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Deanery DCCW Marks Jubilee

SILVER JUBILEE observance of Chemung-Schuyler Deanery Council of Catholic Women at Dunn Memorial Sunday, in Elmira had these principals: (from left) Rev. Benedict A. Ehmann, pastor of St. Mary of the Lake Church, Watkins Glen, moderator; Rev. Louis R. Brassard, A.A., speaker and Mrs. Edward J. Widman, president of Deanery council.

Priest Area Directors Named In Clothes Drive

Appointment of seven priests as area directors of the Catholic Bishops' Thanksgiving Clothing Collection, to be held in the parishes of the Rochester Diocese during the week of Nov. 18, was announced by the Rev. E. Leo McMannus, diocesan director of the drive.

The newly appointed directors are the Rev. Daniel Hogan, Monroe County; the Rev. Benedict Ehmann, Chemung and Schuyler Counties; the Rev. Leo A. Jones, Cayuga County; the Rev. Otto Vogt, Tompkins and Tioga Counties; the Rev. Robert Smith, Ontario, Seneca, and Yates Counties; the Rev. James O'Connell, Wayne County; and the Rev. James F. Slattery, Corning.

AS AREA DIRECTORS they will supervise the promotion of the drive in their localities.

Last year, parishes of the diocese contributed 250,000 pounds of usable clothing to swell the nationwide total of 11,200,000 pounds. Shipments of clothing were made to Austria, Belgium, Colombia, Ecuador, Egypt, Formosa, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, Korea, Lebanon, East and West Pakistan, the Philippines, Portugal, Trieste, and Viet Nam.

"As in the past," Father McMannus said, "we invite donations of all usable garments, cleaned and repaired where necessary. Any usable blankets or bedding, and any pair of practical shoes in good repair will be gladly received at the parish collection centers.

"All types of men's and children's shoes can be used, as well as boots, overshoes, galoshes, rubbers, sneakers, and sandals. All types of practical women's shoes will be greatly appreciated but high-heeled pumps or evening shoes obviously serve little purpose among the refugees overseas.

"Men's clothing and work shoes, blankets, sheets or bedding, men's and women's underwear, clothing for children and infants, and all types of socks and stockings are of especial value.

Collection centers to which donations may be taken during the week of Nov. 18 will be announced by the pastors. Assisting in the sorting and packing of the donated clothing in the individual parishes will be members of the men's and women's parish organizations.

At the close of the drive the clothing collected in this area will be shipped by the parish committees to the Catholic Relief Services — N.C.W.C. warehouses in the Bronx.

Subsequent ocean transportation is made available by the Foreign Operations Administration, and the final distribution of the clothing to the needy abroad is directed by the personnel of the Catholic Relief Services.

Active Program Planned By Ithaca Young Adults

Ithaca—An active program for the newly formed St. Thomas More Club for young adults of Immaculate Conception Parish in Ithaca was planned at a meeting in Parish Hall, Sunday, Nov. 4.

This Club is for all young adults in the parish of post-high school age—men and women, single and married—and materialized from an existing society which had only young women as members.

At present it is operating with temporary officers who have helped to get the program underway in a systematic manner. These officers are: Bud Brashear, President; Jeannette Lupo, Vice President; Pat Darling, Secretary; Vic Capalongo, Treasurer. It was planned to nominate permanent officers at the next monthly meeting, December 2.

AT SUNDAY'S meeting, a committee was formed to rewrite the Constitution, and an Activities Committee was elected to take charge of the program for the year. The program will consist of both spiritual and social events.

Highlights for the year will be a Thanksgiving Clothing Drive; a movie on the 'Ordination of A Priest", a supper for foreign students attending Cornell; a Day of Recollection; and a Mardi Gras.

To date a bowling party has been held, and the social part of this month's meeting was the showing of a movie of a Cornell football game by a member of the Cornell athletic staff, Patrick J. Filley.

