

# Faith In Fox-Holes Strong, Chaplain Heindl Discovers

After dodging Jap bombs in the South Sea Islands, it is easy to understand, according to Chaplain Elmer E. Heindl, why "there are no atheists in foxholes."

## Meeting Father Wheaton In Pacific Convinces Sailer World's "Small"

"It's a small world!" is the way that Seaman Joseph C. Maid, Aquinas Institute graduate, characterized his surprise meeting in the South Pacific with his former parish priest and now Navy chaplain, the Rev. John K. Wheaton, recently rescued when his ship, the U. S. S. Helena, was lost in the Kaituma Gulf.

The young sailor, now serving with a Naval Marine Hospital in the South Pacific, is a member of Holy Rosary Parish where Father Wheaton was formerly an assistant pastor for five years.

In a letter received by his mother, young Maid, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Maid of 481 Birch Street, Rochester, told the following story:

"Yesterday (July 29) I had the greatest surprise of my Navy career. Some new officers had come in and I had been too busy to look at them closely. When the rush of serving was over, I saw the back of a head that I recognized. He called for some coffee and when I was giving it to him he kept looking at me as if he knew me. I turned to him and asked him if he were a chaplain. His answer was 'Yes'. Then he said, 'Are you Father Wheaton?' and he said he was!

"This was followed by a greeting which astonished the other officers.

"After Father Wheaton's ship, the U. S. S. Helena, was sunk, he spent four days on a raft without food. Then he got to a Jap-held island where he was kept by natives until rescued. Father Wheaton came to our hospital with slight injuries.

"It's funny though serving him every day, we haven't talked much since the first time. He seems to be rather shy. As someone said, 'It's a small world!'"

## Give Altar Furnishings For Sailors' School

DUBUQUE — A new missal, crucifix, altar cards and candleabra have been donated by the parishioners of St. Cecilia's Church, Ames, Ia., for the altar used on Sundays and First Fridays in Great Hall, Iowa State College.

Navy students from the Electrical and Diesel Schools and trainees from the V-12 contingent attend Mass in Great Hall.

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# Bishop Foery Officiates At Rite Installing Ogdensburg Prelate

OGDENSBURG, N. Y.—With His Excellency, the Most Rev. Walter A. Foery, Bishop of Syracuse officiating, the Most Rev. Bryan J. McElroy was solemnly enthroned Tuesday, August 10, as Bishop of Ogdensburg in a ceremony that brought outstanding members of the hierarchy.



WAVE AT ALTAR BAR—Chaplain William A. Maguire, U.S.N., whose baptism was given in St. John's and French Street Churches, is shown in the center of the group. In the foreground, the Most Rev. Walter A. Foery, Bishop of Syracuse, is seen in profile, officiating at the ceremony. To the right, the Most Rev. Bryan J. McElroy is seated on the throne. Other clergy members are visible in the background.

The new Bishop of Ogdensburg, being the Most Rev. Bryan J. McElroy, Bishop of Ogdensburg, was enthroned in the presence of the Most Rev. Walter A. Foery, Bishop of Syracuse, and other members of the hierarchy. The ceremony was held in the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit, Ogdensburg, N. Y.

Participating in the ceremony in St. Mary's Cathedral were a Cardinal Archbishop, a Bishop, a Bishop-elect, and other members of the hierarchy. The ceremony was a significant event in the life of the diocese.

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# Nurse Corps Cadets Training Approved At Nazareth College

Approved to participate in the newly-created U. S. Cadet Nurse Corps, Nazareth College School of Nursing is now registering cadets for the program to begin at the College in September.

Through Nazareth College's affiliated hospitals, the Cadets will be ready for their R.N. and government or civilian service at the end of 26 months. At the termination of the war, the Cadets may return to the College for one year of study, at the completion of which they will receive the degree, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, the College announces.

Applicants are urged to register immediately with the Registrar, Nazareth College, Brighton Station, Rochester, N. Y.

Representatives of Nazareth College attended the New York meeting of interested institutions on Thursday, August 5, to hear Major General Thomas H. Parran, Surgeon General of the United States, explain the Helton Bill proposal to relieve the national nursing situation.

To all the urgent need for nurses in the nation, as well as sailors, soldiers, marines and airmen, the Helton Bill was passed in January training of nurses. Sponsored by Mrs. Frances F. Helton, Congresswoman of Ohio, the Act has appropriated sufficient funds to give assistance to every nurse to prepare herself for military or civilian service.

Federal funds may be used for maintenance for the first nine months for all students who join the U. S. Cadet Nurse Corps. Scholarships cover tuition and all other fees charged by the school and include the cost of books and the school uniform.

The course is organized in cooperation with the recommendations and the approval of the New York State Education Department.

# Diocesan Women Spur War Stamp Campaign

(Continued from Page 1) Professors and instructors, the Catholic School of Social Services is supported and maintained by the Catholic women of the United States. The task of financially sponsoring the school was assigned to the National Council of Catholic Women in 1921 by the Bishops of the United States.

Since 1921 the school has trained 247 students. These students have come from 43 states of the Union and also from such far distant parts as Australia, China, Hawaii, Canada, Brazil, Poland, and Hungary.

Today, graduates of the NCSSS can be found working in many social agencies, both Catholic and non-Catholic, throughout the United States. Some are teaching in schools of social work. Others are now serving with the American Red Cross, the U.S.O., the Women's Army Corp. and the WAVES.

# Rites For Sister Of St. Joseph, Friday

Sister M. Augustine, a teacher in the Rochester area parochial schools for more than 50 years, died yesterday (August 10, 1943) after a long illness in Nazareth Convalescent Hospital.

Sister M. Augustine, who was in the 80th year of her religious life, was a member of the Sisters of St. Joseph. She taught in St. Mary's, Conant, St. Mary's, Auburn, Immaculate Conception, Ithaca, for ten years in St. Anthony's, Rochester and for twenty years in St. Anthony's, Ithaca.

Surviving Sister Augustine are a sister, Miss Alice Brennan, and a niece, Mrs. Edward Moran, both of Avon. Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Friday in Nazareth Convalescent Hospital with burial in the Sisters' plot, Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

# NAMED CHANCELLOR

Cleveland — Appointment of the Very Rev. Mgr. Vincent E. Mahoney as Chancellor of the Diocese of Cleveland has been announced here by the Most Rev. Edward J. Sheehan, Coadjutor Bishop of Cleveland.

# Heads High School

New Orleans — The Rev. Aloysius E. Goodspeed, S.J., for six years assistant provincial of the New Orleans Province of the Society of Jesus, has been transferred to the presidency of South High School, Tampa, Fla.