

# Mt. Carmel Knights Win Title In National Drill

First place in the international prize drill competition of the Knights of St. John at the Golden Jubilee convention, the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary at Dayton, Ohio was won by Mt. Carmel Commandery.

The drill team which was hailed for its achievement at the annual picnic of Rochester Regiment, Sunday at the Red Men's Club was in command of Capt. Joseph L. Cimino.

The TOP TITLE in drilling in international contest was also achieved by Commandery 308 in 1950 and the New York State championship was captured in 1949.

Previous to the convention, the Mt. Carmel knights commandery was awarded the Rose Fromm Memorial Trophy and the Rochester District Trophy for taking first place in the annual Rochester Regiment in section and competition.

Captain Cimino extended an invitation to all young Catholic men seeking information about the Knights of St. John and the possibility of joining the order and the military rank of his commandery. He may be called at Hamilton 2213 or written to at 111 Woodward St., Rochester 5, N.Y.

# Local Knights To Hear Report On Convention

Delegates from Rochester Regiment, Knights of St. John will report at commandery meetings on resolutions adopted at the 50th annual Knights of St. John Convention held in Dayton, Ohio, according to Colonel Emil G. Eckert.

A resolution urging Congress and the State legislatures to allow parents to consider tuition payments for private elementary and secondary education as tax deductible was approved.

The knights reaffirmed their long-standing policy in favor of racial integration. Joseph C. that the Knights of St. John was the first United States Catholic organization to accept Negroes in equal standing. Today, Mr. Keim said, of the 40,000 members, 3,000 are Negroes.

The knights went on record to support an amendment to the omnibus immigration law which would allow residents of Malta in the Mediterranean to enter the U. S. under the British quota. Mr. Keim pointed out that while the British quota remains unfilled, more than 1,000 Maltese are eager to enter the country. They cannot do so because of the law's restrictions.

**OTHER RESOLUTIONS** called for strengthening Sunday closing laws, cleaning up pornographic literature at military camps, self-policing of "comics and movies which appeal to man's passions," and the establishment of Good Friday as a legal holiday.

A highlight of the convention was the presentation of a check for \$5,000 to the Catholic Church Extension Society, which has headquarters in Chicago, to foster the society's work in building mission chapels in the United States and its possessions.

Meeting at the same time, the women's auxiliary of the Knights announced that a donation of \$10,000 had been presented to the Shrine of the Lamaculate Conception in Washington for a rose window.

Elected to national offices were: Mr. Keim, Dayton, Ohio, supreme president; Peter J. Schwab, Buffalo, first vice president; Leo H. Bender, Akron, Ohio, second vice president; and Andrew O. Zink, Detroit, treasurer.

**College Grad Ends Training**

Newport, N. I. — Among 330 new officers welcomed into the U. S. Atlantic Fleet by Rear Admiral John C. Daniel, USN, commander destroyer force, was Leo J. Lambert, a 1955 graduate of St. John Fisher College, Rochester.

Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph I. Lambert of 40 Kempurst Rd., was a graduate of the U. S. Naval Officer Candidate School. He received a bachelor of science degree in a major in mathematics from St. John Fisher College in 1955.

A member of Holy Cross Parish, Lambert completed the 18 weeks course in Naval science subjects to qualify as junior officer in the Navy.

**Services Offered For Geneva Youth In St. Stephen's**

Geneva — Funeral services for 13-year-old Martin Lawler III were held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lawler Jr., 24 Lyceum St., Geneva, and St. Stephen Church on Monday, July 30.

Martin was fatally wounded while vacationing in Maine on July 26, 1956. It was reported that a ricocheting bullet from a rifle struck the boy.

An altar boy at St. Stephen Church, Martin was to have entered the 8th grade in the parish school in September. He was reported to be a good student and an active and popular boy.

Besides his parents, survivors include two sisters, Ann and Margaret; three brothers, Michael, William and Timothy; two grandmothers, Mrs. Martin J. Lawler Sr. and Mrs. Victoria Meek; and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Alexander F. Poole.

**Fatal Voyage Missed By Three**

Geneva — "Thank God, we changed our sailing date" — that was the single prayer of the Alvaro family who arrived here a few weeks ago from Italy.

Reservations on the fatal voyage of the Andrea Doria were cancelled by Mrs. Immacolata Alvaro and her daughters, Eugenia, 20, and Stella, 14, when it was learned that they could secure passage on an earlier voyage due to a cancellation. They arrived in Geneva on July 3.

The Alvaros were joining the husband and father of the family, Luigi Alvaro, who came to this country three years ago.

**Brazil Cardinals Cite Red Menace**

Rio de Janeiro — (NG) — Two Brazilian Cardinals have warned in radio broadcasts against communist infiltration in this country.

