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**5 Basilian Fathers,
1 from Rochester,
Named to Aquinas**

The Rev. Robert Fischette, C.S.B., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rocco M. Fischette, 80 Lauriston Road, Rochester, will be director of studies at Aquinas Institute and the Rev. Vincent Eckert, C.S.B., of the Aquinas faculty will be treasurer when the school opens in the fall.

**Ask Librarians
To Join Fight
On Delinquency**

Reading of Catholic books as an antidote for juvenile delinquency was stressed by speakers at the Summer Library Conference for Elementary Schools which opened in Rochester Diocese Monday, July 8 and continues to Friday, July 13.

Mass of the Holy Ghost offered by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney formally opened the sessions at Nazareth College. Present were a large number of principals and teachers from various sections of New York State who had registered for the two weeks' course and many other teachers interested in libraries for elementary and grade schools.

Early awakening of the child mind to the interest and source of joy to be found in books was stressed by Bishop Kearney. He urged the necessity of constant guidance in appropriate choice of books and reading.

The Bishop cited the effects of right habits of reading as affecting for good every phase of the child's life especially his recreational, intellectual and spiritual life. He stressed the influence of questionable books, radio and moving picture presentations tending to juvenile delinquency, the current concern of the nation.

Necessity of adequate and carefully selected books in every school as a means of counteracting a prevalent evil, juvenile delinquency, was stressed by the Rev. Dr. Charles J. Mahoney, superintendent, Catholic Schools, diocese at Rochester, first conference speaker.

He was presented by the Rev. Dr. Edward J. Lintz, chairman of the conference.

To oppose the influence of the "radio, the movie and the comic strip, that give a shallow appreciation of life and distract from good reading," Dr. Mahoney stressed the aid of good, well selected interesting books in the training of children.

The more we read and think the happier and richer life will be was the opinion of the Rev. Andrew L. Bouwhuis, S.J., of Canisius College, Buffalo whose topic was "The Intellectual Apostolate."

Reading of the child should be led to books appropriate to his

Announcement of changes in the Congregation of St. Basil, priests in charge of the Rochester Catholic High School, made by the Very Rev. E. J. McCormick, C.S.B., superior general, was given out by the Rev. William J. Duggan, C.S.B., principal, today.

St. Basil Assumption College

The Rev. John H. O'Loane, C.S.B., principal of Aquinas Institute from 1937 to 1943 and then Superior of St. Basil's Seminary, Toronto, has been appointed President and Superior of Assumption College, Windsor.

Father O'Loane was the first principal at the boys' high school in Rochester under the Basilian Fathers charge. Prior to his six years as Aquinas head, Father O'Loane was principal of St. Thomas High School in Texas.

Now serving as a chaplain in the U. S. Navy, the Rev. John Onorata, C.S.B., will return to the Aquinas Institute faculty.

The Rev. J. L. Rivard, C.S.B., comes to Aquinas from the St. Ann's parish, staff in Houston, Texas.

Two recent graduates of St. Basil's Seminary in Toronto, the Rev. John McLaughlin, C.S.B., and the Rev. Frank Crescovitz, C.S.B., will join Aquinas Institute faculty.

Leave Aquinas

Leaving for other assignments from Aquinas faculty are the Rev. Norman J. Murphy, C.S.B., to Assumption College, Windsor, Ont.; the Rev. William Sheehan, Aquinas treasurer since 1937, goes to St. Thomas College and High School, Houston, Texas; the Rev. William P. McGee, C.S.B., will become Director of Studies at Catholic Central High School, Detroit; and the Rev. Lawrence Lacey, C.S.B., and the Rev. Austin O'Brien, C.S.B., are assigned to St. Ann's Parish, Houston, Texas.

**Class in Choir
Repertoire Opens**

A class in Liturgical Repertoire is now being given at Nazareth College every day from 1 to 1:30 p. m.

This course includes suitable music for the important feasts of the year and for special occasions such as Forty Hours, Holy Week Service, etc., the Sisters state.

The class is open to anyone interested in Church Music, especially organists and choir directors.

Arrangements for private work may be made with Sister Jean Marie, SSJ at the college.

