

Marks 3 Religious Events

St. Louis, Mo. — Besides being World Sodality Day, May 13 also is the twenty-eighth anniversary of the appearance of the Blessed Virgin to three children at Fatima, Portugal, and the same anniversary of the elevation to the episcopacy of Fallon by Pius XII.

China President Greet Bishop



Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, President of China, is pictured with Bishop Cuthbert O'Casey, C.P., (center), and Rev. Caspar Coulfield, C.P., during a private audience with the Generalissimo at his home in Chungking, recently. (NCWC)

State Leader to Confer K. of C. Degree in Hornell

Hornell — Plans are going forward here for the Knights of Columbus Exemplification of the Third or Major Degree on "The Rev. Stephen K. Callahan and the Rev. John P. O'Malley Class on Sunday afternoon, June 10, at 3 p. m.

The Degree work will be in charge of State Deputy Stephen J. Cushing of Brooklyn and District Deputy Edward L. Kunzinger of Brooklyn and his staff.

The class is honoring the two priests who are serving as Chaplains in the armed forces.

Grand Knight Richard E. Matthews is asking all members to receive Holy Communion in a body at the 8:30 o'clock Mass in St. Ann's Church. A Communion Breakfast will follow at Hotel Sherwood. State Deputy Cushing will be the principal speaker.

Members and candidates will meet at St. Ann's School at 8:15 o'clock and march to the Church with the Fourth Degree furnishing Guard of Honor.

Crowned 'Queen'

Corning — In ceremonies held recently at Northside High School Miss Anne McElhaneey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McElhaneey, of 92 Ontario St., was crowned as the new Queen of May. She succeeds her sister, Miss Jane McElhaneey, who was given the honor last year.

Both Jane and Anne are graduates of St. Vincent de Paul's School.

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Owego Sergeant Gives Life, Sailor Reported Missing

By MARY C. BROWNAN  
Owego — News was received in this village on Wednesday of the death in the South Pacific of Master Sergeant Thomas L. Millard, younger son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Millard, of this village.

M/Sgt. Millard's wife, the former Miss Amelia Onofrio, of Newark Valley, received the official notification from the government which gave no detail as to how he met his death. M/Sgt. Millard enlisted in the Air Corps in November, 1941, and was stationed some time at Mitchell Field, L. I.

In June, 1941, he was transferred to overseas duty and was sent to Trinidad where he spent more than two years. He returned to the United States late in 1943 and in September of that year he and Miss Onofrio were married in St. John's Church in Newark Valley.

In December of 1943 while stationed at Chanute Field, Ill., he was presented with the Air Medal and a citation for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained sub-marine duty as an engineer. M/Sgt. Millard won the Medal while on duty in the Caribbean Sea area.

Besides his wife his survivors are one sister, Mrs. Evelyn Collins of Elmira and two brothers, Francis Millard with an ordnance group with the U. S. Naval Reserve and is stationed, it is believed in Honolulu, and Miles Millard of this village. M/Sgt. Millard is the fourth member of St. Patrick's Parish to make the supreme sacrifice.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. McCann received on Tuesday a message from the Navy Department which stated that their elder son, Francis L. McCann, R.O.M. 2/c was reported missing in action. The young sailor was somewhere in the South Pacific. He enlisted in the U. S. Navy in March, 1942, in Buffalo, and received his recruit training at Newport, R. I. He was transferred to the Keystone Radio School at Bedford, Pa., for special training and was then sent to Yellow Water, Fla., for advanced training in gunnery. In November, 1942, he was assigned to overseas duty and was stationed for several months at Kaneohe Naval Air Base at Oahu, Hawaii.

He saw a great deal of action in the campaign for the Marshall Islands and other major

battles in the Pacific. He was wounded last December for which he was awarded the Purple Heart at New Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. McCann have two other sons in the service. Their second son, Paul McCann, AOM 3/c U. S. Navy, is stationed somewhere in the South Pacific and the third son, Pvt. James McCann, is at Camp Blanding, Fla.

Mrs. Katherine Brink, a native of this parish, died in the Floga General Hospital in Waverly where she had been a patient for only a short time on Monday, May 14, 1945. Recently she had made her home at the Ahwaga Hotel in this village and went a short time ago to reside with her sister, Mrs. Fred Rayner in Corning, who is her only immediate survivor.

The funeral was held on Thursday morning in St. Patrick's Church, the Rev. Michael L. Hynes, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in St. Joseph's Cemetery. Mrs. Brink was born in this village and was the daughter of the late Michael and Mary Anne Gilroy Hayes. There are two memorial windows in St. Patrick's Church which were donated by members of Mrs. Brink's family when the present church was built several years ago.

Woman Gives \$25,000 For Seminary Chapel

Oklahoma City — (NC) — A check for \$25,000 has been received by the Most Rev. Francis C. Kelley, Bishop of Oklahoma City and Tulsa, from Mrs. Estelle Doherty of Los Angeles, a convert to the Faith, to furnish the chapel of the new seminary planned by Bishop Kelley. Mrs. Doherty sent the check upon hearing that Bishop Kelley had given \$50,000 from his Golden Jubilee fund toward establishment of the seminary.

Hear! Hear!

The Irish dramatist and politician, Richard Brinsley Sheridan, was making a speech in the House of Commons. To his annoyance, a fellow member kept punctuating the speech with "Hear, Hear!" As Sheridan wound up the climax of his denunciation of a political contemporary he explained, "Where, where shall we find a more foolish, knave or a more knavish fool than he?"

"Hear, hear!" shouted the member.

Sheridan turned to him, thanked him for the prompt answer, and sat down amid the roar of laughter.

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