

### Elmira Holy Name A. A. Teams Open Basketball Tournament

Elmira—Before a crowd of more than 300, opening games in the Holy Name Athletic Association basketball tournament were played Sunday at SS. Peter and Paul gymnasium. The gymnasium has been loaned the newly organized association as headquarters for 1935.

Some of Elmira's fastest teams are competing in the Holy Name tournament with prospects of keen competition before the season ends. Games

will be played every Sunday afternoon until March, when an all-star team will be selected to play two games against a Rochester all-star aggregation.

In the opener Sunday, SS. Peter and Paul five defeated St. Charles, 21 to 15. The game was close in all but the third period when the SS. Peter and Paul team outscored its opponent, 9 to 0 to gain its margin of victory.

St. John's won over St. Casimir's in another hard fought contest, 33 to 27 as the result of outscoring the Polish cagemen in the opening period, 8 to 0. St. Cecilia's defeated St. Mary's 24 to 15 in a game that was bitterly fought throughout. St. Mary's faltered in the second quarter, however, when they scored but one point while St. Cecilia's five registered nine and that was sufficient to pave the way for their defeat.

St. Patrick's won from St. Anthony's by forfeit when the latter parish failed to appear with a line-up of bonafide players. A pick-up team played under the name of St. Anthony's and was beaten by St. Patrick's, 29 to 18 but the official score of the contest was entered in the books as 2 to 0.

Games will be played next Sunday afternoon with the opener scheduled for 2:30 o'clock. The Association is governed by a group of 24 Holy Name members forming a Board of Trustees. The Board consists of eight sets of three men from each Holy Name Society represented in the Association.

Parishes in the Association which has been organized to promote and finance athletics among children in grade and high schools are the following: St. Anthony, St. Casimir, St. Cecilia, St. Charles, St. John, St. Mary, St. Patrick and St. Peter and Paul.

### Varied Problems Faced By Church In U. S. During Year of 1934

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Visitors of the U. S. Naval Academy, and also served as a delegate to the International Red Cross meeting in Tokyo. The Rev. Dr. Charles E. Fitzgerald, of New York, was named Spiritual Director of the North American College in Rome. Msgr. Joseph P. Hurley, of Cleveland, was named to the Papal Secretariate of State. The Rev. John J. Conidine, M. M., American priest who founded and for 10 years directed the Fides Service in Rome, was recalled to assist the Superior General of Maryknoll, Prof. John Armitage Stanton, formerly a professor at Notre Dame University, was ordained to the priesthood at the age of 71 years. The Rev. Alphonse M. Schwitalla, S. J., of St. Louis University, was named one of an American Medical Association committee of eight to re-examine and re-classify the medical schools of the country. The Rev. Robert J. White, National Chaplain of the American Legion, was elected American Vice President of FIDAC, international veterans' organization. The Rev. Edward L. Stephens, Director of the Propagation of the Faith in the Diocese of Richmond, was admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court. The Rev. Dr. Emmet Riley of Carroll University, was named by Governor Cooney to a four-year term on the Montana State Board of Education. The Very Rev. John P. J. Sullivan, of St. Francis College, Loretto, Pa., accepted appointment to the Emergency State Education Council for Cambria County.

The Laetare Medal for 1934 was awarded by the University of Notre Dame to Mrs. Genevieve Garvan Brady of New York. MOTHER SETON ANNIVERSARY. The year 1934 marked the 125th anniversary of the advent of Mother Elizabeth Seton and the first members of her religious community to the Valley of St. Joseph's at Emmitsburg, Md., and saw her cause for beatification progressing at Rome.

The former famous spa, West Baden Springs Hotel at West Baden, Ind., was donated by Edward Ballard, its non-Catholic owner, to the Chicago Province of the Society of Jesus, which converted the establishment into a house of study.

The Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, pastor of the Shrine of the Little Flower at Royal Oak, Mich., and noted radio speaker, announced the formation of a National Union for Social Justice which has for its aim a membership of 5,000,000.

A vigorous campaign against indecent motion pictures manifested itself in the Philippine Islands during the year, and a Catholic Radio Hour was inaugurated over Station KZRM in Manila. With the appointment of the Most Rev. Gabriel M. Reyes as Archbishop of Cebu, the first native Filipino priest was raised to archiepiscopal rank.

This week I shall begin to cultivate the habit of gratefulness.

We must not leave himself from the habit of gratefulness and the losses of others. He who is continuously practicing gratefulness and self-denial

### Local News Must Be Sent In Monday for Next Week

Due to New Year's Day coming on Tuesday next week, all publicity articles for future events in parishes, and organizations must be sent to the CATHOLIC COURIER Office, Columbus Civic Center Building by Monday of next week.