CARDINAL AT FBI RITES



Denouncing the secret police of other countries, Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, praised our law enforcement agencies at the rites of the FBI in New York City.

**Yanks' Adoration
Awes Nippon-Pagans**

In the following article U. S. Army Chaplain (Capt.) Joseph G. Giffell of Rochester gives a stirring eye-witness description of how American soldiers joined with the Catholic Japanese of Kyoto to give that ancient pagan city of Japan its first public Corpus Christi celebration.

United in Worship

Today's ceremony forcefully dispelled this impression, and for the first time since the church was founded here, the pagans of Kyoto witnessed a striking public demonstration of our belief in the Real Presence. Perhaps the most impressive aspect of it, to them, was the fact that American soldiers and Japanese Christians were united in public worship.

The canopy bearers were two GIs and two Japanese. The altar boys were Japanese; the master of ceremonies, a Maryknoll Father, while the hundreds who formed the main body of the procession were Japanese representatives from all the nearby parishes, and GI representatives from Ireland itself was there.

The little flower maids, "cute" as they ever are, attracted special attention from their gaily dressed, white foreign dress and twelve on the other being in their own Japanese kimono.

The Maryknoll Fathers stationed in Kyoto have often spoken of the excellent "missionary work" done by the American soldiers attending the Sunday Masses and receiving Holy Communion. That soldiers should be so faithfully religious was made a deep impression in general among the townspeople, and there are a goodly number of them now studying the catechism seriously because of the interest in our Faith aroused by this good example.

Today's ceremony, in a land that is pagan indeed, but growing ever more conscious of the failure of their old religions, Buddhism and Shintoism, was an impressive demonstration of the actual "catholicity" of our Faith. That it united in divine worship those who were so recently bitter enemies in a fierce war; that a true religion should bring all men together in adoration of their God; these wholesome truths were learned today by the Kyoto citizens, and the learning will bring many that much nearer to the One Fold and One Shepherd.

Two Carloads of Food Donated by Chicago Man

Chicago — (NC) — One Chicago man, William H. Regnery, of St. Isaac Jogues parish, packed two freight cars with 120,000 pounds of food during the May campaign of Food for Children.

It was revealed here in a report on the campaign in the Chicago archdiocese. Totals for the archdiocese, with 65 parishes still in reported, show that more than 900,000 pounds of food and \$30,000 in cash were contributed.

**K. C. Called
To Stop Spread
Of Communism**

The Major Degree of the Knights of Columbus was conferred on a large class of candidates last Sunday in St. Peter and Paul's auditorium, Elmira, and the class included candidates from Westly, Illinois, Carroll and Galeton, Pa. Members and Candidates attended the 7:30 Mass at St. Mary's Church and received Holy Communion in a body, followed by a Communion breakfast at the Mark Twain Hotel.

William E. Burke, former State Secretary of the New York State Council of Knights of Columbus was the guest speaker and urged the presence of unity in their efforts for a better America and to do all in their power to combat the spread of Communism in our beloved country.

Mr. Burke cited the active program of the 100,000 Communists in this country and implored the Knights of Columbus to be a strong force to expose the true aims of these whose allegiance is "definitely Moscow, dictated."

Bishop Adams

The Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester, was a guest at the breakfast and spoke of the life of St. Francis Xavier Cabrini, urging the Knights of Columbus to be especially devoted to the newly canonized Saint.

The Rev. Albert L. Simonetti, newly appointed Chaplain of St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, and the Rev. Leo C. Schwall, retiring Chaplain for this great interest in the affairs of Columbians and for the zealous and untiring efforts he gave during his three years of office.

Other speakers on the program were Father Schwab and Grand Knight Frank R. Spade. Past Grand Knight Eugene F. Ryan was toastmaster and introduced the other guests at the speakers table. They were: Leo V. Smith, Past Grand Knight; Donald Barrett, Corning; Past Grand Knight E. C. J. Marz; Past Grand Knight Thomas R. Burns, District Deputy Basil J. Vallancourt, Herbert K. Arthur, Past Grand Knight John T. Nugent, William J. Schickel, Thomas F. Coggins, Jr., and Past Grand Knight Henry P. Farrell.

