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By SUZANNE

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WOMEN'S WORLD

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BIRTHDAY PRIZES

Our Social Swirl

Garden Fete Aids Convent

By MARY CAUFIELD

The Immaculate Conception Parish Guild, in co-operation with Our Lady's Sodality, is striving to aid materially in the renovation of the Church convent. Demonstrating their eagerness to help they will hold a Garden Party on the parish lawn, Saturday, August 17, beginning at 2 P. M.

Cards will be the outstanding attraction. Those attending will be served refreshments. Another feature will be a booth of home-made cakes.

Committees assisting Mrs. Francis J. Swift, president, in promoting the affair are:

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Midland Shrine Pilgrimage Set

A Pilgrimage to the Jesuit Martyrs' Shrine at Midland, Ontario, has been scheduled to start on August 24. The pilgrimage will be in the form of a seven-day cruise starting from Rochester by train at 3:30 P. M. Saturday, August 24, and boat from Detroit, touching places of interest on Georgian Bay and the North Country to Sault Ste. Marie. The cruise can also be made by boat from Buffalo to Detroit.

Ample time is provided for the visit to the Shrine at Midland where the cruise priest will say early mass at the main altar. This to be followed by a tour through the grounds conducted by Father Lally, Shrine Director. The Jesuits' shrine holds interest for both Catholics and Non-Catholics as many spiritual and temporal favors have been received here. Its history dates back to 1625 and 1649. There will be daily Mass on the cruise ship "Georgian" throughout the entire trip.

Arrangements can be made in Rochester through Victor DePres of the Central Travel Bureau, Powers Bldg.

Roseland Park

A favorite American pastime, that of listening to hill-billy music, which has become popular within the last few years, on the radio and in the movies, will be ably presented by Emerson's Mountaineers when they appear at the Roseland Park, Canandaigua, New York from Monday, August 12 to Sunday, August 18 inclusive.

Tom Emerson and his Mountaineers have as many qualifications for being leaders in their field when it comes to playing the catchy mountain tunes as Toscanini has for being the world's foremost symphony conductor.

They have appeared in shorts made by all of the major film companies including RKO, Paramount, Universal, Warner Bros. and Fox Educational. On the radio, they were featured stars on the Rex Cole hour, a broadcast that brought their lively music, lilting songs and funny stories into thousands of homes.

Centerville, Tenn. is very proud of Tom Emerson, and at one time voted him "champeen" fiddler of the county. This accomplishment was not to be taken very lightly in a section of the country where everyone had an equal chance to become familiar with the songs of the land which were hummed to them from the time they were infants.

A library of several hundred selections immediately places them right up among the leaders when it comes to versatility and their extensive professional career has taught them to "sell" a song as well as the most popular band leader.

Since straying from their native hills, they have learned a few new tricks, such as ultra-modern swing which they may lapse into from time to time.

War Halts Clergy Retreats

London.—Because the ecclesiastical authorities considered it "inadvisable for the clergy to be absent from the parish in these perilous times," the annual retreat of the Westminster diocese clergy, due to begin on July 29, is postponed.

How Many Habits Do You Recognize?

Pictured are 34 of the 50 distinct habits worn by Sisters from 65 motherhouses in the United States who attended the summer session at St. Louis University. (N.C.W.C.)

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Quoting from our National President's August Message to our affiliations:

"On the occasion of the Feast of the Precious Blood, His Holiness, Pope Pius XII, recommended contemplation of the Precious Blood of Christ as the source of peace and consolation, thus:

"In this hour of immense struggle, while human blood flows freely on the earth, the contemplation of the wonders of the Divine Blood, inexhaustible source of reconciliation and peace, may console your hearts and afford hope to your souls."

In a study of the hope for Peace, a brief review of the messages of our last three reigning Pontiffs who sorrowfully and prayerfully pleaded for Peace to rulers and their people would be timely. His Holiness, Benedict XV, pleaded for the restoration of Christian charity, without which all peace treaties would be in vain. In a series of appeals for a peace which, besides being based upon justice and equity, would note a rebirth of Christian principles in the hearts of men, Pope Benedict, to the end of his pontificate, pointed the way to a certain peace.

The fears of Pope Benedict, which have become realized by the world today, were the challenge of his successor, Pope Pius XI. His Holiness asked for a peace which came from Christ and was not a "sentimental confused and indiscreet pacifism," but a "peace based on justice and real love of country." With His Holiness' latest breath he prayed for Peace.

The pamphlet "Pius XII and Peace" summarizes the pronouncements of our present Holy Father.