News arriving on Wednesday will not be guaranteed insertion in the issue of Jan. 8, 1935.

### Fr. Schlitzer of St. Joseph Parish Ordained In Rome

Word has been received of the ordination to the Holy Priesthood in the Basilica of St. John Lateran in Rome of the Rev. Albert Lawrence Schlitzer of 8 Grant Street, Rochester.

Father Schlitzer is the son of the late Joseph H. and Louise May Schlitzer, both long active in the affairs of St. Joseph's Church. He received his early education in St. Joseph's school and later was graduated from Notre Dame University.

Deciding after graduation to enter the Congregation of the Holy Cross, he made his novitiate and was sent to Rome seven years ago to continue his studies at the North American College. He has received the degree of doctor of philosophy and may continue his studies in Rome to gain the degree, doctor of theology.

A sister, Miss Dorothy M. Schlitzer of 8 Grant Street, and a cousin, Miss Elizabeth M. Gommenginger, also of Rochester, were in Rome for the ceremony.

Father Schlitzer has a brother, the Rev. Raymond G. Schlitzer, C.S.S.R., a member of the faculty of the Redemptorist College in Northeast, Pa.

### Nocturnal Adorers To Keep Vigil Saturday

Members of the Rochester Nocturnal Adoration Society will observe the customary all night vigil before the Blessed Sacrament in Our Lady Chapel of St. Patrick's Cathedral, beginning Saturday night, Dec. 29 at 10 o'clock and continuing in one hour shifts until 6 o'clock, Sunday morning.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles F. Shay, director will receive new members into the society at 9:30 o'clock. Secretary William G. Wynn extends an invitation to all Catholic men, and boys over 16 years of age to join.

When thou art troubled and afflicted, then is the time to gain merit. Thou must pass through fire and water before thou comest to rest and refreshment.—Thomas a Kempis.



### "I Say 'Try'; If We Never Succeed."

The advice of a man like Lincoln is not to be ignored or taken lightly. He knew what he was talking about—he surely "practiced what he preached!"

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Join our 1935 Christmas Club.

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89 East Avenue  
(Over A. B. Bldg.)

### Knights of Columbus To Have Open House On New Year's Day

The annual custom of Open House will be observed by Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus in the K. of C. Club Rooms, Columbus Civic Center Building on New Year's Day from 2 to 9 P. M.

Grand Knight, Dr. Walter B. O'Neill, and his staff of officers of the Council will receive during the afternoon with members of the House

Committee, headed by Warden Leo F. Rombaut, chairman, assisting Entertainment will be provided under the direction of Lecturer Charles F. Raymond. Lunch will be served with Charles G. McMahon in charge.

The open House is a custom that Rochester Council has observed for several years. Knights are permitted to bring relatives and friends to the Club rooms to enjoy the festivities and to extend greetings for the New Year.

Thursday night, Howard M. Woods will lead a discussion on Tax Exemption at the regular council meeting.

### St. Theodore's Parish Plans Holiday Social

A holiday social will be held at St. Theodore's Church hall, Spencerport Road, Friday evening, Dec. 28. The program includes card playing and music furnished by Sheehan's Old Time orchestra.

The public is invited by the Rev. John J. Baer, pastor. Committee in charge is headed by Joseph Liedl.

A gargle of salt and water is splendid for sore throat and inflamed gums.

### Dr. Craugh To Conduct S. H. Academy Holy Hour

The Holy Hour in preparation for the First Friday of January will be held at the Academy of the Sacred Heart, 8 Prince Street, on Thursday evening, Jan. 3. Rev. Wilfrid Craugh, D. D. will present the point of meditation.

Services start promptly at 7:30 and members of the League of the Sacred Heart are invited to attend.

"Ten thousand difficulties do not make one doubt."—Newman

The fourth advertisement in a series to promote public knowledge of the funeral director's service



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### Celebrate THIS New Year With Celebrated Liquors

LAST YEAR when Repeal was too recent to make quality brands available in sufficient volume, many people toasted the New Year with inferior liquors. But there is no need to run any risks THIS year.

SELECT your supply of holiday liquors from the ample stock of your licensed dealer. Buy with confidence, certain of sound value at a fair price!

### Confidential

Bootleggers continue, even now, to ply their menacing and unlawful trade, selling inferior goods (some of it actually poisonous) that are dangerous as well as expensive. Add this to your resolutions for 1935 . . .

### Resolved:

In the interest of health, public safety, and civic duty, I resolve to buy only from legally licensed retail liquor dealers who play fair with the public, and with the government!

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