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PARISH NEWS

Food and Fancy Goods Sale To Benefit Mercy Hospital

AUBURN—The Mercy Hospital Food and Fancy Goods Sale will be held on Saturday, Dec 12. The committee in charge is working diligently to make the sale a success. "They ask you to please help them by making your purchases from them on this day."

The sale will be held in the store at 64 Genesee Street. This store is between Seward's Bank and Crosmen's Jewelry Store. There will be an attractive line of fancy goods and a variety of home cooked food. There may be some who would like to make a donation of some kind to this sale. If possible these people are asked to deliver their donations due to gas rationing. If this is impossible, they may call Miss Isabel Goss, 1208-J, Mrs. George Frank, 3346 or Mrs William Butler, 3907-R and the donation will be called for and delivered to the store on Saturday. The donations may be baked goods, canned goods and fancy or useful articles. Don't forget Saturday Dec. 12. The sale commences at 0:00 o'clock and continues throughout the day and evening. All proceeds will benefit Mercy Hospital.

HOLY FAMILY HIGH-LIGHTS

By MARY ELLEN FITZGERALD
ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

On Monday Dec 7 members of the junior and senior classes of Holy Family High entertained the student body and their invited guests, Father Conway and Father Reil and the seventh and eighth graders by giving a demonstration of choral speech. The Glee Club was also on hand with their lively tunes, accompanied by Bob Doyle at the piano and Paul Laurin at the drums.

The program was announced by Joseph O'Donnell.

Choral speaking is the vocal interpretation of literature by a group of voices speaking as one. The verse choir is one avenue of approach to a fined diction, develops a fine national speech, the value of vowel quantity, articulation, movement, resonance, flexibility and timing.

In the first group was heard a mixed choir of senior and junior girls who honored our Blessed Mother by the recitation of the Choral Magnificat, after which the Glee Club sang, "O maiden, O Mother." This was followed by the choric verse "Rose Mystica" by Gerald Manley Hopkins S J.

Four seniors, Jane Guiney, Joseph O'Donnell, Mary Lou Hayden and Theresa Kelley then recited, paying tribute to our Blessed Mother under the title of "The Lady of America."

The second group consisted entirely of senior members of the Club who gave a demonstration of choric verse in a somewhat lighter vein.

St Mary's Bells by John Mase Held song "St Mary's Bells" by the Glee Club.

The Hymn Before Sunrise in the Vale of Chamouni by S R Coleridge and then the Glee Club's lively Checoslavakia Dance Song.

The Tarantella by Hilaire Belloc.

The Musical Trust Author Unknown and then the lively "Mc Nagara's Band."

The Music Makers by O'Shaughnessy followed by "Old McDonald Had a Farm."

The Centaurs by James Stephens.

In the third and last group three selections rendered by the peppy junior class seemed to be the favorites, specially "Jeremy" by Leonard Feeney, S J with the solo parts so well done by Robert Morgan as Jeremy and Gertrude Burns as Lucy.

This was followed by "The King's Breakfast" by A A Milne "I Hear America Singing" by Walt Whitman and then the closing chorus "March On America to Victory."

Students Mobilize For Victory

Under a national program, the boys and girls of Holy Family High have been mobilized into a Victory Corps. The students have voluntarily pledged themselves to work hard and realistically by taking a vital part in one or more of the following Victory Corps activities for the boys: Civilian Defense, harvesting of crops, Catholic Literature to Army camps, stamps and bonds, corresponding with alumni in service, first aid courses, map making. For the girls: Catholic Literature to Camps, bandages, over-seas kits for soldiers, Red-Cross activities, stamps and bonds, correspondence with members alumni in service, first aid courses, home nursing, besides the various clubs for both groups.

All, of course, participate daily in the recitation of the Rosary and are weekly communicants. Each student also takes part in the school physical fitness program at a local gymnasium under the supervision of Rev. William E. Davie, principal.

Graduates In Service

Holy Family graduates are proving their loyalty to God and to their country every day. It has been in existence only eleven years, yet the honor roll in the corridor tells us that over 80 of our young men are already in the service and more leaving every day. These young men do not leave without first coming to see Father Davie to obtain medals, rosaries, prayer-books and other religious articles and to say goodbye to him and the Sisters. They know they will be in great need of prayers and are not in too much of a hurry to depart without first coming to ask for prayers in their behalf.

