

Holy Childhood Association

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Mission Activity For January

We rejoice wholeheartedly in the suggestion of the Catholic Educational Council of the Church Unity Office...

Christmas Seal Campaign

- Add to the total of the Christmas Seal Campaign we report the following statistics: Holy Cross, Rochester \$45.66 St. Andrew, Rochester 192.00 Our Lady of Victory, Roch. 34.00 St. Mary, Elmira 26.55 St. Mary, Rochester 55.02 St. Cecilia, Elmira 11.00 St. Joseph, Rochester 79.02 Immaculate Conception, Rochester 34.21 St. Peter and Paul, Elmira 19.27 St. Bridget, Rochester 10.25 St. Charles Borromeo, Roch. 75.00 Holy Trinity, Webster 70.00 Sacred Heart, Fortinville 2.00 St. Theresa, Rochester 6.00 St. George, Rochester 7.30 St. Mary, Waterloo 8.00 St. Rose Lima 5.00 St. Peter and Paul, Roch. 55.58 St. Mary, Auburn 10.00 Holy Apostles, Rochester 32.55 St. Patrick, Elmira 84.00 St. Mary, Danville 12.00 St. Agnes, Avon 8.00 Blessed Sacrament, Roch. 131.52 St. Alphonsus, Auburn 50.00 Nazareth Hall, Rochester 32.00 Sacred Heart, Rochester 80.25 St. Ann, Hornell 37.00 St. Francis, Geneva 47.71 St. Agnes, Rochester 13.01 St. Ignace, Greece 5.00 St. Boniface, Rochester 30.50 St. Pysmith, Auburn 18.99 St. Patrick, Owego 5.00 St. Michael, Penn Yan 6.00 St. Anthony, Hamlet 15.00 St. Vincent, Corning 33.28 St. Mary, Corning 63.40 Holy Family, Auburn 43.50 St. John, Spencerport 15.00 St. Stanislaus, Rochester 20.00

Adoptions

In their Christmas Letter, the pupils of the Eighth Grade of St. Mary's School, Corning, enclosed an offering for the adoption of a little American Negro boy, John Francis. We are sure that the Holy Childhood Association can easily place this adoption with one of our missionaries working in the Southland...

and have been most appropriately named after Martin de Porres.

The Prize Story

We quote a note received from St. Peter and Paul's School, Oneida:

Eighty Grade—10 babies - Emil, Robert, Francis, Adolph, John, Mary, Teresa, Catherine, Florence, James.

Seventh and Eighth Grade—9 babies - Maecella, Augusta, Clare, Twins, Francis and Robert, Emil and Adolph, Karl and Philomena.

Seventh Grade—4 babies - Ella, Veronica, Angela Marie, Harris, Mary, Joseph.

Sixth Grade—3 babies - Ralph, John, Charles - Michael, Jeannette, Marie, Maria Ann, Ann Marie.

Fifth Grade—3 babies - Anna, Maria, Richard, Andrew, Ruth, Carol.

Fourth Grade—3 babies - Robert, Edward, Joan, Helen.

Third and Fourth Grades - 3 babies - Gerard, Paul, Franca.

Third Grade—3 babies - Mary, Joseph, Josephine.

Second Grade—3 babies - Grace, William, John.

First Grade—3 babies - Leo Arthur, John George, Bernard, Gregory.

A friend—1 baby.

Dues

Paid in full has been marked after St. Joseph's School in the matter of dues.

We are grateful also to St. Bridget's School for the offering of \$2.25 for dues.

More Adoptions

Our previous list of adoptions was not quite complete. We have set to report the following: Sacred Heart School, Rochester, three adoptions: Carol Ann, Chinese by the Fifth Grade; Carol Marie, Russian by the Fifth Grade; Joseph, Russian, by the Sixth Grade.

The pupils of the Eighth Grade of St. Anthony's School, Elmira, have chosen a Chinese baby boy for their adoption, to be named Michael Anthony, with Anthony Leach and Antoinette Madalena as godparents.

