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Bar Association In Tribute to Late E. J. Dwyer

A resolution paying tribute to the late Eugene J. Dwyer, for many years attorney for the Rochester Diocese, has been adopted by the Rochester Bar Association.

Bearing the signatures of five prominent Bar members, the statement was accepted at a memorial meeting for Attorney Dwyer on Friday.

The late attorney is cited for his "notable contribution to the well-being of our City and State," and for serving his Church "faithfully and unselfishly."

"Working with Mayor Hiram H. Edgerton in the conduct of the government of Rochester, their results were such as to deserve and receive the judgment of the New York Research Bureau that Rochester had the best mayor and council government of its times."

Notes: Papal Knighthood

The document calls attention to the fact that Mr. Dwyer was created a Knight of St. Gregory by Pope Pius XI "as one who had done well by his community and his church."

"He was a family man in the highest sense of the word," the resolution states. "To him he was all that can be imagined as a devoted and loving husband and father. His pride in them was boundless, and the affection with which he matched it was no less."

The large group of Bar Association members with whom he was associated "feel a great sense of pride in the fact that they had the privilege of knowing him and learning from him the invaluable lessons in the practice of law which have served so well."

\$1,000,000 Catholic Hospital
Cheyenne - (NC) - A 100 bed, \$1,000,000 Catholic hospital will be erected in this city by the Sisters of Charity.

Mass Set Dec. 10 For Abp. Hickey

Sixth Anniversary Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of the Most Rev. Archbishop Thomas F. Hickey, second Bishop of Rochester, will be offered Tuesday, Dec. 12, in Sacred Heart Pro-Cathedral.

The Mass to begin at 8 a. m. will be celebrated by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney. Assisting will be the Rt. Rev. Mgr. George V. Burns, pastor of the Pro-Cathedral and long associated with Archbishop Hickey.

Death of Archbishop Hickey occurred on Dec. 10, 1938 and closed a career in which His Excellency had been 56 years a priest of Rochester diocese, 23 years a Bishop and 12 years an Archbishop.

Monseigneur Burns lauds all Catholics, and non-Catholics who care so, to assist at the Mass.

Annual Tea Set By Sodality Unit

The annual tea sponsored by Our Lady's committee, St. Patrick's Sodality, Elmira will be held on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Sunday, Dec. 8, in the school assembly rooms.

An interesting and varied program has been arranged by the co-chairmen, Mrs. Albert Grace and Mrs. Samuel Terwilliger. Other committee aides are: Mrs. Joseph M. Dalley and Mrs. Eugene P. Agan, tickets; Misses Helen and Leone Ganev, refreshments; Mrs. Walter C. Ervin, arrangements; Mrs. James Frost, decorations; and Miss Florence Hughes, program.

Tickets are now available and may be secured from any member of the committee or officer of the Sodality.

Nuncio in America Named.
Vatican City - (Radio, NC) - Appointment of Archbishop Marvilio Silvani, veteran in the diplomatic service of the Holy See, to serve as Apostolic Nuncio in Austria, has been announced by Osservatore Romano, Vatican City newspaper.

Diamond Jubilee Aides Named by Alumnae Leader

Highlighting the Diamond Jubilee observance at Nazareth Academy this coming week will be the Solemn Pontifical Mass by His Excellency, Bishop Kearney on Saturday, Dec. 7 and the Jubilee Tea on Sunday.

The Mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Saturday in Nazareth auditorium. Sunday's tea will be served in the school gym from 3 to 6 p. m.

Mrs. Joseph McMahon is general chairman of the anniversary program. The Jubilee Tea chairman, Miss Grace Keenan, is being assisted by Mrs. August Zimmerman in charge of arrangements, and Mrs. Lewis J. Boych, decorations. The Reception Committee, comprising over one hundred alumnae is being headed by Mrs. J. Richard Eckert, Alumnae President, Mrs. James J. Tighe and Miss Louise Carroll.