As a safeguard against the hysteria prevalent in press and over radio today, we cite the theme of a recent closed retreat for women, a theme of practical Catholic Action, looking toward personal Christian perfection.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

What You Ought To Do
When You Ought To Do It
How You Ought To Do It
Why You Ought To Do It

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We are gratified to note improvement in Department Store Magazine Counters.

Let us be faithful to the pledge of the National Organization for Decent Literature.

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In response to the sentiment expressed at the Diocesan Directors' Meeting held in Corning on May 25, arrangements are being made this year for a one-day Diocesan Convention of the N. C. C. W.

As Rochester is looking forward to a Conference on Industrial Problems on September 23 and 24, it is thought well to have our Convention follow on the 25th. We are giving this fact early publicity so that you will keep the Convention date free from other engagements.

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The theme for our National Convention in October is: "Thou shalt love the Lord, thy God, with thy whole heart, with thy whole soul, with thy whole mind."

Truly, there is need for our Conventions, Diocesan and National.

Too little wholehearted love of God, too much personal and corporate selfishness, has brought about world chaos and the present crisis.

More love of God will set things right again.

In our own country there is too little love of God.

American Catholic women must lead the way in promoting more love of God for our country's sake.

To be effective in this, Catholic women must be united in purpose and in action.

Let us together define our purposes, plan our action, and proclaim our unity.

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Sept. 23-24—Industrial Conference, Rochester, N. Y.
Sept. 25—Diocesan Convention, Rochester, N. Y.
Oct. 26-30—Twentieth National Convention, N.C.C.W., at Detroit, Mich.

GENERAL INTENTION OF SACRED HEART LEAGUE FOR AUGUST, 1940

FOR THE PRACTICE OF CHRISTIAN MODESTY

"Let your modesty be known to all men. The Lord is nigh." Thus did St. Paul exhort the Philippians. Our Holy Father, too, urges us to pray that Christian modesty may be practised by all. By this virtue we so control our senses, master every word and act, and shun improper behavior, and dress as to show we realize we are ever in God's sight and dread to offend Him or by bad example move others to sin.

Greatly is such modesty needed these days when pagan, worldly ways of living and acting suggest "the concupiscence of the flesh, and the concupiscence of the eyes, and the pride of life." Especially are the young in danger. Obscene magazines with lewd pictures, suggestive "movies," questionable amusements, indecent dances, dangerous familiarities, shameless styles in dress aped by Catholic women not virtuous enough to condemn them, these are but some of the flagrant violations of Christian modesty destroying souls.

Associates of the League of the Sacred Heart should be foremost in promoting Christian modesty by their prayers and good example, thus making reparation to the Sacred Heart for the sins of scandal and bad example occasioned by pagan, immodest ways of living, speaking and acting.

Plan Student Exchange

Washington. — Two professors of the Catholic University of America will visit South America this summer in connection with the university's Institute of Ibero-American Studies. They are Dr. Martin McGuire, Dean of the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, and the Rev. Dr. Edwin Ryan, Secretary of the Institute.

Nun's New Song Heard On Radio

ST. LOUIS — "John Doe's Marching Song," a prize-winning composition for which Sister Mary Jocelle of Webster College wrote the music, was given its first public rendition in the course of an impressive radio program broadcast over Station KMOX, Sunday.

Hazel Hayes and 24 stars of the St. Louis Opera Guild sang the composition.

The radio program heralded the approach of Webster College's silver jubilee, observed at Webster Groves, Mo., with a pageant on August 2. The pageant is entitled "From War to War," signifying that Webster College opened 25 years ago at the time of the World War and is observing its silver jubilee at a time when much of the world is engaged in another war.

Sister Mary Jocelle composed "John Doe's Marching Song" in a contest to provide a new patriotic composition for the pageant.

CDA Parade Float Wins Legion Trophy

BELLOWS FALLS, Vt. — The Junior Catholic Daughters of this city were awarded the first prize, a silver trophy, in the float competition which was a feature of the twenty-second annual parade of the Vermont American Legion here Sunday. The winning float was decorated on the theme, "Lest We Forget."

Several other Catholic groups took awards in competitions for civic and fraternal organizations. The Catholic Daughters of Keene won the $50 first prize in the junior drum corps contest and the Mt. St. Joseph's Band, of Rutland, was second in the band competition.

Jubilees Noted

East St. Louis, Ill. — The golden jubilee of St. Mary's parish and the silver sacerdotal jubilee of its pastor, the Rev. Patrick J. Slattery, was celebrated here yesterday. The Most Rev. Henry Althoff, Bishop of Belleville, attended the Solemn Mass, which was followed by a jubilee dinner. Father Slattery, who was born and ordained in Ireland, was the celebrant of the Mass.

