

## 2 Elmira Priests Slate First Solemn Masses

Two newly ordained priests, native Elmiraans will celebrate their first Solemn High Masses in their respective Elmira parishes on Sunday, June 28 at 11 a.m.

### Navy Representative In Elmira To Take Typist Applications

Stenographers and typists are needed to work in Navy headquarters offices in Washington, D. C. Miss Patricia Monahan, a civilian Navy representative, is at the Navy Recruiting Station, Room 324, Post Office Building, in Elmira, to interview and test applicants.

Chief Petty Officer Frederick Dion, in charge of the local recruiting station, announced that Miss Monahan will be in Elmira for a limited time and will interview from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday and on Saturdays and evenings by appointment.

**REQUIREMENTS** include a typing speed of forty words a minute and stenographers must be able to take dictation at eighty words per minute. Appointees may report for work in Washington within one month. Applicants must be citizens of the United States and at least 18 years of age, although June graduates who will have reached their 18th birthday by August 1 may make application at this time.

Salaries begin at \$246 per month or \$2,950 a year. Appointees earn paid vacations of 13 days per year, in addition to sick leave and an automatic salary increase annually.

Navy will reserve a room for the first seven days in Washington and assists appointees in securing their permanent residence. There are non-profit government operated cafeterias in all Navy buildings where three meals a day may be purchased at cost. Many additional employee services are available as well as opportunities for advancement and training on the job for those who qualify.

Applicants interested in obtaining information regarding these positions may contact Miss Monahan during interviewing hours in person, or make special appointments by calling 21144.

### Mrs. Byrne Heads St. Alphonsus Club

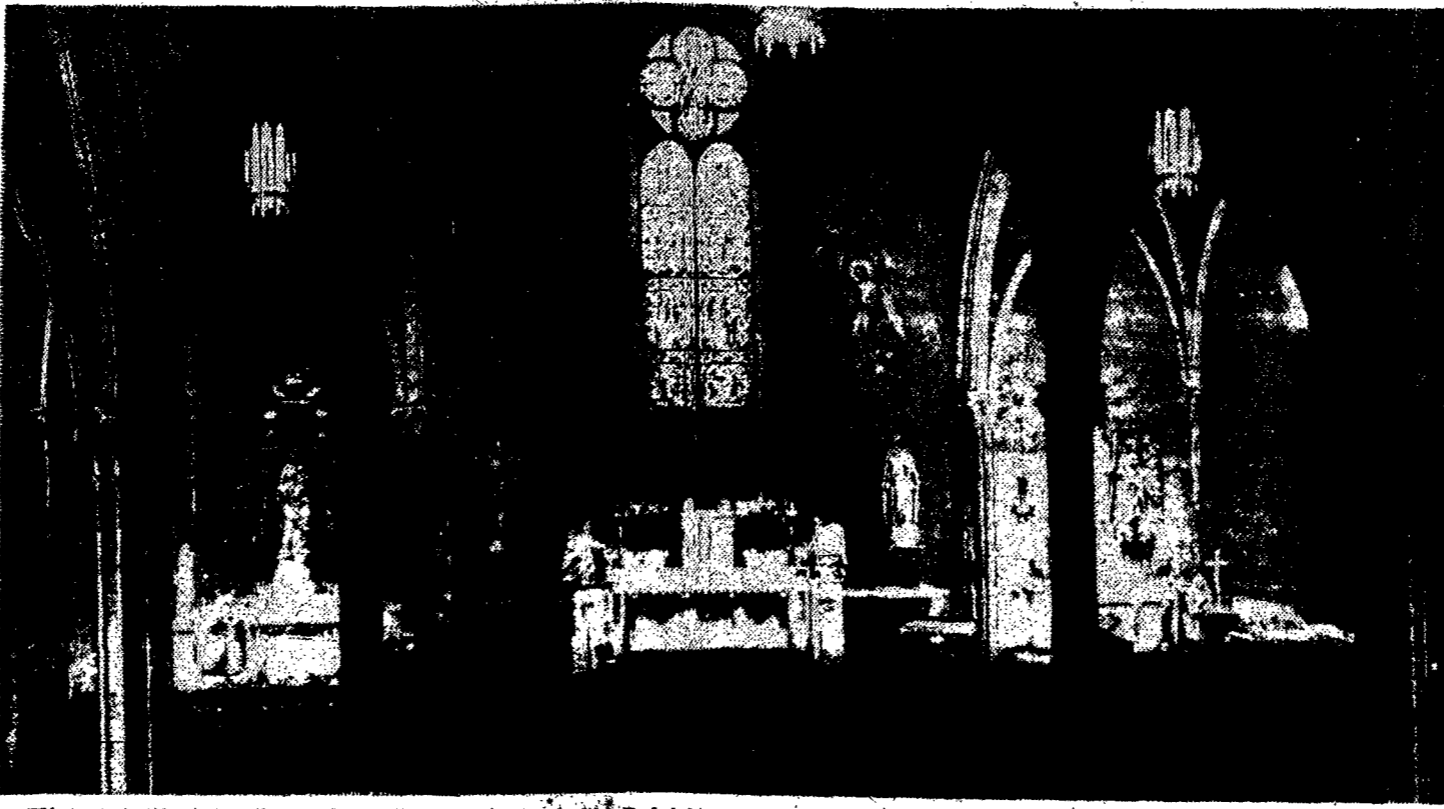
Amburn — When the Mothers' Club of St. Alphonsus Church gathered at Hoopes Park for its June meeting, the newly elected president, Mrs. William Byrne was in the chair. Routine business was transacted with committee reports given by Mr. Earl G. Sidellet and Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan.

