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AWARD RECIPIENTS at the graduation of nurses of St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing, Elmira shown with His Excellency, Auxiliary Bishop Casey who presented the honors. In photo (from left) Joan Marie Sweeney of Rochester; Deirdre Ann Kilcoyne, Bishop Casey, Patricia Ann Orlosky, and Joan Marie Brown, other three nurses from Elmira.

Mt. Saviour's First Candidate Is Ordained

Mount Saviour Monastery's first candidate for the priesthood was ordained Sunday August 4, in the Abbey of St. Benoit-du-Lac, Prov. of Quebec, Canada.

Father Augustine McGowan, O.S.B., son of Mrs. William McGowan of Cheshire, Conn., and the late Mr. McGowan, received the priesthood from the Archbishop Georges Cabana, of Sherbrooke.

FATHER AUGUSTINE entered the Elmira monastery July 5, 1952. He made his novitiate at the Canadian abbey and took his first vows at Mount Saviour in March, 1954. He was sent to the International Benedictine College of S. Anselmo, Rome, where he continued his theological studies. There he made his final vows on March 25, 1957.

He was ordained subdeacon and deacon at Subiaco, Italy, where St. Benedict, author of the Rule followed by the monks, established himself at the end of the 5th Century.

Before entering Mount Saviour, Father Augustine was graduated from Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C., and received his M.A. degree in Philosophy from Notre Dame University. He served in the U.S. Army from 1944-46.

Father Augustine's first Solemn Mass will be celebrated in his home parish of St. Mary Magdalen at Oakville, Conn. on August 11. On August 13, feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, he will celebrate his first High Mass at Mount Saviour at 9 a.m. Friends of the monastery are invited.

Watkins Holy Name Men. List Communion

Members of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's of the Lake Church will have their monthly Corporate Communion Sunday, August 11.

All members will meet in the driveway to march in a body to the Church prior to the 7 a.m. Mass.

Atty. John Callahan, President reminds each member of the special graces he receives when he takes part in a procession in the honor of the Holy Name.

In keeping with the custom, no meeting will be held in Aug.

Assumption Feastday Masses Set In Elmira

Schedule of Masses in the Elmira area for the feast of the Assumption of Our Blessed Mother, Thursday, August 15, a holy day of obligation, is:

St. Mary's—5:30, 7, 8, 9, 12:15, noon and 5:30 p.m.
St. Patrick's—5:30, 6:15, 7, 8, 9, 12:15 noon and 5:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Lourdes—6, 7, 12:15 noon and 5:30 p.m.
St. Anthony's—7, 9 and 12:15 noon and 7:30 p.m.
St. Cecilia's—5:30, 7:15 and 8:15 a.m. and 5:15 p.m.
St. Casimir's—5:30, 7, 8 and 5:30 p.m.
St. Peter and Paul's—7, 8:30 and 12:15 noon and 5:30 p.m.
St. John the Baptist—7, 8 and 5:15 p.m.
St. Charles Borromeo—6, 7, 8, 12:15 noon and 7:30 p.m.
St. Mary's—Horseheads—6, 7, 8 and 12:15 noon and 7:30 p.m.

Cardinal Spellman Accepts State Chaplaincy of K.C.

His Eminence Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, has accepted the State Chaplaincy of the Knights of Columbus, according to Emmett Burke of Yonkers, State Deputy. The order now numbers 108,000 members in the Empire State jurisdiction. There are now 290 Councils from Long Island to Buffalo.

IN REQUESTING the Cardinal to serve, State Deputy Burke pointed out that the K. of C. this year is celebrating its 75th anniversary diamond jubilee and His Eminence the 25th anniversary of his consecration as a Bishop.

Cardinal Spellman has been a member of the K. of C. since his youth, joining the order in his native Whitman, Mass.

He entered the Fourth Degree in New York on Oct. 11, 1942, when he headed a class of 300 candidates. This was the 450th anniversary of the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus, at which time the Knights rededicated themselves to the nation's war effort.

Library Maps 10th Anniversary Plans

Plans for the tenth annual observance of St. Christopher's Library are under way.

Miss Mary Newsome, president of the Board of Directors of the Library has named Miss Grace E. Miller as general chairman to be assisted by Miss Catherine Connelly who is preparing a Book Fair in connection with the occasion.

Mrs. Catherine Ervin and Mrs. Francis B. O'Connor are in charge of refreshments; Mrs. Cressy A. Mowrey and Mrs. Edmund B. Maloney, invitations and announcements; Mrs. Marvin E. Johnson, publicity; Mrs. Daniel F. Kennedy, music.

Rev. Benedict A. Ehmann, Moderator for the Library Board is assisting with arrangements for the affair that will be held in the Library rooms at State and East Church Streets on Sunday afternoon Sept. 8 at 3.

Recreation Program
Trier, Germany—(NC)—Catholic Charities of the Trier diocese is sponsoring a month-long children's recreation program in wooded areas near here.

Eighth Annual Vacation School Ends in Dryden

Dryden—Religious Vacation School of Dryden Catholic Missions closed Sunday, July 28, when 35 youngsters received their First Holy Communion. This was the eighth annual vacation school in the parish.

