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MARGARET LEIB, of 61 Campbell Park, completed the Secretarial Course at Rochester Business Institute, and has accepted a position in a large manufacturing office. Miss Leib is one of 678 R. B. I. graduates to secure a permanent position in 1940. R. B. I.'s Spring Term begins February 24th.

ROCHESTER BUSINESS INSTITUTE

New French Bishop

Vichy.—Canon Jean Vittoz, Vicar General of the Diocese of Grenoble, has been named Titular Bishop of Bilybiza and Auxiliary Bishop of Grenoble.

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Our Social Swirl

Confraternity Dinner Jan. 13

All members of the Single Women's Branch of the Arch Confraternity of the Holy Family of St. Joseph's Church are invited to be present at the Fifth Annual Dinner, Monday evening, Jan. 13, at Wegman's Hall at 6:30 o'clock.

After the feature of the evening, a talk by the spiritual director, the Rev. John Brennan, C.SS.R. A musical program will be given by the members and all will participate in community singing.

The officers of the society are: the Misses Ada Meng, president; Louise Brown, vice-president; Marie Mayer, recording secretary; Louise Deigert, asst. recording secretary; Mary Witzel, corresponding secretary; Elizabeth Fisher, asst. corresponding secretary; Ida Schueler, treasurer; Ann Verhoeven, asst. treasurer; Loretta Angele, publicity; Jessie Mirages and Mary Verhoeven, social committee.

Miss Josephine Hoffman, chairman of the dinner, is assisted by the following: the Misses Ida Angele, Evelyn Cassidy, Margaret Coleman, Clara Derschong, Elizabeth Fisher, Emma Deckinger and Leona Meisenzahl.

St. Aloysius Guild

The regular monthly meeting of St. Aloysius Guild will be held Thursday afternoon, Jan. 16, at 2 o'clock at St. Mary's Boys' Home.

Election of officers will take place at this time, and all members are requested to be present.

Chairman for the meeting will be Mrs. George Warnock, assisted by the following: Mrs. M. J. Toomey, Mrs. F. T. Vromen, Mrs. Jacob vanSlice, Mrs. Charles Ward, Mrs. George Weining, Mrs. Arthur White, Mrs. Elizabeth Wanderaee, Mrs. J. R. Brady, Mrs. Barry Bridy, Mrs. Jane Boone and Mrs. Stanley Brundage.

Catholic Women's Club

A dessert luncheon and bridge party will be held at the Catholic Women's Club on Friday afternoon, Jan. 10, at 1:30 P. M.

Mrs. Joseph P. Flynn has been appointed general chairman and the following committee will assist:

Mrs. Carl Allen, Mrs. John J. Burke, Mrs. William R. Carey, Mrs. John P. Culhane, Mrs. Paul M. Dugan, Mrs. Justin J. Flanagan, Mrs. Leonard E. Golden, Mrs. John R. Goodwin, Mrs. John R. Hanna, Mrs. Sylvester J. Kirby, Mrs. Clarence M. Lofink, Mrs. William A. McFall, Mrs. Alfred F. Mahar, Mrs. John P. Sullivan.

Family Communion Sunday

NOVENA BEGUN TO ADVANCE CAUSE OF FR. KOLPING

COLOGNE.—A Novena to promote the Beatification of the late founder of the world-wide Catholic apprentices' unions, Father Adolf Kolping, has just been held here.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of Father Kolping's death was the occasion for memorial services in all the churches of this diocese. Father Kolping spent here most of his life and is buried in a local cemetery. The great social leader is revered throughout Germany. Many associated groups of the apprentices' union he founded exist in the United States, but in Germany their activities are widely restricted by the Nazi police.

Family Communion Sunday

Church Dedicated To Our Lady of Sorrows

LIMOGES.—The Most Rev. Alexandre Caillot, Bishop of Grenoble, accompanied by the Most Rev. Jean Vittoz, his recently appointed Auxiliary, journeyed to the mountain village of Alpe d'Huez to dedicate the new Church of Notre Dame des Neiges (Our Lady of the Snows).

This church is the first religious edifice built in what is known as montagnard style of architecture. Only the foundations are of cement. The remainder of the edifice is built almost entirely of wood. The columns that divide the church into three naves and support the roof are trunks of trees. The interior is paneled with different types of wood. The roof and bell-tower are of slate.

