

187 Graduates Receive Diplomas and Awards at Impressive Ceremonies

AUBURN—At graduating exercises of the class of 1943 in five Catholic grammar schools here, diplomas were awarded, special honors conferred and messages given to the graduates.

Commencement ceremonies were held as follows:

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL

AUBURN—Holy Family Church was crowded on Friday evening for the graduating exercises of the class of 1943 of Holy Family Parochial School. Very Rev. Dean John A. Conway delivered the address to the graduates and awarded the diplomas. The opening hymn, "Virgin Wholly Marvelous" was sung by the class and was followed by the Act of Consecration to Mary Immaculate. There was Benediction and the closing hymn, "Jesus, Food of Angels."

The Sister M. Benedict Memorial Medal was awarded to John McDonnell, whose average was 91 1/8 per cent and the Father Hartzon scholarship medal was awarded to Lorraine Brennan who had an average of 90 2/3 per cent.

The Christian Doctrine award was awarded to Marcia Dolger but equally merited by the following pupils: Richard Bergin, Marcia Dolger, Richard Bower, Rose Marie Burns, Angelina Calandro, Elizabeth Callaghan, Ida Cassidy, Patricia Casper, Patricia Chantry, Francis Corrigan, Helen Cuddy, Edward Cuddy, Maureen Cuddy, Bernard Cullen, Marion Cutler, David Dato, Carol Donohue, Mary Donovan, Mary Donohue, Gertrude Dunn, John Fitzpatrick, Edward Foley, Helen Fogarty, George Frank, Ann Gormley, Carlton Griffin and Joseph Heppelrich.

Also Jean Hayes, Edward King, Mary Ann Klusella, Paul Luchessa, Jane Maloney, Madeline McKeown, John McGill, Carol McGraw, James McLean, Theodore McLaughlin, Francis McMahon, Paul McQuinn, John Mehan, Paul Mitchell, Ellen Jeanne Moran, William Noonan, Jeanne O'Hara, Josephine O'Neil, Bob Paul, Barbara Quigley, Richard Ringwood, Helen Ryan, Monica Smith, Margaret Wawrzaszek, Robert Wilson and Joy Wilwer.

ST. ALOYSIUS

AUBURN—The Graduating Exercises for the Class of 1943 of St. Aloysius School were held on Sunday evening. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Albert Shamon, a graduate of St. Aloysius School and at present assistant pastor of St. Thomas Church, Irondequoit. The graduates were presented by Rev. Joseph P. Hickey, assistant pastor, and the diplomas were awarded by Rev. John B. Crowley, pastor.

The Father Crowley Gold Medal for scholarship, to the pupil attaining the highest average was awarded to Mary Graney; the Captain White Medal for excellence merited by Mary Jane Moran and Louise O'Byrne was won by Louise O'Byrne; the Gold Medal for Christian Doctrine merited by Rita Dalton, Ralph Guido, Mary Graney, John Mallon, John Hanson, Theresa Raimondi was won by Rita Dalton; the perfect attendance award was won by Anne Mendus.

Prizes for highest average: First Grade, Eleanor Beach; Second Grade, Marion Gregory; Third Grade, Barbara Casbarro; Fourth Grade, Bernadette Ciancettino; Fifth Grade, Mary Keogan; Sixth Grade, Paul Malino; Seventh Grade, Joseph Garbit.

Prizes for Christian Doctrine: First Grade, merited by 32 children and won by Mary Ann McKee; Second Grade, merited by 31 children and won by Donald O'Rourke; Third Grade, merited by 29 children and won by Donald Gargull; Fourth Grade, merited by 28 children and won by Barbara Casbarro; Fifth Grade, merited by 27 children and won by Janet Miller; Sixth Grade, merited by 26 children and won by Jean Sira; Seventh Grade, merited by 25 children and won by Jean Gregory; Eighth Grade, merited by 24 children and won by Mary Polka; Ninth Grade, merited by 23 children and won by Michael Agall.

Prizes for perfect attendance: First Grade, Robert Sira; Second Grade, Margaret Jackson; Third Grade, Donald Gargull.

