

DIOCESAN NEWS SPENCERPORT BUSES — RALLY SPEAKERS NEW YEAR'S SERVICE — ORGANIZATIONS

Bus Rides Ordered For Spencerport Pupils

Catholic Parents Gain Rights Under Education Law

Trustees of school district No. 2 of the Town of Parma, Monroe County were notified on December 27, 1939 by the Acting Commissioner of Education, Mr. Ernest E. Cole to provide transportation for pupils residing within the district to St. John's Parochial School at Spencerport, N. Y.

Trustees Fail To Act

Accordingly the trustees were asked to provide transportation for the Catholic pupils of the district to St. John's school, but failed to do so. The question was then brought to the attention of Dr. Frank P. Graves, State Commissioner of Education, who directed that regular procedure be followed in appeal to the Commissioner of Education were to be made.

Every factor was clearly in favor of the appellants. The distance was not unreasonable (approximately three and one-half miles). The number of pupils concerned was considerable, 23 or more, whereas only one or two pupils attended the district school.

Acting Commissioner Cole gave this decision: "IN THE MATTER of the Appeal from the action of the special session held in District No. 2 of the Town of Parma, Monroe County, on the 10th day of November 1939 in refusing to provide parochial transportation."

THE APPEAL IS SUSTAINED. IT IS ORDERED that the trustees of this district provide forthwith to provide transportation for pupils residing within the district to St. John's Parochial School at Spencerport, New York, and pay the reasonable cost thereof out of any funds of the district available for such purpose subject to the approval of the district superintendent of schools and of this Department.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Ernest E. Cole, Acting Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, for and on behalf of the State Education Department, do hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the State Educational Department, at the City of Albany, this 27th day of December, 1939.

The district is already providing transportation for high school pupils to Spencerport. Probably no additional buses or no additional expense will be necessary to provide transportation for the Catholic pupils of St. John's School, Spencerport.

Toppers' Club Holds New Year's Party

The Toppers' Club of Holy Redeemer Parish held their first annual New Year's Eve Party at the German House last Sunday evening with Mr. Stanley Zuck as guest of honor and Mr. Walter Kremer as toastmaster.

Gifted Speakers Listed For Holy Name Rallies

The list of speakers who are to address the Holy Name Society Rallies in Rochester on Sunday, Jan. 14 was given out last night at headquarters of the Rochester Diocesan Holy Name Union.

K. C. To Take Cheer To Disabled At Bath U. S. Facility

A large delegation of Rochester Knights of Columbus will go to Bath, Saturday afternoon Jan. 6 leaving at 1 P. M. by bus from Columbus Civic Centre to take creature comforts and entertainment to the disabled veterans of the U. S. Facility there.

Alumni Reunion Set At Basilian College

Interest among the many friends of the Basilian Fathers who are in charge of Aquinas Institute here and also founders of the widely known St. Michael's College in Toronto has been stirred by an announcement that the Second Annual St. Michael's College Ball will be held in the Hart House, University of Toronto on Friday evening Jan. 19.

This affair will be in the nature of a graduate reunion. St. Michael's College alumni in Rochester have all received a special invitation from the Rev. E. J. McCorkell, C.S.B. Superior of the College to attend.

The Ball will also celebrate the victory of the St. Michael's team in the Muleck Cup Championship which will be present.

The College Ball is looked upon as one of the highlights of the University of Toronto social season. In addition to dancing supper will be served to the guests in the Great Hall of Hart House. Many other facilities of the House will be at their disposal.

Family Communion Sunday: Wins Architecture Award Forest Hills N. Y. Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church and rectory being completed here at a cost of \$385,000 have been awarded the Queensborough Chamber of Commerce First Prize for excellence of design and civic value of its new building.

Family Communion Sunday: Help the Holy Name men to clean up literature in the parish area.

