

Bishop To Preside At Diocesan High Graduation Rites

749 Students Graduate At Seven High Schools

With approximately 749 boys and girls to be graduated from the diocesan high schools, commencement exercises will be held over the weekend which will demonstrate the basic religious training inculcated during the four years of the secondary school course.

His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, D.D., Bishop of Rochester, will preside at the graduation exercises at the various high schools, and will present diplomas and awards.

The graduations scheduled follow:

Thursday, June 18—Our Lady of Mercy High School, New Auditorium, 8:30 P. M.

Sunday, June 21—De Sales High School, Geneva, 11:00 A. M.

Sunday, June 21—Elimira Catholic High School, Elimira, 8:00 P. M.

Sunday, June 21—Aquinas Institute, 8:00 P. M.

Monday, June 22—Nazareth Academy, 8:00 P. M.

Tuesday, June 23—Holy Family High School, Auburn, 8:10 P. M.

Graduation exercises at the Academy of the Sacred Heart, Prince St. were held on Friday, June 12 with Bishop Kearney addressing the graduates and conferring diplomas. Graduates were Mary Rose Connor, Virginia Missar, Shirley Ann Simpson, Anne Welch, Anne Lawless, Joan Boland and Patricia Martin.

Aquinas Institute, in charge of the Basilian Fathers, will graduate 227 boys. The Bishop will address the class and Eugene Malley will be Valedictorian. The musical program will be in charge of Raymond J. Haasauer. Opening the day's program will be a Mass for the graduates celebrated by the Rev. J. H. O'Leane, C.S.B., principal.

With its largest graduating class in history numbering approximately 223 girls, Nazareth Academy will conduct its commencement, June 22. His Excellency, Bishop Kearney will confer diplomas and address the class. Wilma Roth of Holy Rosary parish will be Valedictorian and Mary Lombardo, St. Michael's parish, Salutatorian.

A class of 80 boys and girls will receive diplomas from Bishop

Camp Madonna For Girls To Open Sunday, June 28

Final preparations are under way for the opening of Camp Madonna, Catholic Women's Club camp on Canandaigua Lake, for girls from eight to eighteen years, on Sunday afternoon of June 28.

Extensive renovations of the camp buildings have been made since the close of camp last season. The results of these efforts will soon be ready for the comfort and pleasure of all who use the camp. These improvements, along with the kind of weather that has transformed the camp grounds, have contributed to make the setting for this summer plans more beautiful than ever before.

Miss Kathryn Coffey, camp director, will be assisted by the following competent staff: Miss Rita Scott of Nazareth College faculty, head counselor; Miss Frances Wilber of St. Mary's Hospital nurse counselor; Miss Beverly Jones and Miss Jean Schanz, Nazareth College students; Miss Janet Warner, graduate of Geneseo Normal School; and Miss Doris Griffin also of Geneseo; Miss Patricia Wilson, Girl Scout leader and a post-graduate student at Charlotte High School, and Miss Ann Maloney, for several years on the Camp Madonna staff. Miss Helen Williams is returning for her fourth year as dietitian. Rev. Dr. Charles J. Mahoney, we are most happy to say, is again our camp chaplain.

At a meeting of the staff held on Saturday, June 6, program plans were outlined and specific duties were assigned to each counselor. Training of counselors for the summer will be continued at camp on the week preceding the opening. In a year when unusual opportunities and high wages are attracting so many who would be excellent counselor material, we count ourselves most fortunate to have such a fine group of girls so well qualified willing to do camp work.

Reservations which far exceed those of the same date in former years reflect an interesting situation also. Parents who formerly traveled or enjoyed a cottage at the lake for a longer or shorter time during the summer, find that curtailed transportation cuts them off from their usual vacations. They are therefore eager to place their children where they can enjoy a change and be well taken care of at the same time. Another cause contributing to the increase in registration is no doubt the fact that because of increased employment many families who formerly were interested now find themselves able to send their daughters to camp.

In surveying the camp situation we find also, that most parents feel that camp is a normal activity that is a release from the trying situations that are the problem of the adult world today.

Bishop Kearney, in speaking of the summer camp, was heard to say, "one lesson learned from England is that nothing should interfere with the proper supervision and recreation of our young people."

"Surely the health of our boys and girls is one of our most important lines of defense. One camp authority has said 'the well run summer camp has been noted for building the health of the camper. It has done more than that, however. Strong muscles, new skills, cooperation with the consideration of other people, self reliance are products of camp life too. All these are elements of the disciplined life that all of us are having to learn and the younger we learn them, the better."

"What a familiar ring this last sentence has. For after all, no matter whether this educational idea or that seem to flourish for a while and then lose its important place for something different, the word 'discipline' in all its best sense implies it and always has been a familiar one to the Catholic children in the home, school and church.

