

# Alumni List Memorial Mass At St. Aloysius, July 12

AUBURN—The annual Memorial Mass for the deceased Alumni of St. Aloysius School will be sung Sunday morning July 12, at 10:30 o'clock in St. Aloysius Church. This will bring to a close another year of successful activity.

This past year has been a memorable one for the Alumni climaxed as it was in June by the elevation to the Holy Priesthood of the Rev. Edward A. Shamon, one of its members.

As the full male choir of St. Aloysius Church sang "Ecce Sacerdos" over a hundred members of the association in double file preceded the young priest into the church on the occasion of his first solemn High Mass and lined both sides of the middle aisle, the full

length of the church, serving as a guard of honor through which Father Shamon and his assistant priests passed on their way to the altar.

Priests and nuns who were formerly connected with St. Aloysius and who have passed away will also be remembered in the Memorial Mass. A special invitation is being extended to the families of the deceased pupils to be present at this fitting tribute which will be offered by the Alumni for their departed schoolmates.

## ST. ALOYSIUS (Auburn)

### ALUMNI MEMORIAL MASS

AUBURN—The Alumni Association of St. Aloysius Church have extended an invitation to all their members to attend the Annual Memorial Mass for all the deceased alumni of St. Aloysius School

which will be offered on Sunday morning, July 12, at 10:30 in St. Aloysius Church. The Mass will bring to a close the activities of the organization for the year 1941-42 which have been most successful.

All priests and nuns who were at any time associated with St. Aloysius Church and School and have passed to their reward will have a remembrance in the Mass. Rev. John J. McGrath was the founder and first pastor of St. Aloysius Parish.

Rev. John B. Crowley, pastor of the church, and the officers and members of the Alumni Association of St. Aloysius have extended to the families of the school's deceased pupils to be present at this Mass which will be offered by them for their departed school mates.

#### ADMITTED TO BAR

Paul O'Connor, a graduate of St. Aloysius School, the Auburn High School, Georgetown University, Washington, D. C. and Georgetown Law School was among the thirty-seven men admitted to the New York State bar by the Appellate Division, Rochester. A justice of the peace of the town of Sweden and a member of the Onondaga County Board of Supervisors were also members of the class. The Justice of the Peace who was admitted to the bar never attended a law school. He is the son of an attorney.

### New Confraternity Manual Appears

WASHINGTON—With "The Words of Truth" now available, the Mystical Body of Christ Series of religion textbooks by the Rev. Leon A. McNeill and Madeline Aaron of Wichita, Kan., has been completed. It was announced by the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine today.

"The Words of Truth," third book in the series, is based on the Catechism and is designed for children in Confraternity classes—both school-year religious instruction classes and religious vacation schools. It is a development of the revised Baltimore Catechism, No. 2, presented in the language of the child and enriched with study assignments and text exercises. Father McNeill is Chairman of the Confraternity Manual Committee of the Confraternity.

### WAR DISASTER AMBULANCE GIVEN TO NUNS' HOSPITAL

NEW YORK—An ambulance to be used for disaster purposes for the duration of the war was presented to St. Vincent's Hospital here by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Joint Council No. 16.

Formal presentation was made by Alan Correll, head of the United States Ambulance Corps and the Theater Authority and founder and director of the Father Duffy Canteen Unit, to the superintendent of the hospital, Sister Loretto Bernard, of the Sisters of Charity of Mount St. Vincent. Members of the American Women's Volunteer Association will operate the ambulance during the day, and at night the driving will be done by the International Brotherhood of Teamsters.

### College 'Street Preachers' Work In North Carolina

RIVER FOREST, Ill.—"Street Preaching" is not new to Rosary College students but street preaching in North Carolina is a new locale for them.

Four members of the college's Catholic Evidence Guild which annually for the last seven years has sent groups to Oklahoma has changed the itinerary to the 3,500 square mile parish of the Rev. Ambrose Rehrbacker, of Waynesville, N. C. The girls are accompanied on the month's speaking tour, which began Monday by two Sisters, members of the Rosary College faculty.