Mrs. Julia Keough was in charge of the evening's entertainment. After an hour of games a box luncheon was enjoyed by the group.

### Cardinal Gibbons Biography Slated

Milwaukee — (NC) — A two-volume definitive "Life of James Cardinal Gibbons," is to be published this fall. The author is the Rev. Dr. John Tracy Ellis, historian of the Catholic University of America. The work heads the fall list of the Bruce Publishing Company, here, it has been announced.

## Interior of St. Patrick's Church Transformed



**FOCAL POINT** in the redecorating project of St. Patrick's Church, Elmira, is the Angelic Choir over the main altar. The groups of angels flank the high Gothic window, which has been tied in with the altar by a painted panel which is dominated by a greenish-blue background. Above picture shows entire sanctuary with side altars in a transformation which has made St. Patrick's one of the most beautiful church edifices in the Southern Tier.

### New KC Grand Knight Active in Corning

Corning — Norman C. Murray, the newly elected grand knight of Corning Council, Knights of Columbus is general agent for the New York Central R.R. here. A member of St. Patrick's Parish, he is married and has one son, John Richard, who attends Corning Free Academy. He is a member of Corning Chamber of Commerce, Corning Rotary Club, director of Corning Chapter American Red Cross, executive board member of Steuben Area Council, Boy Scouts of America and a member of John P. Eaton Post and 408 Viator Locals No. 95, American Legion.

He is a former member of Rochester Council, K. of C. Mrs. Murray was former president of the Ladies of Columbus and is now a trustee. She is president of Stella Maris Society of St. Patrick's Church and secretary of Corning Deanery of Catholic Women.

### Michael Kissane's Rites Conducted

Corning — Michael H. Kissane, about 73, died Friday, June 13, 1952 at Corning Hospital. He was born at Bellona, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kissane and had been a resident of Corning since 1910. He was a member of St. Mary's Church. Survivors include a sister, Miss Mary Kissane of Dundane and a brother, Jerry Kissane of Syracuse. Funeral services were held Monday at 8:30 a.m. from the A. W. Bellby and Son Funeral Home and at 9 o'clock in St. Mary's Church. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Penn Yan.

