

Armed Services Keep Auburn Youths Active At Posts Throughout World

John J. Quinn, popular young Aquinian, was the guest of honor at a program and presentation sponsored by associate members of the Woods Club at the Scotch Patriotic Service Clubrooms. John Quinn has been a steward at the George Hotel for the past five years and left on Monday for Albany where he entered the Navy of Uncle Sam. Mr. Quinn was also the guest of honor at a dinner party on Thursday evening at which time he was presented with a memento.

President Henry Kennedy presided at the dinner party at the Woods Club. Steward Temple was master of ceremonies and the speakers were Lynn G. Hall, Patriotic League and William Hockenberry. A sum of \$100 was presented to the guest of honor by Mr. Kennedy on behalf of the assembly, and Joseph Parkes presented a military kit. Toast master Temple and Joseph Emick were the entertainers and Mrs. Arthur Holmes was the pianist.

Pvt. James L. Coleman has returned to his duties at Camp Clayborn, La., after spending a 12-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Colleger, 15 Mary St.

Pvt. William D. Quigley, son of Daniel J. Quigley of 125 North Station Street, is now stationed at the Army Air Forces Basic Training Center at Kearns, Utah. Private Quigley entered the service of Uncle Sam on Nov. 17, 1942.

Sgt. Joseph D. Dolio, stationed somewhere in England, has been promoted to staff sergeant, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dolio, 5 Cross Street. Sergeant Dolio has been in the service eleven months and has been overseas for seven months.

Sgt. Joseph P. Ganey of Parrot Island, N. C., has recently been transferred to Chicago, Ill. Sergeant Ganey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Ganey of 4 Camp Street.

Pvt. John J. Donnelly has returned to his duties as sanitation technician at Ogle Field, Camp Edwards, Mass., after spending a week of his furlough at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McNamee, 68 Hamilton Ave. Mrs. Donnelly accompanied her husband on his return trip to Boston where they spent four days seeing all the places of interest.

Air Cadet James J. Cullen, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Cullen, 174 North Fulton St., is at Pre-Flight School, Maxwell Field, Alabama. While a student at Notre Dame University, Cullen enlisted in the Air Corps last November and was called to active duty in April.

Pvt. William F. Laird, son of Mrs. Rachel A. Laird of 30 Morel St., is spending a 10-day furlough at his home in Auburn. Private Laird, who has been in the service of Uncle Sam since November, 1942, is stationed with the 14th Armored Division, 49th A.P.A. at Camp Chaffee, Ark. Private Laird

is a graduate of St. Alphonsus Parochial School and of East High School. He is a member of the Columbian Squares and was a former carrier boy for the Citizen Advertiser. Previous to his induction, he was employed at the Seneca Ordnance Depot.

Pvt. John E. Verrines, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Verrines of 40 South Street is a member of the class of qualified radio operators who were graduated this week from the Communications Dept. of the Armed Forces School at Fort Knox, Ky.

Capt. Charles Arthur Hickey, son of James J. Hickey is enrolled in U. S. Army Forces School at Michigan State College at East Lansing, Mich., where he will take a six-months' course of training and study prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the Army Air Forces.

Capt. William L. Gessinger has returned to Drew Field, Tampa, Fla., after spending a 10-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Gessinger, 15 Mary St.

Pvt. Thomas J. Kennedy, 40 Lincoln St., has been graduated from the Engineer Equipment course at the Engineer School, Engineer Battalion at the Marine Base, Camp Lejeune, New River, N. C. After 12 weeks of intensive training, the young engineers are awarded their diplomas.

Junior Leader Julian Fine, WAAC, has been ordered to report at the Auxiliary Training Center, Des Moines, Iowa, to begin studies for a commission in the Auxiliary Corps. A junior leader in the WAAC compares to the rank of corporal in the regular army. On the successful completion of her studies at the training center, she will be commissioned as a third officer or second lieutenant. Miss Fine enlisted in the WAAC last January and she has been stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

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. Horburgh, Money for the missions raised during the year 1942-43 totaled \$388,234.07. Outstanding figures were: annual membership returns, \$117,203.50; school memberships, \$2,228.17; perpetual memberships, \$16,011; gifts and donations, \$23,112.56; mission collection, \$100,208.88; Mass offerings, \$11,264; bequests, \$7,333.00.

Bishop Transferred

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

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 292, 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 Brady of St. Boniface Parish, Freshman with 97.6 per cent. At the top of their classes were Senior, Louis Slater, Our Mother of Sorrows, 94.8 per cent; Junior, Clarence Amann, St. Boniface, 93.1 per cent, and Sophomore, Joseph Guerhot and Walter Kain, both of St. Peter and Paul's, each 91.8 per cent.