Family Communion Sunday

Notes Blessed Mother Is Patron Of Aviators

QUEBEC. — Not Elias, but the Blessed Virgin, under the invocation of Our Lady of Loretto, is the first patron Saint of aviators, Semaine Religieuse de Quebec, official archdiocesan organ, informs.

St. Elias may be invoked privately by aviators as a secondary patron, the notice states, but "since it is the prerogative of the Holy See to give to a country, a nation, or to a group a celestial patron, in our public prayers especially let us always invoke Our Lady of Loretto, the liturgical patroness of all those who fly through the air."

Our Lady of Loretto was declared the Patroness of Aviators by decree of the Sacred Congregation of Rites, signed March 24, 1920.

Family Communion Sunday

Dental Care Given Parish Pupils

ROCHESTER, N. H.—Pupils in the first grades of the parochial schools here will be included in the city's program of free dental care. The School Board gave unanimous consent after Superintendent of Schools Rollins apologized for a previous adverse stand on the matter. "I made a mistake and am admitting it," the superintenrent explained.

CARRYING ON CAMPAIGN FOR HEALTH

NAZARETH ACADEMY is another of the schools cooperating in the new health program sponsored by the Tuberculosis Committee of the Medical Society. Shown here are: Dr. Harry C. Hummell, Deputy Health Officer, giving the tuberculin skin tests to Dorothy Considine. Awaiting their turn are Betty Ward, Josephine Slattery, Margaret Hurley, and Doris Johnson.

Tuberculin Test Given At Nazareth

Margery O'Halloran of 475 Melville St., vice-president of the senior class, was the first of 141 seniors to take advantage of the opportunity offered by the Tuberculosis and Health Association and provided through the cooperation of the Health Bureau to have a tuberculin skin test yesterday at Nazareth Academy.

Inaugurating a health program to be carried on under the direction of Sister Hubertine, vice-principal, who with 25 other teachers was among those given tuberculin skin tests, the Tuberculosis Association will work in close cooperation with the Health Bureau.

Dr. Harry C. Hummell, deputy health officer, is being assisted by Mary Walsh, R. N., and Gertrude McGraw, R. N., Health Bureau school nurses, and Rosalia Loritz, R. N, field nurse of the Tuberculosis Association.

Health agency activities supplement the service rendered by private physicians who are giving tuberculin skin tests in their own offices as part of a tuberculosis control program sponsored by the Tuberculosis Committee of the County Medical Society and carried on with the cooperation of Iola Sanatorium.

Joseph P. MacSweeney, Association vice-president and chairman of its Rochester Committee, reported that no evidence of tuberculosis had been discovered in the recent skin test-x-ray project conducted at Aquinas Institute. "We are naturally pleased", said Mr. MacSweeney, "to find no evidence of tuberculosis and are determined that our activities aimed to prevent this disease will be continued until it no longer menaces the health of our youth."

Family Communion Sunday

Honor Jubilarian

Notre Dame, Ind.—Two hundred and fifty priests and Brothers of the Congregation of Holy Cross assembled Thursday night to honor the Rev. William R. Connor, C.S.C. who is celebrating his golden Sacerdotal jubilee.

Nazareth College in the News

By HELEN MACCHIA

Sister M. Paulette, head of the Sociology Department of Nazareth College, addressed the Parent-Teacher Group of Nazareth Hall on Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1941. The subject of her lecture was "The Necessity of Training Children for Security."

Sister Paulette also addressed the Parents' Group of the Nazareth Model School on Jan. 8. She summarized the reports of Miss Katherine Lenroot, Dr. Thomas Parran, and Dr. John Studebaker, the subject of which was "Children in a Democracy."

Miss Guzzetta, who teaches Italian at the College and who has been ill for a short time, was given a hearty welcome last Tuesday on her return to school.

Family Communion Sunday

Engagement Announced

Mr and Mrs. Arthur F Gysel of Alphonse St announced the engagement of their daughter Miss Arline Anne Gysel, to Gerald E. Lill, son of Mrs Phoebe Lill of St. Paul St., at a dinner on Christmas Day.

Father Vogt Makes Appeal For Old Christmas Cards

Christmas cards about to be discarded will be found very useful for the Religious Vacation Schools conducted in the diocese.

