

## Marine Moved to Sampson Hospital

Geneva — Lieut. E. J. Enright, USMC (retired), has been transferred from Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Col., to the United States Naval Hospital at Sampson. He is a former officer of the First Marine Division.

Lieutenant Enright is a graduate of DeSales High School and of Hobart College, class of 1940. He is a member of Phi Phi Delta Fraternity. His wife, the former Lieut. Roberta C. Beal, ANC, will come to Geneva to reside at his home at 51 Ver Planck street, following an extended visit with her parents in Webster Grove, Missouri.

Lieutenant Enright is the son of Mrs. Mary Enright, 51 Ver Planck street.

Francis A. Foley, 19, seaman second class, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foley, 189 Pultney street, has been assigned to the Naval Training Station, Newport, R. I. He is awaiting assignment to a new combatant or auxiliary ship soon to be commissioned.

He reported to Newport upon graduating from the Navy's Yeoman School at San Diego, Cal. He entered the Navy in July, 1944.

A graduate of De Sales High School, Foley attend Georgetown University, Washington, D. C., for a year. He played basketball, tennis and golf at school.

Seaman 1/c Eugene F. Myers has returned to the Naval Air Station at Alameda, Cal., after spending ten days at his home, 31 Avenue B.

First Lieut. William Flannigan who is with the Second Weather Reconnaissance Squadron in the China-India-Burma theatre has been promoted to the rank of Captain. He is also holder of the Air Medal.

Pvt. Joseph S. Barilla is on a fourteen-day furlough from Camp Wheeler, Georgia. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Barilla, 212 Exchange Street.

## 3 Auburn Soldiers Retire From Army

Auburn — Honorably discharged from the Army of the United States at the 1262nd Separation Center at Fort Dix, N. J., on June 23rd, were Pfc. John J. Alongi, Seymour Street; and Pfc. Frank Janas, Perrine Street.

Pfc. Charles E. Shanahan, Pultaski Street was discharged on June 22. Discharged on June 24 at the 1262nd Separation Center at Fort Dix, N. J., were Pvt. Joseph Nowak, Jr., Olympia Avenue and Pvt. Carmelo Patella, Jefferson Street.

Donald J. McGeever, Elizabeth Street, is among Auburnians granted an honorable discharge from the Army of the United States at the 1262 Separation Center at Fort Dix, N. J. Also discharged on the same day was T/5 Frank J. Frenzel, of Wall Street. Ernest W. Falsby, Garrow Street, was honorably discharged on June 28 at the 1262nd Separation Center at Fort Dix.

## Geneva Weddings

Geneva — Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Elizabeth F. Luby of St. John's, Newfoundland, to Angelo F. Gillotti, son of Mrs. Angelo Gillotti of 102 Angelo street.

Rev. Edward K. Ball, pastor of St. Francis de Sales Church, performed the ceremony at St. Francis de Sales Church on Tuesday, June 12th, at 9:30 o'clock.

Miss Marlon Gillotti, sister of the bridegroom, was honor attendant, and Gaetano Balcastro of this city, was best man.

A dinner was served at Front's for the immediate families and a reception was held at the home of the bridegroom, after which Mr. and Mrs. Gillotti

## PLAY-TIME IS LETTER-TIME



THIS PICTURE might be taken any Monday afternoon between four and five at Our Lady of Pity School, New York. The girls are members of Girl Scout troop 1-131 who have undertaken to write letters to service men they "adopted." Sister M. Genaveka (above), is their troop leader. Besides giving up their play-time, the girls also offer daily prayers and weekly Communion for the safe return of the soldiers. (NC Photos.)

## Seneca Falls Service News

### Priest's Brother Awarded Promotion in Front Lines

By JOAN A. REARDON  
Seneca Falls — Efficiency in combat and courage under fire has brought advancement to the rank of Captain, to First Lt. Francis T. Coffney, 650 W. Washington St. Elmira, brother of the Rev. James D. Coffney, assistant pastor at St. Patrick's Parish.

As battalion operations officer with the 24th Infantry (Victory) Division's Corregidor-famed 34th Infantry Regiment, Captain Coffney's responsibilities include traveling with front line troops, keeping a running account of this situation and compiling the all-important data of enemy activity. This task requires a thorough knowledge of maps and aerial photographs, of familiarity with every phase of modern combat technique and calls for aggressiveness and fearlessness under fire.

