

Score In Weekly Broadcasts

**CORNING**—Three performers who scored a triumph in the weekly broadcast of the Corning Glass Works family party, from the Masonic Cathedral, were Philip, R. Robert 10, and Joseph 13, sons of Charles Kosty, a glass-worker.

The boys, who are pupils at St. Patrick's Parochial School and members of the Cadets, sang a medley of songs which included "Over There," "The Marine's Hymn" and "The Gallsons On Rolling Along." Joseph Kosty also played the drums.

Kindness is something we receive and pass along in order to keep it. Elbert Hubbard.

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**DECORATED HEROES** of the Pacific exchange congratulations with a home front hero, Timothy Murphy, 77, who works 40 to 50 hours a week at the lobe in Auburn plant, American Locomotive Company, where he has been an engine expert for 36 years. (From left) Dale L. Johnson, Oakland, Cal.; D. Chas. King, Shreveport, La.; Mr. Murphy, Harold A. Parris, Houston, Texas.

**Corning Church's Financial Report Shows Balance**

**CORNING**—The annual financial report of St. Mary's Parish, was presented by the Rev. John A. Smith, pastor, on Sunday. The report showed receipts totaling \$36,613.29, disbursements amounting to \$36,685.76 and a balance of \$27.53 on Dec. 31, 1942.

Trustees are Richard McElligott, and Joseph N. Pfeiffer, Joseph M. Smith and Clement L. Murphy were auditors.

Collectors for the year were: Joseph M. Smith, Joseph N. Pfeiffer, Richard McElligott, Frank H. Sulta, C. L. Murphy, Thomas Donahue, Michael Carroll, J. Norman Reilly, Justin J. Pfeiffer, James F. Patterson, John J. O'Brien and Plus York.

Receipts on the account of St. Mary's Cemetery were totaled as \$3,687.14 and expenditures as \$3,854.96, leaving a balance of \$233.18.

The purchase of War Bonds to the amount of \$10,000 was also reported by Father Smith. This was made possible by the money which was on deposit for the perpetual care service at St. Mary's Cemetery.

**Attorney O'Brien Enters U. S. Navy**

Atty. J. Vincent O'Brien, 512 E. Church St., of St. Patrick's Parish, reported to Buffalo on Thursday, Feb. 4, for Navy Duty as apprentice seaman. Attorney O'Brien, twenty-second member of the Chemung County Bar Association to enter the armed service, has practiced law in Elmira for more than 10 years, specializing in interstate commerce.

**Member of Class In Nursing School**

**CORNING**—Miss Eileen Kelly, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Kelly, Elm St., South Corning, was a member of the class in nurses' training at St. James Mercy Hospital, Hornell, which was capped recently in impressive ceremonies.

Miss Kelly, who received her diploma from Corning Free Academy in June, 1942, is a graduate of St. Patrick's Parochial School. Mrs. Kelly attended the exercises and the tea which followed.

**Recruiting Nurses Opened By Alumnae**

Recruitment of nurses for service in the Army and Navy will be the main activity for the St. Joseph's Nurses Alumnae Association, it was decided at the regular business meeting held at 7:45 on Monday, following the Board of Directors' Meeting. The urgent need for registered nurses in the armed forces, and their consequent obligation to enlist for service immediately will be emphasized by the association.

**LADIES OF CHARITY-- Jottings Here and There.**

The Friendly Visiting Committee of the Ladies of Charity met in the Catholic Charities Office on Tuesday, Feb. 9, at 7 o'clock. Members of the committee were proud of the treasury which they established through the receipts of a rummage sale held on Feb. 5 and 6.

Representatives of the Case Committee of Catholic Charities attended a joint meeting of the Committee for Child Care and Protection and the Child Welfare Council of Social Agencies on Tuesday at 7:45. The survey which was discussed at this meeting was considered by the Case Committee at our regular meeting on February 3.

On Wednesday, Feb. 10, the Red Cross Committee held their regular weekly meeting at Columbus Center. Mesdames D. J. Reidy and John F. Maloney are in charge of this busy group when they convene each week to work in cooperation with the Red Cross office.