Father Otto J. Vogt is moderator of the Ithaca St. Thomas More Club, and has been the inspiration behind its successful formation.

Birthday Supper Slated In Ithaca

Ithaca—The Altar and Rosary Society of the Immaculate Conception Parish in Ithaca is planning a unique celebration for its next meeting on Nov. 12—it is going to be "everybody's birthday."

The setting will be a buffet-style tureen supper in Parish Hall at 6:30 p.m. A special table will be set up for each month of the year and members will sit at the table representing their birthday month.

The centerpiece for the tables will be birthday cakes baked by some of the women and appropriately decorated for each month. The theme for the overall decorations will be a Thanksgiving one. A group of foreign students attending Cornell University will be the invited guests to this special event.

All women of the parish are invited and are asked to bring dish to share, table service, and rolls. Meat dishes will be provided by a committee.

Lourdian Club Brings Out First Issue Of 'News'

First issue of "Lourdian News" a bulletin sponsored and produced by the members of the Lourdian Club has been issued and is designed to chronicle the activities of the organization.

The Lourdian Club organized in January of 1952 is open to all Catholics of the Elmira area, single or married, from high school age to thirty and meets every Monday evening in the parish hall.

The group arranges parties for swimming, dancing, skating and other recreational activities. They also receive monthly Communion in their respective parishes and hold an annual Communion breakfast.

Officers are: Joseph Wisniewski, president; Mary McLaughlin, vice president; Kathleen Cloke, secretary; Paul Blitz, treasurer, Rev. Leo G. Schwab, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes parish is spiritual director.

Hornell Nurses Name Mrs. Biddle

Hornell — Mrs. Ivan Biddle of Washington St. was elected president of the Hornell Chapter of the National Council of Catholic Nurses at a meeting Wednesday evening, of last week in St. James Mercy Hospital.

Other officers elected are Miss Mary Margaret Sexsmith, secretary; Miss Jean Quartz, treasurer Sister Mary Valerian, Mrs. Theresa O'Brien and Miss Adeline O'Connor, trustees.

The Rev. Leo E. Lynch, chaplain of the Catholic Nurses' chapter, spoke on the meaning of the organization which places emphasis on the spiritual significance of the nursing vocation. Personal sanctification, which leads to a realization of the moral values in a nursing career, is the first responsibility of the Catholic nurse, he said.

Mrs. O'Brien is outgoing president of Hornell Chapter of the NCCN which now has a membership of more than 110 women in this vicinity.

Mrs. Biddle, as newly elected president, heads a large committee in charge of arrangements for the annual Communion breakfast to be held later this month.

SODALITY OF OUR LADY members working on the annual Christmas basket party scheduled at St. Patrick School, Elmira, Nov. 14 are: (from left) Mrs. Thomas E. Butler, Mrs. Jack F. Kosmicki and Mrs. J. Arthur O'Laughlin.

Annual Sodality Party Set For Christmas Basket Fund

The Sodality of Our Lady of St. Patrick's Parish, Elmira will sponsor its annual party to raise funds for Christmas baskets to be distributed to the needy of the parish.

The affair will be held in the school assembly rooms on Wednesday evening Nov. 14 at 8 p.m.

Mrs. Thomas E. Butler and Mrs. Jack F. Kosmicki were named cochairmen. They will be assisted by Mrs. J. Arthur O'Laughlin and Mrs. James F. Owens, tickets; Mrs. John Burke and Mrs. Thomas Walker, awards; Mrs. Glover Longwell, tables; Mrs. Robbert M. Vetter, publicity; Mrs. Jack Bilson and Mrs. Leonard Gorski, refreshments.

Country Store Sale, Supper Slated By Elmira CDA Court

A picnic supper and Country store sale to be sponsored by Elmira Catholic Daughters of America will be held in their rooms on Monday evening, Nov. 12.

The supper will be served commencing at 5:30 p.m. and will continue until all are served.

