New Name Given To John Fisher Hall At Nazareth Honors Founder of Order

The name of John Fisher Hall, Nazareth College dormitory, has been changed to Medaille Hall, the Rev. William H. Shannon, college chaplain, announced at a High Mass on the Octave of the Solemnity of St. Joseph Wednesday. The college administration had been considering the change for some time, he said, to distinguish the place more clearly from St. John Fisher's College.

Confusion with such things as mail delivery has been common since the establishment of the nearby men's college because of the similarity of names. The dormitory, largest of four on the Nazareth campus, is located at 4245 East Ave.

THE NAME Medaille — pronounced Mud-DIE-uh—was chosen to honor the founder of the Congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph who conduct the women's college.

Born in France in 1618, the Rev. John Peter Medaille entered the Society of Jesus at an early age, taught philosophy for a time, and then devoted 18 years of his life to preaching. He founded and directed young women's sodalities which instructed children in the faith, visited the sick, helped the poor and performed other works of charity.

Noting that the sodalities lacked the stability needed for the most efficient performance of such work, since the women were hampered by so many ties, he resolved to start a congregation of nuns who could combine the work of Mary and Martha.

WITH THE cooperation of Bishop Henry de Maupas, the new congregation came into being Oct. 15, the feast of St. Teresa of Avilla, 1650 when six young women took their vows as the first Sisters of St. Joseph at LePuy, France. Another Nazareth College dormitory, LePuy Hall (pronounced Le-PWEE), commemorates the site.

Many of Father Medaille's followers were women with genuine religious vocations who did not have the stamina or desire for cloistered life. They gathered at the home of a pious widow, Madame de Joux, who worked tirelessly for the development of the uncloistered community.

While Bishop de Maupas decided the name, garb and work of the Sisters, Father Medaille defined the end, spirit and rules of the community.

Their purpose, he wrote, was "firstly, to work out their sanctification by observance of the simple vows of obedience, chastity and poverty; and secondly, to lead others to holiness by the instruction of the young, and by directing works of charity for the orphans, the sick, the poor and the aged."

GOD LOVE YOU!

By MOST REV. FULTON J. SHEEN

SOME people love themselves too much and end up hating themselves. Others do not love themselves enough and are often unhappy. The latter may be materially generous, but they never do anything for souls. They may give a drink of cold water, but not in the name of God. Rarely do they think of saving souls or planting the Church in foreign soil.

This spiritual lapse is because they interpret religion in terms of generosity rather than repentance. Repentance implies that we love our soul so much that everything becomes secondary to it.

Repentance faces two ways: one bemoans the past, the other burns with zeal for the future. A true Catholic may weep over the past, but his eyes are not so blurred that he cannot hope for greater love of the faith in the future. Using the present motive as a pivot, we make up for the past by a sacrifice; we look to the future by putting that sacrifice where it will do the most good.

Time does not blot out our sins. When you make reparation through a sacrifice keep in mind two truths: (1) do it in union with Our Lord who died on the Cross for your sins; (2) do it for the noblest motive, namely the extension of the redemption to the other peoples of the world. That is why we suggest giving it to the Holy Father's Mission Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Your sacrifice then is an act of faith because we send it to the Holy Father; it is an act of hope for it aspires to the conversion of souls; it is an act of charity, for you then love yourself as you ought—with the love that radiates from Calvary.

GOD LOVE YOU to M. B. for baby-sitting for four weeks to sent $17 to the Missions. . . . GOD LOVE YOU to L. C. for $5—part of a fund intended to buy new skis. . . . GOD LOVE YOU to L. S. for $10, the money that was to be used for a coat. "I really didn't need the coat but I know the Missions need it." . . . GOD LOVE YOU to Mrs. E. F. "Enclosed is $5. I had been saving for something special that I couldn't otherwise afford. As I was reading MISSION wishing I could send something, I remembered this time I could for this is that 'something special' I had been waiting for." . . . GOD LOVE YOU to J. S. K. for $8.25 which he saved by doing without snacks at work. . . . GOD LOVE YOU to Mrs. J K. who sacrificed going to the movies to send $5 to the Holy Father's Missions. . . . GOD LOVE YOU to J. E. [illegible] "Enclosed is $15 for the Holy Father's Missions which represents extra earnings made by singing at weddings." . . . GOD LOVE YOU to R. B. F. "Enclosed is $4 for the Missions. I need some new tires and started to save for them, but thought the Missions needed the money for a better cause. . . . GOD LOVE YOU to E. M. S. for $5. "I earned this trimming trees and doing odd jobs in the neighborhood." . . . GOD LOVE YOU to M. C. L. "Enclosed is $5, a gift from my husband, which I am sending for a special intention."

