Chaplain Heindl To Get Mass Kit As Dansville Gift

Dansville — A purse which he received from the people of St. Mary's Church, Dansville, will enable Chaplain Elmer W. Heindl, former assistant pastor there, to purchase a new Mass kit replacing Field Mass kit soiled and strained by his 41 months front line service in the Southwest Pacific.

Father Heindl returned to his old parish Sunday where he celebrated Mass and gave Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. In his sermon, the chaplain spoke of the great power of prayer in achieving victory.

At a reception held in the K. of C. Hall from 3 until 6 p. m. the former assistant was presented with a purse in token of appreciation for his work there.

He spoke briefly of his experiences and mentioned gratefully the prayers and letters received from Dansville friends. Expressing his thanks for the gift he stated his intention of buying a new Mass kit which he would dedicate to St. Mary's.

Rev. Orrin W. Feller of St. Mary's welcomed him and reviewed Father Heindl's achievements and record. A group of men of the parish acted as a Reception Committee.

Attending the reception were the Rev. John O'Donnell of St. Patrick's, Dansville, Rev. Adelbert Schneider of Wayland and Rev. Charles P. Risler of Perkinsville.

Father Heindl, who served as assistant at St. Mary's in 1936 and 37, was a member of the famous Buckeye 37th Division. During the battle for Manila he earned the Distinguished Service Cross which was awarded by General MacArthur. Previously he had received the Silver Star.

Here is the frontispiece from ABOVE THE BLUE, a book of [illegible] stories about heaven for little children, by Mary Catherine Moss. Illustrated by Ruth Robinson, the book contains ten full-page color pictures as well as many black and white drawings.

Church Miniature Given to Wife

Summerworth, N. H. — (NC) — A remarkable reproduction in miniature of the Church of "La Madonna di Fontanellate al Suo Santuario," at Fontanellato, near Parma, Italy, is on display here. The replica was made by Albert Morin in fulfillment of a promise to his wife, a native of Italy, that when she became an American citizen he would make a miniature of the church where she was baptized. The task took two years of Morin's spare time.

10 Catholic Veterans Given Their Honorable Discharges

Seneca Falls — Honorable discharges have been granted to these ten Catholics, veterans of the armed forces:

T/4 Louis S. Pacano served 42 months in the army as a member of a General Hospital Unit, and was stationed in England and France for 30 months of that time.

Sgt. Maj. Edward C. Lynch has been in the service 3 years and served 21 months in the ETO. He was a member of the 4th Signal Battalion of the 7th Army and took part in the major campaigns in Normandy, Ardennes, Central Europe, Holland, Northern France, Belgium and Germany.

Pfc. Louis J. Vergamini has a total of 3 years service to his credit, 2 of which were spent overseas with the 82nd Combat Engineer Battalion of the Third Army in England, France, Belgium, Germany and Austria.

Lt. John J. McCarthy, Jr., is a veteran of 5 years of service. He was stationed in India and is now convalescing after being a patient in a Government Hospital there for a tropical disease.

Capt. Albert Mastrales has been in active service for over 4 years [illegible] European and Pacific Theaters of Operation. In 1942 he returned to the States from England and attended Officers Candidate School and received his commission as Second Lieutenant. His next assignment carried him to the Pacific area and during his term of service there, he was advanced to First Lieutenant and then to Captain. He was wounded inaction and suffered an attack of malaria and has been a patient for several months in a hospital in the South.

Coxswain Albert Leonard, discharged at Sampson Separation Center after serving 2 years with a Seabee Unit in the Philippines and China.

Pfc. Edward Fitzsimmons saw 3 years of service, 2 of which were spent overseas as a member of the 82nd Engineer Battalion.

S/Sgt. Aldo Giovannini served 4 years in the army and spent 30 months in the ETO as a member of a ground crew unit. He saw action in Egypt, Lybia, Tunisia, Italy and Corsica.

Pfc. Paul Bellardino is a veteran of 3 years of service. He served with the 191st MP Company and spent 30 months in Northern Africa and France. He also served as a member of the 12th Armored Division.

S/Sgt. Philip Hogan served 3½ years with the Army Air Forces and for the past 2 years was stationed at the Muroc Air Field, Calif.

Servicemen on Leave At Seneca Falls Homes

Seneca Falls — AMM 2/c Michael O'Malley, who recently returned to the States after spending some time in the South Pacific Area, is spending a 10-day leave with Mrs. Kathleen O'Malley at Kidders, and his sister, Miss Betty O'Malley.

Walter Ward, AS, USNR, of Holy Cross College, Worcester, Mass., spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Ward, Fall St.

S 2/c John Paddock is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Paddock, Haigh St.

S 2/c Thomas J. Marsella, West Bayard St., has completed training at the Newport, R. I. Naval Station with the crew of the US S Tarawa, a new Essex-class carrier. Thomas entered the Navy last March.

Wm. Gargan, RDM 2/c, USNR, spent Christmas with Mrs. Irene Gargan.

Captain Philip Ryan of San Francisco, Calif., has been visiting in Seneca Falls for a few days.

Mike Seeley, ACMM, who recently returned to the States after serving over a year in the Southwest Pacific, is spending a leave with his family at their home on East Bayard St. He will report at New York City on February 16th.

