

Msgr. Hart Lays Cornerstone for New St. George Lithuanian Church

Several hundred Lithuanian-Americans participated Sunday, November 11 in ceremonies marking the laying of the cornerstone for the new St. George's Church in Hudson Avenue.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V. G., officiated in the absence of the Most Rev. Archbishop Edward Mooney, bishop of Rochester diocese. Monsignor Hart congratulated the parishioners who have already subscribed sufficient funds to assure payment for the edifice. The Rev. John Baskys, pastor of St. George's assisted Monsignor Hart.

The parish church, strong in its zeal for religion and rendering community services in its training for citizenship, was extolled by the Rev. John Ambot of Hartford, Conn., president of the Eastern States and Boston Province of the Lithuanian Roman Catholic Priests' League of America.

Speaking in Lithuanian and English, Father Ambot said the real training for responsible citizenship must come through church and school and the situation is ideal when the two are joined as in the parochial institutions.

Services, conducted under the flags of the United States and Lithuania, opened with a procession from the church to the site of the new building with members of St. Peter and Paul's, St. George's, St. Mary's and other parish societies preceding the ecclesiastical party. Four altar boys in red cassocks bore the cross, the incense and two lighted candles.

Among the priests at the services were: the Rev. William F. Stauder, pastor of Holy Redeemer Church; the Rev. Joseph A. Balcerak, pastor, St. Stanislaus Church; the Rev. George W. Eckl, pastor, St. Andrew's and the Rev. Albert Geiger, assistant pastor, Holy Redeemer.

Committee members for the program included: Father Baskys, Joseph Ricki, Joseph Moejunas, Felix Paluykis, Charles Zloyhus, Joseph Brown, Frank Shulla, John Levickas, Stanley Navinskas, Andrew Stirma, Peter Norikalein, Theodore Paluykis, Peter Pikunas and John Kavolunias.

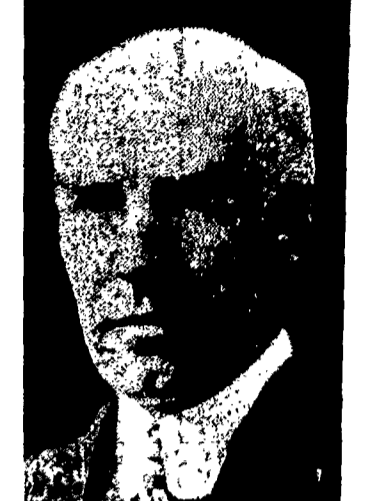
Contracts for the church, which will cost \$30,000, have been awarded and it is expected the church will be ready for use by spring. It will be of modern Gothic design, constructed of pressed brick and trimmed with cut cast stone and seat 650 persons. The site is on the northwest corner of Hudson Avenue and Weegee Street, with a 50-foot frontage on Hudson Avenue.

Final Rites Held For M. F. Sammons, Former Editor

Funeral services for Maurice F. Sammons, former editor of the **CATHOLIC COURIER** who died Nov. 7 were conducted Saturday morning from the home, 112 Albemarle Street and at Sacred Heart Church.

A large assemblage of clergy and lay friends including members of the Knights of Columbus were present to pay their last respects.

Mass was celebrated by the Rt.



Maurice F. Sammons

Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns, pastor of Sacred Heart Church assisted by the Rev. David J. Dooling of Utica as deacon and the Rev. Robert P. O'Connor, also of Utica, as subdeacon. In the sanctuary were: The Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V. G., and the Reverend Leo C. Mooney, Louis Edelman of Pittsford, Norbert Wagner, James E. McKay, Benedict A. Ehrmann, George C. Vogt, John M. Duffy, Owen Feller and John E. Ryan.

Active bearers were: Thomas Maher, Thomas Murray, Frank Hayes, Frank T. Curtin, John P. Keating and Daniel Donohue.

Delegations from Rochester Assembly, Fourth Degree and Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus served as honorary bearers.

The body was taken to Utica for burial.

Two Card Parties To Provide Funds For Catholic Deaf

A two-nights card party will be held for the benefit of the Catholic Deaf-mutes of Rochester on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 20 and 21, in St. Joseph's School Hall, Franklin Street. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments served each night. Tickets are 35 cents.