Praying for others brings favors more quickly than if we prayed only for ourselves. The wider the circle of your prayers, the greater your charity. The most worthy of causes is to pray for the 1,100,000,000 pagans in the world who know neither the Sacred Heart or the Immaculate Heart. To do this properly, you need a World Mission Rosary which we will send you at your request and a $2 offering to the Missions.

Cut out this column, pin your sacrifice to it and mail it to the Most Reverend Fulton J. Sheen, National Director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, 109 East 38th Street, New York 16, New York or your Diocesan Director Very Rev. Msgr. John S. Randall, 50 Chestnut Street, Rochester, New York.

Our Sincere Congratulations to the Most Reverend Lawrence B. Casey on the occasion of his consecration as Auxiliary Bishop

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16 Women Join Geneva CDA Unit

Geneva—Court Geneva, Catholic Daughters of America, honored 16 new members at a reception Wednesday in Woman's Building. One hundred and twenty-five members attended.

Mrs. Grace Partrick, District Deputy, of North Rose, was presiding officer.

Mrs. Eleanor Heffernan was chairman of refreshments assisted by Mrs. Helen Marsh and the following committee: Mrs. Frances Dunham, Mrs. Mary Tracey, Mrs. Ida Mae Hosking, Mrs. Sue Malone, Mrs. Margaret Crowley, Mrs. Madeline Laun, Miss Phyllis Fisher, Mrs. Betty Edwards, Miss Mary Gallagher, Mrs. Ann Hurley, Miss Alice Marie Taney, Miss Grace O'Malley, Mrs. Philomena Cappozzi, Mrs. Irene McCormack, Miss Marie Kelly, and Mrs. Ann Marie Hastings.

During the meeting, it was reported that Mrs. Sue Malone, Mrs. Mae Myers and Miss Elizabeth Kane visited the Ontario County Home recently where they served cookies, ice cream, and candy to the residents.

The following new members were received: Mrs. Ann Laggan, Miss Virginia M. O'Malley, Mesdames Barbara M. Hennessy, Dorothy Riley, Julia R. Driscoll, Doris McHale, Mildred H. Reid, Veronica L. Spafford, Mary E. Linehan, Miss Patricia J. Bachand, Mesdames Eleanor Kahl, Neva Bagley, Helen D. McKeever, Virginia Murray, Elizabeth Bauer, Mary E. Hosey.

St. Charles Group Lists White Father

Members of the Rosary Society of St. Charles Borromeo Church will receive Holy Communion in a body at 9 a.m. Mass, Sunday, May 3. They will meet Tuesday May 5 in the school hall following Recitation of the Rosary in the church at 8 p.m.

The Rev. Regis McCoy, a White Father from the Africa Gold Coast will speak and illustrate his talk with pictures.