The students have been prepared for Catholic Evidence Guild work by the Very Rev. Msgr. Reynold Hildebrand, Rector of St. Mary of the Lake Seminary, Mundelein, Ill. The project has been financed by the Rosary Guild, student religious organization.

"It was at a musical comedy. 'Why are all the men in the front rows baldheaded?' she asked. 'Because they bought their tickets from scoundrels,' he replied."

### Non-Catholics Call Off Own Services To Hear Monsignor Sheen Lecture

AUBURN—A news item of particular interest to Auburnians is the one released by the NCWC News Service concerning the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen who delivered an address in East High School Auditorium on May 24 under the auspices of the Lyceum Players of St. Mary's Church. The item is:

"Monsignor Sheen conducted a three day Mission for a large group of prospective colored converts as an outcome of a request in a letter written to him by a non-Catholic colored woman, a member of his Catholic hour audience. The writer was a colored school teacher of Sanford, N. C. who told Monsignor Sheen that she and a group of friends wanted to establish a Catholic church. He was invited to the Diocese of Raleigh by Most Rev. Eugene J. McGuinness, Bishop of Raleigh, to conduct the mission for the group which the writer represented.

"As the result of the letter, a church under the patronage of Our Lady of Lourdes with a resident pastor is to be established on the Main Street in Sanford for the colored. When the Monsignor arrived in Sanford, he gave Bishop McGuinness \$5,000, including amounts contributed by a number of radio listeners and himself for the foundation of the parish. In addition he brought altar materials to meet many of the needs of the parish.

"On the day Msgr. Sheen's Mission opened the following notice appeared in the Sanford Herald under the heading, 'No Prayer Service.' There will be no midweek prayer service at the Sanford Congregational Christian Church because of Rt. Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen's visit to Sanford. The pastor, Rev. A. C. Todd, requests that the members of the church attend the lecture to be given by Msgr. Sheen at the Lee County Training School."

#### NAKE PILGRIMAGE

London.—With the Bishop of the Armed Forces the Most Rev. James Doy, D.S.O., at their head, 800 soldiers, drawn from 25 units, made a pilgrimage to the Slipper Chapel at Walsingham, centuries-old shrine in Norfolk, visited in the ages of Faith by kings and princes.

## WEDDINGS IN AUBURN

### St. Mary's

Kerwin - Bergren  
Miss Ethel Marie Bergren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Bergren of 33 Garrow Street became the bride of James J. Kerwin, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Kerwin, Sr. of 2 Maple Street in a ceremony performed in the rectory of St. Mary's Church by the Rev. Joseph McNamara, assistant pastor. The bride was attended by Miss Dorothy Simmonds as maid of honor and Elwood Zmarthie, brother-in-law of Mr. Kerwin, was best man. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. After a wedding trip to the mountains, Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin will make their home at 218 East Conesee Street.

### Connor - Walker

UNION SPRINGS—Miss Mildred Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Walker of Oakwood was married to Paul Robert Connor, son of William Connor of Union Springs by the pastor, Rev. John Neary. Mrs. William Walker, Jr., sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor and Richard Connor, a brother of the bridegroom

was best man. The ushers were William Walker, Jr., brother of the bride and Keith Brightman, brother-in-law of the bridegroom. The wedding breakfast was served at the Red Brick Inn.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Connor will make their home at 7 Jarvis Street, Auburn. The bride and bridegroom are both graduates of Union Springs High School and Mrs. Connor is also a graduate of Oswego State Normal School and has been teaching at Union Springs Central School. Mr. Connor is employed by the Columbian Rope Company.

Among those who entertained previous to the wedding were Mrs. C. R. Barret and Mrs. A. J. Smith; Miss Martha Hopkins, Mrs. Earl McMichael, Mrs. Dolan Moscon, Mrs. Jack Clark and Mrs. Robert Myers, Mrs. Marion Davis, Mrs. Leo McPeak, Mrs. Chas. Pease and Mrs. Frank McKeon. Mrs. Keith Brightman and Mrs. Richard Connor, Mrs. William Walker, Jr., Mrs. Eugene Maloney and Mrs. John Mullally. Guests were present from Endicott, Syracuse, Port Byron, Aurora, Poplar Ridge, Auburn and Geneva.

