

Fourth Degree Assembly, Knights of Columbus Civic Centre, Thursday of this week.

Bishop Tells Nuns Example Is Vocation Inspiration

His Excellency Bishop Kearney at the close of a Solemn Pontifical Mass marking St. Joseph's Day, March 19 in Nazareth Motherhouse, Pittsford said that a young person is drawn to a religious order because of the personification in some individual Sister of the ideals of that Order.

"So we ask God in His gracious Providence, through the intercession of St. Joseph, that because of your example and your courage and your inspiration, we will always have available the Sisters to carry out the magnificent tradition of almost a century which is the story of the Sisters of St. Joseph in this diocese," His Excellency said.

The Bishop noted that "we all love the recurring feast of St. Joseph not only as an opportunity to renew our devotion to the Foster Father of our Divine Lord but on this particular occasion to join with you in your prayers of thanksgiving to the patron saint of this Community for the many blessings that have come to your Order during the past year."

THE MASS IN honor of St.

CENTER FOR SERVICEMEN



RECREATION CENTER planned in Geneva Civic Center is planned here by Arthur J. Cowan, USO activities chairman in Geneva and John Ryan, newly appointed USO director. Cost is estimated at approximately \$30,000. (P.R. Oakley Photo)

Renovation Set For Geneva USO

Geneva — Renovation of the Civic Center basement for use as an enlarged Geneva USO quarters will follow the letting of bids, it was announced here.

According to John Ryan, Geneva USO director, specifications for the work are expected to be made available by the end of March. The firm of Crenshaw and Sargent, Syracuse and Watertown architects, have contracted for the job.

DIRECTOR RYAN expressed the hope that remodeling will begin around May 1. Contractors will be asked to make their bids by April 20.

Interior and exterior remodeling will include plumbing, electrical and some brick and carpentry work. General contractors interested in offering bids may contact the local USO office soon.

Overall cost of remodeling and furnishing the new USO quarters has been estimated at \$30,000. Contracts let will not exceed \$15,000. Furnishings have been figured as half the estimated cost.

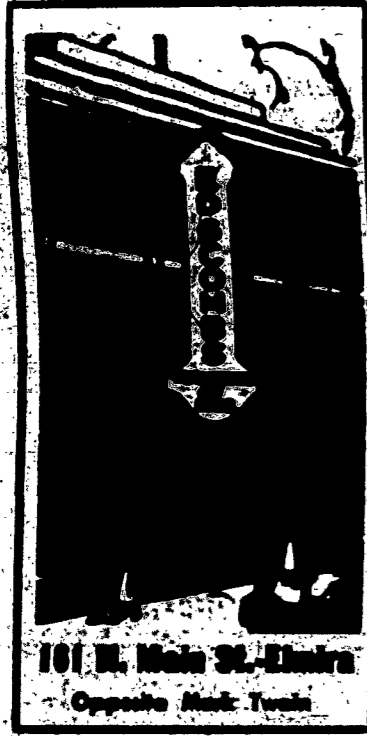
EASTER SPECIALS!

COLORING CAKE EGGS IN BASKETS SMALL AND LARGE LAMBS CHOCOLATE RABBITS EASTER EGG BREAD Easter Bread — Egg or Raisin WEDDING AND BIRTHDAY CAKES OUR SPECIALTY



23222

Gerould's Pharmacy Delivery Service PRESCRIPTIONS CALLED FOR and DELIVERED Gerould's Dial PHARMACY 6946



101 N. Main St. - Elmira

Another BOND Extra! TROUSER SUITS \$55.75 BOND TOPCOATS \$35.75 BOND BAGS \$5.99 up

Gifts OF DISTINCTION

SHOP

Educator Sentenced To Hard Labor

Hong Kong — (NC) — The former director of St. Francis Xavier's College in Shanghai, Brother Alexander Pal Yu, Chinese Marxist, has been sentenced to ten years at hard labor, it was learned here.

Another Alexander Pal's sentence brings to a close another chapter in the Red drive to suppress Catholic education in Shanghai. As head of St. Francis Xavier college, the Brother was one of three strong bulwarks of the Church in the education field in the Chinese city. The other two were Father Ben Chang, S.J., Rector of St. Ignatius College, and Father F. J. Yang, S.J., Rector of St. Ignatius College.

Evening Mass Burlington, Vt. — (NC) — The first evening Mass in the history of this state will be offered up in connection with the centennial observance of the Diocese of Burlington.

CLARE

FRANK O'DEA

BULL'S

SHIRT SHOP

SHIRT SHOP

Priest Became Shepherd When Reds Took Church

Hong Kong — (NC) — A young Italian missionary priest, forbidden to minister to his people by the Chinese communists, literally had to become a shepherd to support himself.

On reaching here after being deported by the Reds, Father Peter Martinelli of the Milan Foreign Mission Society related that in his last six months in China he had to tend sheep.