The Rev. George Vogt, Diocesan Director Confraternity of Christian Doctrine asks that all such Christmas cards be sent to or left at 321 Lake Ave., Rochester, N. Y.

Kin of Nun Here Now in War Prison

"No institution in the world can equal the inventive charity of the Red Cross," writes "A Friend of the Family" in calling attention to the following interesting account of Red Cross activity in learning the present location of Sister M. Walburga's relatives.

"Hearing that a few thousand prisoners of war were brought to Canada by the British government, Sister M. Walburga of Nazareth Convent, appealed to the Red Cross to make inquiry concerning the whereabouts of the five relatives summoned to the colors in Germany.

"To her great astonishment they found the youngest of the five in an Internment Camp in Canada. He is Prince Wilhelm v. Fritz (incognito) German born, the youngest son of an old Austrian family which dates back to the Holy Roman Empire.

"The mighty Roman Emperor, Charles the Fifth, presented the House of Fritz with its Coat of Arms in 1539 for outstanding services to the church and state in those troublesome years. Their possessions were the cities of Augsburg Landsberg and Kaufbeuren. He is a relative of the late Archbishop Karl v. Fritz of Freiburg in Germany, in whose Theological Seminary the Crownprince and the brother of the late King of Saxony are engaged as teachers of theology.

"Faith and sacrifice still flourish in the nobility In two years the above-named Prince of Fritz will be ordained to the priesthood. It will have to be postponed owing to his interment for the duration of the war.

"Many thanks to the members of the Red Cross for their humane services to all classes, creeds and colors."

Maternity Guild Opens In Detroit

DETROIT.—A Catholic Maternity Guild has been established in Holy Redeemer Parish, according to Rev. P. L. Barrett, C.SS.R. assistant pastor. The guild, to be known as The Guild of Our Mother of Perpetual Help and St. Gerard, was organized with approval of the pastor, Very Rev. Eugene L. Buhler, C.SS.R., and has the written sanction of Most Rev. Edward Mooney, Archbishop of Detroit.

Finances of the unit are already assured, Fr. Barrett stated, and public reaction has been in all instances favorable. Physicians, hospital officials, nurses and the heads of various Catholic organizations have endorsed the undertaking, terming it "the finest movement started in Detroit in these times of 'anti-life.'"

The maternity guild plan was developed by Rev. Joseph J. Schagemann, C.SS.R., of Annapolis, Md., following publication of the Encyclical on Christian Marriage in 1931 by the late Pope Pius XI The guild seeks to provide spiritual and material assistance to young married couples, helping them to overcome the financial difficulties of parenthood and instructing them in their rights and obligations in the married state. A particular purpose of the guild is the endeavor to overcome the evil of artificial birth control. According to the plan, arrangements are made whereby the members receive financial aid at the time of confinement.

The Detroit Guild will be conducted according to the constitution and by-laws developed by Fr. Schagemann for the guild he instituted at Lima, O. which has been "canonically erected" by Most Rev. Karl J. Alter, Bishop of Toledo.—C. W. Service.

Rochester Diocesan Council

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Our sympathy is extended to the members of Perpetual Help Society one of our affiliated organizations, in the double loss within a few days of their president, Mrs. Rose Manning and of their past president Mrs Henry E Norton

May they rest in peace!

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The furthering of Christmas Cribs throughout the country is one of the projects of the National Council of Catholic Women in which our diocesan Council has endeavored to do its part.

It was heartening to hear of the outdoor Crib displayed on the rectory lawn at St. John's Church, Elmira, which won first prize in a Christmas advertising contest in that city.

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The Family Communions on next Sunday, Jan. 12, the feast of the Holy Family, urged by our Bishop, will be sure to bring down blessings on parents and children. Our Family Education Committee hopes that this practice may be generally adopted.

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Mrs. Charles H. Baker, Rochester Deanery Chairman of Ways and Means, announces that arrangements are complete for our NCCW card party, to be held at Edwards, Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 11. There will be door and table prizes. Admission 35c.

Assisting Mrs. Baker are Mrs. M. H. Keogh, Miss Cecilia M. Yawman, Mrs. Joseph P. Schoen, Miss Alice F Kirk, Mrs. Teresa Ganster, Mrs. Edward J. Lucas and Miss Hilda Connor.

