

# 'Back To School' Announcements Show Wartime Trend

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## Diocese Schools Open Sept. 8

### Training In Defense Courses To Open At Nazareth College

Nazareth College announces an interesting plan for defense efforts to be launched at the opening of the regular session on September 16. The College is planning to throw open to the community its facilities for defense work of various kinds, suited to the character of the institution.

#### K. OF C. CHAPLAIN



Rev. Raymond G. Heisel

### Former Elmira K. of C. Chaplain Accepts Same Post In Rochester

With the appointment of the Rev. Raymond G. Heisel as chaplain, Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus is prepared to hold installation of officers on Thursday evening, Sept. 3, at 8:15 p. m. in Columbus Civic Centre.

Father Heisel who is attached to St. Ann's Church, Rochester, is succeeding the Rev. John V. Loughlin of St. Bernard's Seminary who is now a chaplain in the United States Navy with the rank of Lieutenant Junior Grade.

Before returning to Rochester in June this year, Father Heisel was assistant pastor at St. John the Baptist Church, Elmira, and was active in Elmira's religious, fraternal and civic affairs. He was chaplain of Elmira Council, Knights of Columbus and had held that post three years.

Ordained in 1935, Father Heisel was assigned to Elmira. He served as Chaplain of the Junior Catholic Daughters for 6 years and on the Elmira Inter-Faith Committee for 4 years. He had an important part in the celebration by St. John the Baptist Church of its 50th anniversary in May.

The installation of Rochester Council officers will be in charge of District Deputy Ovid M. Panch of Medina who was invited to conduct the ceremony by District Deputy, Dr. Walter B. O'Neill of Rochester.

Chairman George T. Boucher will announce plans for the Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus retreat at Our Lady of the Lake Retreat House on Lochland Road, Geneva, opening on Friday, Sept. 18. Plans for the K. of C. blood donation to the American Red Cross plasma bank scheduled to take place on Thursday Oct. 1, from 4:30 to 5:30 p. m. will be outlined by Chairman Francis J. Brennan.

To carry on the activities, groups will be formed of members of the faculty and students, these latter according to their own choice or by appointment of the Student Council, care being taken that no student assumes a burdensome amount of defense service that might interfere with her college courses. Cooperation will be given to the war work of other colleges in this State, and with the work of the defense agencies of Rochester, Pittsford and Brighton.

#### Offer P. M. Courses

The following late afternoon or evening courses will be offered: First Aid; Advanced Course in First Aid; Motor Corps; Canteen Service; Leadership Training Courses consisting of the following: Community Organization in Home Defense; Cooperation with Welfare and Service Organizations. A group of six lectures is planned to be given by faculty members and invited speakers, on timely topics. Round-table discussions and public forums will be announced, in which the community will be invited to participate.

Nazareth College is not giving accelerated courses, although such courses were offered for the present summer to the higher ranking students. They chose the regular sessions. However, the undergraduates in large numbers are engaged in war work during the summer months. The exigencies of war time require acceleration in men's colleges. The same reasons do not exist for the women's colleges.

#### States Beliefs

Nazareth being a women's college, the administration believes that "our Democracy will be best served by giving its young women as broad and solid an education as possible. It believes that education is the worse for being hurried. Sufficient time, as well as physical well-being, is necessary for the normal growth of knowledge and for its transmutation into culture and wisdom. This should be our real aim at this crucial time, when the best thought, the most balanced judgment, and the highest wisdom are so desperately needed by those who influence the forming of public opinion, as well as by our statesmen and leaders."

Last year, the defense activities at the College included First Aid Course, Home Nursing Course, Book Collection, Sale of Stamps. Beside the course at the College, Sister Margaret Mary, R.N., M.S., gave a Home Nursing course for the Red Cross during the year in the City, and also courses during the summer.

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Catholic Schools Diocese of Rochester

### OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR

1942-1943

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Bishop of Rochester

1942

Sept. 8 Tues.—School opens  
Sept. 19 Fri.—Teachers' Institute  
Oct. 12 Mon.—Columbus Day—Holiday  
Nov. 11 Wed.—Armistice Day—Holiday  
Nov. 24 Wed.—Thanksgiving  
Holidays begin at 3:00 P.M.  
Dec. 8 Tues.—Immaculate Conception—Holiday  
Dec. 25 Wed.—Christmas vacation begins at 2:00 p. m.

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Jan. 4 Mon.—Classes resume  
Jan. 15 Wed.—Diocesan Examinations begin  
Jan. 18 Mon.—Regents Examinations begin  
Jan. 25 Mon.—Second Semester begins  
Feb. 23 Mon.—Washington's Birthday—Holiday  
Mar. 19 Fri.—St. Joseph's Day—Holiday  
Apr. 21 Wed.—Easter Vacation begins at 12:00 m.  
May 3 Mon.—Classes resume  
May 31 Mon.—Memorial Day—Holiday  
June 3 Thurs.—Ascension Day—Holiday  
June 8 Wed.—Diocesan Examinations begin  
June 14 Mon.—Regents Examinations begin  
June 18 Fri.—School closes

This schedule provides for 191 days inclusive of legal holidays and religious holidays.