Their Eminences Jaime Cardinal de Barros Camara, Archbishop of Sao Paulo, spoke out against the dangers of granting amnesty to communist leaders and legal recognition of semi-communist leaders.



**Eastern Rite Bishop On Visit**

CANONICAL VISITATION made by Auxiliary Bishop Ambrose Senyshyn, Stamford, Conn., of the Ukrainian Catholic Diocese of the United States to St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church, Auburn, included his receiving flowers from Martha Pachovsky, (left) of the Junior Sodality and meeting with the Rev. Basil Ostas, pastor, (center).

# Elmira Area Deaths

The following deaths were reported in the Elmira Area during the past week:

**Arnold W. Homan**, of 505 Magee St., Tuesday, July 24, 1956. Survived by sisters, Mrs. William C. Lacey, Mrs. Albert W. Traub and Mrs. Agnes Zimmerman, all of Elmira; brother, Frank J. Homan of New York City; several nieces and nephews. Body was at Frank O'Dea Funeral Home. Prayer service there Friday followed by Requiem High Mass at St. Patrick Church, St. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

**Mrs. Della Lewis**, of 204 Madison Ave., Monday, July 30, 1956. She was the widow of George Lewis, retired stenographer in the Pennsylvania Railroad office. Survived by brother, Frank B. Collins of Elmira; several nieces and nephews. Body was at Charles F. Hughes & Son Funeral Home. Prayer service there Thursday followed by Requiem High Mass at St. Peter and Paul Cemetery. Reclusion of the Rosary there Wednesday.

**Mrs. Mary A. Hogan**, 81, of 216 Birchwood Ave., Elmira Heights, formerly of Olean, Friday night, July 27, 1956, following extended illness. She was a communicant of St. Charles Church. Survived by daughters, Mrs. James Quigley with whom she resided, Mrs. George Lundy of Olean and Mrs. Wilton Pratt of Olean; sons, Edward of Olean, and Walter Hogan of Allegheny; sister, Mrs. Thomas Ward of Salamanca; brother, James Murphy of Birmingham, Ala.; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Body was at James D. Barrett Funeral Home. Was removed to home of son, Edward Hogan of Olean, Sunday. Requiem High Mass Tuesday in St. Mary of the Angels Church, Olean, St. Bonaventure Cemetery, Olean.

**Mrs. Katherine Polovick**, 64, of 334 E. Thurston St., Monday, July 30, 1956. She was a communicant of St. Cecilia Church. Survived by daughters, Mrs. Anna Ketter and Mrs. Mary Bird, both of Elmira; sons, John Polovick of California, George, Michael, Stephen and Thomas, all of Elmira; sister, Mrs. Ann Michelle of Cleveland, Ohio; 21 grandchildren. Body was at James D. Barrett Funeral Home. Reclusion of the Rosary there Wednesday. Prayer service there Thursday. Requiem High Mass in St. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

**Seneca Falls KC Officers**

READY FOR DUTIES to be assumed in September, after formal installation are these officers of Seneca Falls Council, Knights of Columbus elected in June. They are: (above) (from left seated), Financial Secretary, John Farrell and Grand Knight Albert Rescorla; Handling, Advocate Dean Nidey, Outside Guard, Philip Liberatore and Warden James Moreland. To right, seated, Deputy Grand Knight Joseph DeBernardis and (standing) Immediate Past Grand Knight Albert Casacci.

**New Catholic Books**

This list of Catholic books is prepared by the Library of the Catholic University of America.

**CUTOLO, S. R.** Bellevue In My Home. (Doubleday, \$4). First hand account of the operations of a big New York City hospital.

**DOYON, BERNARD.** The Cavalry Of Christ On The Rio Grande, 1849-1883. (Bruce, \$5). A history of the work of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate in Texas.

**SCHAEFFERS, W. H.** Catholic Highlights Of Europe. (Christopher Publishing House, \$3). A Marian Year travelogue emphasizing the historical background of various sites.

**SHEEHY, MICHAEL.** Divided We Stand: A Study of Partition. (Putnam, \$2.75). The viewpoint of a southern Irish writer favoring the continuance of partition.

**STUDDS, R.F.A.** Steady At Schools.

# 25th Jubilee Marked By Geneva Couple

Geneva — Mr. and Mrs. Anthony C. Alvaro, 320 Hamilton St., celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Wednesday, July 25, at a dinner party at Sacone's for members of the family, relatives, and friends.

An anniversary Mass was celebrated at 8 p. m. in St. Stephen Church.