We were happy to receive two adoptions from St. Andrew's School, a Chinese girl Mary Ann Louise from the Sixth Grade and an Eskimo boy, John Raymond West from the Sixth Grade South.

The Japanese baby adopted by the children of the Fifth Grade of St. Alphonsus School, Auburn, will receive the name Mary Francis after Our Lady and St. Francis Xavier.

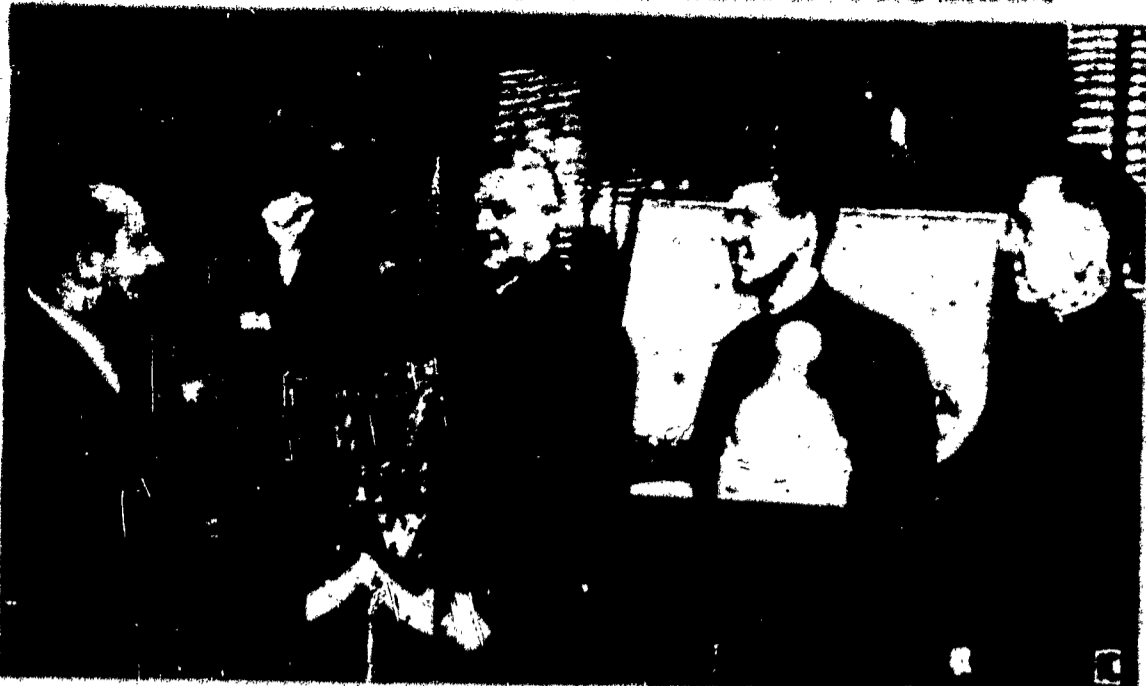
Prison

One final word on prizes. During the past week we have filled some of the orders for prison. Our store is depleted and we are awaiting an additional shipment.

CONDEMNS AXIS

Fresno, Calif. - A condemnation of the Axis philosophy and of the swastika as the emblem of paganism marked the address made by the Most Rev. Philip G. Scher, Bishop of Fresno, in dedicating the newly instructed Notre Dame Parochial School in Salinas at exercises attended by hundreds of service men and a band unit from Fort Ord.

YOUTH SERIES ON SACRED HEART PROGRAM



Rev. Daniel A. Lord, S. J., Catholic author, composer and playwright, inaugurates a youth series over WEW, St. Louis University, as a new feature of the Sacred Heart Program, which is carried by electrical transcription over 95 other stations throughout the United States and Canada...

SODALTALK

A good start is supposed to be a good omen to a good finish. According to this Holy Family Sodality are assured a very successful year during 1943. The traditional New Year's Eve party took place as usual. Shortly before midnight Sodality gathered in the church for Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament which started their New Year with God's blessing on them; they returned to their party and resumed the entertainment.

