

Catholic Daughters List Seneca Falls Initiation

Seneca Falls—Court Seneca Falls, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold a reception of new members next Sunday afternoon, April 24th, in the school auditorium, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Rites will be conducted by the degree team of the Court under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Harmon of Auburn, district deputy. Mrs. Carrilla Gentle, Grand Regent of Court Seneca Falls, will preside at the meeting.

After the exercises, a social hour will be held and luncheon served. Mrs. Emily Giglio is chairman and her committee is made up of Miss Margaret Byrne, Miss Teresa McGrath, Miss Margaret Sincropl, Mrs. Jylla Burns, Mrs. Laura Brown, Mrs. Ruth Clone, Mrs. Leonita Colella, Mrs. Catherine Fredenburgh, Mrs. Frances Furlia, Mrs. Mary Murphy, Mrs. Mildred Hayes, Mrs. Margaret Malone, Mrs. Mary Midey, Mrs. Helen Neapass, Mrs. Agnes Seeley, Mrs. Dolores Sincropl, Mrs. Laura Simolo and Mrs. Leona Salotti.

Charities Get Bulk Of \$50,000 Will

Philadelphia—(NC). Catholic charities here will share the bulk of the \$50,000 estate of John C. McNally, former agent of the U. S. Internal Revenue Bureau, his will provides. He bequeathed \$1,000 each to the rectors of St. Bernard's Church, Drexel Hill, Pa., and St. Martin's Church here; \$1,000 each to Old St. Joseph's Church and the Church of the Gesu for Masses and \$500 each to the Little Sisters of the Poor and the Archdiocese of Philadelphia (the latter gift to be applied toward a home for aged priests).

Laymen To Hear How Boy Scouts Aid Our Boys

How the benefits of the Boy Scout movement can be made more available to Catholic boys in the Rochester area will be demonstrated at a meeting from 8 to 10 p. m. next Tuesday, Apr. 26, in Columbus Civic Centre ballroom.

His Excellency Bishop Kearney, anxious to have more laymen interested in the promotion of the Scout movement, has invited men in the area to attend the meeting, which will be featured by a 45-minute demonstration by Boy Scout Troop 246 of St. Monica's parish, under direction of Edward M. Lorscheider.

HUNDREDS of Catholic lads desiring to become Scouts cannot enroll because of the shortage of trained leadership, according to Richard J. Toole, chairman of the Rochester Scout's committee on personnel recruitment. It is the purpose of the demonstration to show the various phases of possible lay participation, but attendance at the meeting, he stressed, will incur no obligation.

A running commentary on what a Scout must do to earn tenderfoot, second and first class and Eagle Badge honors will accompany the Troop 246 demonstration, slated to begin at 8 p. m. sharp.

With Dr. J. Arnold Donovan, chairman of Otsego Council lay committee, presiding, brief comments are scheduled as follows: "The Bishop's Interest in the Need for Leadership," Louis A. Langlois, chairman, Diocesan Lay Committee on Scouting; "Philosophy of Boy Scouting," Joseph R. Klein, district executive; "Duties and Responsibilities of the Scoutmaster," Burdette R. Nash, scoutmaster, Troop 222 Holy Cross parish; "Duties and Responsibilities of the Troop Committee," Clarence W. Deckman, chairman, Otsego Council advancement committee; "The Time Is Now," Martin Q. Moll, chairman, Diocesan Scouting committee on public relations.

In 'The Heart Of Paddy Whack' Playing Auburn



Taking leading roles in the three-act comedy "The Heart of Paddy Whack," to be presented by Auburn's Holy Family High School Theatrical Society and Glee Club in the school Auditorium May 2 and 3 are: left row, front to rear: Richard Gower, Richard Delmonico, James McLane, Robert Wilson and Joseph Fitzpatrick; right row, Catherine Burns, Jean Cuddy, Betty Calliprone, Jean Ryan, Joan Kirk and John Mehan.

Cast Rehearses For Holy Family High School Play

Auburn—Cast of the Tripp Holy Family High School for presentation of "The Heart of Paddy Whack" is rehearsing faithfully for the play on Monday and Tuesday, May 2 and 3 in the school auditorium.