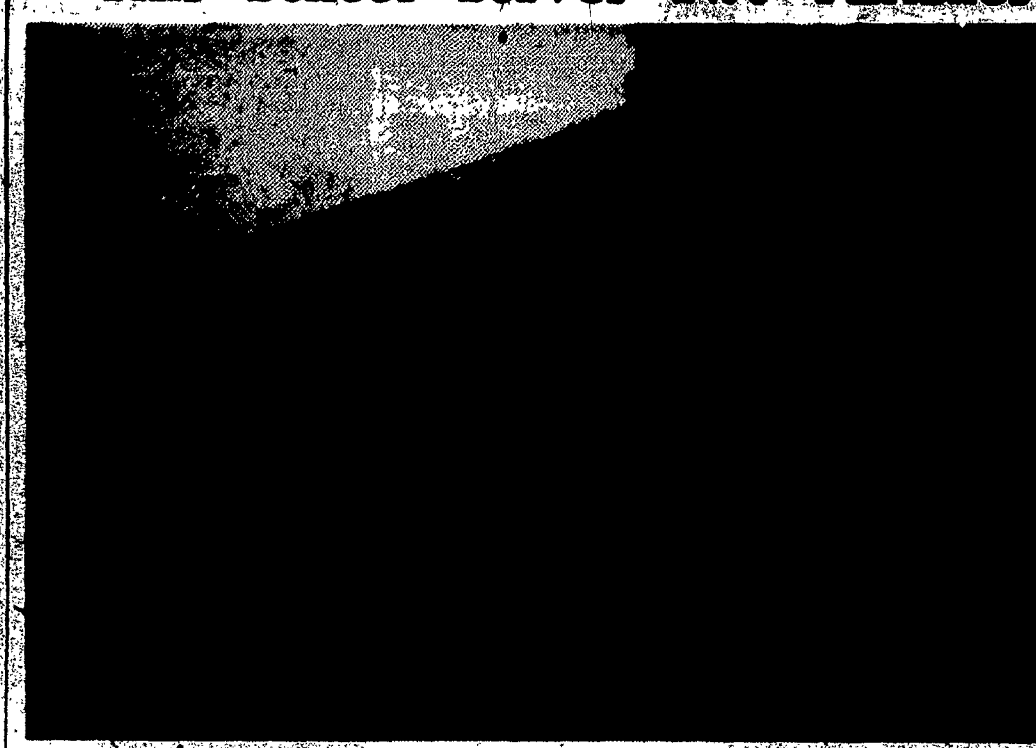
A nominating committee will be presented by Mrs. Virginia Blind, president, to consider officer candidates for the coming year. Plans for a banquet May 26 will be dicussed. Mrs. Irene Burbott and Mrs. Margaret Reiland are co-chairmen.

Mrs. Wakefield, chairman of the rummage sale scheduled May 28 and 29 will appoint a committee to assist her.

Members who have baby shoes for the Holy Father's Warehouse as asked to bring them to this meeting. Mrs. Margaret McCollester and her band members will serve lunch.

Our prayers and congratulations to Bishop Lawrence B. Casey, from your neighbors--the priests and people of St. John's in Greece

This School Serves Two Parishes



MORE THAN 40 YEARS old, St. Patrick's School in Mt. Morris above is being remodeled on the inside from cellar to roof with men, women and children and the Sisters of St. Joseph who teach in the school, cooperating. The school also serves children in Assumption Parish, Mt. Morris.

Parishioners Unite To Help Remodel Interior Of Mt. Morris Parish School

By FRED BEUERLEIN

Mt. Morris—Work has started on what is hoped will be a complete remodeling job to the interior of St. Patrick's School on Stanley Street in this village according to the Rev. Robert H. Fennessy, pastor of St. Patrick's parish.

Within the past few weeks the men of the parish, working in their spare time, have painted the entire basement and refinished the floors and woodwork.

New fluorescent fixtures replaced the old light fixtures and new equipment was donated for the kitchen. New curtains were placed on all the windows in the large recreation room.

EVERYONE HAS had a hand in making the improvements to date. The Sisters and students of the school and both men and women of the parish have contributed to the work. Men and women of the Assumption parish also donated time and money to the project.

All the class rooms will be painted and new light fixtures installed this summer. Plans are being made to install a new heating plant and to remodel the auditorium in the near future. Work will be done as funds are available.

St. Patrick's School was built in 1910 and 1911 when the late Rev. Dr. Andrew E. Breen was pastor of St. Patrick's parish. The building cost in the neighborhood of $60,000 and at the time it was built it relieved the village of Mt. Morris of building a $10,000 annex to the public school.

THIS is an early photo of the late Rev. Dr. Andrew E. Breen who served as pastor of St. Patrick's, Mt. Morris, from 1900 to 1919. A former professor at St. Bernard's Seminary, Rochester, and St. Francis Seminary, Wis., he died Sept. 10, 1938, at the age of 75.

WHEN THE school was built most of the labor was given by men of the village and it is said that Father Breen himself put many hours of labor working on the structure. The building is made of blue stone purchased from the quarries near Portageville and it is the only building of its type in Western New York.

The main floor of the building has the class rooms and the principal's office. These rooms have been re-furnished within the past few years and new clear glass windows have replaced the old frosted glass windows that were installed in 1910.

