



INTERNATIONAL DRILL team champions for 1954 of the Knights of St. John, these members of Mt. Carmel Commandery, Rochester Regiment, are shown with Monsignor Charles J. Azzl, pastor. Trophy at left is the Rose Fromm Memorial Trophy for excellence in membership won by commandery. Drill competition revolving trophy which may be retained by the Commandery after three wins is at right.

Local Drill Team Honored For International Award

A victory testimonial honoring Mt. Carmel Commandery No. 308, International Drill Team competition champions of the Knights of St. John was held Sunday evening, Jan. 20 in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel School hall.

Well attended, the affair was presided over by the commandery and committee headed by Alex. J. Loria, chairman. Principal guests were Lt. Col. John G. Jetter of Rochester Regiment who talked on the difficulties involved in getting a drill team to a convention.

COM. JETTER praised the work of Captain Joseph Cimino and cited the members of the team as a whole. He urged continued efforts to increase membership in the commandery, especially in the uniform rank.

Other honored guests were Col. Emil G. Eckert of Rochester Regiment and Brig. Gen. Al Miller, both of whom praised the success of Mt. Carmel's drill team and uniform rank.

The Rev. William Cosgrove representing the Rt. Rev. Magr. Charles J. Azzl, pastor who was unable to attend expressed Monsignor Azzl's felicitations and thanked the uniform rank for its assistance in past Church celebrations.

Captain Cimino who is retiring as captain thanked the men for their cooperation and loyalty in the past four years. The members of the military rank presented the captain with a chapel, as a token of esteem.

LCBA To Elect, Install Officers

Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association will hold election and installation of officers Monday, Jan. 28 at 8:15 p.m. in Columbus Civic Center. All branches are asked to have representatives. Convention plans will be discussed.

Schools Aid Dimes Drive

Auburn—Catholic high school and grammar schools of Auburn are participating 100% in the Cayuga County March of Dimes, according to Holmes D. Sullivan, chairman.

Recruitment of the Catholic school program was under the direction of Mrs. George A. Snyder. Assisting in the distribution of campaign material have been Alfred M. Patrick, Jr., and James F. Snyder.



Rochester Leader Honored

SUPREME PRESIDENT of the International Order of the Knights of St. John in Rochester, Jan. 22 congratulates Rochester's own, Mrs. Jacob Haslam, supreme president of the Ladies Auxiliary at a testimonial dinner in her honor at Powers Hotel.

Solemn Requiem Mass Offered For Mrs. Resch

Funeral services for Frances Wehner Resch, a charter member of Holy Ghost Church, Coldwater were held Saturday, Jan. 19 at Haulner and Stallknecht Funeral Home, 828 Jay St. and in Holy Ghost Church.

Mrs. Resch, 86 years of age on Christmas Day, died of a heart ailment on Jan. 16, 1957 in Park Ave. Hospital. She left 101 direct survivors. Her home was at 2732 Mantou Road.

Solemn Mass of Requiem was celebrated by the Rev. Albert J. Geiger assisted by the Rev. Richard C. Stanton, deacon and the Rev. John Steger, sub-deacon. Also in the sanctuary was the Rev. W. Darcy Bolger.

Bearers were Carl Hosenfeld, Edward Statt, John Wehner, Raymond, Edwin and John Resch. Widow of Joseph Resch who died in 1900, she was left at the age of 28 to support her seven small children. They all survive.

SHE WAS PRESENT when the cornerstone of the original Holy Ghost Church was laid and was the oldest living member of the Sacred Heart Society in which she took a keen interest and was an active participant.

Surviving are four sons, Ambrose, Joseph, Fred and Frank; three daughters, Mrs. Andrew Statt, Mrs. Emil Hosenfeld and Mrs. Edward McAvoy of Syracuse; four brothers, Fred Ambrose George and Louis Wehner; four sisters, Mrs. Vincent Maxwell, Mrs. George Kirchner, Miss Elizabeth Wehner and Miss Marie Wehner. 33 grandchildren and 61 great-grandchildren. Two of her nieces are Sister Ambrose of Auburn and Sister Victoria of Rochester.

Burial was in Holy Ghost Cemetery. Final blessing was imparted by Father Geiger assisted by Father Stanton.

IFCA Saturday Mass At Nazareth Convent

First Saturday Mass sponsored by Rochester Circle, International Federation of Catholic Alumnae will be celebrated Feb. 2 at 8:30 a.m. in Nazareth Academy Convent Chapel, 16 Lake View Park according to Mrs. Howard Stauffer, regent.

Reservations for breakfast are being made with Mrs. Samuel Gove, HUBbard 2-4067 and Miss Ethel Seru, BUtler 8-6871.

Mrs. Stauffer said that First Saturday Masses during 1957 will be in commemoration of Bishop Kearney's Jubilee Year.

Mindszenty Book Vienna — (RNS) — A book written by Cardinal Mindszenty, Roman Catholic Primate of Hungary, has been published here under the title, "Cardinal Mindszenty Warns." It contains pastoral letters and speeches written by the Cardinal.

The 70th annual statement of the association shows total assets of \$5,375,802.62, a record in the history of the association. Surplus and undivided profits reached a new peak of \$691,656.59.

Ereth said the association has become a member of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation. Three per cent is the anticipated annual dividend beginning with semi-annual dividend period, Jan. 1, 1957, through June 30, 1957.

The following officers were re-elected: president, Ereth; vice president, Frank J. Hilberer; treasurer, Michael Reinhardt; secretary and manager, Eugene H. Wolf; assistant secretary, Raymond C. Neubert; directors, Ereth, Hilberer, Wolf, Reinhardt, William Ludwig, Daniel W. Metzendorf and Oscar Steinwachs; attorney, Henry H. Wickes.

