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Statue to Honor Founder of Lay Retreat House

Plans to erect a life-size statue of the Blessed Virgin in the circle in front of Our Lady of the Lay Divesan Retreat House at Geneva were outlined by the Rev. Augustine Aylward, C.S.S.R., at the Rochester Laymen's Retreat League meeting, Friday, April 5 in St. Joseph's Hall.

The statue will commemorate the Rev. John P. Murphy, C.S.S.R., founder of the Geneva Retreat House, and all the priests who have given laymen's retreats both at Geneva and St. Bernard's Seminary, Rochester.

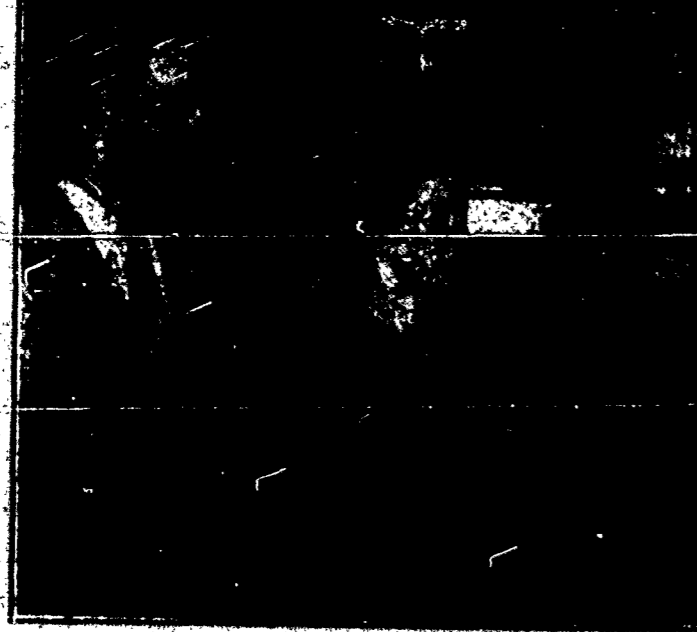
Father Aylward said that the remainder of a purse donated last fall to buy Father Murphy a farewell gift when he was assigned to Boston, after purchase of a wrist watch, will go towards the statue purchase.

First Retreat Set
 Announcement was made by B. Edward Shiesinger, president, that the first retreat at the Retreat House will be conducted May 19 to May 22 for laymen from Watkins, Glen, Seneca, Falls, Bath, Penn. Yan, Hammondsport and Naples. First retreats for parishes in the Rochester diocese will be held the weekend of June 2-3 at St. Andrew's and Our Lady of Mt. Carmel parishes. Fred Frisch and Angela D'Ineri, of these parishes expect with the help of Canandaigua and Scottsville to fill the retreat house.

Some reservations are still open for the first three retreats, May 10, May 17 and May 14. Frank Lesch, chief promoter for Auburn diocese reported that parishes of Auburn will fill the retreat house on the weekend of May 31, June 1 and 2.

Retreats will continue at the Diocesan House until the end of November. There will be three mid-week retreats, one in mid-June, one in mid-July, and one in mid-August. Reservations for the different parish week-end retreats are now being made by various parish promoters. It was announced.

STUDENT SODALISTS MEET



Gathered at Elmira for the Rochester Diocesan Student Sodality Union with the Rev. J. Joseph Conroy, Nazareth Academy Chaplain and Union director (right) and (from left) John Lawler, St. Sales High School, Geneva; Leonard, Holy Family High School, Auburn; and Mary Woodhall, Elmira Catholic High. Meeting was held in Dana Memorial Bldg., Sunday, April 7.

Indian Priest Known Here Arrives at Brazil Post

On arrival at his mission post in Sao Paulo, Brazil, the Rev. George W. White, O.M.I., second Mohawk Indian priest to be ordained, has written the Rev. Leo C. Mooney, pastor of St. Patrick's Church of his beginnings as an Oblate missionary in the South American mission field.

The letter, which arrived this week told of a journey from the shores of St. Regis reservation in Canada via Liberty ship across the Equator to Brazil where a missionary is greatly in demand as a teacher and guide. Father White crossed the Equator while celebrating Holy Mass.

