for the service of the public.

All are invited to attend. Tickets may be obtained at any time at the lobby desk of Columbus Civic Center, or at the Library during its open hours. Price of tickets is 35c.

It is claimed by an eminent statistician that every woman of seventy has spent six thousand hours before a mirror. But that is nothing. There are men of seventy who have spent seven thousand hours over a glass.

**Central Verein Branch To Greet National Head**

Arrangements for meeting and conference with John Eibeck of Pittsburgh, president of the Catholic Central Verein of America who will arrive in Rochester Saturday are being made by officers of the Catholic Men's Federation, this week.

President Eibeck is coming to make arrangements for the annual convention of the national organization here in August. Conferences will be held Saturday afternoon and evening with committees headed by President Joseph T. Otto of the local unit at Hotel Seneca.

Sunday afternoon, President Eibeck will address a joint meeting of the Catholic Men's Federation and the Catholic Women's Union. Present also at this meeting will be Dr. A. Maron of the State Branch of the Central Verein and Mrs. Margaret Lohr, president of the State Branch of the Catholic Women's Union, both of whom are coming here to make arrangements for the state conventions of their respective societies.

At this meeting the Federation will take further consideration of the proposed Ross bill in the State Legislature and active opposition to it will be stressed. Discussion of the proposed Child Labor Amendment and other pending legislation will take place.

President Eibeck will stay over until Monday when he will confer with diocesan officials regarding the coming national convention.

Members of the Women's Federation are arranging for a grand card party for the convention fund at the Hotel Seneca on April 24.

**Knights of Columbus To Assist Auxiliary At Family Party**

Members of Rochester Council active in a membership campaign which will be brought to a close Monday evening in the K. of C. rooms, Columbus Civic Center Building, will take time off Saturday evening to assist members of the Ladies Auxiliary in staging a "family night party" featuring a style show and cards in Columbus Auditorium at 8:30 o'clock.

The card party and fashion revue is attracting wide interest and it is expected to draw a large crowd of friends of the Knights.

Reports on the membership campaign will be made Monday evening to Grand Knight Walter E. O'Neil. Indications this week are that the report is progressing well. A report will be made tonight by team workers headed by John F. Sharkey and Charles P. Raymond.

Details of the campaign are being handled by Financial Secretary Paul A. Redmore and his assistant Thomas E. McCarthy.

**Knights of St. John Arrange for Crowd At Military Ball**

With plans practically completed for the Regimental Inspection, Review and Military Ball of Rochester Regiment, Knights of St. John to be held Thursday evening, April 19, at Columbus Civic Center Building, officers of the Regiment are looking forward to attendance by a large audience.

Interest in this public review and ball of the Knights is greater this year, it is believed, due to the fact that it will be the first event of its kind held in five years. Added interest is lent by the approach of the International Convention of the Knights of St. John scheduled for June in Syracuse which will attract uniform companies of the Rochester Regiment.

The inspection of the uniformed men will take place privately in the usual two battalion formation. The first battalion under Major Fred J. Wegman the second under Major Fred J. Runz. Mass formation and review will show close to 800 men in line with Colonel Frank H. Bell, K.H.S., in command. Inspection will be in charge of Inspector Edmund Braun and will be held in another part of the Columbus Building, not to interfere with the military ball in the main auditorium.

Plans and arrangements have been completed by Colonel William H. Ross, last year's commander, aided by Inspector Braun, Major Wegman, Major Runz, Adjutant Joseph E. Wendekass, A.D.C. Louis Hofbauer, Lieut. Al Miller, Lieut. Charles H. Mura, Lieut. Edward Katzenberger, A.D.C. Francis Kohlmeier, Captain August Zeitvogel, Sergeant Louis Kuhn, Quartermaster John G. Littner, Lieut. Charles Keller and Sir Knight Leo Roth.

Commanderies to take part are: St. Mauritius, Captain Joseph Wandler, St. George, Captain Victor Knittle, St. Eustace, Captain Emil G. Eckert, St. Boniface, Captain Wendel Maeder, St. Peter and Paul, Captain Frank C. Klüber, St. Michael, Captain John Gutberlet, Holy Family, Captain John Braun, St. Louis, Captain Zeitvogel, St. Bernard's, Captain Joseph Dreschler, Cathedral, Captain Francis Bott.

