

DIOCESAN NEWS MOTHERS' SODALITY — K. OF C. PRIZES CATHOLIC MARRIAGES — APPOINTMENTS

K. of C. Offer Two Scholarships For Boys

Two scholarship for boys one at Niagara University and one at Canisius College, will be available this year for award by the New York State Knights of Columbus.

These scholarships will be given as a result of competitive examinations. They provide payment of tuition only at \$5200 per year, for four years.

Qualifications Cited: (1) A Knight of Columbus, or (2) A son, brother, daughter or sister of a living or deceased member of a Council located in the Fifth District and (3) In such circumstances that without the assistance which the scholarship provides the applicant would not be able to procure a Catholic College education.

Applicants must be of good moral character, recommended by their pastors and qualified by preliminary education to enter the freshman class of the two colleges.

Application blanks available from any Grand Knight in the district or at the council office must be filed on or before June 20. The examination at Canisius College Buffalo will be on June 28 at 9 a. m. and the one at Niagara University at Niagara Falls July 1 at 9 a. m.

Further information on these scholarships may be had from the Grand Knights in these councils comprising the Fifth District: Auburn, Allegany, Albion, Buffalo, Brockport, Batavia, Cheektowatch, Hamilton, Tonawanda, Getzville, Danaville, Dunkirk, Eastcott, Elmira, Geneva, Hornell, Hamburg, Ithaca, Jamestown, Lockport, Lackawanna, Lancaster, Medina, Niagara, Newark, North Tonawanda, Olean, Rochester, Salamanca, Seneca Falls, Tonawanda, Waterbury, Waterloo, Wellsville and Warsaw.

Group Meets In Utica

Called to meet in Utica, Sunday April 7, is the Executive Committee New York State Branch, Catholic Central Verein of America, parent branch of all local units in various cities of this state, as well as of all affiliated Catholic societies. The meeting will be held in St. Joseph's Church Hall in Utica.

Achievements of various branches in the state and of the many societies will be made known. Plans for the 1947 State Convention will be discussed. The State convention will be held in Utica the week of September 1.

Rochesterians, members of the State Executive committee planning to be present, are: Charles H. Mura, historian of the state branch and member of the state legislative committee; former County Judge Philip H. Donnelly, member of the national Catholic Action Committee; the Rev. Joseph H. Goffel, D. D., M. R., chairman of the State Executive Committee; the Very Rev. Stephen W. Aurbach, CSSR, rector of St. Joseph's Church; Joseph T. Otto, former president Rochester Branch; Edward P. Heberle, president Rochester branch; and Charles T. Trotter, honorary president of the State Branch.

The New York State Branch has today affiliation in seven localities in the state, composed of 20 affiliated Catholic societies connected with 48 parishes and with a membership totaling 1678.

In Utica the meeting will be presided over by Richard F. Hermerston of Syracuse, state branch president.

Grammar School Grads Plan Class Reunions

Two graduation classes of Catholic Grammar Schools are planning reunions this month. The Class of 1919 of old Cathedral Grammar School will meet at dinner at Hotel Rochester on Thursday April 11. This will be the class third reunion. Members are urged to get in touch with Mrs. Helen Coyle Frauet, Culver 3950-R.

The Immaculate Conception School Class of 1921 will hold its first reunion on Saturday evening, April 27 at the Liederkranz Club. Class members are urged to contact Mary Quigley at Genesee 6444-R.

Youth on Education Tour Visits Parents

Eugene Matuszewski student at St. John Kanty College, Erie Pa., is on a special educational trip in Washington, this week, attending with a group of Kanty Seniors.

At Kanty College Matuszewski is president of St. Thomas Aquinas Society, member of the executive staff and sports editor of "Kantianus," the school paper, and manager of sports at the college. Activities in dramatics, including a radio presentation of a school play in Erie which added to his success in that field.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Matuszewski of Zymgint Street, this city, whom he spent the Easter holidays. He is also a brother of the Rev. Leo Matuszewski, assistant pastor of St. Stanislaus Church, here, and of the Rev. Mr. Stanley Matuszewski, M. S. of La. Sainte Shrine and Seminary, Altamont, N. Y.

St. Bona Alumni To Meet April 5

The local chapter of the St. Bonaventure Alumni organization will meet Friday evening at 8:30 in the Cadillac Hotel. Highlight of the evening will be a mock trial. All alumni are invited to attend.