## Funeral Rites of the Week in Auburn

### St. Alphonsus

Keweenaw Engert, 84, of 8 Holley Street died Thursday evening at Mercy Hospital after several weeks illness. He was born in Germany, but has resided in Auburn for many years. He was employed by

the Koenig Brewing Company for many years. He was a communicant of St. Alphonsus Church where funeral services were held on Monday morning. Burial was in the family plot in St. Joseph's Cemetery. Mr. Engert's only survivors were several nieces and nephews.

### Mission Rectory Dedication Is Attended By Soldiers

CARMEL MISSION, Calif.—Impressive military pageantry in which officers and soldiers of the Third Division at Camp Ord participated marked the ceremonies at which the Most Rev. Philip C. Scher, Bishop of Monterey-Fresno, dedicated the new rectory of the Carmel Mission.

Participation of the military was in keeping with the traditions of the mission, which had cared for the guard in the days of the padres. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament in which enlisted men also assisted was given following the dedication.

TROY—Mrs. Emily Heyn, sister of Mrs. Joseph H. Brophy, wife of the warden of Auburn Prison were conducted in St. Augustine's Church, Friday morning Mrs. Heyn who has been in failing health for some time, died rather suddenly. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Edward Reside of Troy and Sister Mary Francis of the Convent of Mercy, Albany. Miss Charlotte and Miss Esther Chippendale of Auburn are also sisters of Mrs. Heyn.

### Couple Wed 40 Years, 2 Priest-Sons Help To Observe Jubilee

CHICAGO—Mr and Mrs. Timothy M. Kennedy, of this city, observed their fortieth wedding anniversary by attending the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, which was celebrated by the priest who officiated at their wedding, and of which their two priest-sons were deacon and subdeacon.

The Rev. Philip L. Kennedy, Pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Joliet, Ill., was the celebrant of the Solemn Jubilee Mass and deacon and subdeacon respectively were the Rev. P. L. Kennedy, Editor of the Observer, Catholic newspaper of the Diocese of Rockford, and the Rev. John P. Kennedy, Assistant Pastor of Queen of Angels Church here.

A nephew of the jubilarians, the Rev. Marcel Kelliher, Editor of the True Voice, Catholic newspaper of the Diocese of Omaha, was Master of Ceremonies.

### 'Gigantic Holy Hour' Planned at Chicago

CHICAGO—The Most Rev. Samuel A. Stritch, archbishop of Chicago, announced plans this week for a gigantic Holy Hour to be sponsored by the Archdiocesan Union of Holy Name societies.

The Holy Hour will be held Sept. 13 at Soldier field.

Approximately 175,000 persons paid tribute to Jesus Christ in this mighty pageant of religion and patriotism last year, and an increased Chicago Holy Name membership indicates that this year's event will surpass the triumph of 1941.

More than 8,000 persons marched in procession before the Blessed Sacrament.

#### DISCUSSION CLUBS

Washington.—The Publications Department of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, announces the publication of "Parish Religious Discussion Clubs" by the Most Rev. Aloisius J. Muench, Bishop of Fargo and President of the National Catholic Rural Life Conference. Bishop Muench's pamphlet is an account of discussion clubs, their place and organization in the parish.

## PRIEST'S KIN ASSIST AT HIS FIRST MASS



It was like a family reunion when members of the Ryan clan gathered in San Francisco, June 14, to assist at the first High Mass of the Rev. Lawrence A. Ryan, in the Most Holy Redeemer Church. Pictured following the Mass, left to right, are: upper photo, Very Rev. Msgr. Lawrence F. Ryan, of St. Paul (uncle); Rev. Francis M. Ryan (brother); Rev. Lawrence A. Ryan, the newly ordained priest; Rev. David H. Ryan, O. S. A., of San Diego (cousin); Rt. Rev. Msgr. John A. Ryan, of Washington (uncle), Director of the Department of Social Action, N. C. W. C. Lower photo: Mrs. and Mr. James J. Ryan (parents); Sister Constance, Fargo, S. D. (aunt); Sister Catherine Anita, Fresno (cousin), and Sister Mary John, of St. Paul (aunt).