Members of the St. Thomas Club for June as announced by the Rev. W. P. McGee, C.S.B., director of studies, are:

Sexters—Victor Antonette, Norman Devine, Ernesto Dupre, Leo Herder, John McGrath, Joseph Melville, John Nathaniel, Anthony Pinnon, Donald A. Schmitz, Louis Stiles, Trevor Tamm, John Venardan.

Junior Clerics—James Amann, Frank Beck, Edward Carbone, Robert E. Devereux, Michael Meece, Gerald Nestor, Raymond Reilly, Arthur Schueler, Leo Weise.

Deacons—Albert De Rito, Salvatore Di Pace, Arnold Drury, Robert Farnam,

Her brothers, Augustine P. Fife, U.S.A., is home on furlough. He has been in the service since Dec. 11, and at present is stationed at Camp Blanding, Fla. He formerly resided at St. Louis St.

'Underground' Battles For Christian Rule

LISBON.—Included in a package containing a number of copies of Polish underground newspapers received here, according to advices to KAP, Polish Catholic Press Agency, were several copies of *Prawda* (The Truth), the leading Catholic organ of underground Poland. Fighting for a just form of government based on Christian principles, *Prawda* has made enormous gains in circulation since 1942, when it first appeared, and has outlined its policy in these words:

"Some time ago we adopted the watchword: 'Any system with God is good, any system without God is bad.' That is our whole political creed. We do not formulate our own political program, we do not indulge in controversies with existing movements; but we do definitely oppose any political activity in Poland that may be contrary to the principles of Catholic faith and morality. We demand honesty. We have confined our political program to demanding honest laws, honest government and honest political and social work."

Military Urged To Attend Newman Clubs

STATE COLLEGE, Miss.—At a recent executive meeting of the Gulf States Province of Newman Clubs, it was decided that clubs of the region should invite military personnel stationed at their respective colleges and universities to take an active part in club activities.

28 Soldiers Confirmed

Biloxi, Miss.—Twenty-eight soldiers from Keesler Field and other army posts nearby were among the class of 20 confirmed by the Most Rev. Richard O. Gerow, Bishop of Natchez, in St. John's Church.

Begin nothing without an impulse from God, or under obedience to one who stands in His place.

Named Archbishop



Most Rev. Edwin V. Byrne, Bishop of San Juan, Puerto Rico, who has been appointed Archbishop of Santa Fe, filling the vacancy created by the death of Archbishop Rudolph A. Gersbach, last March. Born and ordained in Philadelphia, Bishop Byrne served as a U. S. Navy Chaplain in World War I. He was consecrated Bishop of Ponce, P. R., in 1936.

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 unreasonable sets of questions" on record.

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 achievements of schools like Aquinas Institute in the War Bond and Stamp campaigns, in salvage drives, in the Victory Corps and other effort co-operating 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 interfered 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 service the students were called upon to render."

Honor Pupils Named At Nazareth Hall

Honor Roll for June at Nazareth Hall Academy for boys released today lists the following:

Ninth Grade: John Curran, David Jones, Lydia Klimch, Luke Lynch, Lauren Myler, Robert Neff, John Radenski, Leo Schell, Seventh Grade: Daniel Burke, Vianck Carr, Lawrence Cleary, Robert Daley, Donald Doyle, Gerard Guindon, Thomas McMahon, Donald Newman, Richard Rodenbeck, James Ryan.

Sixth Grade: Edward Burke, Eugene Langel, Carl Schutze, Paul Turner.

Fifth Grade: Edward Blachard, Krauz, Dennis, Frank Doyle, James Gibson, Andrew Gleason, George Hulley, Leo James, Richard MacKinnon, William McLean, Lawrence Magrane, George Roth, Thomas Steiner.

Fourth Grade: Charles Corrigan, Gerald Doyle, Denis Flynn, Robert Gleason, Thomas Moanan, Michael Murray, Ronald Tully.

Third Grade: Gilbert Buttner, John Devaney, William Gamble, Robert Hartigan, Joseph Hens, William Butler, John Irone, Thomas Morris, John Muhrer, Garrett O'Brien, Harry Ryan.

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 spaces provided on the cover. No other information or action is necessary.

Marks Centenary of First Mass in Brisbane

BRISBANE, Australia.—By telegram—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 celebration of the first Mass in Brisbane, when it was a obscure convict settlement.

Although the celebration was curtailed because of war conditions, the Most Rev. James D. Higgins, Archbishop of Brisbane, officiated 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.

HOSPITAL CARE GROWS

Montreal.—A total of 12,992 persons were given hospital treatment last year in Notre Dame Hospital, which is directed by the Grey Nuns. This was an increase of 16 per cent over the 12,268