The Rev. William A. Doherty, S.S.R., of St. Joseph's Church under whose care the Catholic Deaf-mutes are at present, in commenting upon the need for assistance in the work said this week:

"The care of the Deaf is as dear to the Heart of Christ as the care of the Hearing, and just as important a duty upon the Church. It is obvious, however, that the assistance of hearing people is vitally necessary for the furtherance of this work.

"To help in sponsoring it should appeal to the tender sentiments of every Catholic heart. Societies have been formed whose special object is to sponsor efforts expended in behalf of the blind and other afflicted members of Christ's fold, but it seems that the Deaf are left to struggle alone. We appeal to the Catholic instinct that finds its outlet in charitable endeavors to assist in this divine work of caring for those whose handicap is so deplorable.

Father Doherty also expressed his gratitude to all who have aided him in his work.

St. John Chevaliers Set November 24 for Thanksgiving Party

Plans are completed for the annual Thanksgiving Party to be sponsored by Rochester Chapter, Chevaliers, No. 3, Knights of St. John to be held Saturday evening, November 24 at St. Francis Xavier Hall on Bay Street.

All Auxiliaries and friends of the Knights are invited. Tickets are in the hands of all members of Rochester Regiment and Auxiliary branches. Dancing and a general good time is assured all who attend. Proceeds will be used for the annual Charity Christmas Fund. Shipmates Orchestra will play for dancing.

Committee consists of: Chairman Louis Kuhn, Comm. 272; Secretary, Frank C. Klueber, Com. 28; Treasurer, Louis Hofmayr, Com. 23; Al Miller, 43; Roman Heinlein, 43; Joseph Wendelgass, 9; Emil Eckert, 33; Francis Koester, 137; Thomas Herlichy, 100; Frank George, 17; Stephen Kuchman, 40; Clarence Roy, 25.

EVERY FAMILY SUBSCRIBES

Hot Springs, Ark.—(NCWC)—Every family in St. John's parish here now subscribes to *The Guardian*, official organ of the Diocese of Little Rock.

Fourth Degree Head Outlines Program At Dinner Given In His Honor by K. C.

As a program of "patriotic service" for Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus in the Fifth District, the new Master, City Court Judge Frederick J. Mix, announced at a dinner given in his honor, Saturday evening in Columbus Civic Center dining room, that he would recommend to all Assemblies, the study and serious consideration of the Constitution of the United States and of the Pope's Encyclical, "On the Reconstruction of the Social Order."

Judge Mix after expressing appreciation for laudatory comments of speakers of the evening touched upon the situation this country now finds itself in and said it was the duty of Catholic manhood as represented in the Fourth Degree to become fully informed of the principles enunciated by the Holy Father for sound social reform. He advocated not only the study for solution of problems of the day but transmitting the information gained in the communities comprising the Fifth District.

In the name of the Fourth Degree Knights District Deputy John A. Doyle presented the guest of honor with a walnut gavel bearing a gold band inscribed for the occasion. Judge Mix said in accepting it he hoped to use it in his official capacity as Judge and as head of the Fifth District "with justice to all."

Speakers and out-of-town guests introduced by the toastmaster, Cyril J. Starr, included: Master John F. Barrett, Syracuse; Past Master William T. Connor; Charter Member, Charles R. Barnes; Grand Knight, Dr. Walter B. O'Neill; Grand Commander Emmett J. O'Neill of the Alhambra.

Congratulatory messages were read from Elmira Assembly, Fourth Degree; and Past Master, Frank H. Shields of Auburn.

Guests presented also included: Congressman-elect, James P. R. Duffy, K.S.G.; K.M.; State Senator-elect, Norman A. O'Brien; District Deputy, Thomas J. Solan, Ithaca; and Past Faithful Navigator, William J. McLane, Auburn.

Master Barrett in the principal address eloquently lauded his successor as head of the Fifth District and outlined the benefits to be derived from membership in the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, which he said are religious, fraternal, philanthropic, educational, ethical and patriotic in nature.