Fourth Grade, Francis Gentile; Fifth Grade, Nathan Navarro; Sixth Grade, merited by Raymond Sullivan, Anthony Ioris, won by Raymond Sullivan; Seventh Grade, Laverne Monroe.

Most faithful choir girls: Mary Graney, Rita Dalton, Geraldine Cannotti, Mary Celase, Mary Keogan, Barbara McCue, Kialine Madora, Anna Mondorf, won by Geraldine Cannotti.

Most faithful altar boy: Christopher De Palma; honorable mention, Raymond Sullivan, Peter Colletti, Nathan Navarro, James Quinn, Robert Tona, Robert Dalton, John Madden.

ST. ALPHONSUS

AUBURN—The Graduating Exercises for the Class of 1943 of St. Alphonsus School were held on Sunday evening. Rev. Gerard J. Gaffell, former assistant at St. Alphonsus and now assistant pastor at Newark, N. Y., preached the sermon. Rev. Frederick G. Straub, pastor, presented the pupils and awarded the diplomas and honors. The program opened with the singing of the "Ave Maria" and closed with the singing of "Holy God." John Carmody received the highest average for the boys and Ann Rogers was highest for the girls. There were 36 members of the Class of 1943.

ST. HYACINTH'S

AUBURN—St. Hyacinth's Parochial School Graduating Exercises for the Class of 1943 were held in Falcon Hall on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Jerome Holubowicz, O.M.C., pastor, presented the diplomas and awards and delivered the farewell address. The following program was presented at Falcon Hall on Sunday:

Part I
Song and Salutory... Graduates Operate—"The Last Day of School"
"Attributes of a Rose"
First and Second Grades
Marches and Songs
Girls from 3, 4, 5, Grades
Comedy—"Visitors by Presentation"
Graduates Polish-American Pilots
Boys from 3, 4, 5, 6 Grades
Comedy—"Branleick Children Died of Starvation"
4, 7 Grades
Dance and Song in Honor of Father's Day... Second Grade

Part II
Song and Valedictory... Graduates Speech by Rev. J. Holubowicz, O.M.C.
Presentation of Diplomas by Rev. J. Holubowicz, O.M.C.
Reading of Honorary Students of St. Hyacinth's School
Presentation of Awards and Presents

Honorary Students—Frank Pina, Josephine Kallaga, Michael Bolcum, Genevieve Kwanticki, Stella Sturaga, Mary Nowak, Barbara Tama, Joanna Sikora, Stanley Bilinski, Robert Okontowski, Shirley Michawiec, Paul Parsy, Virginia Simolowski, Geraldine Odrzwolski.

Religion—Constance Rydzek, Eleanor Hanson, Helen Pele, Theophilus Grasko, Ronald Odrzwolski, Stanley Wawrzaszek, Mary Pele, Florence Hochneck, Richard Bablars, Anthony Odrzwolski, Raymond Sabas, Dolores Kukiela, Donald Mack, John Kraske, Rutar Joann, Edward Hochneck.

Perfect Attendance—Frank Pina, Stella Sturaga, Elizabeth Wawro, Theresa Wawro, Rose Wilczek, Mary Tarala, Regina Hochneck, Emilie Jendra, Walter Gusacca, Dorothy Larkia, Irene Jablonski, Walter Karala, John Rogalski, Joseph Jendra, Florence Hochneck, Edward Rogalski, Richard Bablars, Lawrence Kambrowski, Edward Szeles, Richard Wawro.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL

AUBURN—The 1943 Graduating Exercises of St. Mary's School were held on Sunday evening in the Church. Rev. Dr. William E. O'Brien presented the diplomas to the 36 graduates and the address was followed by Rev. Elmer A. McNamara, S.T.D., S.S.L., of St.

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Avery E. Hoagbe
Grand Knight
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Hitler, says an editorial, is beside himself. If this is true he certainly picks miserable company.

Overcome Tendencies

"It is not always easy to obey the Ten Commandments. We must conquer tendencies to evil which are a part of our heritage; and we must recognize these tendencies as being evil and not consider them as they being to us, they are therefore good and to be followed. As nations, in order to respect the above principles, we must conquer evil tendencies, though this may lead to the sacrifice of some of the things we regard as 'ours.'"—Catholic Action.

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