

SS. Peter and Paul's (Elmira)

STUDENT HONOR ROLL

Students on the Honor Roll for SS. Peter and Paul's for April are as follows:

- Second grade: Jacqueline Haw, Barbara Lee, Joseph McGann, Barbara Miles, Helen Quillman, Sally Ann Hundell.
- Third: Albert Affeldt, Patricia Logan, Patricia Morgan, Shirley Hartick, John Sheehan.
- Fourth: Betty L'Eng, Barbara McDonnell, James McDermott.
- Fifth: Mary Margaret Hints, Rosemary Kennedy, Mary Ann Lee, Gerald Schrage, John Sullivan.
- Sixth: Peter Fennell, Teresa Richards, Jean Sheehan.
- Seventh: Dolores Chalk, Elaine Pabis, Mary E. McDermott, Elizabeth William Bennett, Kathleen Fennell, Mary F. McNully.

Congratulations

To Mary Ellen McDermott for her poem "Bonds," which appeared in the May issue of the "Victorian Magazine." The check which she received was given to the school for the library. "Thanks ladies, Mary Ellen, and may God bless you."

Msgr. Lee Anniversary

The forty-ninth anniversary of the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Lee's ordination in the priesthood was celebrated with High Mass at 8:15 on Wednesday, May 19, at which the

school children sang. On the previous Sunday, 150 ladies of SS. Peter and Paul's Rosary Society offered Mass and Communion in a spiritual bouquet to Monsignor Lee.

Mass for Servicemen

A Mass for the soldiers and sailors of the parish will be offered on Friday, May 21, at 8 A. M. by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John J. Lee. Every month a Mass for this intention will be offered at SS. Peter and Paul's Church.

Saw for Hospital

The Ladies of SS. Peter and Paul's Rosary Society meet on the fourth Wednesday of every month from 3 to 5 P. M. to sew for St. Joseph's Hospital. The project is conducted under the auspices of the National Council of Catholic Women.

BLESSED CORNERSTONE

Tegucigalpa, Honduras. — The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Emilio Morales Roque, Apostolic Administrator of Tegucigalpa, has blessed the cornerstone of the new church at San Juan de la Montana in the Buronon Aires quarter of the Capital. The site of the new edifice was donated by Dona Elena de Carles Andino, wife of the President of Honduras.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES (Elmira)

In Alsace-Lorraine upon the family names have been taken from the registers and Government names substituted. Century-old French names of Muller, Braun, Koenig, Metz have been given Nazi names. In their effort to destroy all French culture in these prov-



inces the Germans are burning libraries — even the privately owned French cook books. In Strasbourg alone nearly 20,000 books have been destroyed in this war but the residents still pray for allied bombers to come over again with their block burners. In America our war efforts are tranquil, but nevertheless they must be determined if we are to defeat Hitler. Fighting War Bonds every day is one good way to exhibit our determination to win in the war effort.

FR. SCHWAB'S JUBILEE

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of Rev. Leo G. Schwab's ordination into the priesthood on Sunday, June 12. The exact date of the anniversary is June 2.

The Rev. William J. Brian, St. Patrick's Church, will preach at the solemn High Mass to be celebrated on Sunday morning at 10:30 by Father Schwab.

Becomes Franciscan

John Bush, son of Mrs. Regina Bush, 35 Sunnyside Drive, left on

Chemistry Medal For Catholic Student

CONVENT STATION, N. J. — The annual student medal award from the American Institute of Chemists was bestowed upon Mary Chausse, of East Newark, N. J., who is majoring in chemistry at the College of St. Elizabeth here, at a dinner given by the New York chapter.

Dr. Gustav Egloff, national president of the Institute, made the award, which goes to the outstanding chemistry major in the senior class of certain colleges of the metropolitan area selected by the Institute each year.

From Jr. CDA Troop

An expansion of the aims and activities of the Junior Catholic Daughters of America was given by Councilor Mary Margaret Kelly at a meeting held last Sunday afternoon in the church hall. Plans are being made to form a troop within the parish.

Card Party

The annual spring card party was held Tuesday, May 18, in the school hall, with Mrs. D. Bruce Crew, chairman. Assisting Mrs. J. H. Toomey in arrangements and decorations were Mrs. Humphrey Chanely, Mrs. Thomas Karwin, Mrs. Wilson Frazer and Mrs. Louis Landon.

