

4 Geneva Army Men Granted Their Honorable Discharges

Geneva — Corp. Patrick V. Bruno, son of Mrs. Mary Bruno, 68 Avenue B has been honorably discharged from the Army Air Forces. He was inducted March 20, 1942, and has been stationed at Camp Grant, Ill.

Sergeant, Nurse Home for Holidays

Geneva — Staff Sgt. Jack Knight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knight, Cherry Street, arrived home on Monday after three years with the Armed Forces in the European Theatre. He was with the CIC of the Third Army and participated in action in France, Belgium, and Germany and was last stationed at Munich, Germany.

Edward Knight, another son of Mr. and Mrs. Knight also returned recently from Europe. He was with the 924th Engineers in France, Belgium, Germany, and Holland. He was overseas for three years.

Lieut. Kathryn J. Moran, A.N.C., of Brooke-General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas, arrived home recently to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moran, of 21 Richards Avenue.

Sgt. James P. Gallagher was a passenger aboard the John Howland due in New York, Dec. 13.

Famed Stained Glass Restored at Chartres

Paris — (NC) — The Cathedral of Chartres has the most complete collection which remains of the art of stained-glass making of the twelfth century. Wisely, the glass encased in its windows was removed piece by piece at the outbreak of war and stored, partly in the Cathedral crypt and partly in a castle in the center of France.

The glass has now been re-mounted in the windows of the Cathedral, and the faithful once more can admire the splendor of its colors, the secret formula of which has not been duplicated since the Middle Ages. Some of the windows were donated by King St. Louis and are consecrated to the glory of the Virgin.

MACARTHUR IN DENIAL
Tokyo — (INS) — Gen. Douglas MacArthur, denying report of difficulties between him and Russia over Japan occupation: "The question of Russian participation in the occupation is a matter for other decision than my own."

Greensboro, N. C., Chanute Field, Ill., Robins, Georgia; Knollborne, N. C., and Sioux City, Iowa.

He was a lens grinder for Shuron Optical Company in Geneva before entering the service. He is conducting a restaurant at 100 North Genesee Street.

Sgt. John A. Murray, of Headquarters Company M Airborne Division was discharged at Fort Ord, Cal., Dec. 7, and is at his home, 24 Pine Street.

Sergeant Murray had two years and eight months of military service of which 12 months were spent in the European Theatre of Operations.

Pfc. Orlando Taramelli, who has been in the Armed Forces for 29 months returned to his home, 422 William Street recently. He was in the South Pacific area for 23 months and received his honorable discharge on Dec. 7.

Lieut. Paul Klopfer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Klopfer of 78 Hamilton Street, has arrived home from Belgium and is on temporary duty for forty-five days. He has been overseas for two years and in the Armed Forces for forty-four months.

Lieutenant Klopfer plans to go to Brooklyn later for his honorable discharge from the Armed Forces. He served with a military intelligence section and was lately stationed in Brussels.

Pope Promulgates Decrees in 2 Beatification Causes

Vatican City — (By Radio, NC) — At a solemn meeting in the Holy Father's private library, His Holiness Pope Pius XII promulgated the "tute" decree for the beatification of the Venerable Maria Teresa de Soubiran, foundress of the Society of Mary Auxiliatrix. This decree testifies that the solemnities of beatification may be proceeded with.

At the same time, the Holy Father signed a decree approving of two miracles proposed for the beatification of the Venerable Maria Teresa Eustochia Verzeni, foundress of the Institute of the Daughters of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

The ceremony took place in the presence of Cardinal Carlo Salotti, prefect of the Sacred Congregation of Rites, and Cardinal Gemaro Pignatelli di Belmonte, who at the age of 85 is the dean of the Sacred College of Cardinals. Many members of the Congregation of Rites and officials of the two causes were also present.

Judge 29 Years



Hon. Joseph M. Feely

Surrogate Feely Retires on Dec. 31

Completion of 29 years as a judge will be marked by Surrogate Joseph M. Feely, ex-emptary Catholic layman, on Dec. 31 when he will retire having reached the retirement age of 70.

A member of Holy Rosary parish, Surrogate Feely has completed three and a third successive terms for an even 20 years as Monroe County surrogate. He had previously served nine years as a City Court Judge.

During his term of office, he admitted more than 18,000 wills to probate and over 13,000 letters of administration were granted in other estates. As surrogate he also wrote 3,000 decisions and issued 88,500 miscellaneous orders.

Born in Rochester Dec. 10, 1875, Surrogate Feely attended local schools and studied law in the office of his father, the late Dennis C. Feely. After a short course at Cornell University, the future jurist was admitted to the bar in 1898. He practiced law with his father for the next 17 years.