MEMBERS ARE asked to donate usable, unwrapped articles for the "country store" sale which will begin at 7 p.m.

Mrs. Floyd Wilcox and Mrs. Peter Chalk, cochairmen announced the following committee, Miss Mary Katherine Margraff, Mesdames Edward J. Widman, Wayne Bailey, Walter Daily, William Hulbert, Carroll Ripley, Pierno Masia, Fred Knapp, Leo Eldred, Charles Statts, Packer Harrison, Charles McCarthy, Patrick Nelson and John McMahon.

Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Wilcox at 2-2668 or Mrs. Chalk at 4-9810. Members may invited friends.

St. Mary Church Lists '40 Hours'

Forty Hours devotion will open in St. Mary Church, Elmira on Sunday morning Nov. 11 at 11 a.m. with a Solemn High Mass to be celebrated by Father Romanus, S.A.

Services will be held on Sunday, Monday evenings and Solemn closing will take place on Tuesday evening with a Solemn High Mass.

Evening services are at 7:45 p.m. and daily Masses will be celebrated on Monday and Tuesday mornings at 6, 7 and 7:45 a.m. On Wednesday morning Holy Communion will be distributed at 6 and 6:45 a.m. and the Masses will be at 7 and 7:45.

Rev. Thomas Kane, assistant pastor at St. Cecilia Church, Elmira will preach on Sunday and the Rev. Edward Shamon, assistant pastor of St. Mary's of the Lake, Watkins Glen, will speak on Monday.

Immaculate Heart Society Slates Card Fete Monday

A card party will be held Monday, Nov. 12 at 8 p.m. in the parish hall of St. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira by the Immaculate Heart Society. Awards will be presented and refreshments will be served after the games.

Mrs. Robert Ryan, General chairman has appointed the following committees: Awards: — Mrs. Robert Garner, Chairman assisted by Mrs. Rosemary Edwards, Miss Marlene Halstead and Mrs. Edward Elston.

Refreshments — Mrs. Edward Sinnott, chairman asisted by Mrs. Robert O'Connor, Mrs. Julia Richards, Mrs. Floyd Nodine, Mrs. Joseph Hentz, Mrs. Leo McPherson, Mrs. James Danna, Mrs. Paul Reidy, Jr. and Mrs. James Moore.

Tickets—Mrs. Raymond Maher, Chairman assisted by Mrs. John Dowdle, Mrs. Joseph Woodhouse, Mrs. William Griffin, Mrs. Emilio Paganelli, Mrs. Charles Walker, Mrs. Henry Shay, Mrs. Gerald Steiner, Mrs. George Gates, Miss Anastasia Rensinki and Mrs. Arthur Jump.

Reception—Miss Frances Battersby, Chairman, assisted by Mrs. Vincent Laughton, Mrs. Joseph Rice and Mrs. John Clark. Euchre Hostess—Mrs. Howard Duffy. Coke Machine — Mrs. Clyde Kent.

Coming Nurses ReelectPresident

Corning — Mrs. Margaret Donahue was reelected president of Corning Council of Catholic Nurses at the K. of C. Home.

Named with her were: Miss Amelia Busam, vice president, succeeding Miss Helen McMahon; Mrs. Celia Smith, secretary, succeeding Mrs. Margaret Lindsley. Mrs. Helen Older was elected treasurer to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Mary Kester, who resigned.

Plans were made for a Christmas dance, Dec. 12 in the Catholic Daughters of America rooms and a meeting of all councils in the Diocese of Rochester to be held Nov. 18 at 3:30 p.m. in St. Francis De Sales Hall, Geneva.

Mrs. Joan Mahoney, Mrs. Mary Martuscello and Mrs. Loraine Galvin are members of the dance committee.

A delegation from the local council will attend the Geneva meeting to hear a talk by the Rev. Paul G. Wohlrab.