During inspection, exhibition drills be given by St. Boniface Auxiliary District team, in command of Captain Maeder and Ladies Auxiliary District Drill team under Major Wegman. Dancing will follow from 9 to 12 with Ray Fagan in charge of music.

**Mercury High Alumnae Players To Present Comedy On April 18**

The Alumnae Association of Our Lady of Mercy High School will present a 3 act comedy, entitled "A Woman In The House" on Wednesday evening, April 18, at Blessed Sacrament Hall, corner of Oxford Street and Monroe Avenue. Dancing will follow the play with music furnished by the Hi-Lo Men.

Members of the cast for the play are: Susanne McCarthy, Rita Knauf, Marjorie Howland, Marie Lavelle, Claire Louise Harvey, Etta Marie Heberle, Bernice Cahill, Fred Gerger, John McManus, Thomas Dennis, and Justin Knauf.

Committees in charge of the various arrangements are as follows: Ticket Committee, Catherine Stauder, Chairman, Bernice Cahill, Arlene Roth, Ruth Sharer, Marjorie Doyle, Catherine Vick, Jeanette Gove, Helen Monks, Anna Hoffman, Alice Echter, Catherine Ribson, Mary Helen Hayes; Makeup Committee, Joseph Otto, assisted by Loretta Baker and Alene D'Ambrosia; Wardrobe Committee, Marie Dodge, Chairman, Bernadine Dennis, Madlyn Foley, Property Manager, Eunice Schneider; Orchestra, Ushers, and Program Committee; Vera Goekel, Chairman, Bernice Renaud, Catherine Ribson, Helen Burke, Marion Gores, Esther Cleary, Margaret Malley, Regina Maloney, Margaret Glaser, Jeanette Thompson; Publicity Committee, Ruth Sharer, Chairman, Dorothy Fennelsky, Ann Moran, Margaret Grimes, Eunice Schneider.

**Chicken Dinner, Social Scheduled April 18, 19 At St. Theodore's Hall**

St. Theodore parishioners will hold a chicken dinner and social in the school hall, Spencerport Road, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, April 18 and 19, to which the Rev. John J. Baier, pastor invites the public.

Dinner will be served from 5 to 8 each evening; Orchestra music will be furnished during and after the dinner. On Wednesday evening, Amesbury orchestra will play and on Thursday evening, Ray Hennessy's orchestra. General chairman is Jerome Vir Ware, with Mrs. Ruth Hauck in charge of the dinner. Tickets are 50c for adults, and 25c for children.

Some men, like a wet dog, sprinkle a shower of advice over you when you're least prepared for the bath.—Austin O'Malley.

**Holy Name Tournament For Bowlers of Diocese To Close Entries April 18**

Entries in the second annual Holy Name Bowling Tournament sponsored by the Catholic Men's Bowling Association which opens Monday evening, April 23, on Columbus Civic Center alleys, will close at midnight, April 18. It is announced this week by Secretary H. T. Johnson.

Indications point to 175 five-man teams from parishes and organizations in Rochester and towns in the various deaneries of the diocese. Secretary Johnson announced this week that Sunday, April 29, is being held open for other entries from points outside of Rochester.

Over 122 five-man teams of bowlers from the various Catholic leagues and other teams have already been signed for the tournament which promises to afford an even greater spirit of enthusiasm than last year. Diocesan officials including the Rev. William Stauder, director of the Holy Name Union are expected to be present on the opening night.

Cash prizes and medals will be awarded. Three classes in the tournament are: A—900 and over average; B—825 to 900 average; and C—750 to 825.

It is expected that many of the teams will be accompanied by their followers as last year and every night of the tournament will attract crowds to Columbus alleys.

Entries may be filed personally or by writing at Columbus Civic Center, 50 Chestnut Street, Rochester, N. Y., with the Rev. Gerald C. Lambert or Secretary Johnson.

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