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Prayers for Peace Parley Urged by Elmira Knights

Elmira—Responding to the Supreme Council's appeal to the 500,000 Knights of Columbus in the order, for prayers on the opening of the United Nations meeting in San Francisco Wednesday, April 25, Elmira Council will assist at Holy Mass on that morning.

The Council has arranged with the Chaplain, the Rev. Leo G. Schwab, to celebrate a Mass on that morning for the success of the Council and has also arranged with local pastors to hear Confessions on Tuesday evening, April 24, to permit every Catholic man, woman and child to attend Mass and receive Holy Communion to ask God's blessing and guidance on the momentous conference."

Grand Knight Eugene F. Agan of Elmira Council urges all who can to comply with the recommendation of the Peace Program Committee of the Supreme Council, Knights of Columbus.

This recommendation states:

"That God may be recognized as the Ruler of the World and His moral principles accepted by the United Nations, at the San Francisco International Meeting, as the foundation of a lasting peace,—

"Let every Knight of Columbus pray fervently every day and attend Holy Mass and receive Holy Communion on Wednesday, April 25, 1945, the opening day of this momentous conference."

Sodality Union Maps Activities in Elmira

Elmira—At a recent meeting of the newly formed Sodality Union of the Elmira Deanery there were representatives present from all the Sodalities.

The following were elected to office from the delegates present:

President, Miss Margaret C. Kennedy, St. John's; vice president, Rosemary Cowley, St. Joseph's Hospital; recording secretary, Frances Della Rocco, St. Anthony's; corresponding secretary, Antoinette Bonsignore, St. Anthony's; treasurer, Mary Galvin, St. Charles.

Committee chairmen were announced as follows: Eucharistic, Dorothy O'Herron, St. Patrick's; Our Lady, Mary Margaret Weingart, St. Mary's; Apostolic, Sally Stevens, St. Mary's; Catholic Truth, Patrick Sullivan, SS. Peter and Paul's; Publicity, Angela Strodinski, St. Casimir's; Social Life, Margaret Reidy, SS. Peter and Paul's.

Elmira Deanery met on Tuesday noon with Father Francis P. LeBuffe, S.J., regional director of the Sodality of Our Lady and Father Roy Morphy of Rochester, Diocesan Director, for the purpose of discussing and completing plans for future Sodality activities within the Deanery. Over 15 priests were in attendance at this meeting.

In the evening Father LeBuffe and Father Morphy met with officers of the Sodality Union for a general discussion of proposed activities. The Sodality Union has been organized for the purpose of a general exchange of ideas of all Sodality groups and to aid and encourage the advancement of these groups in all their undertakings.

Rev. Joseph F. Hogan is local director.

Confirmation Set At Lourdes Church

Rev. Leo G. Schwab pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes church announces that class of 25 children will receive their First Holy Communion on Sunday May 27 at the 9 o'clock Mass.

The Sacrament of Confirmation will administered by Bishop James E. Kearney on Sunday May 13 at 3 P. M.

Master John Webb, Golden Glow Heights, is a patient at Arnot Ogden Hospital.

Mrs. Patrick Godwin, Arcadia Ave., is a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mrs. Aurora Heekin, 56 Ohio Ave., is a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital.

The Altar and Rosary Society of Our Lady of Lourdes church will hold their annual Communion breakfast at the Mark Twain Hotel on Sunday, May 6.

Columbus Ladies List Fr. Schwab

Regular monthly meeting of the Ladies of Columbus is scheduled for next Tuesday in Columbus Center.

Mrs. Theodore A. Dunne, president, announces Rev. Leo G. Schwab, will speak after the regular business meeting.

An interesting and unusual program has been arranged by the committee in charge and will be followed by a social hour and a program of entertainment by Mrs. [illegible] Dunn and Mrs. Joseph [illegible].

Ithaca Soldier Gives Life in Germany

By EILEEN KANE

Ithaca—In a telegram from the War Department, Thursday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Vittore learned of the death of their son, Peter B. Vittore, 19. Private Vittore had been listed as missing in action in Germany since March 16.

After attending local schools, Private Vittore entered the service on Dec. 22, 1943. He trained at Camp Upton, Fort Ontario, Camp Walters, Tex., and Fort Dix, N. J., before going overseas last November, to serve as an infantryman in the U. S. Seventh Army.

Before going into uniform, Vittore was a section man for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. His last furlough home was in July, 1944.

Private Vittore leaves his parents and a sister, Miss Antonia Vittore of Ithaca.

CDA Mothers' Tea Set May 6

Corning—About 75 members of the Junior Catholic Daughters of America enjoyed a tureen supper recently at the Knights of Columbus Home.

At the meeting which followed the supper Miss Mary Pierrant was named chairman for the Mothers' Tea which is scheduled to be held Sunday, May 6, at the K. of C. Home. Plans were also discussed for a party to be given during April with Miss Mary Cunnelli as chairman. Mrs. Reynolds Everett will be advisor.

Miss Helen Patrick, vice president of the Junior CDA, was chosen as chairman of the annual banquet to be held in May. She will be assisted by Miss Mary Lou Lovejoy and Mrs. Bernard Weingart will be advisor.

Miss Margaret Barrett, grand regent of Court St. Joseph, gave activity committees for the year. Membership, Reynolds Everett, Paul V. Lovejoy, Robert Thornell, William Holmes, William Bloom, Bernard Weingart, Angelo A. Bellantoni, John Croft, William Gordon and Miss [illegible].

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