250 Due At Dinner For K. of C. Leader

More than 250 are expected at the Testimonial Dinner for Basil Vaillancourt at the Mark Twain Hotel, Elmira on Sunday evening, Nov. 11 at 6 p.m.

Edward A. Clauss, Faithful Navigator of Elmira Assembly, Fourth Degree nights of Columbus has named the following reception committee: Paul H. McCabe, ohn D. Frawley, Paul M. Donovan, Anthony B. Cleri, Charles D. O'Hara, George A. Good, Francis T. Steed, Francis B. O'Connor, Dr. Walter C. Ervin Jr. Charles J. Kromer, Edward C. J. Marks, Emmett W. Gilson and Thomas F. Isaf.

Representatives from local, State and Supreme offices will head a large delegation of visiting and Elmira area Fourth Degree Knights and their ladies in paying tribute to the work of Vaillancourt as Master of the Fourth Degree for ten years.

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Murray	154	174	171	Corsi	138	152	144
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Ryll	178	172	214	Horgan	134	156	157
Schmidt	148	129	183	Collins	92	108	102
Mann'g	135	133	149	Savino	115	118	123
Sullivan	156	118	169	Ervin	208	187	152
Kerwan	189	169	170	T.Savino	225	174	162
Hand'p	169	168	168	Hand'ap	185	185	285
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Kerski	170	179	188	Tigue	160	161	153
T.Sull'n	140	114	160	Trainor	142	105	117
Clark	134	168	149	Fennell	157	151	132
Seman	125	141	190	R.SullH'p	188	172	181
Powell	176	142	123	Nelson	173	208	163
Hand'p	167	167	167	Hand'p	180	180	180
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High School Retreat Listed

The Rev. Lawrence M. Wilson, S.J., of Canisius College, Buffalo, will conduct a retreat for high school girls at the Cenacle Retreat House, 893 East Avenue, on the week-end of Nov. 16-18.

The retreat will open on Friday evening and close on Sunday afternoon.

The retreat is open to all high school girls. Reservations may be made now by telephoning Mother Hahn at the Cenacle Convent, BRowning 1-8755.

Hospital Campaign Division Leaders Named In Elmira

Division leaders in the $1,000,000 campaign of St. Joseph Hospital, Elmira to erect three new wings and make changes in present buildings were announced today. The campaign was opened last night in the Mark Twain Hotel.

Dr. Milton Goldsmith was named by Judge Daniel J. Donahoe, general chairman, to head the Business and Professional Division.

Dr. Goldsmith has chosen Mrs. Julian Caster, Burleigh M. Names, O. Lawrence Creighton, and Dr. Joseph Ferraioli as vice chairman to serve as section leaders.

The division has a quota of $150,000 in the $1,000,000 expansion fund campaign and will enlist some 300 workers to cover commercial firms and professional groups.

One section will solicit public employees, city, county, state, and federal.

SOME 400 employees of St. Joseph's Hospital will be solicited by the hospital family division, under the chairmanship of Sister John Francis, assistant administrator, who will be assisted by Sister M. Ligouri, who directs public relations for the hospital. This division will seek to raise a quota of $10,000.

Mrs. Robert W. Robinson, president of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital, will head the metropolitan and allied towns division in the current campaign for the hospital, according to an announcement by Judge Daniel J. Donahoe, general chairman.

Mrs. Robinson's division will cover residential and neighborhood areas. More than 300 women volunteers are being enlisted by Mrs. Robinson and her vice chairmen, Mrs. George S. Hughes, Mrs. Joseph R. Spiegel, and Mrs. J. John Hassett, Jr.

This division has accepted a quota of $50,000 for the city and suburbs and $15,000 for allied towns.

HORSEHEADS WILL have its own organization under the chairmanship of Mayor Howard C. Carpenter, who will be assisted by Kenneth L. Shull and William J. Wigsten, co-chairmen of the advance gifts division, James J. Lynch, chairman of the metropolitan division, and Leo F. Walker, chairman of the business and professional division.