Invited to the party were members of the wedding party 25 years ago. They were: Mr. Alvaro's sister, Mrs. James Santelli of Lyons, who was maid of honor; and Mrs. Guy Lambert, Mrs. Dawn Bellomo, Mrs. Vincent Giglio, Mrs. Lena Morrissey, and Miss Mary Schott, all of Seneca Falls bridesmaids; and Mrs. Alvaro's brother, Fred Galletti, of Seneca Falls, best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvaro were married by Father Quirk in St. Patrick Church, Seneca Falls, on July 25, 1931. Mrs. Alvaro is the former Rose Galletti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Silvio Galletti, Seneca Falls.

Mr. Alvaro is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fortunato Alvaro of 11 Center St.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvaro lived in Seneca Falls for a year after their marriage. Then they moved to Geneva where they have resided ever since. They have three children: Louis, U. S. Navy, stationed at Benton Harbor, Mich.; Mrs. Edwin Dailor (Joyce) of Geneva, and David Alvaro, a senior in De Sales High School.

Table decorations for the anniversary party at Sacone's were decorated by a wedding cake centerpiece. The cake was topped with the figure "25".

**University Receives Mental Health Grant**

Chicago — (NC) — Loyola University has received a grant of \$151,470 from the National Institute of Mental Health, university authorities announced here.

The grant to Loyola is part of a national program under the auspices of the Institute, a mental health curriculum for theological students. Harvard University and Yeshiva University of New York City are the other schools in the project. It is designed to enable theological students to better understand the emotional problems of the people they will later serve.

At Loyola the project will be headed by Father Vincent V. Herd, S.J., chairman of the department of psychology, and Father William J. Devlin, S.J., professor of psychiatry and psychology at Loyola's Stritch School of Medicine.

# Town Names Street To Honor Priest

Tolowa Borough, N. J. — (RNS) — A street in this northern New Jersey borough has received a new name to honor the former pastor of its Roman Catholic church, McKeeney Ave. was formally changed to Killian Pl. in tribute to the Rev. Killian McFall, O.F.M., former pastor of St. James church, who died June 14, 1955.

Father Killian entered the Franciscan order in Paterson, N. J. in 1922. After assignments in New York City and at St. Bonaventure Monastery, Paterson, he took over as pastor of St. James from 1934 to 1945.

He died while serving as chaplain of St. Mary's Hospital, West Palm Beach, Fla.

# 25 N. D. Nuns To Attend Educational Conference

Twenty-five Schools Sisters of Notre Dame from Rochester will participate in the order's Second Educational Conference at Notre Dame of Maryland, Baltimore from August 15 to 18. It was announced today.

Taking part in the sessions will be these nuns from the seven Notre Dame convents in this diocese:

**Holy Family Convent, Rochester** — Sister M. Beatrice, principal and a member of the Eastern Inter-Provincial Council; Sister M. Lucinda, Sister M. Alverus, Sister M. Veronica and Sister M. Vincentia.

**St. Joseph's, Rochester** — Sister Francis Borgia, principal and Sister Joseph Marie.

**SS. Peter and Paul's, Rochester** — Sister M. Veronica, principal, Sister M. Susan and Sister M. Callista.

**St. Boniface, Rochester** — Sister M. Rosana, principal; Sister M. Evangelina, Sister M. Walburga, Sister M. Carlissa and Sister Francis Cabrini.

**Holy Redeemer, Rochester** — Sister M. Bonavia, Sister M. Sybilla, Sister M. Lillian and Sister M. Victoria.

**Holy Ghost, Coldwater** — Sister M. Hubertha, principal; Sister M. Charlotte and Sister M. Magdalita.

**St. Michael's, Rochester** — Sister M. Leonarda, principal; Sister M. Gratian and Sister M. Cordis.

"Continuous Guidance toward Self-Realization" is the theme of this year's conference.

# 'Decent Literature' Issues Newsletter

Chicago — (NC) — The "N.O.D.L. Newsletter," official publication of the National Organization for Decent Literature, has made its initial appearance here.

To be published quarterly, it will serve as "a clearinghouse for information, suggestions and current news for the men and women who generously devote their time and energy to the fight for decent literature."

The current (July) list of "Publications Disapproved" is included in the summer issue, Vol. 1, No. 1. The NODL was established in December, 1938, by the Catholic Bishops of the United States.

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# Catholic Scholars Told To Combat Church's Enemies

Castel Gandolfo, Italy — (RNS)—Pope Pius XII told Catholic scholars they must be prepared vigorously to combat the exploitation of man's craving for knowledge by the "enemies of God's Church."

He spoke at an audience in his summer palace to delegates who attended a general chapter of the Congregation of the Holy Cross at Rome. The chapter sessions were presided over by the Very Rev. Christopher O'Toole, C.S.C., American-born superior general of the teaching congregation, which embraces both priests and brothers.

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