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TELL OF RELIGIOUS BROADCASTING



Among the speakers at the session of Religious Broadcasters, at the 11th Institute for Education by Radio, held at the Ohio State University were, left to right: Monsignor Edward Flanagan, founder of Boys Town, Neb.; Dr. Max Jordan, former European representative of the National Broadcasting Company; Edward J. Madigan, Executive Secretary, National Council of Catholic Men, which produces the nation-wide "Catholic Hour" program, and Rev. Michael Saggus, N. Y., at Gaynor; N. Y., Director of the "Ave Maria" radio program. Photo Courtesy of Columbus Register. (N.C.W.C.)

Striking Souvenir Book Recounts 50 Years of St. John's Parish

"Fifty Golden Years for God and Country," inscribed in black across the front golden cover atop a pen sketch of St. John the Baptist Church and Rectory, tell of the contents of a handsome souvenir book commemorating the church's Golden Jubilee and issued as the Golden Jubilee month of May came to a close.

A unique design of the American Flag and Cross superimposed on the letter "V" furnished the frontispiece.

The book is dedicated "to the pioneer men and women of St. John's parish who, through their zeal and personal sacrifice, built our beautiful church and bequeathed it to us."

The Golden Jubilee greetings of His Excellency, Bishop Kearney and the striking photograph of the Bishop congratulating the Rev. John B. Stammier, pastor, on the occasion of the latter's golden sacerdotal jubilee in December are prominently displayed.

Historical sketches and articles taken from the Elmira newspapers serve to tell the story of the fifty years of fruitful parish life. Photographs of early parishioners illustrate the historical articles.

Full page photographs of the church's altar, of the outdoor crib which won a city-wide prize and of other interior views of the church enliven the book.

There is a photograph of the present assistant pastor, the Rev. Raymond G. Halsey under whose direction the souvenir book was published and of former assistants, the Rev. Herbert L. Sturmer and the Rev. Jacob H. Kauben.

Prize-winning essays by Mary Catherine Agan and Charles Francis DeJardins are featured with photographs of the winners.

An account of "A Delayed Wedding" taken from the files of the Elmira Telegram, Jan. 14, 1881, provides a rare feature article to round out the book.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

The Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester, will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation Sunday, June 7, at 8 P. M. at Our Lady of Lourdes Church in West Elmira.

A class of 44 children and 14 adults has been prepared by the Rev. Leo G. Schwab, pastor, and will be presented to His Excellency. The class includes: Edward Albright, John Bevilacqua, Michael Bevilacqua, Robert Butler, Thomas Brill, Leo Edward Conzidine, Robert DeLaney, John Godwin, James Hopfenbeck, John Learned, Phillip Learned, George Marks, Charles Mathanic, Thomas Maxcy, John McCarthy, Daniel Sullivan, Mark Sullivan.

Installation Set By C. D. A.

CORNING — Plans were made for the installation of new officers on June 8 at a meeting held Wednesday, May 27 by the officers, trustees and the social committee for June of the Catholic Daughters of America.

It is expected that Mrs. Elizabeth Hannon of Cortland, district deputy, will be present for the installation. Refreshments will be served by the social committee under the direction of Mrs. Adrian Bellby and Mrs. Nicholas Ambrosone, co-chairmen.

Others on the committee are: Mesdames Eugene Almon, Henry Ainsworth, Frank Ainsworth, Orrin Benedict, Fred Bellman, Edwin Bowers, A. A. Baffomante, Robert Berns, Lucy Bavisotta, Mary Cunningham, William Cushing, Mary Cassidy, Lynne W. Cooper, Bernadetta Cook.

Benjamin Cavanaugh, Louis Cece, Kelsey Carleton, Mary Crispino, Jacob DeVictor, William Driscoll, Timothy Driscoll and the Misses Margaret Barrett, Emma Burns, Anne Burke, Elizabeth Bennett, Irene Cunningham, Stanis Cunningham, Catherine Cece.

Medellin Archbishop Appointed By Pope

VATICAN CITY (NC) — The Most Rev. Joaquin Garcia, Bishop of Santa Marta, Colombia, has been appointed Archbishop of Medellin by His Holiness Pius XII.

Joyce Kurucz, Joan Kurucz, Dorothy Flett, Theresia Sullivan, Joan Murry, Maureen Maloney, Sylvia Gilmore, Joan Gilmore, Dorothy Telaslejan, Jane Dowling, Joanne Dowling, Carol Woods, Clara Novakowski, Regina Bush, Katrina Bush, Barbara DeLaney, Gwendolyn Robinson, Marie Ferrelia, Lenore Corneau, Elizabeth Bevilacqua, Jean Mathanic, Elizabeth Tota, Shirley Sims, Priscilla Thomas, Fay McInerney, Katherine Ryan, Patricia Vreast, Joan Serio.

Clifford Zimmer, Arthur W. Hawley, Austin Kenyon, Paul Hoffman, Kenneth Bremer, George Forsythe, Mrs. John Coppola, Mrs. Simon McCarthy, Mrs. Arletta Hawly, Mrs. James O'Brien, Mrs. Mark Sullivan, Mrs. Clarence Glometti, Miss Jean Specht, Miss Mary Ellen Maxcy.

Altar Society Motion pictures of the construction and dedication of Our Lady of Lourdes Church were shown Tuesday evening at the final meeting for the season of the Parish Altar Society.

The society also adapted by Miss. The society will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 9 o'clock Mass next Sunday, June 7.

Benedictine Monks Appointed Chaplains

ATCHINSON, Kans. — (NC) — Two members of the St. Benedict's Abbey community here have been appointed Army chaplains.

The Rev. Fabian Harshaw, O.S.B., a member of the faculty of Mar Hill School, has been commissioned a first lieutenant and has left for Victorville, Calif. The Rev. Edward Schmitt, a member of St. Benedict's College faculty, has been appointed auxiliary chaplain at Leavenworth, Kans. For the present, he will also retain his position at St. Benedict's College.

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