

Cornell Chaplain Urges DCCW To Share Religion

A plea for united religious opposition to Communism was made by Rev. Donald M. Cleary, Catholic chaplain at Cornell University.

Workshop Series Success Lauded By Auburn Ladies

Auburn — Mrs. Joseph P. Cuddy, Auburn Deans' President Diocesan Council of Catholic Women released on Monday the text of a letter which she had received in appreciation of the Auburn Deans' Workshop Series.

In addressing members of the Auburn Deans' National Council of Catholic Women at their annual dinner at Springside last night, Mrs. Cuddy said that the organization heard several commendations of the work being done in Auburn.

PLEADING FOR brotherhood between all the forces of religion in the community, Father Cleary said that one of the most serious designs of the Communists includes setting religion against religion in this country.

The Rev. Leo M. Manus, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church and moderator of the Auburn Deans' Council, spoke briefly and presented to the newly elected Rochester diocesan president, Mrs. George A. Snyder of Auburn, a gift from the Council on behalf of Court Auburn.

It is evident to us that much care and forethought was exercised in planning all details. It is unlikely that any of our metropolitan cities could have brought together a speakers' group with more to offer and who we received their inspiration from.

It is impossible to contact all who have attended the Workshop to give us a signature and for that reason we have the undersigned officers of local organizations sign on behalf of our members.

Mrs. Mary Cheney, Mrs. George M. Frank, Mrs. Eugene Carpenter, Mrs. Catherine Anton, Mrs. Rocco Malvaso, Mrs. Isabelle T. Goss, Mrs. Mary Dunn

At Testimonial For Auburn Pastor



Principal roles at the Testimonial dinner for the Rev. John Nacca, pastor of St. Francis of Assisi Church, Auburn, Sunday in Osborne Hotel were taken by above. Seated (from left) Mrs. Domenico Ciampaglia, chairman; Father Nacca; Rev. Anthony F. Callmeri, Rochester, male speaker; Rev. Joseph Beattini, assistant pastor; standing (from left) Larry Argiro, who extended the welcome; Rev. Gabriel Kearney, O.Carm., Auburn, who gave the invocation; Anthony J. Conigliua, toastmaster and Mrs. Antonina Nacca, Rochester, mother of Father Nacca.

Capuchins Greet War Memorial Plans Told First Students By Fr. Nacca At Dinner

Auburn — One of the largest attended dinners of the year in Auburn brought 515 persons together Sunday night, in the Osborne Hotel to honor the Rev. John Nacca, new pastor of St. Francis of Assisi church.

The testimonial affair was sponsored by three foremost organizations of the parish, Holy Name and Sacred Heart societies and Young Ladies Sodality.

While there is much work still to be done, Rev. Gabriel Beattini, O.F.M. Capuchin superior, said today it would probably be completed by Christmas.

Members of the teaching staff include Father Gabriel Beattini, Rev. Victor Petrantonio of New York, Rev. William Radzarski of West Stockbridge, Mass., Rev. Timothy Chiappetta of New York and Rev. Augustine Domin, of Passaic, N.J.

Mrs. A.L. Sipos heads K. of C. Auxiliary

Seneca Falls — A special meeting of the newly formed Ladies Auxiliary of Seneca Falls Council No. 222 Knights of Columbus was held last Friday evening in the Council rooms.

Officers for the coming year were installed as follows: president Mrs. Andrew L. Sipos, vice president Mrs. James Carnavale, corresponding secretary Mrs. William Buncer, treasurer Mrs. Alice Sandroni, recording secretary Mrs. Alfred Farney, trustees Mrs. Thomas McGuire, Mrs. Henry Simolo, Mrs. James Fay and Mrs. Leo Brown, chairman of activities, Mrs. Donald Hayes, and chairman of publicity, Mrs. James Fay.

This auxiliary is composed of wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of third degree Council members in good standing and has been assembled to assist the Council as well as for social and charitable purposes.

The next meeting will be held on Dec. 14, in the Council Rooms on West Bayard St. and will be followed by a Christmas party under the supervision of Mrs. Beatrice Farrell and her committee.

Irish Arsenity Dublin — (RNS) — To indicate its complete harmony with the spirit of the Holy Year of 1950, the Irish Government has announced that persons in jail on Dec. 24 will have their sentences cut by one to six months.

First Oblate Convent Youngstown, Ohio — (NC) — First American convent of the Oblates of the Sacred Heart of Jesus was blessed and canonically erected at McDonald, O. by Bishop James A. McFadden.

FBI Agent To Address First Friday Club

Auburn — Frater Roth, special agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, stationed in Lockland Rd., arrived last week-end from Beacon-on-Hudson school.

The boys were transferred from Frater's seminary in Beacon.

Considerable preparation has been made for the reception of the initial group of students. Remodeling has been done within the villa itself and two lateral wings have been erected on either side to a height of three stories.

PTA Is Organized At St. Hyacinth

Auburn The newly organized Parent Teacher Association of St. Hyacinth School met Nov. 11 in St. Hyacinth's Parish Hall for an enthusiastic meeting and program.

Mrs. M. Lewicki, temporary chairman, opened the business meeting and conducted the election of officers, resulting as follows: President, Mrs. Walter Plus, vice president Mrs. Joseph Shambo, secretary Mrs. Edward Wojnar, treasurer Mrs. John Orsian.

Mrs. M. Lewicki introduced Malcolm Reed, secretary of the Board of Education who showed an interesting film, "Education in the Public Schools of Auburn, N. Y." An explanation of some of the highlights of the picture followed.

The new president brought out some interesting points and problems for discussion and Sister Flaviana explained some of the problems concerning school routine, etc. Mrs. Plus then named the following committee chairmen: Membership, Mrs. Anthony Kuter; program, Mrs. Gabriel Kochman; publicity, Mrs. John Lorenc.