Reports To Army

BILLINGS, Mont. The Rev Cyril M Altermatt, of St Patrick's Church here, has joined the Army as a chaplain and is reporting to the Army Chaplains' Training School at Harvard University.

OUR HIERARCHY

This is one of a series presenting American members of the Hierarchy.

No. 188—Bishop Emmet

Most Rev. Thomas Addis Emmet, S J., Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica, B. W. I. Born, Aug. 23, 1873, Boston, Mass. Ordained, July 30, 1909, at Woodstock, Md. On faculty of Georgetown University, Washington; head-master Georgetown Preparatory School, Garrett Park, Md.; member Jesuit Missionary Band, Jamaica, B. W. I.; pastoral work, Archdiocese of Boston, 1909-1930. Named Titular Bishop of Tuscamia, July 5, 1930, and appointed Vicar Apostolic of Jamaica, B. W. I. Consecrated, by Cardinal O'Connell, in Boston, July 21, 1930. (N.C.W.C.)

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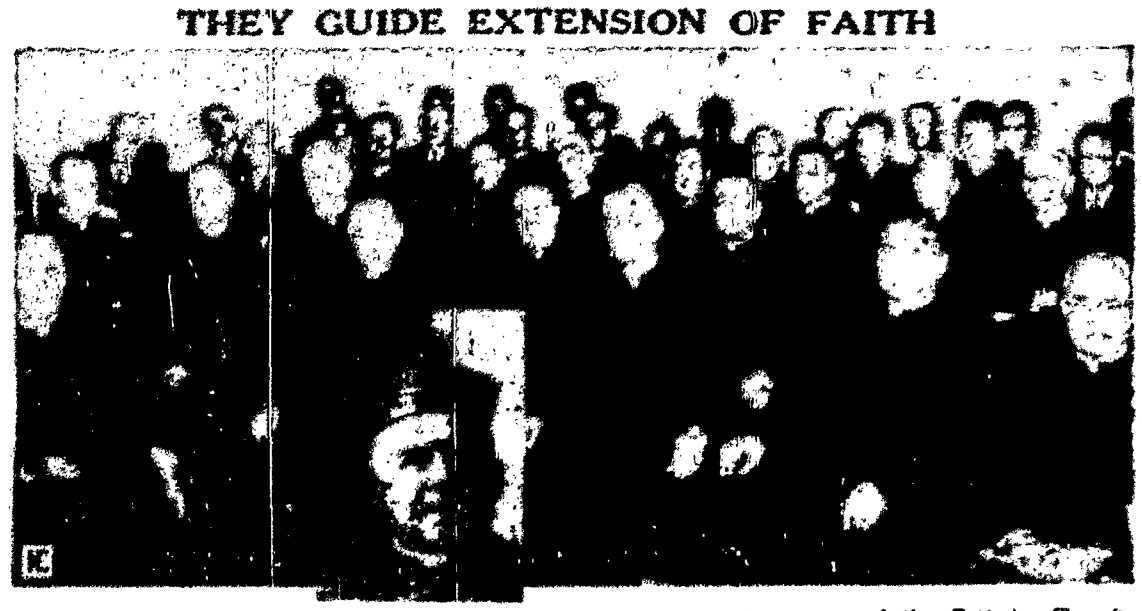

More than 25 members of the Hierarchy attended the 37th annual meeting of the Catholic Church Extension Society, in Chicago, where they were guests of Archbishop Samuel A Stritch, Chancellor of the Society. It was announced at the meeting that the Most Rev William D. O'Brien (inset), Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, was appointed by the Holy See to his fourth term as President of the Society. Bob Kear photo. (N.C.W.C.)

Armed Services Call Many Youths From Auburn

Private Edward Scollan, son of Mrs. Frank Scollan of 37 Finch Avenue who left Auburn for Fort Niagara on Nov 23 is stationed at Atlantic City N J His brother David Scollan is with the Army at Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Dr. Edwin J. Foley of 5 Liberty Street, son of Mrs Catherine Foley and brother of Dr William Foley, has receive a captain's commission with the 79th General Hospital Unit affiliated with Long Island Medical College Camp White, Oregon.

