

St. Thomas Club Numbers 111 At Aquinas For June

With 111 boys earning membership in the St. Thomas Club and 181 others on the honor roll, totalling 232, the list of honor students at Aquinas Institute as a result of June quarterly examinations is released today.

Leading the Aquinas students in scholastic honors was Patrick Grady of St. Boniface Parish, President, with 97.8 per cent. At the top of their classes were: Marie Louise Slater, Our Mother of Sorrows, 98.8 per cent; Junior, Charles Amann, St. Basilica, 97.1 per cent; and sophomore, Joseph O'Connell and Walter Kahl, both of St. Peter and Paul's, each 97.8 per cent.

Members of the St. Thomas Club for June as announced by the Rev. W. B. Keefe, C.R.N., director of studies at Aquinas:

Seaside Victor Appointments: Norman Bennett, Francis Lynn, Leo Maylar, Leo Miralce, James Malloy, John McKeon, Anthony Pappas, Donald J. Schmitt, Louis Miller, Roger Truitt, Joseph Yodanis.

St. James' University Annex: Frank Boehm, Edward Christensen, Edward Muth, Gerald McNeil, Raymond Kelly, Arthur Schuster, Louis Miller.

Scholarship-Gifted De Rite: Robert St. Louis, Harold Dixon, Robert Ferguson.

St. Luke's Victor Appointments: Louis Cacavale, St. Margaret Mary—Edward Christoph, James O'Connor, William Donovan, John Hoken, Edward Ryan, Walter McAvoy, John Melson, Eugene Huber, Joseph Rainhart, James Reubini, Charles Yoedel, St. Mary—Salvatore DeBerth, William Kelly, Joseph Marlet, St. Michael—Donald Cramer, Victor Di Mello, Edward Langenbacher, Harry Schuler, Louis Laus, Leo Mann, Angelo Nisahlis, William Wahl, John Weber, Edward Woodard, St. Monica—Thomas Ashton, Frank Biaska, Thomas Gustaf, Hubert Coyne, Thomas Hill, John Kavanagh, Gerald Keating, Thomas Krueger, Alfred J. Miller, Thomas Miller, William McAvoy, Charles Neely, John Neely, Joseph Neely, Robert Neely, John Powers, Frank Rosner, John F. Sullivan, Eugene Valentin, St. Patrick—Raymond Coslett, Peter Cumbio, Michael Gualardi, George Kammmer, St. Peter & Paul—Joseph Dunn, Peter Garibaldi, Joseph Gosliok, Walter Kahl, Arthur Kramer, LeRoy McQuinn, Kenneth Schickel, Clarence Wild, St. Pius—Anthony Astaro, Leon Barile, St. Stanislaus—Leo Kusiak, Leon Weiss, St. Thomas—Martin Calinan, Frank Donnelly, George Kishibanski, J. Peter Smith, Joseph Thompson, St. Charles—Leo Koch, St. John (Cross)—John Fetner, St. James—William Yankel, St. Theresa—Bernard Lynch, Robert Van Dyke, Walter.

Named Archbishop



Most Rev. Edwin Y. Byrne, Bishop of San Juan, Puerto Rico, who has been appointed Archbishop of Santo Domingo, filling the vacancy created by the death of Archbishop Rudolph A. Gerken, last March. Born and educated in Philadelphia, he served as a U. S. Navy Chaplain in World War I. He was consecrated Bishop of Ponce, P. R., Dec. 9, 1933. (N.C.W.C.)

Regents Exams 'Unfair' Declares Bishop Kearney

Characterizing this year's Regents examinations as "very unfair," His Excellency, Bishop Kearney speaking at Aquinas Institute's graduation, Sunday night, termed the examinations as "one of the most unnecessary sets of questions" ever known.

The Bishop made it clear that he was not only speaking for his own boys and girls but for all throughout the state who have been working this year, not alone to get their scholastic work, but to cooperate wholeheartedly in the war effort. His Excellency cited the outstanding achievement of schools like Aquinas Institute in the War Bond and U. S. Campaign, in salvage drives, in the Victory Corps and other effort cooperating with the government in prosecuting the war.

Those who prepared this year's set of Regents examinations must have been so buried in scientific and other studies that they did not realize the country was at war, the Bishop continued.

Complaints have been made from all sections of the state. His Excellency said. The examinations were ridiculous when given at a time like this with class work interrupted with more than ever in the history of schools in the state. "One would think that if anything the examinations might have been a little easier this year in view of the services the students were called upon to render."

Registration At Aquinas Set

Registration at Aquinas Institute, 1127 Dewey Ave., for all students, old and new, will take place from 10:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. on Saturday, July 24, from 8 to 4 P. M.

Nurses' Council Names Officers For Year

Election of officers in Rochester Council of Catholic Nurses took place at the session's final meeting, Tuesday, June 15, at the Catholic Women's Club, Alexander Street.

Miss Mary Rose Maley as president heads the council. Elected with her were: First Vice President, Mrs. Edna O'Brien; Secretary, Mrs. James Doyle. Named to the Board of Directors were Miss Gertrude O'Hern and Miss Alice Hanson. Mrs. Helen Louder was appointed program chairman for the coming year; Miss Kathryn Moylan, membership chairman.

The Rev. Gregory Dugan, spiritual director, was heard in a short talk. The Rev. Eugene Goiding spoke on the work the organization has done and the responsibility of the Catholic Nurses on the home front.

