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Catholic High Class Receives Diplomas From Bishop Kearney

With His Excellency, Bishop Kearney presiding and conferring diplomas and awards, graduation of Elmira Catholic High School took place Tuesday evening, June 25, in St. Patrick's Church. Bishop Kearney addressed the graduates congratulating them upon successful completion of four years of high school training in which spiritual values were stressed.

Presenting the boy and girl graduates was the Rev. William A. Burns, principal. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament concluded the impressive services. Honors and awards were announced. Members of the 1946 class who maintained a scholastic average of 85 per cent follow: Dolores McArdle, St. Patrick's Parish; John Henry Our Lady of Lourdes; Sara Maloney, St. Mary's; Ellen Hayes, St. Cecilia's; Margaret Fusaro, St. Anthony's; Camilla Maloney, St. Mary's; Antonette Bonfigliore, St. Anthony's; Elizabeth Hughes, St. Patrick's; Helen Ruddick, St. Cecilia's.

2,472 Diplomas Awarded By Diocesan Schools

Parochial schools of the Rochester diocese presented diplomas to 2,472 graduates of exercises held last week, according to the announcement of the Rev. Dr. Charles J. Mahoney, diocesan superintendent of schools. "At least 99 per cent of these graduates also received the Preliminary Certificate of the New York State Board of Regents," Dr. Mahoney stated.

16 Diplomas Awarded At St. Casimir's

The Rev. Ladislav Szczepanski, pastor, presented diplomas to 16 St. Casimir's graduates in church ceremonies in Elmira at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, June 20. The Knights of Columbus awards for Christian Doctrine were merited by John Konieczny and Lola Boyd.

Lourdes Church Opens Classes in Religion

A summer school of religious instruction will open in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Elmira, on Monday, July 1, and continue each day through Friday for the entire month. The school is being conducted for the children of the parish and will be under the direction of the Sisters from St. Patrick's convent. Hours of instruction are from 9 until 12 each morning.

15,000 Vets Expected

Newark - (NC) - Twelve thousand delegates and alternate delegates representing 1,000 posts in 40 states will assemble here for the 11th annual national convention of the Catholic War Veterans on June 20-22, according to an announcement by Walter J. Kelly, national trustee of the Catholic War Veterans.

KNIGHTS PRAY FOR DEAD



Leaving the outdoor altar in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery where he offered Holy Mass for the repose of the souls of Knights of St. John and Ladies Auxiliary members His Excellency, Bishop Kearney blessed attendees at the Field Mass along the line of procession. Escorting the Bishop are Captains W. Hauser and Commander William Markert with Lieut. Capt. Al J. Miller to the right.

Knights Arrange Major Degree in Elmira July 7

Final plans have been completed by officers and committee chairman of Elmira Council, Knights of Columbus for the exemplification of the Major Degree on a large class of candidates, Sunday, July 7.

In keeping with the custom of visiting different parishes each year, members and candidates for the Degree will meet in front of St. Mary's Church at 7:15 a. m., and march in for the 7:30 Mass, receiving Holy Communion in a body.

Following the Mass the group will assemble at the Mark Train Hotel at 9 o'clock for a Communion breakfast. Burke, former State Secretary of the New York State Council, Knights of Columbus and a prominent Catholic layman from Utica, will be the guest speaker. Mr. Burke has appeared in Elmira on previous occasions and will have an interesting message for the assemblage.

Speaker



JEANNE SPLAWN

MOTHER CABRINI HONOR PLANNED

Arrangements for a Solemn Pontifical Mass to be celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, of Rochester, in St. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira, on Sunday, July 7, at 11 a. m., are being completed. The Mass is stated in "The Citizen" parish paper, will be in honor of America's first Catholic saint.

Nurse Veteran On Mass Appreciation At Elmira Breakfast

Greater appreciation of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass was urged by Miss Jeanne Splawn, registered nurse, principal address at Elmira National Council of Catholic Nurses Communion Breakfast, Sunday, June 24.

Members assisted at a special Mass for their living and departed members and received Holy Communion in Little Flower Chapel of Duns Monastery. The Rev. Philip E. McHugh, moderator of the Elmira group, celebrated the Mass.

Present also were the Rev. Felix White, M.S.S. Superior, monastery to Kewanee and Shrewsbury, St. Joseph's Hospital who are members of the unit. About 40 graduate nurses from the area assisted. Charles De Jure served the Mass.

St. Anthony's To Mark Feast

The Feast of the Sacred Heart will be observed in St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, on Sunday with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day following the 10:30 Mass.

Table with 2 columns: SCHOOLS and GRADUATES. Lists various parishes and the number of graduates for each. Includes St. Patrick, St. Mary, St. Cecilia, etc.

New Corning K.C. Greeted at Smoker

Corning - Karl A. Krist, grand knight-elect of the local council of the Knights of Columbus, was chairman in charge of the smoker held at the home Thursday evening which honored members who received the major degree on Sunday, June 16.

PLANS OUTLINED FOR CWV POST

Auburn - An organization meeting of the Catholic War Veterans of St. Alphonsus Parish was held on Tuesday evening at Recreation Hall in Water Street. The session was presided over by Rev. Clarence Gardner, newly appointed assistant pastor at St. Alphonsus Church, in the absence of Bernard Vetter acting commander.

Committee Meetings Listed by NCCW Unit

Regular meeting of the Executive Committee of the Rochester Diocesan Council, National Council of Catholic Women has been postponed to Friday, July 12. A meeting with the Advisory Committee of the Rochester Deanery Council, N. C. C. W. will be held at St. Mary's Church, 15 South St., Tuesday, July 16 at 8 p. m.

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