Captains in Mrs. Hughes' section will be: Mrs. James C. Granger, Mrs. John C. Gridley, Mrs. Bernard T. Reidy, Mrs. James Brady, Mrs. W. Kenneth Merrill, Mrs. William Robenolt, Mrs. Patrick J. Sullivan, Mrs. James Wilson and Miss Mary Wipfler.

Mrs. Spiegel's captains are: Mrs. Milton B. Cohen, Miss Agnes Cusick, Mrs. William Danaher, Mrs. Walter Ervin, Sr., Mrs. Leon C. Hogg, Mrs. Eugene Hourihan, Mrs. William M. Kelly, Mrs. James Murphy, Mrs. L. H. Rosenbloom, and Mrs. E. S. Welton.

Mrs. Hassett's captains include: Mrs. Maurice E. Butler, Mrs. John J. Richardson, Miss Rose M. DeSocio, Miss Laurice Joseph, Mrs. Daniel R. Laux, Mrs. James Marks, Mrs. Donald H. Miller, Mrs. Richard O. Monahan, Mrs. Carmen Musico, and Mrs. John O. Murtaugh.

$15,000 Sum Pledged By Auxiliary

St. Joseph's Hospital Women's Auxiliary voted a $15,000 pledge toward the $1 million dollar hospital building fund Monday, Nov. 5, in the Dunn Memorial Nurses Residence, Elmira.

A panel discussion on the activities of various service committees was held. Participating on the panel were: Mrs. James Steiner, Chairman of the Auxiliary Cart; Mrs. Leon C. Hogg, Placement Chairman; Sister Mary Roch, Chairman of Baby Alumni, and Mrs. Eugene Hourihan, Chairman of the Sewing Committee, Sister M. Ligouri, Chairman of Volunteer Services acted as Moderator.

Mrs. Hogg reported on the meetings of the Women's Auxiliary held in conjunction with the American Hospital Association Convention in Chicago during October.

Miss Rose DeSocio, Auxiliary Treasurer, distributed 50 dolls to be dressed for the Arctic Leper. Miss DeSocio is Chairman of this project.

A CHECK for $500.44 was presented to Sister Margaret Adelaide, hospital administrator for the purchase of dishes to be used at social functions.

Refreshments were served following the business meeting. Members acting as hostesses were Mrs. John Kondrk, Chairman assisted by Mrs. John Limoncelli, Mrs. Eugene Rhode, Mrs. Carmen Musico, and Mrs. Leonard Obler.

Mrs. Robert W. Robinson, Auxiliary President, presided.

Forty Hours

Devotions of the Forty Hours will be conducted in the following churches of the Diocese of Rochester:

Saturday, Nov. 10 — Sacred Heart Convent, Rochester.

Sunday, Nov. 11 — Our Lady of Lourdes, Rochester; St. Mary, Elmira; Church of the Epiphany, Soho.

Centenarian

Ione, Ore. — (NC) — Bishop Francis P. Leipzig of Baker offered Mass here in honor of Mrs. Ellen Reith of Ione on her 100th birthday.

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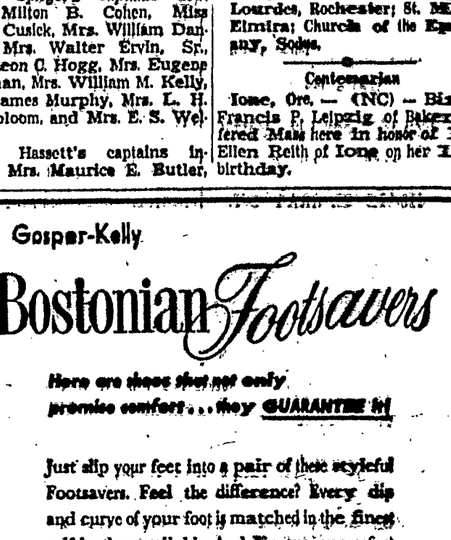

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