The school was first opened for classes on Monday morning September 11, 1911, and the first class was graduated in June 1912. The Sisters of St. Joseph have served as the faculty of the school since it was first started. The Convent for the Nuns was opened in the Summer of 1911.

CHILDREN FROM both St. Patrick's parish and the Assumption parish attend the school and the present registration is 185 students in the eight grades and kindergarten.

With additional teachers the school can accomodate about 300 students. Children of the Catholic faith attending public school are given their weekly religious instructions at St. Patrick's school.

Mt. Morris can be proud of its parochial school that has served the community for the past 42 years.

2 Speakers Win Bishop's Contest At DeSales High

Geneva—Robert Cleere and Mary Ann Handlan are winners of the Bishop's Oratorical semi-finals for DeSales High School.

Held Monday, April 20 in the school auditorium, the contest attracted an audience of about 75 persons. Five pupils competed for the honor of representing DeSales in the finals to be held later this month. Other contestants were Theresa Gringeri, Barbara Reo, and Thomas McAvoy.

Mary Ann Handlan was judged winner on the basis of her discussion, "A Reply to Dr. Conant's Statement on American Education".

WINNING TOPIC chosen by Robert Cleere was "Psychological Approach to the Iron Curtain Countries".

Theresa Gringeri discussed "Selfishness, the Greatest Detriment to a Religious Vocation"; Thomas McAvoy, "Our Personal Obligation to Insure Good Government", and Barbara Reo, "Mother Seton — Her Life and Contributions to America".

The students prepared their own speeches on assigned subjects. They were judged on thought content and delivery.

Judges were Cal Gregway, Miss Margaret McCherry, and Miss Adelaide Martin.

Good Counsel Altar Unit Slates Meeting May 13th

Altar and Rosary Society members of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church will meet in the school hall, Ernestine St. following Rosary in church at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13.

Refreshments will be served in entertainment provided.

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Charitable Program [illegible] Of CDA At Penn Yan [illegible]

Penn Yan—A woman's organization should be devoted to works of charity and not merely function as a social group weighted down with red tape.

This advice was given by the Rev. Dr. John A. Reddington, assistant pastor of St. Ambrose Church, Rochester in addressing 180 members attending the 22nd Annual Banquet of Court St. Michael No. 1173, Catholic Daughters of America on Wednesday, April 22 at Benham Hotel here.

Father Reddington was presented by Mrs. Evelyn Wortle who also presented the Rev. Edward J. Foy, assistant pastor who spoke on the Easter Season, preparation for Pentecost and Feast of the Solemnity of St. Joseph.

MRS. THELMA Reilly, grand regent, opened the program with a welcome to all attending.

"Man is the protector and woman, the source of love in the family life, thus man is the head and woman, the heart," Father Reddington told the Catholic daughters.

He urged them to try to widen the scope of their charitable activities, to have definite aims and to remember that the success of the organization depends upon a program of giving by each Catholic Daughter.

The speaker urged the group to set a specific goal with each member [illegible] charitable services [illegible] tender concern for elderly persons, a charitable work [illegible] be done only for the love of God.

He urged practice of faith and to have charity in hearts [illegible]

Entertainment consisted of Mrs. Eileen Brewer leading the singing and appearing in a solo; Mrs. Helen Tiballi, solo; Mrs. Marion Miller, solo; Mrs. Nady Calarco, Italian songs; Mrs. Margaret Eighney, piano solo.

Banquet arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Nady Calarco, general chairman assisted by Mesdames Anne Vergage, Jane Taafee, Nancy Palace, Alice Corcoran, Helen Tiballi and Miss Elizabeth Prendergast; reception committee, Mesdames Anna Lyons, Augusta Tunney and Lillian Zwolinski.

Catholic U. Teacher Heads Asia Institute

Washington, D. C. — (NC) — Dr. John Shapely, of the Catholic University of America here, has accepted the post of director at the Asia Institute, New York City.

Dr. Shapely, who will remain as professor of art and archeology at Catholic U., already has planned the Institute's spring semester curriculum and serves as adviser in the selection of faculty members.

The Catholic University professor has done extensive research in the Asian field and spent considerable time in the Near East.

Courses at the Asia Institute include economics of the Near East and military potentials of Asia, as well as language courses in Arabic, Burmese, Chinese, Hindu, Japanese, Korean, Russian and Vietnamese.

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