

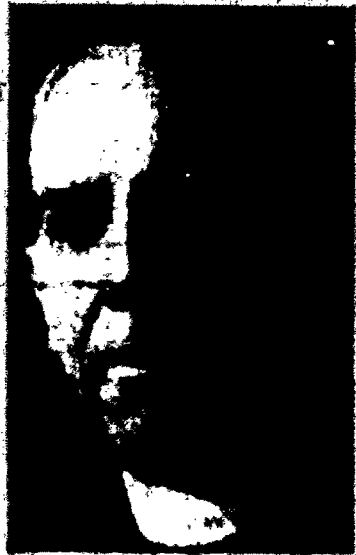
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1946

Four Masses Climax Silver Jubilee of St. Ambrose Parish

With Solemn Pontifical Mass celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney on Sunday and with Solemn Masses, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, the Silver Jubilee of St. Ambrose Church, Empire Blvd., Rochester was brought to an appropriate climax this week.



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Honor Assistants At Canandaigua

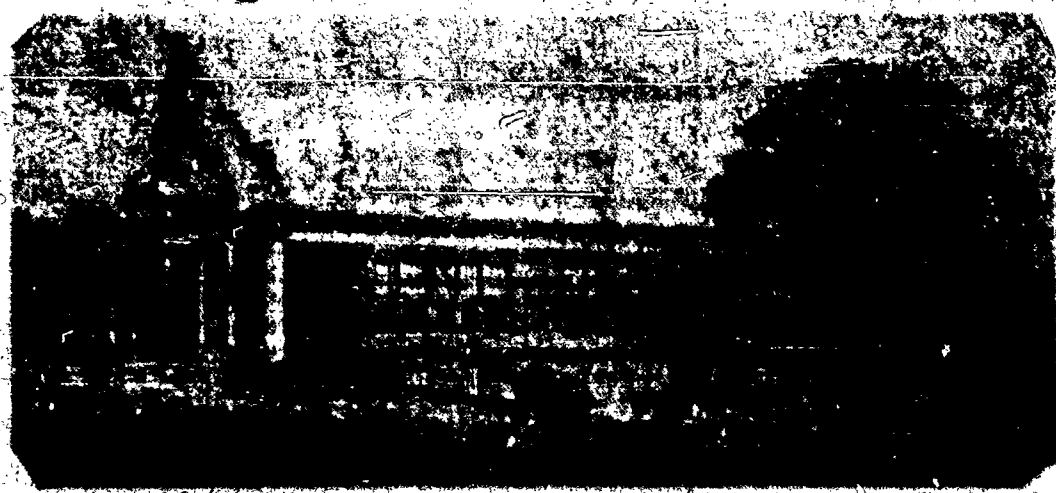
Canandaigua—St. Mary's Church hall was taxed to capacity when nearly 100 persons attended the public card party sponsored by the Rosary Society with Mrs. John Walker as general chairman.

Rev. William J. Red, former moderator of the society, took part in the party. St. Vincent's Church in Corning was honor guest. Rev. John Kilmartin, former St. Mary's pastor, presided.

Refreshments were served by the younger members of the Rosary Society. Mrs. James Walsh and Mrs. Charles Gauding as chairwomen.

Thelma Neils in Geneva, Susan Flavin in Batavia, and Mrs. C. J. Daugherty, who has been conducting a dealer's office at 43 Fall St., since his return from the military service, has moved to Geneva.

To Replace 70-Year Old Structure



Architect's conception of the new school building for which members of St. John's Church, Holy Name Society will soon launch a fund campaign with the Rev. John J. Baker, pastor, as honorary chairman and Milton Grossenbacher as general chairman. (Copy on Page 3)

SODALITY MASS TO BE OFFERED IN THANKSGIVING

A Solemn Pontifical Mass will be offered in honor of the Immaculate Conception at St. Joseph's Church on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28, at 9 a. m., under the auspices of the Rochester Diocesan Sodality Union.

His Excellency, Bishop Kearney will celebrate the Mass in thanksgiving for the many blessings bestowed upon this country through the intercession of the Immaculate Conception on the occasion of her 50th anniversary as patroness of the United States.

Prayers of the various Sodalities in the Diocese will march in the Offertory procession and Union committed chairman and officers will form a band of honor. A large number of Sodalists are expected to attend and receive Holy Communion.

Reunion With Priests Set by Lay Fraternity

Lay alumni of St. Andrew's Seminary will be reunited with priests of the diocese, their former professors or classmates, at the first annual reunion of the seminary Lay Fraternity at 8 p. m. Friday evening, Nov. 23.

The reunion will be held in the Seminary at North Elmwood Avenue and Brown Street. The St. Louis Star-Times Father Benedict of the Blessed Sacrament will open the evening.

Following the regular monthly business meeting, designed to acquaint the priests with the fraternity setup, its aims and purposes, an entertainment program will be presented. Refreshments will be served.

The reunion will be held each year in November on the feast of St. Andrew, its patron, or within the octave.

A luncheon meeting is being held today at the Hotel Rochester to complete plans for the reunion with the Lay Fraternity's Central Council attending Reunion Alms Named.

Handing arrangements for the reunion are Joseph J. O'Brien and Raymond P. Gugel, President of the organization, in John T. Nothnagel, secretary.

The group's Study Club which had its organizational meeting Nov. 8 at the seminary, will hold its next meeting at 8 p. m. Friday, Dec. 13. Topic of discussion will be "Mercy Killing."