Requiescant In Pace

- BARTLETT Joseph, husband of Anna, died Dec. 26 at Holy Name Church.
BRADSHAW Margaret, wife of John, died Dec. 21 at St. John's Church.
BUCKLE Joseph, died Dec. 28 at St. Boniface Church.
BURKE John, died Dec. 26 at St. Boniface Church.
CALLAHAN Katherine, died Dec. 29 at St. Anne's Church.
CASTRONOVO Peter, died Dec. 28 at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church.
DERIDER James, died Dec. 30 at St. Joseph's Church.
DONSBACH Anna, died Dec. 10 at St. John the Evangelist Church.
FERRARI Francesco, husband of Cecelia, died Dec. 30 at St. Ann's Church.
FOSTER Mrs. Mary, died Dec. 24 at St. Ann's Church.
FROMM Frank, died Dec. 29 at St. Ann's Church.
GREIBEL Frank, husband of Elizabeth, died Dec. 27 at St. Ann's Church.
GUILBERT Genevieve, wife of Curran, died Dec. 26 at St. Ann's Church.
HOFF Fidelis, died Jan. 1 at St. Joseph's Church.
IACELLI Camilla, wife of Louis, died Dec. 20 at St. Anthony's Church.
KOHLMAYER Rosa, died Jan. 1 at Holy Apostles Church.
LANG John, husband of Anna, died Dec. 31 at St. Ann's Church.
LONE Mrs. Mary, died Jan. 1 at St. Ann's Church.
LIVAN Catherine, died Dec. 29 at St. Ann's Church.
MAKY Bernice, died Dec. 29 at St. Ann's Church.
MARTIN Helen, died Jan. 3 at St. Margaret Mary's Church.

New Year Welcomed At Cathedral Rite

To welcome in the New Year His Excellency, Bishop Kearney held a reception for the Holy Name Society on Sunday, Jan. 14, which attracted 1,200 persons, and conducted a well-attended and deeply impressive Holy Hour in Sacred Heart Cathedral on Sunday evening.

The Bishop's reception for the Holy Name Society on Sunday evening was held Monday afternoon. "It is good for us to be here," the Bishop reiterated in his sermon at the Holy Hour which began at 11.15 P. M. Sunday and continued until 12.15 P. M.

Quoting the reigning Pontiff, the Bishop declared: "Perhaps God grant it one day we may bring a change of outlook and sentiment to those men who till now have walked with blind faith along the path of popular modern errors unconsciously of the treacherous and insecure ground on which they trod."

The following are to preach at the several rally centers at Holy Redeemer, Rev. Joseph J. O'Connell, Ph.D. of the Faculty of Nazareth College; Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Rev. John Healy, C.S.B., of St. Joseph's Church at St. Amrose; Rev. Maynard Connell, Ph.D., M.A. of the Faculty of St. Bernard's Theological Seminary at Our Lady of Perpetual Help; Rev. Eugene A. Loftus, Moderator of the Catholic Evidence Guild of Buffalo, N. Y., at St. Charles Borromeo; Rev. John W. Loughlin, M.A., Professor at St. Bernard's Theological Seminary at St. Paul's; Rev. Hugh Haffey, C.S.B., of the Faculty of Aquinas Institute at Immaculate Conception; Rev. Edward Meagher, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church at Blessed Sacrament; the Most Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, Archbishop of Vancouver and at Holy Apostles; the Rt. Rev. Magr. Charles F. Shay, Pastor of Holy Rosary Church; The Rev. Edward T. Dougherty, Pastor of St. Bernard's Church; St. Joseph's Center, N. Y. will address the rally at Holy Family Church, Auburn. The speaker for the rally at St. Peter & Paul's Church, Elmira, will be announced later.

Family Communion Sunday K. of C. Scout Troop Enjoys Christmas Fete

Old Scroggie's parlor at the visit of the Ghost of Christmas Present found a counterpart in Troop 141's meeting room at the Columbus Civic Center Wednesday, Dec. 27 at 7 P. M. The occasion was the Christmas party of the Knights of Columbus Troop An evergreen tree and a large following is to be announced.

Family Communion Sunday U. S. Priest Joins Paulist Associates

CAPETOWN The Rev. John H. McGarity, C.S.P. of Portland, Ore. has arrived in South Africa to join the Paulist Community established last year at Malvern Johannesburg.