Principal roles will be handled by a double cast. The parts and players follow: "Michael," "Granny," Jean Hayes, Elizabeth Richard Bower, Richard Gower, Calliprone; "Bridget O'Reilly," Jos Wittner, Joan Kirk; "Margaret Flynn," Maura Cuddy; "Jean Ryan," "Mona," Jean O'Hara, Catherine Burns; "Bernie O'Malley," Joseph Britton, Richard Delmonico; "Squire Linning," Robert Wilson, George Burns; "Lawrence Linning," Richard Wallon, John Mehan; "Mr. O'Dowd," Edward Hickey; "Joseph Fitzpatrick," Mrs. O'Dowd; "John Cuddy," Joanne Myers; "Mr. McGinnis," John Lawler; "James McLane," Mrs. McGinnis; "Ann Cullen," Jeanie Cuddy.

Elmira Windstorm Causes Damage To 2 Churches

Severe damage to church property resulted from the windstorm which swept the Elmira area Friday morning of last week.

St. Patrick's Church, Elmira, was damaged to the extent of several thousands of dollars, all covered by insurance, according to the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Brien, V. F. pastor. A section of the slate roof 20 x 10 feet was ripped off by the storm. Several windows and rain pipes were badly damaged. Similar damage was done at the school and convent across the street.

From the south side of St. John the Baptist Church, Elmira, a 15 foot cornice turret, weighing more than a ton was toppled over.

To replace the fallen turret in its original form will cost between \$3,000 and \$4,000 according to the Rev. Theodore J. Winterhag pastor.

A similar turret on the church's north side was said by witnesses to have swung back and forth but did not fall.

Father Winterhag was to have the other turret examined to ascertain whether it was weakened during the storm and was in danger of collapsing.

Damage to his church was all covered by insurance. Father Winterhag said this week.

Palace-Hoffman Nuptials Held

Geneva—Miss Constance E. Palace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Palace of 177 Exchange St., was united in marriage to Michael A. Hoffman son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman of Schenectady, on Monday, April 18 at noon at St. Francis de Sales church. Ceremony was performed by the bride's cousin, Rev. John Moran, C.S.B., of Rochester.

Maid of honor was Miss Adelaide Omario of Geneva a cousin of the bride. Bridesmaids were Miss Patsy Salone, Miss Mary Wainse and Miss Lucille Patti.

Best man was Samuel Palace of Penn Yan. Ushers were Donald Dickson and Otto Heising of Delano, N. Y. and Clifford Faust of Syracuse.

Genevieve Palace, niece of the bride, was flower girl and Joseph Palace, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

A dinner and reception was held at club 86 for three hundred guests.

After a wedding trip to New York, Atlantic City and Pocomo Mountains, the couple will reside at 402 Hamilton St.

Soviet Zone Workers Quizzed on Religion

Berlin—(RS). Questions regarding religious affiliation were contained in a questionnaire distributed to employees by the Soviet-controlled German Railway Administration in the Russian zone.

The workers are asked to provide detailed information as to their religious and whether they intend to leave the church in the near future.

Bath Sets Concert May 1 By Nazareth Glee Club

Bath—Music-lovers and friends of Nazareth College alike are looking forward to the Spring Concert by the Nazareth College Glee Club at the Bath Municipal Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, May 1.

Hospital Guild Benefit Sale Set

Auburn—Mercy Hospital Guild will hold its annual sale of baked and fancy goods Saturday, April 23, in the Women's Union, South Street. Proceeds of the sale will be used to purchase linen and small equipment for the hospital.

An outstanding feature of the sale is a beautiful crocheted table cloth donated by the Franciscan Sisters, now on display at the Gertrude Herron Shop. Donations of cash, food or useful articles are needed.

Chairman of the sale is Mrs. Frank J. Maguire, with Mrs. John J. Foster as co-chairman. They will be assisted by Miss Isabel T. Goss, Mrs. F. K. Rich, Mrs. Edward T. Boyle, Mrs. John Bygrove, Mrs. J. Joseph Byrne, Mrs. Eugene Carpenter, Mrs. George Frank, Mrs. C. Gutierrez, Mrs. A. J. Horth, Mrs. Edward Heverlin, Mrs. William Kolwas, Mrs. F. Okoniewski, Mrs. M. O'Connor, Mrs. John Rickard, Mrs. Fred Risser, Mrs. A. Rossi, Mrs. F. H. Woods, Mrs. Charles Schneider, Mrs. George Snyder, Mrs. C. L. Henry, Miss Elizabeth Heffernan and Miss Teresa Hickey.

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Chairman of the Bath group, Mrs. Stanton S. Brown, Nazareth 38, of Bath, is chairman of the concert.