Good Shepherd Guild To Meet

Good Shepherd Guild will meet Monday, Jan. 28, in the Hotel Seneca at 8 p.m. with Miss Alice Morand, president, presiding.

Plans for the membership drive will be outlined by Mrs. Francis G. Wagner, chairman. Serving as co-chairman will be Mrs. Paul B. Rombaut.

Miss Helen O'Harrigan, program chairman, will introduce Perry Myers of the Social Security Administration, who will discuss the 1956 amendments to the Social Security Act.

Refreshments will be served during the social hour under the direction of Mrs. Roy C. Meisenzahl.

Pressmen Smorgasbord Invites Employers

Sixth Annual Smorgasbord of Rochester Pressmen's Union, Local 38 will be held at the Moose Club, 441 East Ave., Saturday, Jan. 25 from 1 to 5 p.m. Employers are being invited. Members may bring guests.

Web Pressmen of Local 36 are joining with Local 38 in sponsoring the Smorgasbord.

Mike Costa and Frank Rossi head the committee. Refreshments will be served.

PERPETUAL HELP SOCIETY Perpetual Help Society will meet Wednesday, Jan. 30 at 1 p.m. in the Nurses' Home of St. Mary's Hospital. Chairman will be Mrs. Edward Herberle assisted by Miss Julia Halberle, Mrs. Augustine Hall and Mrs. Edward Hartzel.



PLAN CONVENT CAMPAIGN IN GATES — Priests and parishioners of Holy Ghost Church, Coldwater Road, Gates, plan a fund drive for construction of a new convent for the School Sisters of Notre Dame who staff Holy Ghost School. Pictured from left are: seated—Joseph Entress, advanced gifts committee chairman; the Rev. Albert J. Geiger, pastor; Robert J. Wahl, general committee chairman; standing—James Griffin and Robert Hansford, general vice chairmen; the Rev. Richard G. Stanton, assistant pastor; John Russar and Arthur Wischnmeyer, advanced gifts committee group leaders. Parish-wide solicitation, with a minimum goal of \$90,000 in three-year pledges, is scheduled Feb. 10. (Photo by Tom Casey).

Kesseling Couple Marks 55th Jubilee

Accompanied by their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Kesseling of 150 Knickerbocker Ave., will observe their 55th wedding anniversary by attending the 8 a.m. Mass at Sacred Heart Cathedral, Jan. 27. Two grandchildren, John and Thomas Wetzel will serve as altar boys.

A dinner, honoring the couple, will be given Sunday by their children.

The couple, both born in Rochester, have six children, Gerard J., Mrs. Gerald J. (Coletta) Wahl, Mrs. Louis C. (Amelia) Rebmam, Clarence C., William J. and Mrs. John J. (Rita) Wetzel. There are 17 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

The family will assist at recitation of the Rosary at St. Francis of Assisi Church broadcast over Station W5AY at 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28 on the Family Rosary for Peace Program; led by the couple's son, William.

Televised Movie Set To Show VFW Home

As a feature of the 58th Annual National Veterans of Foreign Wars Week celebration, Jan. 20 to 26, a movie will be televised Saturday, Jan. 25 on Channel 5 from 5:30 to 6 p.m.

Entitled "Joe's Kid," the movie highlights points of interest at the VFW National Home for members orphans and widows.

Aides Named To Conduct Holy Ghost Convent Appeal

Top committeemen for the new convent campaign in Holy Ghost parish, Coldwater Road, Gates, were announced this week by the Rev. Albert J. Geiger, pastor. Parishwide solicitation is scheduled Feb. 10.

GENERAL CHAIRMAN of the 150-man committee is Robert J. Wahl of Coldwater Road. Serving as vice-chairmen are James Griffin and Robert Hansford. Advanced gifts are under the chairmanship of Joseph Entress with Donald Meagher, John Russar and Arthur Wischnmeyer as group leaders.

Advisory committee members, headed by Frank Bubel, include Dr. Joseph Conduclit, Charles Datz, Leo Entress, Nell Gulliano, Dr. Vito Laglia, Robert Predmore, John Reidman, Jerome Shaughnessy, Rupert Vogel and Clarence Young.

Division leaders are Eugene Dries, Donald Dudley, Lawrence Herendeen, Thomas McCullen, Walter Pelkey, Edwin Repp, Edwin Schmitz and Eugene Statt.

CAMPAIGN lieutenants will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 31, in the parish hall. Men of the parish not yet contacted have been invited by Father Geiger to attend the meeting.

Three-year pledges will be sought from all parishioners on Feb. 10. Minimum goal is \$90,000. The new convent, already under construction, will replace the present inadequate frame school building housing seven School Sisters of Notre Dame who staff Holy Ghost School.

Capri Club Lists Dance

C.Y.O. Capri Club will hold a dance in the ballroom of the Columbus Civic Center on Friday, Jan. 25. John Holahan is in charge of refreshments. Dick Emerich is the newly appointed chairman of the entertainment committee.

The membership drive got underway at a dinner meeting held on Jan. 16. Sara Vetroville is chairman, assisted by the following: Betty Zugelder, Ed Clufflin, Evelyn Contestabile, Jim Mallen, and Marguerite Timmons.

Purpose of the Capri Club is to provide religious and social activities of mutual interest to single Catholics 25 and over and to support all C.Y.O. activities as a service organization entirely on a voluntary basis. There is a bridge club within the Capri Club.

Additional information about the club may be obtained by calling the C.Y.O. office at BAKER 5-7400 or by attending one of the activities.

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