Be sure to reserve Feb. 11 on your calendar for this party.

Soda Talk

Rochester Parish Sodalities Union Activities

Please pardon the audacious step I take in placing news of my own Sodality at the head of the list this week, but who wouldn't do the same if one's Sodality had just had the outstanding honor that the Immaculate Conception Sodality had? Every year the Sodality has a formal dinner party during the holiday season Just as we were about to sit ourselves down (in our long and flowing bib and tucker) in walked His Excellency, Bishop Kearney. The stunned silence that greeted him was comparable to the silent tribute paid Lincoln at the conclusion of his famous Gettysburg Address. The surprise was unknown to everybody including the Director, Chairman, and all the sodalists. One lone guest, a former Director, was on the "in." You can just imagine how delighted we were and how complete our evening was made.

The Bishop told us he felt sorry for us because of the absence of our pastor, Monsignor Cameran, who is convalescing. Then, too, the Bishop had another reason for wanting to be there. Our assistant and guest speaker of the affair, Rev. Charles Boyle, as a youth was the Bishop's faithful altar boy. It afforded not only the Bishop but also all of the guests a real pleasure to hear the very eloquent address given by Father Boyle who chose as his topic the treatment of reverence as a virtue, the importance of reverence radiating from young women, first of all to themselves, to their fellowmen and to their God.

Clara Crimmens was chairman and Margaret Kenny was Toastmaster (the "meanies," they didn't even tell her the Bishop was coming, but everybody knows Margaret's capability and knows that she "carried on" as though she knew all along. Gosh,—OUR sodality is wonderful!)

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I don't know what I shall have to do to get myself back in the good graces of Newark. I have neglected their grand report very badly, first of all because it was too long to squeeze in the last Column, and secondly because the holidays rather upset our regular schedule. However, they have been doing all sorts of wonderful things down there, particularly their program of spreading Christmas cheer to those less fortunate. Tom Healey who heads the activities of the Eucharistic committee is very busy lining up the schedule for the Perpetual Communion which has been in effect for the past two years. Tom is also devising ways and means of increasing the attendance at the regular monthly Communion Sundays . . . Bob Kalb and the rest of Newark are all agog over the proposed new Community Center in the process of organization This new Center will prove to be most beneficial not only to the village in general but to the sodalists in particular. It seems that a copy of the official "laws and regulations" was turned over to the Sodality for examination. President Franklin Allen represents the Sodality at the meetings of the "Town Fathers concerning the new project. It must be wonderful to be considered so important!

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It will be tea and crumpets at St Boniface next Sunday afternoon, Jan. 12. The Sodalists of this very active organization extend a cordial invitation to each and every one of you to come and join them sometime between three and five. Going on their past record, I can assure you that you will have one grand time. They do things up right. (Yes, sodalists, it's a Silver tea.)

Family Communion Sunday

Take Honors in Nursing

Halifax, N. S. — Graduates of Catholic hospital training schools for nurses carried off the laurels in annual examinations for registered nurses held for the sister Provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Each girl passing the tests was awarded a certificate of provincial registration.

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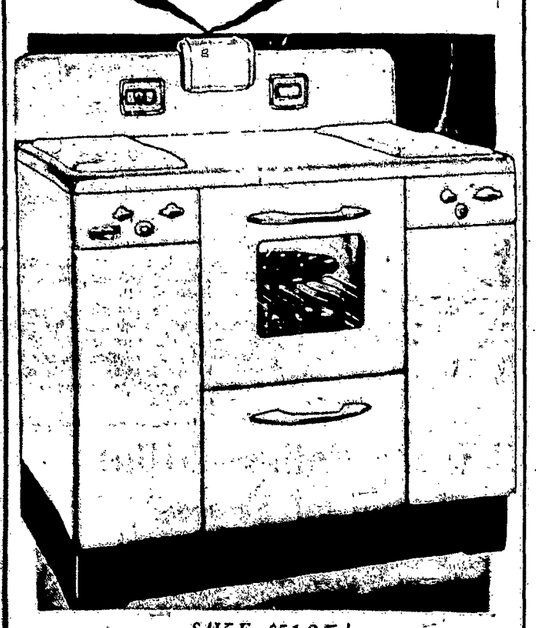

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