Boston College Alumni At Auburn Gathering



THESE MEMBERS OF BOSTON COLLEGE CLUB OF WESTERN NEW YORK are pictured following a successful communication breakfast held at Hotel Chalmers, Auburn, Sunday, March 31. From left, seated (from left): James E. Hart, John D. Roche, Edward J. Hart, John H. Galway Jr. and Frank White. Standing (from left): Arthur Kane, Edward Dolan, Bernard Hillon, Paul Meador, John Brady, Charles A. Tucker and Frederick Blum.

Priest Answers Students' Queries On Marriage

ITHACA, N. Y. — Responding to the requests from the student body generally that he set forth the Catholic ideal relative to marriage, the Rev. Donald J. Cleary, Catholic Liaison Officer at Cornell University, submitted a statement on that subject in the current issue of the monthly official publication of the Newman Club of the University.

St. Monica Sodality At Bishop's Mass

The St. Monica Sodality whose members are mothers of priests and seminarians of the Rochester Diocese will assist at Mass on Friday morning, April 5, at 9 o'clock in the auditorium of St. Andrew's Seminary on Plymouth Ave.

His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester, will say the Mass. The Most Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, Archbishop, will deliver the sermon.

More than one hundred fifty mothers were present for the first Mass last month. Holy Communion will be distributed this week.

Mass is said each Friday with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament continuing throughout the day. The Sodality was founded by Bishop Kearney in order that the mothers may lend their assistance to present and future priests.

Bishop Kearney who had the altar prepared in the auditorium for the seminary retreat in Holy Week, which he conducted himself, has provided the seminarians with all things necessary for their chapel.

Elmira K. of C. Offer Prizes

ELMIRA. To stimulate pupils in the Catholic schools here to greater effort, Elmira Council Knights of Columbus has voted to award a sum of \$80 annually to the parish and Catholic high schools in the town of prizes.

The prizes will be awarded in a manner to be prescribed by the respective pastors. The suggestion made was that these prizes be given for proficiency in Christian instruction.

An award of \$50 in cash will go to a boy and an equal amount to a girl in each of the Elmira Catholic schools. The awards will be known as Knights of Columbus prizes.

The \$80 in prize money will be distributed in allotments of \$10 each to Elmira Catholic High School, St. Mary's, St. Patrick's, St. Cecilia's, St. Casimir's, St. Anthony's, St. Peter and Paul's and St. John's Sunday School.

Father Boland Heads Leavenworth Schools

The Rev. William T. Boland, A. M., pastor of Saint Philip Church, Oswatima, Kansas, was appointed Superior in charge of Schools of the Leavenworth Diocese on March 8. He has been secretary of the school board since 1920 and now succeeds to the position formerly held by the Rev. Patrick McInerney, late Vicar General of the Leavenworth Diocese.

Father Boland is an alumnus of both St. Andrews and Saint Bernard's Seminary of Rochester and was a boy of the old Cathedral parish.

Called to the post of Superior of the Leavenworth Diocese, he is the son of the late Rev. Zdzislawski, former editor of the Jesuit weekly, *Societas Marianus* in Warsaw, after escaping from the invading Germans has started a Polish Catholic weekly, *Nowa Polska*, here.

Fr. Lyons Elected NCEA Section Leader

The Rev. Edward M. Lyons, rector of St. Andrews Seminary, was elected secretary of the Minor Seminary Section of the National Catholic Education Association in the convention held March 27 and 28 at Kansas City, Mo.

Named to Board: (Columbo Two Oblates of Mary Immaculate, the Revs. Maurice LeGoc and Theodore de Silva are among the 20 members of the new Board of Education named by the Governor of Ceylon.

Requiescant In Pace

- BEKISH, Mrs. Thelma, died March 30. FURCELL, Mary, died March 27. KENNY, John, husband of Elizabeth, died March 25. PURCELL, Mary, died March 27. BILLY, died March 29. KULIKOWSKI, Adolph, husband of Mary, died March 25. ROTH, Dr. S. Stuart, husband of Ade, died March 27. LANG, John, husband of Mary, died March 26. SAUSVILLE, Peter, husband of Brody, died March 24. LEE, Mrs. Albert, died March 29. SCHORER, husband of Brody, died March 27. MAHONEY, John, husband of Margaret, died March 27. SCHREINER, John, died March 27. MCCANN, Margaret, died March 26. MERVING, Margaret, died March 26. MOLL, Frank, died March 29. PAGE, Frank, husband of Coran, died March 28. PAULAKO, Emma, wife of Joseph, died March 27. ROBINSON, Rose, died March 27. JONES, Frederick, died March 27. JONES, Frederick, died March 27.

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