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West Point Visit Slated For 2 Elmira Scout Troops

Boy Scouts of two Elmira parishes will have the thrill of a lifetime this weekend when they will attend the Region 2 Scouting affair at West Point.

A group of 20 Scouts from St. Mary's parish, headed by Father John S. Whalen, will leave by car on Friday afternoon and on Saturday will have an opportunity of witnessing the famous dress parade put on by the Cadets. In the afternoon they will be guests of the Cadets at the annual Army-Citadel game.

THE SCOUTS WILL journey to New York City on Sunday and attend the annual Memorial Mass sponsored by the Catholic War Veterans. The Mass will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Cathedral. Assisting Father Whalen on the trip will be Paul Flynn, Scoutmaster; Frank Frawley and Frank Robbins.



Parish, Pastor Mark 50 Years

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THE PROGRAM listed Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Ford as honorary chairmen. Mr. Ford was one of the original ushers in the first church. Invocation was by Father Manley, general chairman on arrangements and assistant pastor of the Jubilee church. Toastmaster was John T. Hunsley, one of the altar boys at the cornerstone laying ceremony in 1901 and a member of the first graduating class.

"Memories" were told by Thomas P. McCarrick, legal counselor for the parish since its founding. "In Retrospect" was the topic for the Rt. Rev. Magr. William E. Cowen, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Auburn, and for 20 years associated with the parish. Monsignor Connors was listed for a response and benediction was by the Rev. Francis J. Fogarty, assistant pastor.

4th Degree Honors Monsignor Conway



EXEMPLIFICATION of the Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree on a class of 75 candidates Sunday in Holy Family Auditorium, Auburn, honored Monsignor John A. Conway, dean of the Auburn deanery. Monsignor Conway, second from left, is greeted by Basil J. Vaillancourt, Elmira, Master of the Fifth District in charge of the ceremonial while Frederick J. Welch, Auburn Assembly faithful navigator (left) and William E. Burke, Utica, supreme director and speaker at a banquet in Osborne Hotel, looks on.

Elmira Catholic Highlights

By ALICE BANNON The term 1951-52 of Elmira Catholic High School is well on its way. We are now accustomed to the regularity of the school session and everyone seems in high spirits despite the fast-approaching quarterlies. Last Wednesday afternoon the entire student body was entertained by the class of '54 Thomas Rogan was master of ceremonies conducting the Sophomores into their hall of fame. Louis Saxe, with his vocal rendition pleased the audience. "At the Corner Drugstore," a short comedy, starred Paul Giometre Dick McGill and Edward Godwin, with the assistance of the class. The program for the day included tap dances, piano solos and ballet solo act.

THE BUSINESS staff of the Echoonian sponsored a "Hail to the Hop" Wednesday evening Oct. 31. Prizes were awarded to John Watts, Dot Woldzek, Marylin Meany and Mary Ann Cloke for the most unusual and interesting costumes. The class officers for this year have been elected by these respective classes. The senior class officers elected were James Far-

Frank J. Thompson Of Stanley, Buried

Stanley - Frank J. Thompson, 81, retired railroad foreman and oldest parishioner of St. Theresa's parish died suddenly Saturday (Oct. 13, 1951). Mr. Thompson, and his wife celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in April of this year. Mr. Thompson, a former trustee of St. Theresa's had retained the same pew in this church for more than 55 years.

Mr. Thompson is survived by his wife Mary, three sons, Arthur and Joseph of Stanley, a daughter, Mrs. George of Canandaigua, two daughters, Mrs. Rita Weil of Stanley and Mrs. Ellen Clapper of Rochester. A solemn High Funeral Mass was sung at St. Theresa's Church Oct. 14 by Rev. Leo F. Hastings, celebrant assisted by Rev. Edward K. Ball, dean. Rev. William Avres, subdeacon. Burial was in St. Theresa's Cemetery.

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CORNING WEDDING

Leavy - Rhodes The marriage of Miss Mary Catherine Leavy daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Leavy, 22 W. Fifth St., and John M. Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rhodes of Big Flats, took place Saturday, Nov. 3, in St. Mary's Church. The Rev. Joseph McCarthy of Waverly, former assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, performed the ceremony.

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Mary Kathleen Rhodes, sister of the bride groom. Bridesmaids were the Misses Helene Gehl and Mary Carr. Charles M. Miller of Big Flats was best man and ushers were Samuel A. Winter of Big Flats and Robert J. Leavy Jr., brother of the bride.

A reception for 150 guests was held at Corning County Club following the ceremony. Later Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes left by motor for two weeks in Florida. The bride, a graduate of St. Mary's School and Corning Free Academy, attended Edinboro Junior College. Mr. Rhodes, also an Academy graduate, attended Cornell University. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes will live at Big Flats where he is engaged in farming.

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Cardinal Mooney's 25 Years In Episcopate To Be Observed

Solemn dedication of Detroit's Cathedral church of the Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, Nov. 17 will also mark the 25th anniversary in the Episcopate of His Eminence Edward Cardinal Mooney who was fourth Bishop of the Diocese of Rochester.

In observance of the anniversary, His Excellency Bishop Kearney will attend the dedicatory ceremonies in Detroit. A delegation to include the Rt. Rev. Magr. William M. Hart, P.A.V.G., the Rt. Rev. Lawrence B. Casey who was Archbishop Mooney's secretary when Bishop of Rochester, the Very Rev. James C. McAniff and Rev. Dr. John E. Maney, Bishop Kearney's secretary is planned for the Detroit observance.

Cardinal Mooney will preside at a Solemn Mass of Thanks giving that will climax the rites of consecration. To mark the Cardinal's silver jubilee, the priest and approximately one million lay Catholics of the archdiocese will present him with a great spiritual banquet. CONSECRATION of the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament will take place some four decades after the consecration of the structure was and the majestic design, composed of twin towers rising to the height of 15 feet was completed in 1875. Many things have happened since the laying of the cornerstone of the cathedral. There is a great realization of the past.

In 1928, after a long and arduous search, the late Archbishop of Detroit Cardinal Mooney designated Blessed Sacrament Church as the Cathedral and promised to complete the structure in a manner fitting to the rank. Several years ago the cathedral was commissioned architecturally to be a masterpiece of art and architecture. The hope is that the cathedral will be a masterpiece of art and architecture.

THE ARCHBISHOP was installed as Bishop of the diocese by His Eminence Cardinal Patrick Cardinal Hayes of New York in 1926. He served as Bishop of the diocese for more than three and a half years. Archbishop Mooney was named to head newly created Archbishop of Detroit in 1937.

His appointment as Apostolic Delegate to Detroit to which he was named in Feb. 25, 1931, the present Cardinal Archbishop of Detroit was Apostolic Delegate

Christianity Core Defined To Hornell Saturday Club

Hornell The core of Christianity is love, the Rev. John T. Callahan of Rochester told 100 women at a "First Saturday" luncheon in the Hotel Sherwood. Father Callahan was the speaker at the luncheon of the Catholic Women's Guild of Hornell. The luncheon was sponsored by the Catholic Women's Guild of Hornell. The speaker at the luncheon was the Rev. John T. Callahan of Rochester. The luncheon was held in the Hotel Sherwood.

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