"To re-establish all things in Christ." (Eph. 1, 10).

### SCHOOLS PREPARED TO MEET WARTIME DEMANDS—FR. DUFFY

On Tuesday, September 8, the Catholic elementary and high schools of the diocese of Rochester will open their doors for the first semester of the new school year. They may well expect a strenuous year. Every school will receive repercussions from the nation's mighty war program. These will come from the home, from industry, from the Office of Civilian Defense, and from the local and



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state department of education. Nothing which our schools can do to further the fight for freedom will be left undone.

Last year Catholic schools responded enthusiastically to every call. Schools held frequent and regular air raid drills. By radio telephone systems our schools were in direct touch with the control center of each city and town. Teachers and high school students offered their services at rationing centers, where needed. Pupils of all grades invested thousands of dollars in war saving stamps and bonds, besides giving generously to Red Cross war funds. Several teachers took Red Cross First Aid and Home Nursing courses.

But all this is quite insignificant in comparison to another contribution that Catholic schools are making toward our country's war effort. Catholic education has always believed in mental and moral discipline, and always will. Without it, there can be no program mental or moral or physical or military.

Until recently the Catholic school stood almost alone in insisting on discipline as a necessary factor in education. By the many it was regarded as a relic of the Dark Ages. But now things have changed. The philosophy of self-expression in the

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### Auburn Girl, 3 Rochester Boys Win Scholarships

Heading the five successful Cayuga County candidates, Miss Kathryn M. Cutler, 57 Frances St., Auburn, with a percentage of 95.71, was awarded a State Scholarship by the State Education Department, last week. Miss Cutler plans to enter Nazareth College in the fall.

### Diocesan Laymen's Retreat Program Enters 10th Week

GENEVA—The tenth week of the retreat program of the new Our Lady of Lake Retreat House on Lochland Road, is being marked this week. The retreat house opened in May.

The program this week will attract revertants from Sacred Heart, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, St. Anthony's and Holy Cross churches.

There will be no retreat from September 4 to 6 because of the holiday.

St. Margaret Mary's, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, and St. Charles Borromeo are the churches listed for retreat during the week-end of September 11 to 13.

### Native Bishop Heads New Chinese Vicariate

VATICAN CITY—By decree of the Sacred Congregation for the Propagation of the Faith, the Prefecture Apostolic of Fongsiangfu, Shensi, China, has been elevated to a Vicariate and the Prefect, the Rev. Filippo Wang Tao Nan, O.F.M., has been named Titular Bishop of Atribi. In the Order he was called Father Silvester.

Bishop Wang Tao Nan was born at Koleshow, near Talyuanfu, Shansi, in 1892. He was educated at the seminaries of Talyuanfu and Tungyuanfang and was ordained at the latter in 1920. He became the first Prefect Apostolic of Fongsiangfu in 1933.

Among the winners of the state scholarships in Monroe County were: Paul J. McCarthy, 79 Enterprise St., Rochester, of St. Andrew's Seminary with 97.35 percent; Donald L. Hoyt, 6084 St. Paul Blvd., Aquinas Institute, 96.70 percent and Frederick C. Richner, 1330 Clifford Ave., Aquinas Institute, 95.28 percent.

Miss Cutler also attained the Auburn Deanship Scholarship for Nazareth College and the Auburn College Club Scholarship. In competition with 100 girls she also rated highest for a scholarship at Mercyhurst College, Erie, Pa. She was fifth among more than 75 girls of New York State who competed for a scholarship at St. Rose's College, Albany. The winner was valedictorian of the Class of 1942 at Holy Family High School, Auburn.

The Rev. William E. Davis is principal of Holy Family High School, Auburn which has five Sisters of Mercy on the faculty and an enrollment of 175 students.

Winners of the state scholarships are entitled to one hundred dollars a year for the four years of college course while attending any college in the State of New York approved by the State Regents for that purpose.

### Parish Pupil's 'Fair' Aids Defense

LOS ANGELES—Eleven-year-old Theresa Martin had heard her parents discuss the war and civilian defense. She wondered what she could do. Too young to be of any physical service, she hit upon an idea.

She gathered her friends together and laid plans for a backyard fair. Her mother, Mrs. Emilie Martin, furnished lemonade. Theresa herself made cookies, and another girl made popcorn.

Various games were arranged. A penny or more was charged to participate in each game, and also for the cookies and lemonade. Twenty-one of Theresa's friends attended.

When the "penny carnival" was over, she turned over the proceeds—\$3.50—to her neighborhood air raid warden, William Deagberry, to aid civilian defense.

Little Miss Martin attends St. Bridget parochial school here.