Captain Coffney's record reveals that he was inducted in July, 1941, as a private, chosen candidate for O. C. S. in September, 1942; after graduating was commissioned 1st Lieutenant and assigned to overseas duty. He saw active service on Leyte; received shrapnel wounds and after hospitalization and recovery, returned to action in the Luzon campaign.

He has also taken part in the Mindoro and Mindanao battles, one of the toughest in Pacific War history.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith, Mumford St., have recently learned that their son, Sgt. Raymond Smith, and daughter, Corp. Margaret Smith, WAC, had the pleasure of a visit while on duty overseas. Raymond has been overseas two years and is now stationed in Bavaria. Margaret is on duty at the A. A. F. Parts Control Depot near Warrington, England. Raymond was granted a furlough and visited his sister in England. He expects to return to this country sometime in August.

Pfc. Louis J. Pioli, son of Mrs. Olga R. Pioli, and husband of Mrs. Martha E. Pioli, is a member of the 56-piece military band of the 13th Airborne Division.

left for New York City and South Norwalk, Conn.

The bridegroom is a veteran of World War II. He was attached to the 421st Coast Artillery and served 31 months at St. John's, Newfoundland. Pvt. Pioli, a clarinetist, was

graduated from Mynderse Academy and attended Niagara University before entering the service. He is now stationed in Joinville, France, awaiting redeployment. Formerly the 14th Infantry, organized in 1940, the 13th Airborne Division Band furnishes music for all division activities. The assigned combat tasks of the airborne bandmen is to serve as a defense platoon.

Pfc. George William Crelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Crelly, Haigh St., received his medical discharge at Fort Edwards, Mass., and has returned home. William went overseas in October, 1944, and saw action in two major battles in Germany. He was a patient in a hospital in England for three months and returned to New York on March 12. Since that time he has been receiving treatment and has been discharged.

Sgt. William H. Casey, who was a prisoner of war in Germany for five months, has been liberated and is spending a furlough with his wife and baby daughter at their home on Fall St. He will report at Lake Placid after his visit here.

Pfc. Frank Nyck, member of a Military Police Unit in England for the past 1 1/2 years, is spending a furlough with his wife and son at their home, E. Bayard St. Frank entered the service in June, 1943, and trained at Fort Knox, Ky., Atterbury, Ind., and Camp Perry, Ohio. His visit home was the first opportunity he has had to see his little son.

Sgt. Edward J. Giannotti, son of Mrs. Jane Giannotti, Ovid St., and husband of Mrs. Dillie Giannotti, was recently awarded the Bronze Star and Medal for "Meritorious service in France and Germany". Edward is a member of Battery A, armored field artillery of the 3rd Army, and has been in the service two and a half years. He has been overseas since September, 1944.

Q.—Why is it the Redeemer is sometimes referred to as the Christ and at other times as the Messiah? Is there any difference in meaning between the two words?

A.—Messias and Christ are used promiscuously for each other. Both mean the Anointed; Messias being the Hebrew equivalent and Christ the Greek term.

## St. Patrick's Bond Total Tops Seneca Falls Schools

Seneca Falls—St. Patrick's Parochial School gained first place in the schools at Seneca Falls in the sale of War Bonds and Stamps during the 1944-45 school year. The total receipts were \$28,195.00. Second place went to Mynderse Academy with sales amounting to \$22,981.65; First Ward School, \$20,482.00 and Elizabeth Cary Stanton School \$1,935.00.

### Gabreski Visits Notre Dame Campus

South Bend — (INS) — Notre Dame University has added the name of Lt. Col. Francis Gabreski of Oil City, Pa., to the list of war heroes who have come back to visit their former campus.

Col. Gabreski, America's leading ace in Europe and a student at Notre Dame from 1935-40, stopped over at Notre Dame last Friday to renew old acquaintances.

He had downed 28 enemy planes in combat over Europe before he was forced down and captured by the Germans last July 20.

A man will turn over half a library to make one book—Samuel Johnson.

St. Patrick's has every reason to be proud of its record which shows a concentrated effort on the part of the students and parents to do their part in the terminating of the war.

### Teacher is Honored

Geneva — Members of the Teaching Staff of the North Street School entertained at a luncheon recently at The Armitage in Seneca Falls in honor of Miss Cora Sacency, a member of the faculty whose resignation was announced recently. Miss Sacency was presented a gift from the group.

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