In point of numbers it was reported the most successful. The average daily attendance was 151 children from kindergarten through eighth grade.

The school was under the direction of Sister Marietta, Sister Agnes Gonzaga and Sister Amy Vincent of the Sisters of St. Joseph. They were assisted by three lay teachers.

Transportation to and from school was provided by 25 volunteer drivers from the parish. The classes were held in the school building at George Junior Republic and recreation, including swimming, was enjoyed on the Republic grounds.

Bishop Casey Confers Diplomas On 24 Nurses

Commencement exercises for 24 graduates of St. Joseph Hospital School of Nursing, were held at St. Peter and Paul Church, Elmira, Sunday, August 4 at 3:30 p.m. About 500 attended the ceremony.

His Excellency, Auxiliary Bishop Lawrence B. Casey presided and presented pins and diplomas. The graduates were presented to Bishop Casey by the Rev. Philip E. McGhan, hospital chaplain. Following the presentation, Bishop Casey imparted his blessing to the graduates.

As Commencement speaker, Bishop Casey congratulated the graduates on completing the three-year course. He said the commencement was solemn as well as happy because it was taking place in the Church in the presence of Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

This ceremony, he said "is an opportunity for all of you to rededicate and reconsecrate your lives to the service of the sick."

The pages of the New Testament show how much concerned Christ was with care of the sick. The work of nurses is to serve humanity and soothe the wounds of the suffering, Bishop Casey said.

He congratulated the parents and emphasized the sacrifices they had made to make this day possible for their daughters.

FOUR AWARDS were announced by Father McGhan and presented by Bishop Casey.

Deirdre Ann Kilcoyne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kilcoyne, 313 Lorraine Street, Elmira, received the Reverend Francis J. Walker Memorial Award for Highest Scholastic Average. This award has been presented annually for several years, and is in memory of Reverend Francis J. Walker, former Chaplain at St. Joseph's.

Patricia Ann Orlosky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orlosky, 714 1/2 Linden Place, Elmira, received the St. Joseph's Alumnae Award for Excellency in Nursing Practice. This award is sponsored by St. Joseph's Hospital Alumnae Association.

Joan Marie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown, 336 West Washington Avenue, Elmira, received the Margaret M. Valicenti Award for Outstanding Operation Room Nursing. This award was presented for the first time this year in memory of Mrs. Joseph Valicenti, the former Margaret M. Valicenti, Class of 1940, St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing.

Joan Marie Sweeney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweeney, 947 Meigs Street, Rochester, received the Award for a Graduate for Leadership in Professional Organizational work. This award is sponsored by District No. 1, New York State Nurses' Association.

St. Joseph's student nurses and Nazareth College nursing students in residence at St. Joseph's acted as an honorary escort for the class in the procession from the Nurses' Residence to the Church. Nazareth nursing students served as ushers. Each graduate wore a corsage of red roses presented by the Medical Staff of St. Joseph's Hospital.

A special group of fourth degree Knights of Columbus acted as Bishop Casey's honor guard.

The exercises closed with Solemn Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament with Bishop Casey as Celebrant.

The Season of Benediction was Rev. Hubert A. Kirby, Pastor of St. Peter and Paul's Church, Elmira. Subdeacon was the Rev. Albert Horn, Assistant Pastor, St. Mary's Church, Elmira.

Among visiting clergy in the sanctuary was the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Brian, dean of Chemung-Schuyler Deanery, and

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Pastor Turns Earth On Catechetical Center Site At Glen

Watkins Glen—A groundbreaking ceremony marking the beginning of construction of a Catechetical and Social Center took place at St. Mary of the Lake Church, Watkins Glen on August 4. Work will start within the week.

The Rev. Benedict Ehmann, pastor, turned the first shovel of dirt followed by the Rev. Edward Shannon, assistant pastor. Both priests spoke after which all present joined in reciting the Rosary.

The group marched in procession to the church and the ceremony ended with Benediction.

Social Security Deadline for Clergy

Washington—(RNS)—The House Ways and Means Committee approved a bill to extend for two years the period in which ministers, missionaries, and members of religious orders may elect social security coverage.

The deadline for election of such coverage (except for newly-ordained ministers) was April 15, 1957. The new measure, sponsored by Rep. Burr P. Harrison (D-Va.) would extend the deadline to April 15, 1959.

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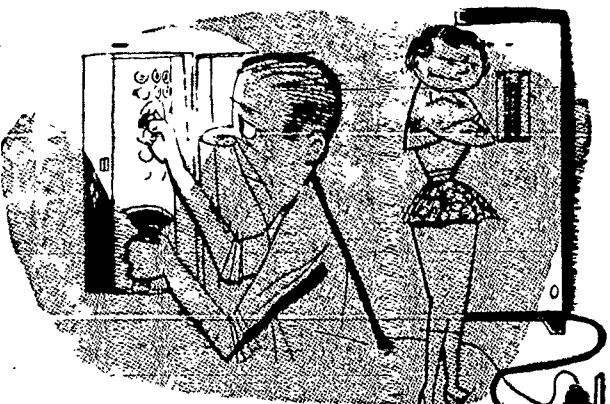
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