Congratulations, St. Francis Xavier Sodality! Your Christmas edition of THE QUEEN'S STALL, dedicated and written expressly for the men in service, merits a very high place among Sodality newspapers. Uncle Sam need not worry about the morale of his boys with St. Francis Xavier Sodality on the job.

St. Patrick's Sodality was one of the many Rochester groups that held a Christmas party. However it is safe to say that it was the only one of its kind in the vicinity. Just before the main feature of the party - i.e. food - the entire Sodality stood at their places and read prayers from a pamphlet appropriate to the occasion. This was followed by the singing of Adeste Fideles. In the meeting room was a Nativity Scene which brought forth the real spirit of the season.

We are all looking forward to the next edition of the HAIL

Bowling

Aquinas Five Defeats Holy Rosary Keglers

The Aquinas Bowling Team won its first match of the season by turning back Holy Rosary women at the Geneva Hall last Sunday, 2323 to 2293. Bob Weitzer led the Maroon & White platoon in their successful debut, notching 337 as Tom Spiegel added 225 and Frank Stadler with 225.

Table with bowling scores for Aquinas and Holy Rosary teams, listing names and individual scores.

Reports At Harvard

St. Louis The Rev. Aloysius J. Marschner, assistant at St. Peter and Paul's Church here, has been commissioned an Army chaplain and is reporting to the Chaplains Training School at Harvard.

DAILY St. Stanislaus Sodality newspaper, Irene Konecny has recently been appointed Editor to succeed Mildred Okolowita.

Welcome, St. Thomas Sodality, Father Shamon brought his new group to Union meeting last Monday night. They have the spirit necessary to carry on and will prove to be worthy members of the Rochester Union.

According To The Doctor

HOW OLD ARE YOU? That's right, how old are you? No, don't say it. A figure of digits only isn't always the right answer. You can make yourself as old-or as young-as you want to be. True, you can not avoid the ups and downs, the worries and strains that everybody runs into. But you can minimize their shock by attention to the too oft forgotten criteria of mental health.

Control your emotions. This will follow if you control your thoughts. Temper is an unhealthy excess of nervous energy. Moods are unhealthy excesses of mental and emotional ruts. Depression can be cured, avoided, gotten rid of if you want to work at it.

Finds Second Hand Suit Cost \$100

NEW YORK Missionary life, even in normal times, hold enough misery but war multiplies it and with war comes inflation. So it is small wonder money matters have Rev. Winney McGrath, O.F.M., assigned to China's mission field, in somewhat of a dither - to say the least.

AT AQUINAS INSTITUTE

MEMORIAL MESS FOR LT. OCORR

Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated in the auditorium of Aquinas Institute on Monday, Jan. 4, for 2nd Lt. Arthur J. Ocorr, an Aquinas Graduate who was killed in action with American troops in the African campaign. Following the Mass, the Rev. Leo E. Hastings, who was Lieutenant Ocorr's home-room moderator while the latter was a student at Aquinas, delivered the sermon, speaking very highly of this young man who has given his life for his God and his country.

REPORTS ON WAR AID ACTIVITIES

The Aquinas students of today are also doing their part in the war effort. Many of them have offered their services in the scrap drives that have taken place throughout the city. Many are also working at various jobs in their spare time to help relieve the labor shortage.

Urge Compulsory Education Of Children To Age 14

MONTRICAL The Montreal Catholic School Commission, in a motion sponsored by Hugh O'Donnell and J. J. Perreault, has urged the Catholic Committee of the Council of Public Instruction of the Province of Quebec to establish compulsory education for all children in Montreal up to the age of 14 years, and to then put such a law into effect immediately.

Never give advice in a crowd. - Arab proverb.

Finds Second Hand Suit Cost \$100

PRICEA have gone beyond all reason. Since I came to China over five years ago, I had not bought a new suit, but on coming here it was necessary to buy one. After a few days of hunting around, I purchased a second-hand suit for two thousand dollars (Equal to \$100 in U. S. money)."