Bath committee members include Mrs. D. L. Gabrieli, co-chairman, Mrs. Thomas V. Meehan and Mrs. Thomas E. Sliney, finance; Mrs. Ernest P. Smith and Mrs. John I. Spreckelmyer, reception; Mrs. Gerald F. Stabel and Mrs. Bernard J. Fagan, tickets; Misses Mary Jean Smith and Germaine Dittaurer, ushers and decorations; Miss Joanne McDonnell and Mrs. Teresa Miller, programs; Mrs. Joseph J. Neylon and Joseph J. Ormsby, publicity.

In addition to the Bath group, Mrs. Brown has named the following out-of-town chairmen: Corning, Mrs. Robert Roche; Naples, Dr. Kathleen Lyon; Hammondsport, Mrs. Louis J. Natale; Wayland, Mrs. Joseph Zone; Cohocton, Mrs. P. C. Schumacher; Hornell, Miss Josephine Fitzgerald.

MacArthur Praises Book by Missioner

Maryknoll, N. Y.—(NC)—Declaring that a recent Catholic book, "New Dawn in Japan," would give him added strength for his tasks, Gen. Douglas MacArthur has sent a message to the book's author, the Rev. Everett F. Briggs, a Maryknoll missioner, from Boston, congratulating him on his understanding of present problems in Japan.

In his letter, the General stated: "Your understanding of the forces involved in the rehabilitation of Japan and your frank and fearless exposition of those forces to the American people will be a source of enlightenment to them and much added strength to me."

Father Briggs' book is both a personal account and a background summary of Christianity in Japan.

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Seneca Falls KC Slate Card Party

Seneca Falls—Seneca Falls Council Knights of Columbus will hold a card party next Friday evening, April 22 in the Clubrooms West Bayard Street.

All types of games will be played and prizes will be awarded to each table. Refreshments will be served. The public is invited.

Miss Ida Mae Gibb is general chairman. The committee composed of ladies connected with the following: Misses Mary E. Barby, Margaret Byrne, Marian Laner, Marie Murphy, Helen Reagan.

Also, Miss Thomas Byrnes, Faustino Calarico, Miss Patricia Watkins, Patricia Casper, Will Coffey, Mrs. Burtis Dunbar, Sr., Mrs. Nemo D'Aurelio, Mrs. Peter Doran, Mrs. Edith M. Mrs. Beatrice, Father M. S. Frederick, Ernest, Mrs. Anne Gignile, Mrs. Wm. Kelley, Mrs. Peter Luchesi, Mrs. Lillian McMillan, Mrs. Catherine M. Dermot, Mrs. John Miano, Mrs. Jerry Manzak, Mrs. Joseph Nicholson, Mrs. Olga Pohl, Mrs. James Plunkett, Mrs. Val Sandron, Mrs. Henry Sweeney, Mrs. Andrew Sipes, Mrs. D. S. Souhan, Mrs. M. M. Inauguration of the Shrine of the Sacred Heart.

Tickets may be obtained by any member of the committee and will be sold at the door the night of the party.

Church Fights Intensity

The Hague—(CP). The Catholic Church in Indonesia is engaged in a campaign to overcome the influence of the Communist Party in the islands.

German Religious Leaders Tour U. S.



Among the group of German religious leaders visiting the United States to study the country's religious institutions under the sponsorship and expense of the American Military Government are these Catholic priests, photographed as they visited the Apostolic Delegation in Washington. Left to right: Father Goldbrunner, Mr. Wilhelm Kurig; Father Staszewski; Archbishop Annetto G. Ciochan, Apostolic Delegate to the United States; Father Greve, editor of the Berlin diocesan paper; Msgr. Howard J. Carroll, General Secretary, National Catholic Welfare Conference, which arranged the itinerary for the Catholic group; Father Schuber, Father William McManus, N. C. W. C. Bureau of Education and Father Schribermayr. (N. C. Photos).

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Ithaca NCCW List Fr. Reddington, Ithaca The Rev. John A. Reddington, S.T.D., assistant pastor of St. Francis de Sales Church in Geneva will be guest speaker at the quarterly meeting of Ithaca District National Council of Catholic women, which will be held at 8:00 p. m. Wednesday, April 27 in Parish Hall. Reports will be received from all committee chairmen, and refreshments will be served.

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2 Girls Entertain In Guild Program Seneca Falls—The entertainment program presented at the April meeting of St. Patrick's Guild and Alta Society featured Gloria Dido and Eleanor Beattin Myrdre Academy seniors, who gave recitations which they had given previously at assemblies in the school during the year.

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