The judge, a bachelor, lives at 235 Maplewood Ave. with his sister, Miss Clara E. Feely, and a nephew, Joseph F. Conway, an instructor at the University of Rochester. A member of the Rochester Bar Association he was honored by 600 lawyers and guests in Powers Hotel when a skit by George J. Nier and Daniel F. Fitzgerald reviewing his career was presented.

He is also a member of the Knights of Columbus and Chamber of Commerce.

Surrogate Feely has a brother, James K. Feely, a Rochester lawyer.

Death Takes Priest, Friend of Radio Stars

Washington — (NC) — The death of Father William Anthony O'Connell, St. Dominick's missionary, here in Providence Hospital following a lingering illness was cause for mourning among radio and stage celebrities, well-known baseball and football players and a host of local parish citizens.

Father O'Connell had a happy faculty of making friends and keeping them long. There was an occasion when he went with a friend to attend a broadcast of a Fred Allen radio show, merely as a spectator. Before the evening was over, Father O'Connell, Mr. Allen and a number of members of his group were "pals." Bud Abbott and Lou Costello, Father McGee and Mollie (Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jordan) and many others of the entertainment world were among his friends. Father O'Connell also had many friends in the sports world.

Maryknoll Student Home

Geneva — John O'Malley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. O'Malley, of Washington, Pa., returned home on Friday, Dec. 22, after a year's study at the Maryknoll College, St. Joseph, Pa.

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National Council of Catholic Women
Office—Catholic Evidence Library
Main Floor—Columbus Civic Centre

Intensive study of the address of His Holiness Pope Pius XII on Women's Duties in Social Political Life was recommended at a recent meeting of the Board of Directors of the National Council of Catholic Women.

To further this knowledge, the Council has not only had the message printed in pamphlet form for widespread distribution, but has furnished an outline for discussion groups.

Large shipments of clothing

are received daily at the warehouse of War Relief Service, N. C. W., 509 11th Avenue, New York City.

For convenience in identifying shipments, a gummed label addressed to the warehouse, has been prepared. A supply of these has been received at the Rochester Diocesan Council office for distribution.

Congratulations are extended to the Catholic Women's Club of Rochester for the splendid cooperation of its various groups with the War Relief Service.

J. N. Crupi Again Heads Geneva Club

Geneva — Members of the American-Italian Club of Geneva held their annual meeting and election of officers at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Hall on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Joseph N. Crupi was unanimously re-elected president of the organization.

Other officers elected were: vice-president, Emilio Thalli; secretary of correspondence, Sabatini Aronny; secretary of finance, Anthony Bruno; auditor, Peter Fini; treasurer, Nazario Danile; first trustee, John Carnovale; second trustee, Natale Tomme; third trustee, Michael Monaco; fourth trustee, Mariano DiDuro; fifth trustee, Augusto Parghali; guard, Sebastiano Danile.

Serves With Postal Group in Manila

Geneva — Corp. Theodore L. Velt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore C. Velt, 404 Exchange St., is currently stationed with the Postal Section Group Headquarters of the 4025th Signal Service Group in Manila. At present he is in charge of all first class mail at that Headquarters.

Overseas since December, 1944, Corporal Velt served in Finschaven, New Guinea. Assigned to the Manila area since early summer he has been engaged in the various sports activities of his unit.

Prior to his induction he was a student at Robert College and is a graduate of De Sales High School.

10 Join K. of C. In Hornell Rites

By Helen M. Hughes
Hornell — First Degree of the Knights of Columbus was exemplified on a class of 19 candidates by the Hornell Degree Staff, Sunday evening, Dec. 16.

Members of the degree team were: Grand Knight F. J. Koran, Deputy Grand Knight G. S. Lora; Chancellor D. M. Moray; Warden Lee A. Davis; Financial Secretary Harold A. Hogue; Inside Guard Chester Milne and Outside Guard Fabian Grossgruber.

After the ceremony supper was served by the following committee: John Grace, chairman; Al King, Jerry Baird, Lawrence Lynch, Robert Sullivan and Rudy May.

Members of the class were: Rev. Paul O'Brien, David J. Arto, James P. Marahan, John R. Lynch, James Morrissey, George F. Lora, Philip J. Sweeney, John K. Dineen, Raymond Callahan and Thomas P. Kosh.

Plans have been completed by the Council for the annual New Year's Eve Party to be held in the K. of C. Rooms. G. S. Lora and Bernard Lynch are co-chairmen.

Victim of Auto Accident On Road to Recovery

Geneva — Mrs. Stanley Nolan Powers, 85 Optical Street, who suffered a fractured right leg by an automobile accident on Wednesday, Dec. 12, is much improved. She has been a patient at the Geneva General Hospital since the accident.

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