

Plan Breakfast For Two Men's Groups Groundbreaking Slated For New St. James School



ARRANGEMENTS FOR annual breakfast sponsored by the Holy Name and Sacred Heart Men's Society of St. Anthony's Parish, Elmira to be held Sunday at the Annex following Holy Communion at the 8:30 a.m. Mass are being made by (from left) Anthony L. Fabrizio, co-chairman, Rev. William A. Burns, pastor and Joseph P. Carrozza, co-chairman. Speaker will be Cressy A. Mowrey, president, Elmira Deanery Council of Holy Name Societies. Social for men will be held in the Annex at 2 p.m., Sunday.

Waverly — Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new St. James parochial school will be held Sunday afternoon Dec. 6, at 3:30 p.m. Rev. William J. O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Owego, will give the invocation.

The Honorable Phillips Cramer, Mayor of Waverly, will be the principal speaker. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow in the Church with the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Brien, V.F., Dean of Elmira, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Hubert Bisky and the Rev. Bartholomew O'Brien as Deacon and Subdeacon.

The groundbreaking will be performed by the priests of the parish, assisted by the Trustees of the Church and the leaders and workers in the School Campaign.

Waverly — The Catholic women of Van Etten and Spencer will hold a rummage sale and bazaar Friday and Saturday, Dec. 4 and 5, in the former Red & White Store in Van Etten. Proceeds will be for the benefit of the contemplated chapel.

Chairman of the rummage sale is Mrs. William Junker of Spencer and Mrs. John Gillis in charge of the bazaar which will feature Christmas boutonnieres and handmade articles suitable for gifts. A bake sale under the chairmanship of Mrs. Roy Woods will be held Saturday morning only at the store at 10:00.

Waverly — Knights of Columbus, Council 251, received Holy Communion Sunday morning in a body. They have offered their support to the Waverly Centennial Committee preparing the celebration next summer.

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Prattsburg Group Plans Christmas

Prattsburg — Rosary and Altar Society of St. Patrick's Church, Prattsburg, met in the parish hall on Nov. 19. Recitation of the Rosary was led by the Rev. John W. Brill, pastor.

The business meeting was called to order by the President and roll was called by the Treasurer. The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and approved.

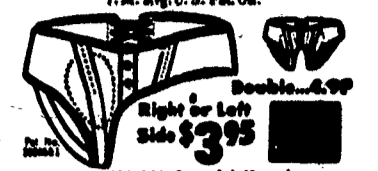
Tentative arrangements were made for a Christmas Party to be held in the hall on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 17, for the children in the first through eighth grades.

The ladies of the Society voted on a Christmas gift exchange at the December meeting. Hostesses for that meeting will be Herrmina Pindjak and Irene Bouchard. In conclusion, Father Brill thanked all members for their contributions to the success of the Mission which was held the week of Nov. 8.

After the meeting, refreshments were served by Anne Woldyla and Helen Bergman.

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ELMIRA CATHOLIC HIGHLIGHTS

By LOUIS Saxe
The Sodality of Elmira Catholic High School sponsored a Holy Hour of Thanksgiving last Tuesday evening for all high school students. More than 200 attended. It was held in St. Patrick's Church from 7:30 until 8:30 p.m.

The program consisted of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by a sermon which was delivered by Rev. Robert Donovan of St. Patrick's Parish. A period of silent prayer was concluded with the singing of the hymn "Pans Angelicus." Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. O'Brien V.F. led the group in the recitation of the rosary.

A prayer of Thanksgiving which was recited by all the students followed. Ceremony with Solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament given by Monsignor Brien assisted by Rev. Robert Donovan of St. Patrick's and Rev. Guy Wertz of St. Mary's Parish.

THE CRUSADERS of Catholic High gained full revenge last Sunday for a previous loss in basketball to St. Agnes Varsity of Towanda, by downing the Red Raiders, 52 to 50. The spirited Crusaders have won one game and lost one game thus far, but they are gunning to build up a winning streak. The J.V. Crusaders also show fine promise after twice downing the J.V. Red Raiders. The fighting Crusaders cross paths with Lakemont Academy this Saturday night at Lakemont.

All our students and faculty were blessed with a beautiful Thanksgiving day. Perhaps the reason for our feeling of joy was brought about through our chance to help the monks at Mount Saviour Monastery by donating food as we have made it a point to do every Thanksgiving.

We wish to extend our sympathy to Joanne Donovan on the recent death of her father.

Chatter: "The pies were very good." The long and short of the story... Bratt... 18 points. Senior girls... Christmas help at local department stores, familiar faces of alumni. Eleven out of sixteen senior boys have glasses.

Both Are True
When your friend tells you he is making the best of it, he usually means he's getting the worst of it.

Msgr. Cleary Heard At Michigan Rites

His Eminence Edward Cardinal Mooney, Archbishop of Detroit officiated at the dedication of the new Gabriel Richard Center for Catholic students at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and the Very Rev. Msgr. Donald M. Cleary preached the sermon.

Cardinal Mooney was formerly Bishop of Rochester and Monsignor Cleary, chaplain of Cornell University was former national chaplain of the Newman Federation.

The new center next to St. Mary's Student Chapel was named for Father Gabriel Richard, co-founder of the University in Detroit in 1817 and only priest ever to serve in the U.S. House of Representatives.

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