Refreshments were served from a table elaborately decorated in the Thanksgiving motif by the following hostesses: Mrs. Anthony Kuter, Mrs. Walter Kuter, Mrs. John Fronczek, Mrs. Joseph Shambo, Mrs. Frank Rybarz and Mrs. John Orsian.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday evening, Dec. 8.

Mrs. Perkins Heads CWV 624 Auxiliary

Auburn — A ceremony was conducted Nov. 15, in the rooms of the Auburn Catholic War Veterans Post 625, when the post auxiliary officers were installed.

Heading the auxiliary is Mrs. John N. Perkins.

Other officers are: Mrs. Thomas H. Clifford, treasurer; Mrs. Richard J. Delaney, secretary; Mrs. Henry J. Barrett, first vice-president; Mrs. John K. Howland, welfare officer; Mrs. William C. Hutchins, trustee; Mrs. Leo A. Pinckney, historian; Mrs. John H. Jenner.

Bishop To Dedicate Seminary For Friars Of The Atonement

Montour Falls — The Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester will dedicate St. John's Atonement Seminary here on Tuesday, Nov. 22. In charge of the Friars of the Atonement from Graymoot, the seminary building was formerly Cook Academy.

Bishop Kearney will celebrate Solemn Pontifical Mass at 10 a.m. and will preach the dedicatory sermon.

ASSISTING IN THE Mass will be the Assistant Priest, the Very Rev. Thomas Condon, S.A.; Deacon, the Very Rev. Alexander Beaton, S.A.; Subdeacon, the Very Rev. Gregory Figuero, S.A.; Master of Ceremonies, the Rev. Wilfrid Brennan, S.A.

(New Guardian Named—Page 7) Dracons of Honor to the Bishop will be the Rev. Joseph E. Guilfoil, pastor of St. Vincent's Church, Corning and the Rev. John A. Smith, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Corning.

Other officers of the Mass will be the Cross Bearer, Brother Joachim, S.A.; Thurifer, Frater Cletus, S.A.; Acolytes, Frater Alcquin, S.A. and Frater Mathew, S.A. Minor offices will be filled by St. John's Atonement Seminary students.

Choir director will be Frater Regis, S.A. and organist, Frater Adrian Carroll, S.A.

REPRESENTATIVES from all Graymoot houses will attend arriving with the Very Rev. Angelus Delahunt, S.A., superior general, on Monday, Nov. 20. Other Bishops and other clergy interested in the Society are expected.

A luncheon for visiting clergy and guests numbering 500 will follow the dedication and Mass in the school gymnasium with Mark Twain Hotel, Elmira, catering service directed by Manager W. C. Emerson.

COST OF REMODELING the buildings purchased by the Society of the Atonement, Oct. 27, 1948 is estimated at \$500,000. A chapel, gymnasium and classrooms are included in the transformation.

St. John's will not open for school until the second semester, Wednesday, Jan. 4, 1950. A total of 54 students from first year high school to second year col-



REV. ANGELUS DELAHUNT will come to Montour Falls from the Franciscan Seminary at Graymoot, Garrison, N. Y. and 11 faculty members for the opening of school.

The Cook Academy buildings were erected at Peoples College in 1884 by the late Charles Cook, builder of the Chequamegon Canal. The Friars of the Atonement



REV. DAVID KEENAN bought the property for \$25,000. Since the purchase the major work of restoration has been in progress under the direction of the Rev. David Keenan, S.A., Superior Guardian and now President of the Society of the Atonement.

Geneva Fire Chief Begins 36th Year In City Work

Geneva — This month, Louis L. McGuigan begins his 36th year of employment by the City of Geneva. Now fire chief, Mr. McGuigan started work with the city in November, 1914, in the water department.

On Jan. 1, 1926, Mr. McGuigan was made chief of the city fire department. A job he has held ever since. He has been a volunteer member of the Neale Hose Co., since he was 16.

"It is far better to prevent a fire" he declared, "than to show great skill in checking one."

Instructions to school children, constant checks on homes and places where rubbish is known to be heaped; careful inspection of public buildings and examination of wiring, all find a part in Chief McGuigan's fire prevention creed.

The state sponsored volunteer firemen's training course, which stresses mutual aid among communities as well as instruction in the most modern methods of fire fighting, is now in its second year. Chief McGuigan helped to

Open House In Postponed

Montour Falls — Because of inclement weather in the past few days, the Open House at St. John's Atonement Seminary has not been completed and is postponed for Saturday, Nov. 27. It has been postponed because of the weather.

The visit for the public will be managed within the next few weeks according to the Rev. David Keenan, S.A., who has been in charge of the event.

Waterloo CDA Plans Meeting Nov. 28th

Waterloo — A social meeting will be held by the Waterloo Catholic Daughters of America here on Monday evening, Nov. 28, at 8 p.m. according to Grand reports of St. Stephen's church Regent Helen Coetzee.

The Court meeting Nov. 11 meeting Wednesday at the home and voted donations to cover several requests from various sources.

Munch Celebrates Berlin — RNS — A Pontifical High Mass, the first one held in Munich in 12 years, marked the reopening of the war-damaged Frauenkirche in that city. Celebrations of the Mass were held in the Frauenkirche by Archbishop of Munich, Archbishop of Munich.

Forty Hours

Devotions of the Forty Hours are scheduled in the following churches of the Rochester Diocese: Sunday, Nov. 27 — Sacred Heart Pro-Cathedral, St. John the Evangelist, St. Mary, St. Patrick, Rochester; St. Mary, Auburn; SS. Peter and Paul, Elmira. Friday, Dec. 2 — SS. Peter and Paul, Rochester.

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