The young priest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. White, 46 Lake Ave., Rochester, and his wife, Mrs. White, who lives at 1000 St. Paul St., a large city and developing by leaps and bounds. Proficiency in the Portuguese language is the most pressing problem, he writes. Finances for carrying on mission work will be needed as Mass intentions in that area are few.

Father White was ordained June 4, 1943, in the Oblate Chapel, Washington, and celebrated his first Solemn Mass in Rio de Janeiro, St. Patrick's Church.

Bishop Presents Altar Awards to Hornell Scouts

Hornell — His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, presented Altar Del medals and merit badges to 19 Catholic Boy Scouts at ceremonies Sunday in St. Ann's Church here.

The "prepared the motto of the Boy Scouts of America," Bishop Kearney told the boys, "is a most apt one, since it applies to life in this world and in the next."

"The same virtues which are required for good Scout strengthening character, thereby preparing one for eternity," the bishop continued. "Responsibility, obedience to authority and respect for discipline are necessary both for life now, and 20 years from now if the Scout is to be a useful citizen."

"Scouting also develops the ability to get along with one's companions. It is most necessary that the Scout learn to regard the other person's viewpoint with tolerance and understanding. Too many adults today try to win arguments by calling names, 'Fascist,' 'Red,' and other labels are freely used when logic and understanding are lacking," Fr. Flacher, A.M.S.

The Rev. Walter Fischer, director of youth activities in the Rochester diocese, presented the Scouts to Bishop Kearney, who bestowed upon them the Altar Del medals and merit badges.

Members of the Fourth Degree Assembly, Knights of Columbus, accompanied the bishop in his procession to the church and stood at attention during the presentation of awards.

Services closed with Solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

The following Scouts received the medals: James Cortese, John Coyle, Martin Davis, William Drachman, Thomas Jackson, John Halsey, William Hurley, David and Richard Mattie, James Murphy, William Spellacy, John Tomlin and William Wymann.

Merit badges were presented to Robert Conroy, Martin Davis, Thomas Jackson, Thomas Mc Cormick, David and Richard Mattie, Charles Maricle, Edward O'Mara, Joseph Palmesano, William Spellacy, James Stewart and William Wymann.

Scout first class was awarded to John Halsey and Edward O'Mara. Charles Maricle received Life Scout award and James Stewart a life saving award.

In the sanctuary during the services were the Rev. Andrew Dissert, the Rev. Paul Gibbons, the Rev. William Tobin, the Rev. Paul Murley, Hornell, the Rev. Benedict Riccardo, O.M.I., Albany; the Rev. William Frank and Adalbert Schneider, Wayland; the Rev. Bernard Clary, Rexville; the Rev. Edward Scheffl and the Rev. Orin Volney Danville.

Holy Week Services Set In Elmira's Churches

In preparation for the joyous Feast of the Resurrection, solemn services of Holy Week will be conducted in the Elmira diocese churches with visiting priests of religious orders conducting special ceremonies.

"Schedules of services sent by the COURIER-JOURNAL follow:

St. Peter and Paul's
 Palm Sunday, April 16, Blessing of Palms, 10 a. m.
 Wednesday, April 17, Confessions, 3 to 5-24, 7:45 to 8 p. m.
 Holy Thursday, Holy Communion, 6, 7; Mass of Procession, 8 a. m.; Holy Hour, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.; Sermon, Father Heppner, O.S.B.
 Good Friday, Mass of the Presentation, 8 a. m.; Three Hours Devotion, 12 to 3 p. m., conducted by Father Heppner, O.S.B.; Stations of the Cross, 7:30 p. m.; Holy Saturday, Blessing of New Fire, 7 a. m.; Mass and Communion, 8 a. m.; Confessions, 8 to 9:30, 11:15 to 12 p. m.
 Easter Sunday, Masses, 7:30, 9, 10 and 11. Sermons by Father Heppner, O.S.B.