St. John the Baptist (Elmira)

SODALITY MEETING

By MARGARET C. KENNEDY. The regular monthly meeting of the Sodality of Our Lady will be held Monday evening, May 18, in the church hall at 8 P. M. Mrs. Henry E. Suddick is chairman and the following committee members are assisting her: Mesdames Francis Affeldt, Paul Affeldt, John Agan, John Bacon, Frank Bernas, Sarah Byrne and Agnes Bucinski; the Misses Agnes Brown, Helen Brown, Virginia Bernas and Rosalina Brown. All members are especially urged to attend the meeting, as several important matters are to be brought up and installation of new officers will take place.

Card Party Listed

The third of the series of benefit card parties, sponsored by the church societies, will be held Tuesday evening, May 25, at 8:15 in

the hall. Mucha, bridge and 500 will be played. Mrs. Charles F. Hummel is chairman of the committee.

Struck By Auto

Miss Mary Callahan, of 223 Williams Street, is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, recovering from injuries received last Friday afternoon, when she was struck by an automobile.

ST. ANTHONY'S (Elmira)

FIRST COMMUNION

Twenty-seven children of St. Anthony's Church will receive their First Holy Communion in a body at the 8 o'clock Mass. The procession will be led by the altar boys and four "angels" from the kindergarten class. At the time of the reception of the Sacrament the "angels" will stand on either side of the altar steps. The parents are requested to receive with the children, and friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Third Honor Roll

A third honor roll for the servicemen of the parish will be erected this week. The two honor rolls already up contain 105 names each. All are placed at the shrine of the Immaculate Conception.

Little Flower Triduum

A total of 300 roses were distributed to parishioners attending the solemn closing of the triduum services in honor of St. Theresa on Monday evening. Rev. Albert Simonetti was celebrant at Solemn Benediction, with the Rev. Leslie Whalen, deacon, and Rev. Lawrence Sansom, sub-deacon. Father Sansom conducted the veneration of the relic of the saint, and distribution of the roses followed.

'The Last of Summer' Picked By Book Club

NEW YORK. — The Catholic Book Club, here, has announced its selection for the month of May is "The Last of Summer," by Kate O'Brien, who also wrote "Land of Epilepsy."

103 Nurses Graduated

BALTIMORE. — The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Patrick J. McCormick, Rector of the Catholic University of America, Washington, presented diplomas to 103 graduates of Catholic nursing schools of Baltimore at ceremonies here.

There is a blessing in living today only for the sake of that inner satisfaction that crowns unselfish effort.

Death Roll of Week in Southern Tier

Mrs. Anna Crowe, 302 Fulton St., died Friday, May 14, 1943. She is survived by her sister Margaret at home; brother Edward, Lynn, Mass. Requiem Mass celebrated Monday, May 17, at 8 a. m. at St. Mary's Church by the Rev. Francis E. Hester, assisted by Rev. J. J. Moriarty. Rev. Joseph L. Hogan conducted the ceremonies at the graves in SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Bearers were John DiVany, Martin Liddy, Daniel Kennedy, John Crowe, Daniel Scutes, Edward Connelly.

Rev. Francis E. Hester celebrated the Requiem Mass on Saturday, May 15 at 8 a. m. in St. Mary's Church. The Rev. J. J. Moriarty was in the sanctuary. Rev. Joseph L. Hogan conducted the services at the grave. Bearers were John Gallagher, Francis Maloney, William Reilly, Stephen Keating, Daniel Scutes, John Vonderlin, SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Mrs. Harry DeWay, 22, died Sunday, May 9, 1943. She is survived by her husband; parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ehrenmann, Rochester; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Fracy, Watkins Glen. Funeral Mass was held on Tuesday, May 11 at 9 a. m. at St. Charles Church, Elmira Heights.

Requiem Mass for Mrs. Charley P. Roberts, 312 E. Miller St., was celebrated Thursday, May 12, 1943 at 9 a. m. at SS. Peter and Paul's Church by Rev. Edward J. Tolter. Rt. Rev. Msgr. John J. Lee was in the sanctuary. Bearers were Leon Dillenbeck, Ross Palmer, Floyd Palmer, Jr., John Donahue, Harry Miller, Floyd Palmer, SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Lyons, 801 Lake St., died Wednesday, May 12, 1943. Surviving are her sisters, Mrs. George E. Shimpson, West Palm Beach, Fla., Elizabeth at home; brothers, John M., Thomas J. at home.

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