William J. Lally is Study Club chairman. Meetings will be held each month two weeks after the general fraternity meeting.

Former seminarians who have not received invitations to join the fraternity are urged to contact President Nothnagel, 133 West Street, or the seminary. The organization is anxious to have them enrolled and only ignorance of the present address of many alumni prevents their being contacted to join.

7 Ex-Chaplains Feted by K. of C.

Fourth dinner honoring returned members of Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus held in the parlors, Columbus Civic Center was attended by 7 past members who served as chaplains in the armed forces and 30 other returned knights.

The dinner held Sunday night was arranged by House Committee Chairman John J. Kinney who gave Neil P. Collins, past chairman, credit for the returned servicemen's dinner idea. Collins acted as toastmaster.

Work of Rochester Council in cooperating with the NCCSUSO in conducting over 10,000 Sunday morning breakfasts and programs for servicemen during the war was commended by the Rev. John S. Randall, diocesan director of the NCCSUSO. Grand Knight Francis T. Toomey outlined the Sunday morning program for the returned servicemen.

Chaplains who are members of the Knights of Columbus were the guests of the Rev. Arthur E. Ratigan, council chairman who extended the council's greetings to them.

Short addresses were given by the former chaplains including: the Rev. Michael P. O'Brien, the Rev. Leslie G. Whalen, the Rev. Donald J. Murphy, the Rev. Raymond G. Hoidal, past chaplain of Rochester K. of C. Council; the Rev. W. Darcy Bolger, the Rev. Austin B. Hanna and the Rev. William F. Nolan.

Each returned serviceman was presented with a K. of C. emblem having a special red, white and blue chevron denoting armed forces' service.

Fr. Casey to Speak At St. Andrew's Hall
Rev. Lawrence B. Casey will be guest speaker at the regular business meeting of the Rosarians of St. Andrew's Church Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, at 8:30 in the new recreation hall. Entertainment will follow. Mrs. Margaret Ryan and Mrs. Julia Pallot will act as hostesses.

Pontifical Mass To Mark Academy Diamond Jubilee

In celebrating of the Diamond Jubilee of Nazareth Academy, on Dec. 6, 7 and 8, girls of yesterday who walked or rode in carriages to the old Academy building on Jay St., corner of Frank will join with girls of the later years who walked or rode in automobiles to the present structure on Lake Ave.

Religious services, a school program and an Alumnus reunion at the Lake Ave. Academy will fittingly commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Catholic private high school for girls which was opened in 1871.

Solemn Pontifical Mass observing the Jubilee will be offered by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney on Saturday, Dec. 7 at 10 a. m. in Nazareth Academy Auditorium, Lake Ave. A Jubilee Tea will be conducted from 3 to 5 p. m. on Sunday, Dec. 8, in the Academy Gymnasium and will be in the nature of an Alumnus reunion.

The school program will be conducted on Friday, Dec. 6. The Jubilee is under the direction of Mrs. Joseph McManus, general chairman.

St. Joseph
The Academy is under the protection of the Sisters of St. Joseph, which is a branch of the original community founded in France in 1650. The Diocesan community was established in 1899 under the Most Rev. Edmund J. Moynihan, first Bishop of Rochester.

Three Sisters of St. Joseph formed the first Academy of Nazareth in 1871 at Frank on Jay St., Rochester. This was the home residence of one of the old time Rochester families when Frank Street was the social center of the city. Many girls ranging in classes from the first grade to the second year of high school formed the original registration.

The original property was purchased from Major John Williams, Mayor of Rochester in 1853 and Congressman in 1854. From its foundation, the Sisters state, the purpose of the Academy was to provide a Catholic education for the daughters of the city.

Early growth of the academy was steady and with increase of registrations, new faculty members were added. To prepare for teaching, some of the Sisters were sent abroad for a three year course in St. Andrew's Normal School in Brussels, Belgium.

Two Lay Teachers
Members of the Community who had come from Europe were assigned as instructors in French and German. Two lay members were added to the faculty in the late seventies and early eighties. They were Miss Katharine Conroy, who later became assistant editor to John Boyle O'Reilly, on the Boston Times, Catholic newspaper in the archdiocese; and Lady Alice Seymour, a noted pianist, who had been instructor to children of the Imperial House of Austria.

In the year 1877 the high school department held its first commencement exercises with Miss Jane Leary of Rochester as the first graduate.

The Academy was chartered under the Regents of the University of the State of New York in 1891. Two years after Sister M. Marcella Fogarty was named principal, a position Sister held until her death in 1940.

Needs of the high school were served by the structure on Jay street, with some additions, until increased registration necessitated purchase of a new site in 1915. The present academy building was erected on the Donald Parcell estate on Lake Ave. in 1916.

Commencement exercises in 1916 were held in the new auditorium and the school was formally opened the following September. Recent structural additions to the school are the building housing the gymnasium and music room and additional classrooms attached to the main building and the Home Economic building on Lake Ave.

Three Courses Offered
Since granting of its charter in 1891, three separate courses leading to graduation have been offered at Nazareth Academy, the Sisters state. They are the academic course in scientific, classical and college entrance subjects; the academic-commercial course and the music course.

The commercial department was established in 1890. The first certificate was awarded a graduate in June of 1900. From these three departments the school has graduated a total of 5,567 young women. Accreditation of the excellency of training is testified in the number of State Scholarships earned by

graduates.

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Successful Dinner Held in Elton

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