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## Dancing at Vacation School



Girls of St. Patrick's Parish, Rochester, are shown receiving police instructions in a dance class from Sister Mary Lucia Alvera of the Missionary Servants of the Blessed Trinity, at one of the Vacation Schools operated through the Diocese.

## Scout Group Pushes Plans For Diocese

By JAMES TAYLOR

An expanded Catholic-sponsored Boy Scout program for the Rochester Diocese has been launched here by the Diocesan Lay Committee on Scouting, Louis A. Langie, chairman, announced this week.

Council Area Chairman of the Committee reported on the formation of their committees at a meeting at Oak Hill Country Club Sunday afternoon.

These committees, it was revealed, hope to encourage sponsorship of Cub Packs, Boy Scout Troops, and Senior Scout Units, in every parish of the Diocese, by the parish itself of some lay organization. They will work in cooperation with various Boy Scout Council staffs.

Representing the Rochester Area Scouting Committee, which has functioned for several months in connection with Chief Scout Executive Leo M. Sandefur, and the Staff of Ocellana Council, were: Chairman Harold J. Coleman, Vice Chairman James P. B. Duff, Activities Chairman David B. Brady, Personnel Chairman Daniel J. Macken, Publicity Chairman James V. Taylor and Secretary Fred G. Weber.

Expansion of the Scouting program was set in motion at the request of His Excellency Bishop Kearney at a meeting last June in Geneva, when the Bishop urged the cooperation of all Catholic men in the Boy Scout movement as a means of implementing and augmenting the youth program of the Church.

Present from the various areas were: Charles J. Tanner, Painted Post; Edward T. Burke, Steuben Area Council; Arthur J. Cowan of Geneva and Daniel Clements of Penn Yan, Finger Lake Council; William J. Waters and George Lovelace, Louis Agassiz Fuertes Council of Ithaca; Joseph Rumpf, Cayuga County Council of Auburn.

## School Teacher Joins N.D. Order

Wayland — Miss Isabelle Killegrew of Saint Patrick's Church, Corning, N. Y., received the habit of the Sisters of Notre Dame, Wed. July 18, 1947, at Baltimore, Md.

Before entering the convent last August Miss Killegrew taught for several years at the Wayland High School. She is a graduate of the Corning Free Academy, the University of Rochester and received her Masters degree from the Albany State School.

A class of forty-three Postulants received their habits at Notre Dame Mother House in Baltimore and will now begin their novitiate.

Miss Killegrew will be known in Religion as Sister M. Petrosola, S.S.N.D.

Attending the ceremony from this section were the following: Mr. James Killegrew, her father; several brothers and sisters; and Rev. Adelbert J. Schneider, pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Wayland, N. Y.

## Bath Chaplain Marks 25 Years

Twenty-five years of service of the Rev. Arthur A. Ladday as Catholic Chaplain of the U. S. Facility, Bath, N. Y., was recognized and honored at church ceremonies and dinner in Bath on July 13.

Fellow priests, hospital officials and patients joined in paying tribute to Father Ladday who in World War I served as an infantry chaplain in France and was gassed while with his unit in action.

In the appropriate decorated chapel at the Facility, Father Ladday celebrated Mass and the Rev. Dr. George F. Kotell, pastor of Old St. Mary's Church, Rochester and past national chaplain of the American Legion delivered the sermon. Deacon Kotell spoke on the Catholic Priesthood and said that the jubilee's friends would pray for him that he would have many more years of zealous service to his fellow men.

Present were also the Rt. Rev. Magr. Joseph E. Grady, the Rev. Bartholomew L. Quirk, the Rev. Henry C. Manley, the Rev. Ralph Neagle, the Rev. Ignace X. Chameron, the Rev. Joseph M. Mc-



REV. ARTHUR A. LADDAY

Donnell, the Rev. William M. Casson, the Rev. John Bell, and the Rev. Stanislaus H. Mahanewski.

In charge of arrangements for the dinner of appreciation at the U. S. Facility, Bath, N. Y., was Magr. Joseph E. Grady, who thought a former Army chaplain of World War I and who was chaplain here at Bath during the war.

Other members were Deacon Kotell and Father Quirk, who spoke at the dinner and the Rev. Bartholomew L. Quirk, the Rev. Ignace X. Chameron, the Rev. Henry C. Manley, the Rev. Ralph Neagle, the Rev. Ignace X. Chameron, the Rev. Joseph M. Mc-

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College for Colored Aged  
New Orleans Xavier University, conducted by the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament, has received its first allocation of proceeds of the 1947 campaign of the United Negro College Fund, Mother M. Agatha, the president, announced.

## Catholic War Vets Set Aid for St. Anthony's

Four Elmira posts of the Catholic War Veterans will sponsor an outing for the benefit of the Rebuilding Fund of St. Anthony's Church, destroyed last winter by fire.

The benefit outing is scheduled for Seven Acres, Pine Valley, Sunday, August 17 at Seven Acres, Pine Valley.

Veterans organizations participating in the venture are St. Nicholas, St. Michael's, St. Casimir's and St. Anthony's Posts.

General Chairmen are as follows: Frank P. J. Leach, St. Anthony's; Benjamin Resavage, St. Casimir's; Stephen J. Anderson, St. Nicholas and Daniel J. Donahoe, St. Michael's.

Assisting the chairmen are John DiBerto, food; Mr. Rosavage, refreshments; Joseph Marino, publicity; Vincent J. Catelli, William Kowlich and John J. McNamara, Frank T. Ketter, James W. Hennessy and Stanley Winicki, arrangements. James T. Collins, tickets; Paul M. Donovan, J. Bernard Malone, James J. Powers, Casimir Krolak, Commander Andrewson, Joseph Verbanke, Commander Leach and John B. Loop.

## K. of C. Sponsor Baseball Contest

Corning Michael Bonady has been named chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements for the entry of the local Council Knights of Columbus in the softball tournament to be held by competing councils in this section.

Grand Knight John C. Marx announced at a recent meeting that the tournament, scheduled for August 3-10, will be sponsored this year by the Syracuse Council.

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