Mrs. George Seibold, chairman of entertainment, announces that a musical concert will be presented by the Paveau Choir and the Glee Club. Alumnae soloists will be Miss Betty Keegan and Mrs. George Seibold.

The Invitation Committee, under the direction of Mrs. Montgomery Leary, Miss Regina E. Kennedy, Mrs. Edward Egan and Miss Patricia Gundell have been attempting to contact as many alumnae as possible, by telephone. A total of 400 members of the Alumnae are serving on this committee. Every graduate and every girl who at any time attended Nazareth is cordially invited.

Class representatives serving on the Invitation Committee are: Misses Rosemary Heltzer, Theresa Ruser, Shirley Turpeck, Mrs. Marie Roenker, Misses Ruth Meyer, Rosemary Welch, Dorothy Skelly, Joan Weiden, Louise Carroll, Mrs. John Martin, Mrs. H. Lou Gibson, Mrs. George Harnischfeger, Mrs. William Tallie, Mrs. George B. Kelly, Mrs. James VanAllen, Mrs. Donald McConville, Mrs. Edward O'Hara, Mrs. Donald P. Woods, Miss Mary Leary, Mrs. Jayne Palmer, Mrs. Clayton Gallagher, Mrs. Marion Mater, Miss Adelaide Bienenbach, Mrs. Feehan Fitzpatrick, Mrs. James O'Flynn, Mrs. James Riley, Mrs. Joseph Hoffman, Mrs. Maurice Hafner, Mrs. Basil Hayes, Mrs. Leo Zoller, Mrs. Charles Kenning, Miss Dorothy McGrath, Mr. Austin Mahoney, Miss Agatha O'Boyle, Miss Florence Tobin, Mrs. Fred Schiele, Mrs. William Dewey, Mrs. Rodney B. Jones, Miss Mary C. Foley, Mrs. Frank Cappellano, Mrs. J. Conner, Mrs. O'Connell, Miss Anna Coyne, Mrs. Stewart Pierce, Mrs. Archibald Mason, Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. William Beahan, Mrs. Roann Wolffert, Miss Teresa Verhoven, Mrs. Frank Willis, Miss Ella O'Neill, Miss Philomena Verhoven, Miss Cecilia Hughes, Miss Ethel Bemish and Mrs. Edward Lucas.

'Social Night' Held For Cornish CDA Unit

Cornish - Mrs. William McMahon was chairman of the social night held by Court St. Joseph, Catholic Daughters of America, Monday.

Assisting Mrs. McMahon were Mesdames Leo McKinney, Cornelius McGreggor, James McGannon, Richard McEligott, Frank McCormack, George McCarty, Clement Murphy, Edward Murphy, Gertrude Morrison, Agnes Moore, D. Mizoni, William Miller, Mary Mahoney, Genevieve Mahoney, Catherine Mack, Paul Lovette and Rose Lawler and the Misses Josephine McMahon and Mary McCabe.

Ithaca Scouts Spend Weekend at Camp

Ithaca - Twenty-two Boy Scouts of Troop 12, Louis Agassiz Fuertes Council, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus enjoyed the past weekend at Camp Barton. They were under the direction of Kenneth Loveless, scoutmaster, and George Loveless, chairman of the troop committee.

The camp culminated a recruiting campaign in which 10 new Scouts were taken into the troop. Facilities of the recreation room were used and also the new Green Bar Cabin which has been reserved for the honor patrol of the troop.

The troop's weekly meetings are held at the Northside House on Friday evenings.

ND Alumni Leaders To Meet

Notre Dame, Ind. - (NC) - Presidents of eighty clubs of the University of Notre Dame representing every part of the United States will meet on the Notre Dame campus November 29 and 30 to develop club programs for the coming year for the 20,000 alumni of the University.

Sodality Honor for Ex-Moderator



Rev. Dennis W. Hickey, St. Mary's Church Sodality Moderator, recently transferred to the Rochester Diocese, is bid farewell at a formal dinner given by the Sodality at the home of Mrs. John McNeill, Nov. 18. Rev. Dr. William E. Conway, pastor of St. Mary's, looks on as Mrs. John McNeill, Sodality president, bids farewell to the honored guest.