The Catholic Youth Organization's Craft Class which increases in enrollment each week met with Mrs. Joseph Dowdle at 4 o'clock on Wednesday at the Catholic Charities Office.

The Publicity Committee of CYO working under the direction of Miss Rita Rickey held their weekly meeting at 7 o'clock on Wednesday.

Because of the complications in bus service, the Sewing Committee will meet at 10:30 on Thursday. At this meeting work will be started on the children's bathrobes for which the material was purchased by the Committee of the Infant of Prague. These bathrobes are to be given for use in the Children's Ward in St. Joseph's Hospital.

The girls' basketball teams of the Catholic Youth Organization practiced at St. Peter and Paul's Hall on Thursday at 4 o'clock under the direction of Mrs. Dowdle. On Thursday at 8 o'clock Mrs. Samuel Verwilliger, chairman of the Committee of Our Lady of Good Counsel will meet with the members of that group in the Federation Building. Assignments will be given to each member of this committee, the plan being that each lady will be responsible for regular visits and distribution of literature to a small number of young Catholic mothers living in her neighborhood.

Friday, Feb. 12, the members who attend the Friday Night Dancing Classes will enjoy a Valentine party at Columbus Center. Arrangements for the party were in charge of the Recreation Committee.

**Valentine Party, Forum Discussions On Elmira CDA Program**

Plans for a Valentine party to be held Feb. 15 at 6:15 P. M. in the court rooms were made by Elmira Catholic Daughters of America at their regular business meeting on Monday, Feb. 8. The party will take the form of a picnic supper, followed by cards and music. All members are expected to attend. Co-chairmen of the affair are Mrs. Joseph O'Brien and Mrs. George Pettie. Miss Ann Fitten will have charge of the music, and Eileen O'Brien and Mrs. Helen O'Connor, of cards.

A forum discussion based on the "Defenders of the Faith" series of pamphlets issued by Father Richard Felix, O.S.B., Conception, Mo., will be given at every meeting. Members taking part at the next business meeting will be Mrs. Mary Carroccio, Mrs. Mary Malone, Miss Jane Wipfler, and Miss Anna Fitten. One hundred of these pamphlets are sent out by Court St. Rita every week for one year. Chaplain Edwin R. Czeslawski at Will Rogers Field, Okla., now receives the donation of the Elmira Court. The discussion of the questions of religion contained in these pamphlets has been undertaken in order that the CDA may themselves become better informed.

Plans for a rummage sale on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 18 and 20, in the court rooms were also formulated. Miss Elizabeth Hallock, Grand Regent, presided at the business meeting.

**Queries Religion's Place In Schools**

**NEW YORK**—(NC)—The leading article in the column "Highway and Byway" in the New York World-Telegram discusses the place of religion in the public schools. Asking the question "Has religion a place and, if so, what place in public school programs that is consistent with the accepted principle of separation of Church and State?" the article states:

"It is apparent that something must be done to alleviate the frightful condition of ignorance of God and the things of God which surveys exhibit. Parents evidently do not correct this, perhaps even could not; and Sunday schools have only a very limited time once a week. The university faculties all over the country are beginning to realize that students must be led to understand that democracy depends on religion to make clear the principle of mutual dependence of humanity is something more than an ethical barrier against the exploiting of the weak by the strong."

**POLISH CATHOLIC LEADER REPORTED IMPRISONED**

**LISBON**—Prince Ladislau Lubomirski, widely known in Polish Catholic circles and former president of the Municipal Council of Warsaw during the German occupation of Poland in 1915-18, it is reliably reported here from Warsaw, has been arrested by the Germans and deported to a Nazi concentration camp in the Reich. The Prince is about 90 years of age.

The girls' swimming class will be held at the YMCA on Saturday, Feb. 13, from 7 to 8 o'clock. There are a few vacancies in this class for which Junior and Senior high school students may register.

**Office Hours for Elmira Office of CATHOLIC COURIER**

**MONDAY through FRIDAY**  
9:00 A. M. to 10:00 A. M.  
12:00 M. to 2:00 P. M.  
4:30 P. M. to 5:30 P. M.

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