**FESTIVAL SET
AT ST. ANTHONY'S**

A Festival for the benefit of the building fund has been scheduled by Rev. Albert L. Simonetti, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, and will be held at the church grounds Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 19-21.

Adolph Cirulli and Michael Morri are co-chairmen of the affair and will be assisted by the Sacred Heart Ladies committee of which Mrs. Mary Maycum and Mrs. Rose Caporale are co-chairmen.

The program will include games, refreshments, special awards will be available each evening.

**Picnic Slated
By St. John Unit**

A committee meeting of the Sodality of Our Lady and the Altar Society of St. John the Baptist Church, Elmira, was recently held to complete details for the annual picnic to be held on Wednesday, July 24, at Harris Hill.

Reservation cards have been mailed to all members of both Societies and it is urged that these cards be returned promptly so that transportation and other arrangements may be made to insure the success of the affair.

A telephone call to Miss Margaret Kennedy at 453 1/2 will be greatly appreciated.

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**Mother Cabrini Held as Model
At Elmira Pontifical Tribute**

The newly canonized St. Frances Xavier Cabrini was held up as a model for all other American citizens and especially for the women by the Rev. Albert L. Simonetti, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, Elmira, in a sermon at the diocesan tribute to the new saint, Sunday morning.

Marking the occasion was Solemn Pontifical Mass celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney in St. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira, St. Peter and Paul's Church is the first church in the Rochester Diocese to honor Mother Cabrini with special Novenas, record of which are at 5 p. m. on the bulletin board.

Father Simonetti reviewed the remarkable career of Mother Cabrini and cited her record of 47 schools, orphanages, hospitals and other institutions founded by her while laboring in the United States and Nicaragua.

Motivating her great work was "dynamic zeal."

Model Early Model

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Father Simonetti said: "The speaker said His Holiness, Pope Pius XII, who has raised this devoted nun to the calendar of the Saints 'begs all women to imitate her.'"

"They can imitate her by being faithful to their vocation, the Elmira pastor declared.

At Mother's last journey, they may imitate her by assisting in their children's Christian education, imitating into these words: 'bearing the love of Christ and keeping themselves unshaken from the temptations, pagan legends of Paganism, and that would deny the birth of children or of scientific child guidance that would tear the child from the maternity of the woman.'"

"Women in business or politics," Father Simonetti continued, "may imitate her in the practice of charity and justice in fighting against unscrupulous elements that would tear the child from its mother and tear the citizenry into shreds."

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REPORT OF CONDITION

RESOURCES	1946 June 30th	1945 June 30th	1944 June 30th
Cash on hand, in Federal Reserve Bank, and Due from Other Banks	\$ 6,541,677.59	\$ 6,563,656.84	\$ 5,371,367.29
U. S. Government Obligations	29,088,040.58	27,453,725.14	20,897,115.65
Other Bonds and Securities	2,223,588.69	1,402,255.31	1,401,634.54
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank	60,000.00	57,000.00	54,000.00
Loans and Discounts	5,829,904.76	3,847,056.37	3,870,134.28
Mortgages	1,336,307.69	824,036.87	577,527.50
Bank Buildings	122,778.06	544,654.62	562,591.18
Accrued Interest Receivable	122,749.82	113,072.90	100,933.26
Other Resources	58,010.38	54,854.40	-73,683.14
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$45,786,997.57	\$40,860,312.45	\$32,908,986.84
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock	\$ 800,000.00	\$ 800,000.00	\$ 800,000.00
Surplus	1,200,000.00	1,100,000.00	1,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	680,886.57	534,828.20	472,411.43
Reserve for Contingencies	150,000.00	150,000.00	150,000.00
Provision for Interest, Taxes, etc.	210,986.30	186,800.63	147,125.31
Deposits	3,446,514.76	4,019,730.11	3,380,702.46
War Loan Account	39,298,609.94	34,068,953.51	26,948,747.64
Other Deposits			
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$45,786,997.57	\$40,860,312.45	\$32,908,986.84

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