Laud Fr. Hickey's Work At Sodality Farewell

Auburn - The Rev. Dennis W. Hickey, secretary of the Matrimonial Bureau, Diocese of Rochester and located at the Chancery in Rochester was honored at a dinner party given by members of St. Mary's Senior Sodality here at Springdale Inn, Nov. 18.

More than 50 Sodality members were present to pay tribute to their former moderator and to present him with a gift.

The Rev. Dr. William E. Conway, pastor of St. Mary's Church, presided as toastmaster. Other speakers were Rev. James Sharples, Rock Hill, N.C., missionary; the Rev. Charles Langworthy, the Rev. Leo McLannus, the Rev. Bernard Hickey and Gerald Conroy, organizer at St. Mary's. Speakers joined in extolling the work done by Father Hickey in St. Mary's parish during the past five years.

Presented the Sodality gift by Miss Joan Scollan, prefect of the Senior Sodality, Father Hickey expressed appreciation and his regret at leaving the parish. Miss Ann Simmons sang the "Ave Maria" and "Top of the World."

Yule Party Listed At St. John Hall

Members of the Altar Society and the Sodality of Our Lady of St. John the Baptist Church, Elmira will hold a Christmas Party in the Church Hall Monday, Dec. 8. Members of the committee are Mesdames Charles Ruhmel, Ida Riedel, Henry Budnick and Edward Rehwinkel; also the Misses Margaret Frederick, Agnes Zaback and Margaret Kennedy.

Members of the Sodality are sponsoring a series of card parties in the church hall every Wednesday evening. The party this week was not held because of the holiday. However the parties will be resumed on Wednesday evening, Dec. 4.

The Sodality of Our Lady held its annual Harvest Supper on Monday evening, Nov. 23. About 70 members and friends were present. The Rev. Theodore J. Winterroth, Pastor, and the Rev. Frederick Walz, new assistant pastor, were guests. Father Winterroth spoke briefly and introduced Father Walz. Following the supper a short business meeting was held and later a social evening was enjoyed by the guests.

Lourdes Pupils Will Receive Communion

Grammar school students of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, Elmira, will receive Holy Communion in a body at the 9 o'clock Mass on Sunday.

Reports from St. Joseph's Hospital state the condition of the Rev. John D. Hurley, assistant pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, is somewhat improved. Father Hurley has been a patient at the hospital for the past few weeks.

Services for Novena Set at St. Patrick's

The Novena in honor of the Immaculate Conception will open Sunday at St. Patrick's Church, Elmira, and conclude on the Feast Day, Sunday, Dec. 8. Evening services will start at 7:30 and daily Masses during the Novena will be celebrated at 6, 7, 7:30, 8 and 9:30. The Rev. Hubert Sweeney, C.P., of the Passionist Order will conduct the Novena services.

Charity Ladies Hear Foster Home Appeal By Father Ratigan

By MARGARET KENNEDY
More than 250 Ladies of Charity, members of the various parishes, friends attended a General Assembly at the St. Patrick's Church and Hall, Elmira on Sunday, Nov. 20.

Following recitation of the Prayer at a Lady of Charity in our Blessed Mother, the Rev. Arthur E. Ratigan, Diocesan Director of Family and Child Welfare addressed the Assembly.

Quoting from the Prayer, "I have become a member of the Lady of Charity in order to assist my soul by serving in the best of my power the poor of Christ," he challenged his hearers to be faithful in the promise.

Referring to the work of the various Committees, he stressed the spiritual power of those who have always with us. The program of the Lady of Charity is continued, he said, by all those who are faithful to the promise.

His prayer for the Assembly and the Ladies of Charity was for the year to come, he said, to be a year of service to the poor.

He stressed the importance of the work of the Ladies of Charity in the home, in the school, in the church, in the community.

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