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Christmas shopping is a mere matter of days ahead. In fact, smart (and thrifty) shoppers are busy now. Shop earlier! Selections are complete and prices are in the pre-holiday range. And don't forget to look first in these pages to find your

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ARE EASILY located in the advertising columns of this newspaper. Rochester business men know that our readers look here for shopping news that is timely and appropriate, and advertise accordingly.

YOUR ATTENTION is especially called to "Gift List Answers" appearing next week in Suzanne's column of take-a-tote shopping hints, "As One Woman to Another," on Page Two.

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Thanksgiving Festival At Coldwater on Nov. 21

A Thanksgiving Festival will be held at Holy Ghost Church Hall, Coldwater under the auspices of the Holy Name Society, Wednesday evening, November 21 at 8:15 o'clock.

Cordial invitation is extended to all parishioners and their friends by the members of the Holy Name Society and the pastor, the Rev. P. A. Erras.

Live fowl, including turkeys, ducks and chickens will be on sale.

Blessed is the nobody. His feelings aren't hurt when somebody forgets how important he is.—Thomas-Times.

St. Ambrose Bazaar To Honor Fr. Burke Set Nov. 22, 23, 24

A festival and bazaar for the benefit of the parish is to be held in St. Ambrose Hall, Culver Road and Empire Boulevard, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, Nov. 22, 23 and 24.

This will be the first parish-wide activity since the appointment of the Rev. John F. Burke as Administrator of St. Ambrose parish. The bazaar is expected to be in the nature of a public reception and testimonial to the new Administrator who is one of the youngest priests in active charge of a parish in the Diocese of Rochester.

Father Burke has been attached to St. Ambrose parish as Assistant Pastor for several years and is widely known throughout the city. His many friends and acquaintances are cordially invited by the committee in charge to attend the Bazaar and renew acquaintances with the new Administrator.

Frank L. Hemple is general chairman of committee in charge of the bazaar and Mrs. Elmer Hohman is vice-chairman. The following committees assisting: Candy booth, Mrs. Ernest Bunn; Fancy booth, Mrs. Charles Carman; Bingo booth, Elmer Hohman; Drug store, William A. Rudi; Fish Pond, Mrs. Burt Caley; Cashiers, Charles Hohman; Construction and Electricity, John Schneider.

Reception, Dr. Joseph Inavoo; Door, John Byrne; Cooked Food booth, Mrs. John Howe; Finance, Walter Taylor; Cat Game, Charles Raymond; Good Luck Booth, Frank J. Cournein; Cigars and Cigarettes, John Garin; Groceries, Louis Chur; Doll Booth, Mrs. C. Javet; Hots and Coffee, Ed. Bauman; Publicity, B. Edward Schlesinger.

Good Shepherd Nuns to Hold Christmas Sale At Holy Angel's Home

Sisters of the Good Shepherd in charge of Holy Angel's Home on Winton Road North invite friends of the school to a Christmas Sale to be held at the Home, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 21 to 26 inclusive.

From 2:30 to 8:30 each day, baked goods will be on sale and light luncheons served. There will be an exhibit of needle work and home-made candy will be sold.

The Sisters this week ask as many as possible to attend the sale to aid the work they are doing for young girl of school age.

Theater Guild in Play At Holy Angel's Home

Members of the Catholic Theater Guild who were in the cast of "Minick," given at the German Club House recently repeated the performance, Tuesday evening for the children of Holy Angel's Home, conducted by Sisters of the Good Shepherd, on Winton Road North.

The play was directed by Amy L. Vignas Hutchinson.

Central Verein Group Plans Busy Schedule For Meeting Sunday

Catholic Central Verein of America, Rochester Branch, will hold its regular monthly meeting Sunday afternoon, November 18, at 3 p. m. in St. Joseph's Hall, Franklin Street.

Preparations will be completed for the holding of the annual celebration of the patronal feast of the Rochester Branch, the Immaculate Conception, which will take place at Holy Family Church early in December.

The meeting will continue the discussion of the resolution on strikes and lockouts adopted by the Catholic Central Verein of America at its annual convention held in the city last August. Some discussion of this resolution was held at the October meeting of the Rochester Branch, and so important is the subject that it was voted to give over the whole discussion period of the November meeting to a full treatment of this resolution.

