

Nazareth Honors 11 Alumnae in Service

Dedication of a Service Plaque for eleven Nazareth College alumnae is taking place at a Supper Party held at the College at 6:30 p. m. today at which His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, is guest of honor.

Small Monstrance Needed for Army Hospital in Paris

An urgent appeal has been received by the COURIER for a small monstrance for use in a U. S. Army Hospital in Paris, France.

Any person who is able to answer this request is asked to leave the monstrance at the Lobby Desk in the Columbus Civic Center before Sunday.

A pint of blood can save the life of a lad who is fighting for you.

Cite Auburnians' Heroism

AUBURN — Heroism of Auburn servicemen is revealed in reports, this week, of citations and medals awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Turley, No. 11 Devon Street, have received the commendation for meritorious service awarded their son, Pfc. Peter Turley, of the Army stationed in Italy. The commendation was signed by William G. Lively, major general of the Army and was received for outstanding service to the government performed on June 25, 1944, in Camp del Basso, Italy. Peter Turley is serving with the Infantry. He joined the Army on October 1, 1941, and was sent overseas in April, 1944. He has a brother, John Turley, who is serving with the Army Air Force.

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All parents of the young women in service have been invited to attend the supper meeting, sponsored by the Alumnae Association. These Nazareth College alumnae are now serving in the armed forces: Mrs. Josephine M. L. Mary P. Murphy, Lt. Florence Flynn, ANC, Mrs. Virginia M. Gould, Mrs. Virginia Kappeler, Mrs. Loretta Kiecher, Corp. Rosemary Thayer McFarlane, Yeoman 1st Ruth E. Malar, Pfc. Dorothy McElhan, A/E Jane Meng and Sgt. Mary Jane Ward.

Committee of Arrangements for the affair includes the Misses Catherine Swanson, chairman; Mildred Mylman; Grace Curran and Rose Plamondon.

For assisting in saving the vital nose section of a burning photographic reconnaissance plane, Sgt. John Hunsicker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hunsicker, Kensington Avenue, has received a letter of commendation for devotion to duty from the commanding officer of the Fifth Air Force Service Command. Hunsicker has been overseas 18 months and has been stationed in New Guinea, the Netherlands East Indies and the Philippines. He wears the Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon with a battle star for participating in the New Guinea campaign and the Philippine Reconnaissance campaign ribbon.

Holy Family Five Tops St. Bernard's

AUBURN — Holy Family High School basketball team defeated St. Bernard's High School of Bedford, Pa., 25-10, on Friday evening in one of the hardest fought high school games played in a long time. The score was tied on all occasions, four of these scores occurring in the final five minutes of play.

The visiting team, one of the best teams in Pennsylvania, started off at once and led Holy Family 4-0 in the first minute of play. At the end of the quarter Holy Family led 7 to 6; at the end of the half Holy Family trailed 12 to 10; at the end of the third quarter St. Bernard's led 21-18. At the end of the game Holy Family had a three point advantage. It was the tightest game in the local league and the 10th in 15 starts for Coach Crowley.

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Ruthenian Rite Mass Held at St. Bernard's

The annual celebration of Oriental Day by the Ruthenian Mission Society of St. Bernard's Seminary was marked last week by the offering of Mass according to the Ruthenian Rite by Rev. Peter Laskiw, of St. Joseph's Ukrainian Church of this city.

The Mass, offered in the old Slavonic language in the form adapted by the Ruthenian Church from the rite of St. John Chrysostom was preceded on the evening before by a lecture on the history and religious customs of the Ukrainian people.

Father Laskiw, formerly a student under the faculty of the University of Innsbruck, established in Switzerland since the outbreak of the present war, recently completed his studies at the Catholic University of America at Washington where he was ordained by Most Rev. Constantine Hopachewsky, Bishop of the Ukrainian Catholic Church by the United States.

In the course of the question period which followed the lecture, Father Laskiw further explained many of the religious and political difficulties which the Ukrainian people are experiencing at the present time in Russia.

The Ruthenian Mission Society of St. Bernard's is planning on having next year, if possible, a Concelebration, that is a celebration of Mass simultaneously by several priests according to the ceremonies of one of the ancient Catholic rites.

HOLY FAMILY HIGH-LIGHTS

By MARGARET SHAPLEY

AUBURN — Young Ladies' Society of Holy Family High School held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening, March 6, in the senior home. A business meeting was held, followed by a social hour.

Plans for a Communion breakfast were discussed. The Prefect appointed members of the Sodality to decorate the auditorium for the annual St. Patrick's dance. Refreshments were provided by the Junior class.

Vocations Assembly
Vocations month is being observed throughout the entire country. In accordance with the wishes of Bishop Kearney, Brother Alfred of the Christian Brothers of New York City spoke to the student body of Holy Family High School on religious vocations. The practical suggestions were appreciated by the entire high school.

Mother's Club Hears Talk On Seminary Student Life

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K. of C. State Scholarship Applications Due April 15

Applications for the annual scholarship examinations New York State Knights of Columbus must be received Chairman Thomas J. McDonnell, on or before April 15, announces this week.