### Scholarship Fund Dance Set By Nurses

St. Mary's Hospital Nurses Alumnae Association is holding a semi-formal dance for the benefit of the Nursing Scholarship Fund Friday, June 27, at the Monroe Golf Club. Carl Dengler will play for dancing from 9:30 p. m. to 1:30 a. m. The committee includes Mrs. Peter Donato, chairman; Ruth Mondell, co-chairman; Mary Carcell, tickets. Assisting are Barbara Cooney, Mary McMahon, Margaret O'Neill, Mrs. James Neary, Betty Conway and Mary Crowley.

### Redecorating Of St. Patrick's Hailed In Elmira

Completion of the redecorating project of St. Patrick's Church, Elmira, has resulted in many commendations for the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Bryan, V. F. pastor, under whose direction the transformation took place. The complete redecorating job includes new stained glass windows, kneelers and refinished matching woodwork throughout. The Stations of the Cross have been cut down and remodeled. Over the side altars are panels depicting scenes in the life of the Blessed Virgin and the Holy Family.

**EXCEPT FOR** the paintings above and behind the altars, the decorating is plain, its beauty being derived from the unusual use of color on the ceilings. The walls are painted a medium, warm gray, undecorated except for the simple stations with lettering beneath. The low vaulted ceiling over the side aisles and the side altars are a mottled blue with an overlay of gold fleur de lis. The high ceiling is the color, lightened with an ivory overall pattern.

The decorating was done by the Hamburg Decorating Co. of New York City. Adolph Rauner executed the paintings and also was in charge of the other painting work and refitting of the woodwork. Edmund Golding of New York City made several trips here to supervise the work. The stained glass windows, replaced throughout, were designed and executed by J. Terrance O'Duggan of Boston. New kneelers were installed by John M. Guthrie of Elmira.

**Chaplain Killed** — Great Falls, Mont. — (NC) — Solemn Requiem Mass was offered in the chapel at the Air Force base here for the Rev. (Capt.) James K. Hargrove, 37, who was killed (May 31) in an auto accident. The New York archdiocesan priest, a World War II veteran, was recalled to active duty by the Air Force early this year.

### 78 Graduates Of Corning Schools Receive Diplomas

Corning — Graduation exercises for the three local parochial schools took place during the past weekend with St. Mary's and St. Vincent de Paul's on Friday evening in the respective churches and St. Patrick's on Sunday night.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles J. Mahoney, a former graduate of St. Mary's School, was guest speaker at St. Mary's and presented the diplomas to the 26 graduates who were introduced by the Rev. Alfred J. Horr, assistant pastor.

**THE AWARD** for the highest scholarship average was won by Miss Katherine Mandak. Miss Michaelina Bradasco received the Christian Doctrine award. Diplomas were presented to 28 graduates at St. Vincent de Paul's by the Rev. Joseph V. Guilfoill, pastor. Half of the class attained averages of 90 percent or higher with Miss Anita Frost, whose state regents average was 96.25, as valedictorian. Charles Culp with an average of 95.75 was salutatorian. Charles Warnek won the Christian Doctrine award.

On Sunday evening at St. Patrick's the 24 graduates were introduced by the Rev. Joseph D. Donovan. The Rev. William Cannon, pastor presented the diploma and gave the address of the evening.

**SERVING AS** valedictorian of the class was Perry Bradley. Two girls, the Misses Jane O'Brian and Patricia Weppel, tied for scholastic honors among the girls. The Christian Doctrine prize was awarded to Michael Reardon and the altar boy award went to Andrew Bonay. Other awards were: English, Miss Margaret Poir; Citizenship education, William O'Hara; Mathematics, Francis Bierwiler; Science, Mary Jean Carlineo.

### St. Ann Graduate Earns 4 Honors At Hornell High

Hornell — Thomas Deegan, salutatorian of Hornell High School's graduating class and a parishioner of St. Ann's, was awarded the Hornell High School Alumni Association scholarship at commencement exercises.