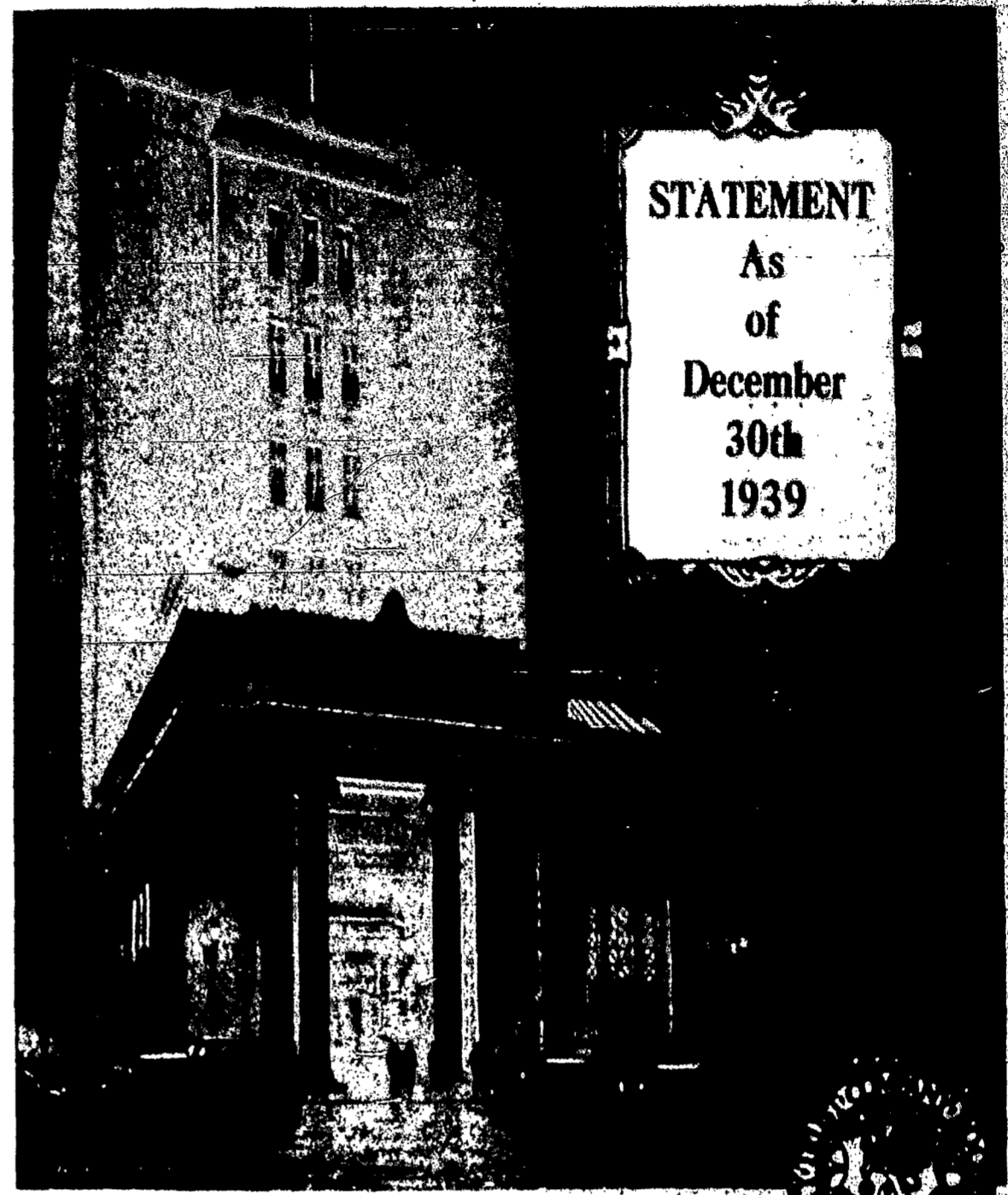
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Family Communion Sunday INSTITUTE NOW HANDLES CHURCH AFFAIRS IN REICH

BERLIN A Catholic Institute has been established at Breslau for the administration of the financial affairs of the Church in Germany. It is composed of experts and will be supported by the various Bishops, Orders, Congregations and other religious institutions.

Family Communion Sunday CHARITIES DRIVE TOPS QUOTA Montreal The Federation of Catholic Charities of Montreal has exceeded by \$2,100 the \$100,000 objective of the recent campaign.



STATEMENT As of December 30th 1939

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