

# Good Counsel Parish

## SOCIETY DINNER

Our Lady of Good Counsel Altar Society honored its retiring officers at a dinner in the School Auditorium on Wednesday evening. The guest speaker was the Rev. Maynard A. Connell, Ph.D.

The honored guests included: Mrs. John Upphart, President; Mrs. Herman Schauer, Vice-President; Mrs. Walter Garner, Secretary; Mrs. Catherine McCaffery, Treasurer.

Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Ralph Waelt and Mrs. Har-

man Schauer, Co-chairman; Mrs. Arthur Meyer, Toastmistress; Mrs. Richard Thiele, Decorations; Mrs. Lenah Murray, Mrs. Emil Hiedman, Entertainment; Mrs. Henry Kirchoff, Mrs. George Duffy, Reservations.

Mrs. Theodore Florack made the presentation awards.

The dinner also marked the occasion of the induction of the following new officers: President, Mrs. Fred Hiedel; Vice-President, Mrs. Edward Coughlin, Secretary, Mrs. Charles Schusterbauer, Treasurer, Mrs. Roy Paine.



**SHOOT STRAIGHT  
With Our Boys!  
BUY WAR BONDS**

The seal of the United States was designed by a young student of Philadelphia named Bill Barton. He made several designs before the seal in its present form was adopted.

# American War Prisoners Get Red Cross Food Parcels

American fighting men taken prisoners by Germany or Italy and interned American civilians receive regular American Red Cross standard food parcels and necessary clothing

As soon as the International Red Cross Committee in Geneva is notified of their capture and camp location a total of 5,000 food parcels were reported dispatched to camps in Europe during November to United States prisoners of war and internees. Prisoners receive a package a week and internees one every 2 weeks.

In addition to the standard Red Cross parcels, which have been carefully prepared by nutrition experts to counteract any vitamin deficiencies in the regular prison diet, a prisoner may also receive one supplementary parcel every 60 days from his family or friends as soon as they have been officially notified by the Provost Marshal General's Office of his capture and whereabouts. Full directions for sending these parcels are sent to the next of kin at the time of notification. Information may also be obtained from any post office on what may be included in these parcels to prisoners of war, for which, under regulations recently issued by the Board of Economic Warfare, no individual export license is now required.

The American Red Cross food parcels contain evaporated milk, biscuit, cheese, cocoa, sardines, pork, beef, chocolate bars, sugar, coffee, powdered orange concentrate, prunes, cigarettes and smoking tobacco. The contents of each package weigh 8 1/2 lbs. The shipping weight is 11 lbs.

**Choose Camp Leader**

Large numbers of those standard food parcels have been shipped through the neutral port of Lisbon. They are carried from Lisbon on a vessel chartered by the International Red Cross Committee, under a safe conduct guarantee from the belligerents, to Marseilles, or Genoa, and from there are sent by rail to Geneva. The International Committee arranges for their transport to the camps where they are handed out by the "man of confidence," the camp leader chosen by the prisoners from among themselves. A system of receipts in triplicate, and constant checks by the International Red Cross Committee delegates who make periodic inspections of the camps, assure that all parcels are received by those for whom they are intended.

Twenty thousand American Red Cross parcels were sent last June

to the Far East on the neutral, diplomatic exchange ship, the Gripsholm, for distribution by the International Red Cross Committee delegates to American prisoners in Japan, Occupied China, and the Philippines. The Gripsholm also carried 1,000,000 cigarettes, 10,000 tins of smoking tobacco, \$50,000 worth of medical supplies and quantities of clothing and other necessities furnished by the Army and Navy.

Much larger quantities of supplies have been loaded on the Gripsholm in anticipation of her second sailing, for which final clearance with the Japanese is still awaited.

**Delay in Far East**

Even since the entry of the United States into the war, negotiations have been carried on vigorously through Red Cross and diplomatic channels to establish a regular shipment of food parcels and other comforts for American prisoners in the Far East. Delay in completing such arrangements for prisoners of war is not unusual. It took almost a year before the British could make satisfactory arrangements for sending regular supplies of food parcels from England for British prisoners held in Germany, in spite of the short distance to the Continent and other obviously more favorable factors.

In addition to the distribution of material aid, all information about prisoners of war is cleared through the International Red Cross Committee's Central Agency for Prisoners of War at Geneva, to which the belligerent nations acting under the terms of the Geneva Convention of 1929, send lists of those captured, and the location of their prison camps, for transmission to the country interested.

Up to Dec. 31, 1942, Germany had reported 228 United States prisoners of war and 1,491 interned United States civilians, of whom 788 were men and 703 women. Italy had reported 15 United States prisoners of war and 21 United States internees of whom 13 were men and 8 women. Japan had reported 1,442 United States prisoners of war, 310 Army, 725 Marine Corps, and 404 Navy, and 1,833 United States internees, 1,536 men and 287 women. Japan holds many times this number of Americans.

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First Friday: 6, 7 and 8.  
Holydays: 5:30, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 12:15.  
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Baptisms: 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

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# Blessed Sacrament Parish

## ROSARY PARTY PLANNED

At a special meeting of some of the members of the Rosary Society held last week plans were begun for a rosary party to be held early in February. This will take place of the annual supper sponsored by the Rosary Society each year before Lent. The supper will not be held this year due to difficulty in obtaining food in sufficient quantity to accommodate the large number who usually attend. The members of the Society will shortly receive tickets for distribution for the card party.

## PUBLIC SCHOOL CLASSES

With the return of pupils to school following the Christmas vacation, classes in religious instruction for Catholic pupils in the public schools have been resumed. For

those in high school, classes are held each Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Examinations on work covered thus far during the year will be held very shortly. Pupils who failed to register for these classes during the first term may register with the public school principal during the month of January.

Instructions for boys and girls in public grammar school are given each Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Parents of such children are again reminded of their obligation to provide a religious education for their children.

## CHAPLAIN RETURNS

A visit from one of our chaplains in the service marked the beginning of the new year. Father Maloney, for many years an assistant at Blessed Sacrament and now a captain in the army, was home for a brief furlough. He is stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia, and administers to the spiritual needs of the 500th Parachute Infantry.

# Recollection Day Kept By Priests of Diocese

GENEVA — A one-day retreat or day of recollection for the priests of the Rochester Diocese was held on Tuesday, Jan. 5, at Our Lady of the Lake Retreat House on Lochland Road. There were fifteen priests present.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Walter J. Lee, pastor of the St. Francis de Sales Church and Dean of Geneva Deanery Rev. William H. McFadden, pastor of St. Stephen's Church, and the Rev. Dr. Elmer McNamara of St. Bernard's Seminary in Rochester were in charge of the program. Dr. McNamara acting as conductor.

Present for the program were priests from Rochester and the area surrounding Geneva.

# Catholic Nurses To Meet Jan. 21

The regular meeting of the Rochester Council of Catholic Nurses will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 21 at 8:15 in St. Mary's Nurses Home, St. Mary's Nurses, under the chairmanship of Miss Margaret Mary Duffy, will be in charge of the meeting.

Miss Marie Flanagan, president of the organization, will preside at the business session, after which Rev. Gregory Dugan and Rev. Eugene Goding will address the group very briefly.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be the Rev. Louis Bauman, C. S. R., who has spent many years in Brazil. His topic will be "A Missionary Visits the Sick in Brazil."

The high part is the mourning after the night before.