



COLLEGE LIFE IN FULL SWING is shown in these familiar scenes taken at St. John Fisher. Photo (top left) shows student at work in laboratory. Modern elevator (top center) caters students to classes. The college Chess Club (top right) becomes an established student interest. Student appetites are satisfied in the college's cafeteria (left center). Most popular with Fisher-men is the Student Lounge (lower left). Classroom picture (lower right) shows the Class of '55 too busy with their books to look at the cameraman.

Beautiful Campus Site Farm 50 Years Ago

Fifty years ago the site of St. John Fisher College was a thriving asparagus farm. Mr. Jennings, owner at that time, we are told, supplied all the asparagus needed by all the homes of Rochester.

When he sold the farm, the new owner gave up farming and introduced black locust trees, allowing nature to take its course.

The result in the ensuing years was natural, the farm quickly became over run with these trees. At first considered ornamental because of their profuse blooming in the month of June, the black locusts were also supposed to produce excellent fence posts.

But in time they became bugged and cumbersome, because of their thorny nature and unpalatable areas, they are not considered to be suitable trees for a college campus.

Accordingly, all of them had to be removed by bulldozer or otherwise from the site of the new college. Many younger ones still remain in the eastern part of the college property, and against these a relentless war of extermination is being waged, the only one with a great plan. The college also has its five year plan:

East Avenue, Fairport Road Landmark



WELCOME GUIDEPOST to travelers and visitors is this attractive sign inviting them to enter the Campus of St. John Fisher College.

St. John Fisher College Blessing and Dedication Ceremonies

Sunday, October 12, 1952
3:30 P.M.

- Carillons..... Francis John Filecki
Color Guard of the New York Naval Militia
Processional:
Tollite Hosias..... St. Bernard's Seminary Choir
Blessing of the Building..... His Excellency The Most Reverend James E. Keane, D.D., Bishop of Rochester
Veni Creator..... St. Bernard's Seminary Choir
Confirma Hoc..... St. Bernard's Seminary Choir
Dedication Ceremonies:
National Anthem..... St. Bernard's Seminary Choir
Speakers:
Chairman..... Joseph J. Myler
Vice-Chairman..... Otto A. Shults
Dedication Address..... Very Rev. John Francis Murphy, C.S.B., Ph.D.
President, St. John Fisher College
Greetings:
For the Community..... Frederick M. Tobin
Board of Advisory Regents
For the Congregation of St. Basil
Very Rev. Edmund J. McCortell, C.S.B.
Superior General
For the Diocese of Rochester..... His Excellency, The Most Reverend Bishop of Rochester
Hyman to St. John Fisher..... St. Bernard's Seminary Choir
Public Inspection of the Building

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO ST. JOHN FISHER COLLEGE

On The Occasion of Their FORMAL DEDICATION SUNDAY, OCT. 12, 1952



God Bless St. John Fisher College

Niagara University (Vincentian Fathers)

- College of Arts and Sciences
- College of Business Administration
- College of Nursing
- Pre-Professional Courses
- Pre-Engineering Courses
- School of Education
- Graduate School
- Seminary
- Reserve Officers Training Corps

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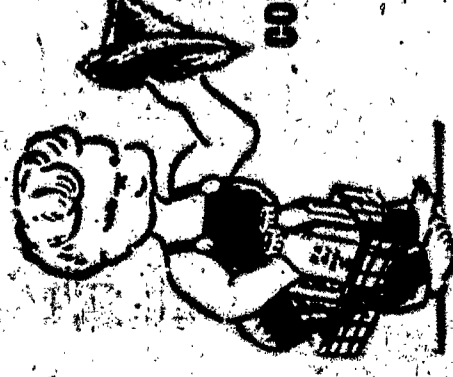
WE RECOGNIZE that all of America's educators are working day and night to achieve a high citizenship in their own country's future in a dignified world. May your graduates, in the years to come, reflect great credit on ST. JOHN FISHER COLLEGE by their efforts in their behalf.



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Blue Boy DAIRY

EXTENDS GREETINGS and CONGRATULATIONS ON THIS THE DEDICATION OF



ST. JOHN FISHER COLLEGE