"Camping is an antidote for everything artificial. It is an opportunity for the enjoyment of the freedom that is to be found in the open spaces and where a life more in harmony with God's design can be lived.

"There are still places at camp, though some weeks are already filled and with waiting lists. Do not delay if you have a child who wishes to come to camp, call the office of the Catholic Women's Club, Stone 4950, and arrange to have her registered. Folders will be mailed you upon request and interviews with parents are always welcome."

The following members of the Catholic Women's Club make up the camp committee which assumes the work and responsibility of the supervision of Camp Madonna: Mrs. Edward J. Zimmer, ex-officio; Mrs. Frank J. G. Connor, Mrs. Harry B. Crowley, Mrs. George W. Guerinot, Mrs. Robert C. Hartman, Miss Lucy R. Sheridan, Mrs. Leo F. Simpson and Mrs. Louis A. Whelan. Miss Alice F. Kirk is chairman of this committee.

The season will be from Sunday, June 28, to Sunday, Aug. 16.

KEY TO STRENGTH Here is the key to the strength of the Catholic Church. She is strong because she is united; so compacted together that there is no smallest unit but is in complete accord with the whole. - Cardinal O'Connell.

Alhambra Invite Friends To Field Day, June 27

Friends of the Alhambra, Order of the Alhambra, are being invited to join with members and their wives in participating in the Annual Field Day, Saturday, June 27, at Dairy's Wishing Well, 1190 Child Ave.

Several committees headed by Elmer J. Bloomer and M. Martin Wahl as co-chairmen, are arranging a program to begin at 2 P. M.

Outdoor sports will be featured by the annual Knights of Columbus-Alhambra ball game with Paul A. Predmore heading the Knights and Nicholas J. O'Neill, Alhambra captain. John Dunn will umpire.

Combination races, stunts, races and contests for men and women are being planned by Emmet J. O'Neill, chairman, and Lester J. Munding. Valuable prizes to be awarded are being secured by the committee consisting of Anthony P. Durston, chairman, Rocco F. Natalio, Gerald J. Mahon and George A. Conway.

Indoor sports are in charge of Paul A. Predmore, chairman. George Hinch, George Schroeder and Assemblyman Nelson Owen, Jr. Finance will be handled by Grand Commander Norman A. O'Brien and Grand Chamberlain William J. Woerner.

A supper at 6 P. M. and refresh-

ments are being arranged by Lewis J. Zwierlein, William A. Zwiergle and Dr. Elmer W. O'Brien.

George W. Schnopp heads the ticket committee. Assisting are Cal Lofink, Richard Torpey, C. Norbert Baglin, Thomas C. McCarthy, James V. Crowley and Leo G. Hetzler.

Dancing will follow the supper.

Reservations are being made with Paul A. Predmore or Thomas C. McCarthy at the K. of C. rooms, Columbus Civic Centre.

Swimming Schedule Set By C. Y. A. For Workers' Use

The Columbus Youth Association is arranging the pool schedule for the summer months to meet the demands of the defense workers. The men's recreational swimming hours are:

- Mondays—10:00 A. M. to 2:00 P. M.; 4:30 to 8:45 P. M.
Tuesdays—12:00 M. to 2:30 P. M. P. M. 6:30 to 8:45 P. M.
Wednesdays—10:00 A. M. to 2:00 P. M.
Thursdays—12:00 M. to 2:30 P. M.
Fridays—12:00 M. to 2:30 P. M.
Saturdays—1:00 to 8:45 P. M.

The women's schedule is as follows:
Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays—10:00 A. M. to 12:00 M.; 5:20 to 8:30 P. M.

PRACTICE VIRTUES True devotion to the Sacred Heart consists not only in practicing some outward devotions but also in practicing the virtues which are symbolized by the Sacred Heart of Our Savior.

C. Y. A. Summer Schedule To Start June 22

Boys Summer Schedule

Table with columns for Boys Under Twelve Years of Age (A. M. and P. M. times) and Boys Over Twelve Years of Age (Monday, Wednesday, Saturday activities).

Day Camp Schedule

Table with columns for Boys Under Twelve Years of Age (Monday, Tuesday, Saturday activities) and Boys Over Twelve Years of Age (Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday activities).

Girls Summer Schedule

Table with columns for WOMEN (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday activities) and GIRLS (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday activities).

ROYAL SOCIETY OF CANADA HONORS CARD. VILLENEUVE

TORONTO. His Eminence Rodrigue Cardinal Villeneuve O.M.I. Archbishop of Quebec, was made an honorary Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada at its sixty-first annual congress, held here. The society is made up of some 350 Canadian leaders in science and letters.

National Legion of Decency List

Large table listing titles under CLASS A—Section 1—Unobjectionable for General Patronage, CLASS A—Section 2—Unobjectionable for Adults, and CLASS B—Objectionable in Part.