swam out to the other girl, and brought her in. The girls were driven to the infirmary of the nearby Naval Al Station in a nearby Na said they were in good condi-

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## Alumnae Breakfast To Open Mercy High Silver Jubilee

Robert A Gosdert, O.P., of St.
Anthony of Padus Church, rescued two girls in danger of Mercy Auditorium at 9 a.m., Sunday, April 19, followed by drowning in Lake Pontchartrain a Communion Breakfast for all graduates of former years. will open the Silver Jubilee cer-

He was flagged down by emonies of Our Lady of Mercy alumnae and friends are being Douglas Collins, 17, who had High School, Sister M. Frances invited to a Jubilee Concert, May tried to rescue the girls but be- ca, principal of Mercy since its Day exercises, Open House ame exhausted: foundation, announced today. Days, an Alumnae Reception and Father's Gogdert' swam to the Marking completion of 25 Tea, a Silver Anniversary Mass girl who seemed in the greater years since the girls high school of Thanksgiving and other danger, brought her in, then was opened Sept. 4, 1928, by the events.

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Navy Ambulance, Doctors there spiritual and social events for Mary Kelly, chairman. Special May, June and September, she guests will be the 221 members of the Class of 1953. Traditionally each graduating class is inducted IN ADDITION to the Com- into the Alumnae Association at munion Breakfast which is being this annual party.

arranged by alumnae officers, The following graduates are Mercy students, parents, #11 assisting Miss Kelly: Invitations, Miss Virginia Connorton '48; Reception, Mrs. Joseph Baver '45 Mrs. Leo J. Dodd '45. Mrs. William Wirley '45, Miss Catherine Clark '44, Miss Agnes Marie Coon '44, Miss Marlene Boyle '51,

Miss Marcia Brady '49. Decorations Committee includes Miss Marie Audino '51, Miss Mary Wintish '52, Miss Mikell Clark '52, Miss Jane De-Lario '52, Miss Shirley Kirchoff 52, Miss Beverly Lucks 52 and Miss Carolyn Metger '52.

**RESERVATIONS** should be made by April 14, the committee asked, because a capacity attendance of nearly 600 is expected. Highlight of the Jubilee for Mercy students will be a Pontifical Mass celebrated on the Mercy Auditorium stage by the newly-Friday, May 29. His Excellency Bishop Kearney will preach the

Bishop Cancy was formerly reigious instructor at Mercy from "summa cum laude" didiplomas at graduation exercis-et, June 19, and deliver the, Con-

coment Address. Alumnie, parents of current vited to visit classes and share of the N.C.W.C. News Service. the activities of normal school. The N.C.W.C. dispatch in 1924 reported, that within 100 years program on Thingston, Wednesday reported that "a German priest, there would be no other form and Thursday. May 25-27-28, a contributor to the Osserva- of government but sovietism the school is planning tore Romano," but not otherwise among civilized peoples.

OTHER SOCIAL events on the the mothers of all stu-

The largest outpouring of sion, were quite frequent and Emperors have been born. To with their parents,

Catholic Nurses After Sonyea Mass



SONYEA BRANCH of Rochester Council of Catholic Nurses assisted at Mass and received Ealy Communion in a body at the Chapel of the Divine Companion on Passion Sunlay. Feeling for a photograph after are: Front row (from left) Mrs. Charles Carney, Mrs. Lee Smith, Mrs. John Constantine, Mrs. George Carr, Helen Hurley, Rita Byan, Betty Hargather, Frances Lalleen; standing (from left) John Constantine, Louis Trubia, John Cipolia, Philip LaRoss, Ret. John A. Murphy, chaplain; Dr. L. A. Damon, retired April 1 from Craig Colony after 33 years nervice; (Doctor Damon was director of laboratories) John Hughes, Anthony Barone, Mrs. J. Ford O'Brien, Officers are Mrs. Carney, president; Mrs. Barone, vice president and Miss LaBone, secretary and treasurer.

### Death Of Stalin Recalls Priest's Kremlin Talks With Predecessor Lenin

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Washington — (NC) — When the mantle of despotic power dropped from the shoulders of Stalin, it served to recall here a most unusual story about his presecessor — the first dictator of Soviet Russia.

The person who had possibly the idea which he had of his the frankest discussion anyone mission drove him to that kind ever had with Lenin after he of political mysticism belonging consecrated Auxiliary Bishop had seized power, and probably to his race, suffocated his senti-Lawrence B. Casey at 10:30 a.m. the last person ever to have a ments as a private man to leave frank talk with him, was a the hands of a dictator free, des-Catholic priest. The priest vis. tined, as he believed, to deliver Jubilee sermon. Priests of the di- ited Lenin right in the latter's mankind by extending the sov- lent," the writer said of Lenin. ocesse will be guests of the school apartment in the Kremlin. He letistic regime, of whose goodat luncheon following the Mass. called not once but several times, ness he was inwardly convinced, the perfect rationalist, nor a shortly before Lenin's death, to the whole world."

Lenin well knew that his visitor THE WRITER quoted Lenin courteous as he." 1987 to 1945 and is even consid- was a Catholic priest. No one as saying: "What does it matter ered a "graduate" having receiv. else at the Kremlin suspected it. if much I am obliged to do is IN MIS TALKS with the priest repugnant to me? Are not we ploma with the Class of 1945, Be- on these occasions. Lenin paid of the Soviet forced to employ sides this special Mass for the a striking tribute to the Catho the most radical means to rid anniversary, he will confer the lic Church, and called it "invin- our nation of all the elements

That is the story? not reason with these any more It was carried in the Catholic than you can reason with the press of the United States in viper that bites you; you kill students and friends will be in 1924, as a dispatch from Rome it." Lenin also thought, the writer The N.C.W.C. dispatch in 1924 reported, that within 100 years

identified, had sent the Vatican "However I think that amongst newspaper this interesting arti-the ruins of the actual institundar include a Metiers Club cie regarding the death of Lenin. tions, the writer further quoted The writer said he had known Lenin as saying to him, of the latter's exile before he sed control of Russia in the destined to direct others is sysrevolution of 1917. He said tematically accomplished in it. their meetings, "derived from Bishops or Popes are not born. our common journalistic profes- as up to now Princes, Kings or

dicity and frankness of past

Men's College Adds Accountant To Faculty

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The writer said he replied the dictator as follows: "Lenin, you are wrong; we shall be here. And long has fore a century has passed we shall see im the other life true umph of the Catholic truth."

"He was thoughtful and si-"I could not expect consent from contradiction from a man se

#### Ottawa Archbishop Dies In Texas

Ottawa - (NC) - With the suddenness of a thunderbolt, news of the death of Ottawa's beloved Archbishop Alexander Vachon in Dallas, Tex., stunned the clergy and faithful through out this archdiocese.

It was known that the Archblahop had suffered a heart attack shortly before last Christmas, but had recovered and had been pronounced fit by his physicians to make the three and a half month trip which took him from here last February 19.

Just before his departure, members of the Archdiocesan Holy Name Society formally had expressed their good wishes to the Archbishop and the hope that his trip would benefit his health. He replied with a message voicing his appreciation and assuring his faithful that his health was much improved.

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