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Three Speakers Set in Auburn Marriage Talks

Auburn — The characteristics of the "ideal husband" and the "ideal wife" and their mutual obligations in the achievement of married happiness will be explained at the second session of the "Marriage Preparation Course" for all engaged or recently married Catholic couples at 8:15 p. m. Tuesday, April 13, at the Catholic Daughters' Home here.



JOHN NASKIEWICZ

Wide Sale Of Anti-Red Books Pushed

"Is This Tomorrow?" a colorful comic book which depicts how Communists could overthrow the American government and destroy all freedoms, is having widespread circulation in the diocese.

Diocesan NCCW Plans Auburn Meet April 25

Regular quarterly meeting of the Rochester Diocesan Council, National Council of Catholic Women, will be held Sunday, Apr. 25, at the Osborne Hotel in Auburn.

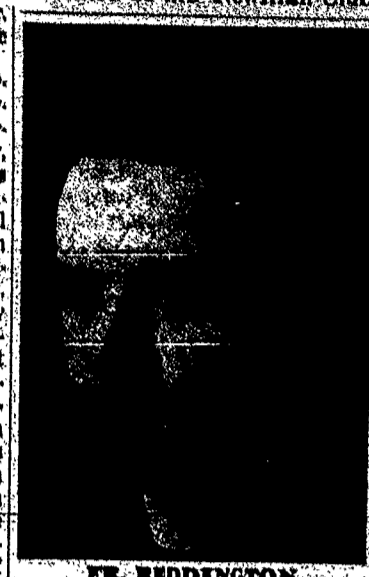
New St. Hyacinth Rectory to Rise



With the Rev. Jerome Holubowicz, O.F.M. Conv., pastor handling the shovel, ground was broken for the new Romanesque Rectory to be built on Piusaki St., next to the Church. The structure will contain 19 rooms and will connect with the church via bridge. Excavation has started and completion is expected about Oct. 1. Taking part in ground-breaking ceremonies were: (From left) Chester Woll, job overseer; Rev. Constantine Kwiatkowski, O.F.M. Conv., assistant; Frank Ciris, organizer; Wallace Baradley, architect; Matthew Noga, trustee; Anthony Tokars, sexton; Father Jerome; William Bouley, contractor and Rev. Alphonse Roszak, O.F.M. Conv., assistant.—S. Powell Hill photo.

Newmanites Set Program For Geneva Gathering

Geneva — Church services, business sessions, panel discussions and social events are being planned for the convention of the Central New York Province of the Newman Club. The convention will be held in Geneva, Apr. 16, 17 and 18, according to the convention officers.



FR. REDDINGTON

DeSales Down In Quiz Contest

Geneva — DeSales High School's young men's team was defeated last Sunday afternoon in the WGVU interscholastic quiz program at their annual meeting.

The Mynderse "Answer Men" will appear in the final round on April 18 when they will meet the winners of next week's contest between Canastota Academy and Phelps Central School.

The annual Camp Stella Maria benefit card party will be held Wednesday evening, Apr. 29, at the Columbus Civic Center auditorium.

Art Scholarship Won at Nazareth

Miss Mary Ann Miller of 310 Weldner Road, a Nazareth Academy senior, has been awarded the \$800 scholarship offered in the Nazareth College Department of Art.

Legion Head Slated At CWV Breakfast

John Lomenzo, commander of Doud Post, American Legion will speak on "Italian Elections: Catholics or Communists?" at a Communion breakfast for members of St. Augustin's Catholic War Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary, following the 8 a. m. Mass, Sunday, April 11.

FOR THE BRIDE

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Mothers' Club Card Party Set

Auburn — The monthly meeting of the St. Alphonsus Mothers' Club will be held at the parish house on Thursday, Apr. 8, at 7:30 p. m.

250 Attend Party Of Zonta Club

Geneva — About 250 persons attended a benefit card party sponsored by the Gene Zonta Club at Woman's Building on Wednesday night, April 7.

Minstrels Benefit Camp Columbus

Auburn — "An Irish Dream" and minstrel is the title of the entertainment to be presented at the Emerson Auditorium, East High School, on Apr. 19 and 20 by the Young Ladies' Sodality and the Columbian Squires of St. Alphonsus Church.

Fashion Show Set At St. Helen's

First meeting of St. Helen's Altar Society will be held in the new school hall scheduled Wednesday, Apr. 14 at 8:15 p. m.

Girl Scout Troop Assists Auburn Parish Librarian

Auburn — Troop 12 of St. Alphonsus Parish enjoyed a party recently at the Roller Drome in Clark Street Rd.

Italian Mission At St. Francis

Auburn — A mission, under the direction of Rev. Odorico Roselle, O.F.M., is being conducted this week for the Italian-speaking parishioners of St. Francis d'Assisi Church.

Youth Talk Slated For Central Verein

Albert W. Roche of the New York State Correction Department will address members of the Rochester Branch, Catholic Central Verein Sunday afternoon in St. Andrew's Hall, Portland Ave.

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Taft Bill Favoring Secularism Hit By Fr. Flynn In First Friday Talk

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