FATHER MARTINELLI, 32-year-old missionary from Bergamo, Italy, recalled that the Reds had deported his pastor, Father Anthony Cattaneo, from their mission station at Sihsein, near Hanchung, Shenai Province, last August.

At the same time, Father Martinelli said, the communists locked up the church and refused to allow him to have any contacts with his Catholics. The Reds told the priest and two Chinese Sisters who were helping operate a dispensary that they would have to join the "Independent Church" or close down.

THE DISPENSARY was locked up; the priest was not allowed to own fields or to plant them. So he became a shepherd.

He said the Catholics were strictly forbidden to have anything to do with him, but nevertheless children and even pagans came to see him. When Father Martinelli was finally told to leave, he said, he had to sell some of his clothes to get money for the trip. Behind him, he left three Chinese priests in jail and one, under house arrest — all charged with the "crime" of organizing the Legion of Mary.

Villanova Plans Law School

Villanova, Pa. — (NC) — A law school will be opened by Villanova College next September, it was announced here by Father Francis K. N. McGuire, O.S.A., college president.

At the same time, Father McGuire disclosed that Dr. Harold G. Newsham, now a law professor at the University of Pittsburgh, will be the first dean of the new school. He attended the University of Iowa, Yale and Cornell universities and has taught at Georgetown, Notre Dame, Syracuse and New York universities.

Father McGuire said the new school was planned and organized by the college administration with the cooperation of a committee of Philadelphia lawyers. The law school will be housed in the college's huge library and will be a full-time day school.

The committee of advisers to Father McGuire in the organization of the school, included James F. McGroarty, former U.S. Attorney General, three judges and six attorneys.

PEERLESS DRY CLEANING CO. 201-203 W. 5th St. Cor. N. Main St. PHONE 2-3137

CARR'S COZY CORNER LUNCHES - CANDY SODA BAR VAMETTES DIAL 29770

DINE AT KEEFE'S RESTAURANT ALL LEGAL BEVERAGES PHONE 2-9437 200 W. MILLER ST. ELMIRA, N. Y.

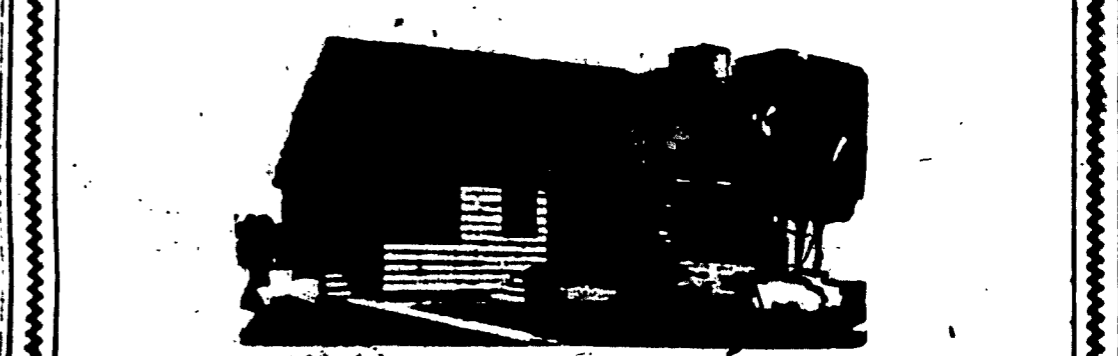
G. H. & J. T. Kelly Electrician and Contractor 411 West First Street Dial 2711-5097

Confession Card Issued For Sick

Durham, N. H. — (NC) — The current interest in the lives of the saints is "one of the phenomena of our day," according to Bishop John J. Wright of Worcester.

Speaking at the University of New Hampshire here, the Bishop pointed to the great increase in the number of books on the saints issued in Europe, and said the fact that the saints faced the same problems modern man contends with is largely responsible for the present-day upsurge in interest.

Start Now To Plan Home Improvements



Ask Us About a . . . Home Improvement Loan

HAVE the pleasure and satisfaction of knowing that your property is in good condition. . . . A Chemung Canal Trust Co. Home Improvement Loan enables you to make these improvements and repairs quickly and economically. It provides the necessary funds immediately, and arranges the monthly payments over a period of time.

How About These Things?

- PAINTING—Spring always reveals the need of inside and outside painting, as a matter of protection as well as beauty. MAYBE IT'S A NEW ROOF or new siding, or an insulation job your home needs. OF COURSE — new wiring can avoid a costly and dangerous fire . . . new plumbing can greatly improve the comfort of your home. PERHAPS YOU'RE PLANNING to add a room or two, install a game room, or redecorate in the modern manner. ATTRACTIVE LANDSCAPING creates outdoor beauty and makes you proud of your home's appearance. A Chemung Canal Trust Co. Home Improvement Loan points the easy way to all of these worthwhile accomplishments.

Chemung Canal Trust Company Water at First St. 125 W. Church St. Elmira, N. Y.

Simplex Flexies SMART LOOKING Extra Comfortable 105-N MAIN ST.