Report Dutch Priest Imprisoned in Germany

NEW YORK.—Word has been received at the offices of the Netherlands Information Bureau here, via London, of the arrest of Father Overman, a priest of the town of Keist, Holland.

It was stated that the newspaper Nieuw, organ of the Dutch Naval Storm Troops, had published a story telling that Father Overman had been imprisoned at a concentration camp in Weimar, Germany.

Aquinas Honor Roll

Listed on the Honor Roll at Aquinas Institute as a result of the June Quarterly Examinations are 232 boys of the high school conducted by the Basilian Fathers. Grouped according to parishes are these honor students:

- St. Mary's—Victor Appointments:** Louis Cacavale, St. Margaret Mary—Edward Christoph, James O'Connor, William Donovan, John Hoken, Edward Ryan, Walter McAvoy, John Melson, Eugene Huber, Joseph Rainhart, James Reubini, Charles Yoedel, St. Mary—Salvatore DeBerth, William Kelly, Joseph Marlet, St. Michael—Donald Cramer, Victor Di Mello, Edward Langenbacher, Harry Schuler, Louis Laus, Leo Mann, Angelo Nisahlis, William Wahl, John Weber, Edward Woodard, St. Monica—Thomas Ashton, Frank Biaska, Thomas Gustaf, Hubert Coyne, Thomas Hill, John Kavanagh, Gerald Keating, Thomas Krueger, Alfred J. Miller, Thomas Miller, William McAvoy, Charles Neely, John Neely, Joseph Neely, Robert Neely, John Powers, Frank Rosner, John F. Sullivan, Eugene Valentin, St. Patrick—Raymond Coslett, Peter Cumbio, Michael Gualardi, George Kammmer, St. Peter & Paul—Joseph Dunn, Peter Garibaldi, Joseph Gosliok, Walter Kahl, Arthur Kramer, LeRoy McQuinn, Kenneth Schickel, Clarence Wild, St. Pius—Anthony Astaro, Leon Barile, St. Stanislaus—Leo Kusiak, Leon Weiss, St. Thomas—Martin Calinan, Frank Donnelly, George Kishibanski, J. Peter Smith, Joseph Thompson, St. Charles—Leo Koch, St. John (Cross)—John Fetner, St. James—William Yankel, St. Theresa—Bernard Lynch, Robert Van Dyke, Walter.

Propagation of Faith Donations Set Record

CHICAGO.—The Society for the Propagation of the Faith in the Chicago Archdiocese shattered all previous records, it is announced in the annual report of the Archdiocesan Director, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. James J. Hornsburger. Money for the missions raised during the year 1942-43, totaled \$388,224.07. Outstanding figures were: annual membership returns, \$117,203.50; school memberships, \$10,328.17; perpetual memberships, \$18,511; gifts and donations, \$13,112.64; mission collection, \$150,008.88; Mass offerings, \$11,284; bequests, \$7,885.95.

Bishop Transferred

Vatican City.—Transfer of the Most Rev. Idilio Soares, Bishop of Petropolis, Brazil, to the Diocese of Santos, has been announced here.

War Ration III Book Can Only Be Obtained Aug. 1

Applications for War Ration Book III cannot now be made to local War Price and Rationing Boards the Office of Price Administration emphasized today. Not until Aug. 1 will local boards accept such applications from persons who failed to apply by mail before June 10, or from persons who did apply but for some reason do not receive books.

Since the June 10 deadline for mailing applications passed, the OPA explained, local boards have been flooded with requests to be permitted to apply for War Ration Book No. 3. Local boards will not have application forms available until after Aug. 1. Persons will have sufficient time then to procure the new replacement ration book since the book will not be used until late August or early September.

At the same time, the OPA urged persons who mailed applications but fail to receive War Book No. 3 not to go to their local boards until after Aug. 1. Some persons who have applied for War Book No. 3, the OPA explained, will not receive it because the information on the application card was illegible or because names or addresses were not set forth on the application card.

Persons who receive War Ration Book No. 3 should not take the book to their Local Board to have information filled in on the cover. No board action is necessary, the OPA said. All the holder of a War Ration Book No. 3 is required to do upon receiving his book is to write in his address, age, sex, weight, height, occupation and signature in the space provided on the cover. No other information or action is necessary.

Marks Centenary of First Mass In Brisbane

BRISBANE, Australia.—(By Radiogram)—Congratulations of His Holiness Pope Pius XII were conveyed by His Excellency the Most Rev. Giovanni Panico, Apostolic Delegate to Australia, on the occasion of the centenary observance of the celebration of the first Mass in Brisbane, when it was an obscure convict settlement.

Although the celebration was curtailed because of war conditions, the Most Rev. James Duhanig, Archbishop of Brisbane, presided at Mass in the Cathedral of St. Stephen for war workers who had participated in nocturnal adoration. There were numerous United Nations servicemen in the congregation.

INDIA EXCISE OFFICIAL ERECTS MEMORIAL GROTTO

POONA, India.—A Grotto to Our Lady of Lourdes, erected at Milligra Grotto, in Mangalore, has been dedicated by the Most Rev. Vittorio Rosario Fernandes, Bishop of Mangalore. The Grotto was erected by Anthony Denis Coelho, a retired excise superintendent of this city, as a memorial to his parents, the late Martin Baill and Mary Magdalene Coelho. The dedication ceremony was attended by a group of members and friends of the Coelho family and by a number of priests.



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