Corp. Carl H. Babcock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Babcock, Lake Road, has returned after serving 10 months in the Southwest Pacific area with the 507th AAA Gun Battalion in New Guinea and the Philippines. He is now receiving treatment at the Rhoades General Hospital, Utica. He spent the week-end with his family.

John Tarquino, S 1/c, USNR, is spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Tarquino, W. Fall St.

Richard Baker, M. M. 3/c, USNR, is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Baker, W. Bayard St. He has recently returned to this country after spending several months in the Pacific area and is now stationed at Pier 92, New York City.

English Cardinal-Elect Gives Thanks for U. S. Aid

Washington — (NC) — "Most grateful thanks for the magnificent generosity of Catholics in the United States" in aiding war victims of Great Britain were expressed by Cardinal-designate Bernard Griffin, Archbishop of Westminster, in a telegram to Cardinal-designate Samuel A. Stritch, Archbishop of Chicago and Chairman of the Administrative Board, National Catholic Welfare Conference.

"Over 80,000 pound sterling," the message says, "have been received and distributed during the war period among bombed-out persons, orphaned children, hospitals, aged persons, convents, seamen's hostels and chapels, in addition to 64,000 gifts in kind."

Vatican Stresses Duty Of Italians to Vote

Rome — (CIP) — The Consistorial Congregation at the Vatican has sent to all Italian Bishops a circular containing instructions for the forthcoming elections. The first part emphasizes the duty of evry citizen to go to the polls, the second part specifies the principles which Catholics must observe in the choice of candidates.

The instructions are as follows:

"(1) In view of the dangers to which religion and the common good are exposed and in view of the fact that the dangers are so grave that the harmonious collaboration of all honest people is required, all those entitled to vote, of whatever condition, sex, or age they may be, are strictly bound in conscience to make use of their right. (2) Catholics may give their vote only to those candidates or lists of candidates about whom they are certain that they will respect and defend the observance of the Divine Law and of the rights of religion and the Church in private and public life. The more the platform and the practical action of a candidate permit and justify this certainty, the greater will be the tranquillity of conscience with which Catholics will be able to freely vote for them."

It is pointed out in well-informed circles that, by advising Catholics to consider not only the electoral platform but also the "practical action" of the candidates, the Vatican wants to warn against candidates who are generous in their promises and theoretical statements, but do not respect the rights of religion and the Church in their practical policies.

War Relief in China

New York — (NC) — A budget of over $200,000 has been allotted by War Relief Services-National Catholic Welfare Conference for aid during the coming nine months to the sick, homeless orphans, refugees and wounded soldiers in free China, it was announced here.

FILMS

Legion of Decency Classifications PLUS WILLIAM H. MOORING'S entertainment ratings: [illegible]

CLASS A-1—Unobjectionable for Adults and Children

Abbott and Costello in Hollywood; Adventures of Rusty; Along The Navajo Trail; Anchors Aweigh; Bells of St. Mary's, The; Captain Eddie; Cisco Kid; Caribbean Mystery, The; Dalton's Ride Again, The; Enchanted Forest, The; Follow That Woman; Great Morgan, The; Her Highness and the Bellboy; [illegible]

CLASS A-2—Unobjectionable for Adults

Abilene Town; And Then There Were None; [illegible]; Bell for Adano, A; [illegible]; Blonde from Brooklyn; Breakfast in Hollywood; China's Little Devils; Come Out Fighting; Cornered; Crime Doctor's Warning; Dakota; Dangerous Partners; Danger Signal; Deadline at Dawn; Detour; Dick Tracy; Don't Fence Me In; Duffy's Tavern; [illegible]

CLASS B—Objectionable in Part

[illegible]

CLASS C—Condemned

[illegible]

CENTURY
Starts Wednesday, Jan. 9
JOHN WAYNE in
DAKOTA
LOIS COLLIER in
GIRL ON THE SPOT

TEMPLE
3 DAYS
Fri. Sat. Sun. Jan. 11-12-13
ON STAGE IN PERSON
CHARLIE SPIVAK and His Orchestra
On Screen
Blonde from Brooklyn

CAPITOL
Starts Thursday, Jan. 10
BETTY GRABLE
JOHN PAYNE
JUNE HAVER in
The Dolly Sisters in Technicolor
MERLE OBERON
CLAUDE RAINS in
This Love of Ours

SCHINE THEATRES
Matinees Starting 2 P. M.
SAT., SUN. and HOLIDAYS
All Theatres Open [illegible] P. M.

GINGER ROGERS
LANA TURNER
VAN JOHNSON in
Weekend at the Waldorf

ALL STAR CAST in
DUFFY'S TAVERN
PAUL KELLY in
China's Little Devils

Joseph Cotten in
LOVE LETTERS
Ruth Terry in
TELL IT TO A STAR

Shirley Temple in
KISS AND TELL
James Dunn in
CARRIBEAN MYSTERY

Irene Dunne in
OVER 21
Betty Field in
THE SOUTHERNER

Paul Henreid in
SPANISH MAIN
Peggy Ryan in
ON STAGE EVERYBODY

Cornel Wilde in
A Thousand and One Nights
Warner Baxter in
CRIME DOCTOR'S COURAGE