Learning will accumulate wonderfully if you add a little every day.

PRIZES FOR ALL

Edith Brandis

Issued by the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West 40th Street, New York City. These articles are appearing weekly in our columns.

Mrs. Channing and Mrs. May planned a party for Billy and Sue, whose birthdays came a day apart.

"I will freeze ice cream," said Mrs. May.

"And I will make angel food," said Mrs. Channing. "Let's have the party in our back yard because of the low tables there."

"And what shall we do for entertainment?" asked Mrs. May.

"Perhaps Mrs. Sayre will show the children how to draw some of those funny animals. It's too hot for really active games."

When they asked Mrs. Sayre, she agreed at once. "But we won't get the children into any competition. It makes the little ones so unhappy when prizes are given, and they don't get any."

Mrs. Channing went home thinking about the matter of competition and the giving of prizes.

The day of the party came. The four to five-year-olds in scant cool playsuits gathered in the shady yard.

Mrs. Sayre distributed big sheets of paper and packs of crayolas. She said, "Take your prettiest colors and do as I do."

She gave them brief instructions on the basic form of a bird. She showed them by stroke after stroke of color. Line by line they followed as she led.

The fact that each child used his favorite colors insured that the birds would be different.

True, each bird had a body with legs, wings, head and tail. But one was read with purple wings and grey head; another grey with black legs and black wings and a red head and tail; one was purple with orange dots and wild yellow eyes. As the strange creatures began to take shape upon the paper, the children shouted with laughter.

When all the pictures were done, Billy Channing, assisted by Sue May, pinned them to the picket fence for an exhibit. Watching their joy in achievement, Mrs. Channing knew the time had come for prizes. She brought out a pack of brightly colored cards, spoke to Mrs. Sayre, who assented, and then distributed them to the children.

"We will give Jamie a prize because he is so tiny, and he put such pretty spots on his bird," she said. "Lucy gets a prize because her bird is running so fast. Jesse gets this card because he's made his bird build a nest. Buddy gets this one because his bird has such large bright eyes." And so she continued, announcing a reason in each case as she passed the gift.

After the prizes were distributed, the mothers served ice cream and cake to their little ones, then there was time to talk.

"How did you think of this idea of prizes for all?" they asked Mrs. Channing.

"I remembered that Buddy planned and gave a party of his own, one time when he was not quite six. It was a drawing party at the end of a summer during which the children of the neighborhood had drifted in and out of our house finding paper and crayolas always provided so they could make pictures when they wished. At his party, which was entirely Buddy's own idea, he gave 'prizes,' as he called them, to every one.

"Afterward, reviewing the summer's experience, I concluded that very young children have little sense of competition. They seldom think in terms of 'Mine is better than yours,' unless they are inclined to be boastful. Dr. Doane, what do you think about this?"

"You are quite right," answered Dr. Doane, a new neighbor, who with her little boy had been invited to the party. "Discrimination is already developing at this age, but with a little encouragement it will keep hand in hand with appreciation. Educators are coming to the conclusion that it isn't wise to try to teach children the ways of the world too soon. And so, until their own group interests make it impersonal, competition should not be encouraged. But as group consciousness and group loyalty develop, boys and girls learn the lessons of sportsmanship, especially what it means to be a good loser and a pleasing winner. I'm sure, prizes are seldom advisable as a reward to children for individual superiority but from four to five and even up to six, as Buddy's party showed you, 'prizes for all' are greatly appreciated."

Nuns Given Actress' House

NEW YORK — Under the terms of the will of the late Mrs. Mary Anderson de Navarro, famous American actress and distinguished Catholic who died at Worcestershire, England, her house at Floyds Knob, Floyd County, Indiana, was left to the Province of Our Lady of Our Lady of Consolation at Louisville.

Financial bequests were made in the will, probated here to the Most Rev. Thomas Williams, Archbishop of Birmingham, England, the Rev. Sebastian Sleen of St. Paul's Retreat House, Dublin and to her kinswoman, Sister Dominica Maria Griffin of the Convent of the Assumption, Germantown, Pa.

Another bequest was for a stained-glass window, with red the predominant color, to be installed in the sanctuary of St. Saviour's Church, Broadway, Worcestershire, England, "depicting a large figure of the Montmartre statue of Our Lord, with arms outstretched, bearing in clear lettering the following legend: 'Pray for Antonio, Mary and José de Navarro.'"

Mrs. de Navarro achieved her greatest fame as an actress in the 1870s and 1880s, playing under her maiden name of Mary Anderson.

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