St. Patrick's, Elmira
 St. Patrick's Elmira will again have Family Communion Sunday on Easter Sunday. After receiving Holy Communion the families will have a Communion Breakfast in their homes. The children will present Spiritual

KNIGHTS WARNED OF NATION-WIDE RELIGION MOVE

Coming — Speaking before more than 100 members of Corning Council, Knights of Columbus at a Communion breakfast Sunday morning at the K. of C. Home, the Rev. Conrad O'Leary, O.F.M., professor of philosophy at St. Bonaventure's College, declared that a new idea in religion is being sponsored by nationally prominent figures which is a menace to Christianity.

Father Conrad called upon all religious people to combat such a trend, warning his audience that should the new movement spread it would have disastrous effect upon the moral code.

Opening with Mass at 8:30 a. m., in the K. of C. Hall which was especially arranged for the occasion, the retreat included four conferences and Benediction. Serving the Mass were Grand Knight W. Donald Barrett and Deputy Grand Knight Karl Kriat. Gerard Gilmore led the Rosary during recess.

The breakfast was served under the direction of Robert Halahan, J. Colton Marx, Karl and Anthony Patoni. Other committee chairmen were: Albert Lynch, arrangements; Paul Tommaro, reception; and Herbert Kennett, cleanup.

**Corning Soldier
 Ends Service**

Coming — Sgt. Peter L. Bayvello, 422d and 103d Airborne Divisions, of 173rd Airborne has been honorably discharged after serving 40 months with the Army. His brother, Vincent, was discharged recently from the Navy where he served as a pharmacist's mate.

A third son of Mr. and Mrs. Bayvello, Robert G., is stationed in Naples, Italy, with the Army Air Force.

**Church Purchases Lot
 To Make Play Field**

Planned as a site for recreation grounds, a lot and a-half has been purchased by St. Nicholas Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church, Elmira Heights at McCauley and Gardell Sts. The Rev. W. B. Dornovich, pastor, said that a building may be placed on the plot in the future.

The property joins eight other lots owned by the church.

100 Sodalists Attend Communion Breakfast

Coming — About 100 members of the Junior and Senior Sodalities of Our Lady of Good Counsel, St. Mary's Church, attended the 8:20 a. m. Mass Sunday and received Holy Communion in a body.

Following Mass a breakfast was served in the sodality rooms under the direction of Miss Mary York, chairman. Seating Miss York as co-chairman was Miss Julia Crogan. Officers on the committee were the Misses Mary Frey, Margaret Hawley, Harriet Merrill, Mary Hanson, Ann Pappay, Helen Condon, Josephine Augusta, Ann Gentile and Julia Ross and Eda Parenti.



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Coming — A Yeastup of a recent meeting of the Knights of Columbus was the initiation of six new candidates.

John Colton Marx was appointed chairman of the Easter Ball which is scheduled for April 20 at the Home. Assisting him will be Anthony Patoni, entertainment; Frank Miller, refreshments; and Michael Bonady, decorations.

Named as co-chairmen for an "Honorary Members' Night" were John F. Kennedy, Albert Lynch and Paul V. Lovette.

Plans for the first of a series of smokers and light shows to be held at 8:30 p. m., April 12, at the Home were announced by Athletic Committee Chairman John Szarowick. Featured on the five boat card will be many vicinity ex-military champions as well as other popular local fighters. Outstanding among these will be James J. Specials of 68 W. Market St., 129 featherweight champion of the island of Oahu, Hawaii.

Funeral Rites in Corning

Coming — Funeral services for Miss Catherine Flynn of Corning were held Saturday at 8:30 a. m. at the Poland Funeral Home and at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's Church.

Miss Flynn left Corning five years ago to reside with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Flynn of New York.

Besides Mrs. Flynn survivors include two nieces, Miss Marie Flynn and Mrs. Marguerite Wood of New York City; two nephews, Frank Flynn, Addison, and Thomas Flynn, of Rochester.

Daniel P. Marini of Elmira died Thursday, April 4, at the home of his brother, Robert Marini, 115 Steuben St., this city. He was born in Antrim, Pa., and was an employe of the Railway Express Company for 30 years.

Besides his brother, Mr. Marini is survived by one sister, Miss Nellie T. Marini of South Corning and several nieces and nephews.

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