

Scrap Collection Begins Saturday—Get It Out!

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K. OF C. SUPREME KNIGHT on first visit. At Communion breakfast in Hotel Sagamore, Sunday, (top photo, from left) Supreme Knight Francis P. Matthews, His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, State Chaplain; State Deputy Hugh A. Doyle; Rochester Chapter, the Rev. Raymond C. Heintz. Marching from Mass at Columbus Civic Centre (center photo, front line, from left): Supreme Knight, I. M. Kearney, State Deputy, and Grand Knight Thomas H. O'Connor. First showing of House photo, from left: Supreme Knight Matthews of K. of C. and Supreme President Frank H. Biel, Knights of St. John and Bishop Kearney.

Supreme Knight Exhorts K. of C. To Add Glory To 60-Year Service Record

"Let this order ever dedicate itself to the self-sacrificing service of mankind."

From their Supreme Knight, Francis P. Matthews of Omaha, Neb., nearly 300 members of the Knights of Columbus heard this call at the annual Communion Breakfast of Rochester Council, Sunday morning, as their supreme leader summed up eloquently, forcefully and convincingly, the 60 year record of the order.

Give 'Every Ounce of Scrap'

With the metal scrap collection set to begin on Saturday, Oct. 24, emphasis is being put on the need for building "Curbstone Victory Monuments" in front of every house and store.

"The shortage of steel can be a very serious matter for our country," His Excellency, Bishop Kearney declared in his appeal for cooperation in the Scrap Drive. "Every ounce of scrap which every householder can find anywhere should be made available for our national needs."

William T. Nolan, chairman of the Rochester Salvage Committee, today urges every reader of the Catholic Courier to respond wholeheartedly.

Rubber and tin are not wanted in this collection. Only metal will be collected. Metal mixed with rubbish may be passed by. Reports this week stated that the Rev. Arthur A. Florack had an army of boys in the parish doing yeoman work in the scrap drive.

In an effort to conserve fuel, gas and rationed ingredients and to continue to serve you with the highest quality Baked Goods, AUNT JENNIE'S BAKE SHOPPE, 516 Monroe Ave., will close all day Saturday. Be sure to stock up with Baked Goods at AUNT JENNIE'S on Saturdays—Adv.

Blesses First Convent For St. Lucy's Parish

OPEN HOUSE AT NEW CONVENT SET BY PASTOR, OCTOBER 25

Opening of a new Convent at 19 Clifton Street for the Sisters of St. Joseph who teach in St. Lucy's school is announced today by the Rev. Benedict J. Maselli, pastor of St. Lucy's Church.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. William F. Bergan, chancellor of the diocese will bless the new Convent and the Chapel, today, (Thursday, Oct. 23).

For many weeks parishioners have been busy assisting their pastor in arranging for the opening day, Sunday, Oct. 25. The Sisters will have open-house from 10 A. M. to 6 P. M. during which time they will receive parishioners and friends.

This is the first Convent for St. Lucy's parish as the Sisters formerly resided at St. Patrick's Girls Home. Following the sale of the Home, the Sisters returned to the Mother house from which they have had to commute since the opening of school in September.

Parishioners, this week, expressed their happiness at having the Sisters again living in the parish, where their influence on the children will be felt in greater measure.

Lauds Catholic School War Savings Response

WASHINGTON. — Widespread and enthusiastic Catholic response to the efforts of the Treasury Department to promote the sale of War Stamps and Bonds among the schools of the nation is reported by Homer W. Anderson, Associate Field Director in the Education Section of the Department's War Savings Staff.

Writing to the Rev. Dr. George Johnson, Director of the Department of Education of the National Catholic Welfare Conference here, Mr. Anderson says:

"We are getting fine reports on the enthusiasm to which the Catholic schools are entering into the spirit of the Schools At War program. We have received many requests for material, since it has not yet arrived in the schools. I thought you would like to know that we are very much pleased with the response."

Calls Birth Curbers No. 1 Saboteurs of Manpower

WASHINGTON—Advocates of birth control were called the No. 1 saboteurs of the nation's manpower by Representative Louis C. Rabaut, of Michigan, Saturday, in the House of Representatives debate on the Wadsworth Bill to lower the minimum draft age to 18 years.

Representative Rabaut said he lifted his voice "in consolation to the mothers of America," and that he thought particularly of "those mothers who spurned the laissez-faire doctrines of the birth-control radicals." Through the tears of such a mother, the Congressman said, a resplendent flag is raised, for she sees it punctiliously protected and diligently defended by her very own sons inheriting her spirit of sacrifice.



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WITH PRAYERS FOR MISSIONS offered throughout world at Mission Sunday were those at Solemn High Mass in Sacred Heart Pro-Cathedral. Officers of Mass (from left): Rev. Dr. Edward J. Byrne, Moderator; Rev. Dr. Edward J. Byrne, Celebrant; Rev. J. M. O'Leary, C.S.B., Subdeacon; Rev. Patrick Cleary, M.M., who delivered Mission Sunday sermon.

Native Clergy Keep Church Progressing In Orient, Says Fr. Cleary

The universality of the Church, her age-old Mission, her mission in the world today were strikingly brought out in the Mission Sunday observance at the Pro-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart on last Sunday morning.

Clothed in the crimson vestments prescribed for the Feast of St. Luke, the Apostle, the Mission Moderators of the Crusade Unit of Rochester officiated at the celebration of a Solemn High Mass at eleven o'clock. Students from St. Bernard Seminary formed the choir, singing the traditional Gregorian Chant.

A delegation from the schools, college students in cap and gown, the various high schools with their distinguishing uniforms, nurses in their uniforms and capes was present. As in the early Church, following the Credo two students presented to the sub-deacon of the Mass the offerings of bread and wine to be used by the Celebrant in the Sacrifice.

A twentieth-century apostle, the Rev. Patrick Cleary, M.M., for sixteen years a missionary in Korea, preached the sermon. Father Cleary is a member of the Maryknoll Order and has just returned from Korea on the re-patriation ship, the Gripsholm, Home Year Later.

In beginning of his sermon, Father Cleary said: "Little did I realize one year ago when I addressed my people and gave them

a Mission Sunday sermon that one year from that day I should be preaching the Mission Sunday sermon in the Cathedral of my native diocese of Rochester."

"It may surprise you to hear that even on the mission we observe Mission Sunday."

"Mission Sunday is observed the world over in the Universal Catholic Church and we expect in our people, even though they may be new in the Faith, we appeal to them on Mission Sunday to support the universal mission of the Church in its work among the pagans."

Father Cleary went on to relate his experiences immediately preceding and following his arrest in December and his internment for six months previous to his return to America. He said: "Some of us missionaries were compelled to withdraw from mission fields. But that did not stop the work. In all Korea there are about 200 Korean priests and we have the happiness of knowing that the work of the Church goes on. When in the Providence of God we return after the war, we may find the Church in a much stronger condition than we left it. The responsibility has been placed on the people. Keep them in your prayers today that they may respond as we hope and feel sure that they will."

Just how the Church is progressing in mission lands was shown by the figures which Father Cleary quoted in regard to the territory under his jurisdiction. When he went to Korea sixteen years ago there were 2,000 Catholics, which he felt there were 2,000 Catholics.

Father Cleary concluded his sermon with an appeal for the spiritual and material support of the missions.

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