Eight scholarships annually, five to boys and three to girls are awarded as the result of competitive examinations to be held this year on Saturday, May 5 at 9 a. m. at places throughout New York State convenient for the applicants. Grand Knights of the various councils will have information available.

Applicants must reside in New York State. If the applicant is a boy he must be a Knight of Columbus himself, or the son or brother of a living or deceased Knight of Columbus. If a girl, she must be the daughter or sister of a living or deceased Knight of Columbus. Applicant must be a candidate for graduation in a recognized high school (day or evening) or its equivalent, during the term ending January 1945 or June 1945.

Each scholarship has a value of \$200, payable in installments of \$20 a year for the winner in each of eight districts. Examinations consist of English four years and literature, Plane Geometry and Intermediate Algebra, American History, Current Events and General Information.

Purpose of these awards is to bring the attention of high school graduates to Catholic Colleges within New York State so that they might fully realize the excellence of such colleges, the advantages of a Catholic education and the soundness of training in

Catholic philosophy. Applications must be complete by April 15 and returned to Thomas J. McDonnell, Chairman of the State Scholarship Council, 77 Woodward Ave., Buffalo.

Held Forty Hour Devotion At St. Stephen's Church

GENEVA — Forty Hour Devotions opened on Sunday morning at St. Stephen's Church following the celebration of the Mass at 8 o'clock. The formal opening, marked by a solemn procession in which a number of the young children participated.

Very Rev. William H. McFadden, V.F., pastor of St. Stephen's Church and newly-appointed Dean of Geneva Deanery, was slated in the Forty Hours program by several visiting clergymen.

The program for the Forty Hours devotion was announced Sunday, and included morning and evening services.

FORTY HOURS

Devotions of the Forty Hours are scheduled in the following churches of the Rochester Diocese Sunday, Mar. 18 — Our Lady Mt. Carmel, Rochester; Holy

Basketball Results

AUBURN

St. Alphonsus Grammar School team won over St. Aloysius 34 to 26 on Monday. At the end of the first quarter St. Alphonsus led 10 to 7; at the end of the half St. Aloysius led 17 to 13 and at the end of the game St. Alphonsus led by 8 points. For the Squires, Atkinson was high with 13 and Laper was second with 10. DeOrie was high for St. Aloysius with 13 and Colala was second with 10 points.

St. Mary's High School of Cortland defeated the Columbia Squires by the score of 23 to 17 on Friday at the Fulton Street School Court. At the end of the quarter Cortland led 9 to 5; at the end of the half, 13 to 9. For the Squires, Farrelly was high with seven, while Colvin of Cortland led his team with 15. In the preliminary the Freshmen Squires were defeated by the Junior League Squires 24 to 22. The Fresh held a 9 to 5 lead at half time. Bowden was high for the Junior League team with 10 points while Todd with 15 and Cole with 10 were high scorers for the Fresh.

Fred Atkinson's Reddy Cats won over the Sea Hawks 28 to 7 on Saturday in the Columbian Squires Grammar School League to take the title. They were defeated only once during the season by the Ramblers. The trophy will be presented during the coming week by Capt. Barney Doty and Coach Atkinson. In the second game the Ramblers won over the Fighting Irish 28 to 18. The Irish and the Sea Hawks are tied for second place in the league.

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Myshchuk who scored nine and Betty Moran and Helen Farley each had six for the host. The teams will meet again week in the second of the two out of three series. Also the program Thursday was Alphonsus No. 1 squad who won 16-9 over the Second Ward Knights who won 14-9 over St. Family.

Elimination games in the Junior Division of the Recreation Commission Basketball League played on Saturday morning at Fulton Street School. Going to the finals for the crown were St. Peter-Paul and Columbian Squires as the result of the game played today. The scores were St. Peter-Paul, 41; St. Hyacinth, 17; Columbia Squires, 30; St. Francis, 27.

Army Nurse Expects Overseas Assignment

GENEVA — Lieut. Mother L. ANC, returned recently to St. General Hospital in Olean, spending ten days with her mother, Mrs. Helen C. Lehr, of Dobbin Road.

Lieutenant Lehr was given the rank of First Lieutenant and although she has spent twenty-three months in South Pacific area she expects return to overseas duties in near future.

Lieutenant Lehr's brother, Lt. Paul Lehr, has completed his combat training at Rapid City, S. Dak., for assignment.

Enters Mercy South Community in Buffalo

GENEVA — Mrs. John R. Lehr, 100 E. 1st St. in Buffalo, during the past week entered the Mercy South Community in Buffalo. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Helen C. Lehr, of Dobbin Road. The ceremony was held at the residence of the Mother of Mercy, Mrs. John R. Lehr, 100 E. 1st St. in Buffalo. The ceremony was held at the residence of the Mother of Mercy, Mrs. John R. Lehr, 100 E. 1st St. in Buffalo. The ceremony was held at the residence of the Mother of Mercy, Mrs. John R. Lehr, 100 E. 1st St. in Buffalo.

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