In addition he received a part-time scholarship from Manhattan College, where he plans to study electrical engineering in the fall.

**AT COMMENCEMENT** exercises, Thomas was also honored with the Bausch and Lomb award, which is given to the student maintaining the highest average in science and the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Key for outstanding work in mathematics.

He was graduated from St. Ann's School in the ninth grade in 1949. In high school he was a member of the National Honor Society, Audio-Visual Education Club and Radio Club. He served as assistant junior scoutmaster and instructed in code at Civil Defense classes in the High School.

For the past two years he has worked after school and during vacations at the J. C. Penny Co. Radio is his hobby, and he owns and operates an amateur set.

**Chinese Cardinal** Techny, Ill. — (NC) — His Eminence Thomas Cardinal Tien, S.V.D., Archbishop of Peking and now an exile from his communist-ruled homeland, will preside at a departure ceremony in Holy Ghost Chapel here June 22 when 10' Divine Word priests will receive mission assignments and crosses.

## Vacation Schools Set In 28 Parishes Says Fr. Schnacky

Twenty-eight Religious Vacations Schools will be conducted in the Diocese of Rochester under the auspices of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine according to the Rev. Albert H. Schnacky, diocesan director.

Prospects are bright for these summer classes which are primarily conducted to instruct Catholic children attending public schools in the fundamentals of their faith.

**BECAUSE OF** the growing number of children, the attendance at the schools, most of which will open on Monday, July 7, is expected to exceed last year. The classes are conducted in parish halls and also out-of-doors where at all practical, Father Schnacky said.

Coloring projects and some craft work are carried on in the classes and the schools are open in the mornings.

Members of various religious communities furnish most of the teachers including the Sisters of St. Joseph, Sisters of Mercy and Trinitarian Sisters. The Daughters of St. Vincent de Paul, (Charity Sisters) carry on the work in Churchville, in the Mission Helpers of the Sacred Heart, primarily a catechetical order, will conduct the classes.

Concluding the program will be parties or picnics and in most instances, group Communions. In Rochester religious vacation schools will be conducted at Church of the Annunciation, St. Lucy's and St. Patrick's parishes.

Outside the See City, the summer schools will be carried on at St. John's, Greece, Caledonia and Mumford; Marlon, Henrietta and Rush, Newark, Elmira Heights, Moravia and Owego, Hilton; Honeoye Falls and Mendon; Trumansburg and Interlaken, Clifton Springs.

Sodus and Wolcott, Stanley and Rushville, Red Creek, Scottsville, Churchville and Chili, Lyden, Ithaca (see Page 5), Dryden and McLean, Sampson Naval Air Base, Cayuga, Shortsville, East Rochester, Dundee and Watkins Glen.

### Lourdians List Picnic On Sunday

The Lourdians will sponsor an outing for all Club members and their friends at Big Pond on Sunday, June 29. The program will include picnic, swimming, baseball games. Dance will be held in the evening.

Free transportation has been arranged for all who will meet at the Langdon Plaza at 12:30 p.m. Sunday.

Mike Haddad is general chairman assisted by these committee heads: Joseph Wianiewski and Joseph Leach; tickets: Dorothy Flett and Seneca Haddad; refreshments; Al Lynch, arrangements.

### Newswriting Course Set At St. Bona U.

St. Bonaventure, N. Y. — Two courses requiring no previous sites, one in radio news writing, the other in general news writing and reporting, will be offered by St. Bonaventure University's Department of Journalism during the summer session starting July 2.

Both courses cover the principles as well as the practical aspects of the field. In addition to classroom instruction, students will be afforded opportunities to observe professional practice by visits to nearby newspaper offices and radio stations.

Courses are open to all interested in acquiring a basic skill in writing for radio, newspapers, and magazines, and in advertising, public relations, and other fields. Teachers in secondary education who teach or plan to teach journalism are also eligible to register.

Registration for the summer session is scheduled for Tuesday, July 1, in Butler Memorial gym. Hours are from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

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