First Lieutenant Anthony L. Cimildoro, Medical Corps, was one of 349 officers of the Medical Department qualified on Saturday for field duties when they were graduated as the 17th Officers' Class from the Medical Field Service School at Carlisle Barracks, Pa They departed immediately for their respective units. Dr Cimildoro's home is 40 Swift Street Auburn.

Private Gerald F. Fitzgerald who left Auburn for Fort Niagara with the contingent on Nov 23 is stationed with the 310th Tec School Squadron, Flight C Keesler Field Biloxi, Miss.

Private Robert G Currier of 27 Frazee Street is now stationed at the U. S Army's Medical Replacement Training Center at Camp Pickett Va where he is undergoing intensive medical training. Upon completion of the course, medical soldiers are assigned to hospitals or to tactical units of the army.

Tech. Sergt. James E Bannon, Jr., son of James E Bannon Sr. of 212 Woodlawn Avenue has returned from Hawaii and is spending a short leave at his home. Sergeant Bannon left Auburn two years ago with Company I of the National Guard and is enrolled at the Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Ga.

David George Steigerwald, son of Mr and Mrs. Frank H Steigerwald of 53 Frances Street left Monday for the U S Aviation Base at San Antonio, Texas. Steigerwald enlisted last June as an Aviation Cadet and has just received his call. He is a graduate of East High School and studied at Syracuse University for one term.

Stephen J. Jupiee of 100 State Street is stationed at the U S Army's Medical Replacement Training Center at Camp Pickett Virginia where he is undergoing intensive physical, military and specialized medical training.

Private David W. Callanan has returned to his company in the Eighth Armored Division at Fort Knox, Kentucky after spending a 10 day Thanksgiving furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Victor J Callanan of 159 East Genesee Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Shaw of 18 Anna Street have received word from their son, PFC William A Shaw who is now with the U S. Armed Forces in North Africa. Private Shaw says that he is in fine health and everything is going along fine. He is a graduate of East High School and also took a post graduate course at Holy Family High School. He is a leading football, baseball, and basketball player and an outstanding golfer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Marland of 3 Elm Street have received a letter from their son Robert Marland informing them that he is now somewhere in Egypt. Private Marland expressed his appreciation to friends who sent birthday gifts that finally caught up with him in Egypt.

Sgt John F. Conway, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John F Conway Sr of 832 Park Avenue has been promoted to staff sergeant according to word received today from his headquarters in Hawaii where he has been stationed for the past two years. Conway is a graduate of Holy Family Parochial School and of Auburn East High School. William Aloysius Conway brother of John is taking a special basic training course at Chanute Field, Illinois. William is a graduate of Holy Family High School where he excelled as a student and athlete.

$500,000 Hospital Dedicated By Bishop

STAMFORD, Conn. The Most Rev. Maurice F McAuliffe Bishop of Hartford officiated at the dedication of the new $500,000 St Joseph's Hospital which was built by public subscription.

The two story modern building has 80 beds. The chief of the hospital staff is Dr Frank Harrison and Mother Sacred Heart of the Provincial Sisters of St Joseph is Superintendent.

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Esther McCarthy Signs Up As Army Nurse

AUBURN Miss Esther R McCarthy daughter of Mr and Mrs. Jeremiah McCarthy of 12 Paul Street has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U S. Army Nursing Corps and has been assigned to Pine Camp Northern New York.

Miss McCarthy is a graduate of Holy Family High School and the School of Nursing, Auburn City Hospital.

Millionth Serviceman Greeted At Club

NEW ORLEANS (NC) When Pvt Jackson R Hume lifted the latch at the NCCS-operated USO club here today he was not altogether prepared for the reception he received. He was surrounded by a crowd of newspaper reporters and photographers as well as USO officials.

What happened was that Pvt. Hume who lived on a Sanger Cal, ranch prior to joining the Army last June happened to be the millionth serviceman to visit the club since its opening and was therefore just in time for the Millionth Guest celebration which included a dinner invitation and later a party at the Hotel Roosevelt, at which Private Hume was guest of honor.

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