In view of the interest that is being shown from day to day in the question of strikes and lockouts, all members and all delegates are urged to make an especial effort to be present at Sunday's meeting and take part in the discussion.

Inasmuch as this week is Education week, the resolution on Education adopted at the same convention of the Catholic Central Verein of America will be read and the major points will be amplified.

The committee investigating the matter of the establishment of credit unions has been at work since the November meeting and will make its report at the meeting Sunday afternoon.

Holy Cross Parish to Hold Supper, Bazaar

Final preparations have been made for the turkey supper and bazaar to be given under the auspices of Holy Cross Church, Wednesday evening, November 21 at Holy Cross School Auditorium, Latta Road east of Lake Avenue. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 8:30. The Poultry sale will be one of the outstanding features of the bazaar.

Henry Gabe, general chairman, will be assisted by the following committee: Supper, Mrs. Marie Reis; Serving, Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson; Fancy Booth, Mrs. James Quinn; Games, Ralph Klem; Poultry Booth, Lawrence Savage; Checking, Chester Reis; Reception, Henry Schwartz. All friends and former parishioners are invited. Tickets may be obtained at Holy Cross Rectory or at the auditorium.

St. Andrew's Parish to Hold Block Card Party

Block 7 card party will be held, Thursday evening, Nov. 22 in St. Andrew's School Hall for the benefit of St. Andrew's Church.

General chairman, Mrs. Jacob Buser, is being assisted by co-chairmen, Mrs. Joseph Laemlein and Mrs. George Butta; block chairman, Mrs. Thomas Eagan, Mrs. Leo Weidenborner, Mrs. Albert Brocco, Mrs. George Whalen, Mrs. Charles Cook, Mrs. Emma Kinde, Mrs. George Geiger, Miss Marguerite Buell.

A handsome pair of hand-made lace pillow cases will be awarded at each table. Bridge, pedro and pinochle will be played. An invitation is extended by the Rev. George W. Eckl, and assistants, the Rev. Arthur Florack and the Rev. Frank Kleehammer to all friends of St. Andrew's Church, both in and out of the parish to attend. Tickets are \$35 each and may be purchased at the door.

Smith: "My wife sure is thrifty. She made me a necktie out of an old dress of hers."
Jones: "That's nothing. My wife made her a dress out of one of my ties."

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A work of art in glass! An eight-piece punch set in decorated glass-ware, six glasses, a tray, and a covered decanter with ladle \$25
- B from CHINA**
The marvel of this match box consists of the charming intricacy of the blended colorings of hand-carved real stone on a background of quartz. And all of this was done by hand! . . . \$1.50
- C from CHINA**
A cigarette box to match the match box described above. Of the same colorful character . . . the Chinese of which might easily have graced the homes of the Ming of old \$1.50
- D from ITALY**
History has it that Napoleon was so intrigued by the beauty of this lovely Caplinoite pottery that he subsidized and controlled the manufacture and distribution of it for himself and his friends. The vase sketched traces its ancestry to the Emperor's day \$15.
- E from ENGLAND**
The "antelope set" which is the subject of this paragraph combines three intricately-cut crystal bottles in a case which is topped by a bar that can be locked in place, a point in privacy \$15
- F from FRANCE**
Of Galle inspiration . . . this cut ground-glass vase in the optimistic contour of the famous "Cornucopia." The base is as black as onyx, and contrasts with the vase. Cut flowers acquire new beauty in a vase of such charm. \$15.50
- G from FRANCE**
A pictorial motif is ingeniously moulded into metal of dull black finish contrasted with gleaming chrome plating in a set of book ends that owes its origin to French imagination . . . \$11.50
- H from ENGLAND**
An ash receiver that has received more than an ordinary share of applause attendant upon introductory ceremonies. A light touch of the finger closes or opens the mouth of the tray. Of contrasting color bakelite \$5
- I from FRANCE**
A radical departure in clock styling! Modern to an extreme, and unusual to an extreme, with chrome-plated studs, repoussed, staid conventional figures and glistening crystal-like glass talking the place of the usual standard face. Jewelled movement \$15
- J from FRANCE**
There's room for cocktails on the onyx glass surface of this tray; and a place for cigarette boxes at the handled ends, a sort of "two-in-one" convenience \$12