

Catholic Press Lists Student Essay Contest

A nation-wide Catholic Press essay contest was launched this week with student in diocesan high schools invited to take part. The contest is part of the observance of February as Catholic Press Month. Cash prizes will be awarded authors of the two best essays submitted from Rochester Diocese high schools. The two winning essays will be awarded a \$25 first prize and \$15 second prize. They will then be submitted in competition for three national prizes of \$200, \$100 and \$50. Title of the essay is to be "How the Catholic Press Helps me in my Studies". Sponsoring the contest is the Catholic Press Association of America. Monsignor John S. Randall, managing editor of the Courier-Journal is president of the association. He said this week that the diocesan paper will provide informative Catholic Press Month kits to students. Entries have been sent to principals and students in grades 9 through 12 are eligible to enter the contest.

Panel Talks On 'Retarded Child' Listed At School

A panel discussion on "The Retarded Child in This Community" will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 3 in the School of the Holy Childhood, 215 Andrew St., at 8:00 p.m. The public is invited to the session sponsored by the Parents Group of the School and the Mental Health Committee of the Health Association of Rochester and Monroe County. PARTICIPATING will be Francis Kelly, M.D., a psychiatrist in private practice; Frances Parsons, Ph.D., a psychologist with the Diagnostic Services for the Retarded at the University Medical Center, Irwin Brown, Ph.D., director of the Rochester Hearing and Speech Center, and Robert H. Wagner, president of the Monroe County Chapter of the Association for Help of Retarded Children. The Rev. George S. Wood, spiritual advisor at the school, will serve as moderator.

Nunda Men List Second Banquet

Nunda Men's Club of Holy Angels Church will have its second annual banquet on Wednesday, Feb. 26 at the Grosvenor Hotel, Nunda. The banquet will be held at 7:30 p.m. and will feature a dinner and entertainment. The speaker at the dinner will be Rev. William J. S. Herra, pastor of Holy Angels Church. Chairman is Thomas Byrnes.

Release Time Pupils Use Hall Rising In Churchville Parish

Work on St. Vincent de Paul Church hall construction in Churchville has progressed to a point where the hall is being used for release time classes in religion for grammar and high school pupils, according to the Rev. John L. Maxwell, principal. Miss June Bruton was elected president of the Rosary Society at a meeting held in St. Vincent de Paul's Rectory, Jan. 27. Also elected were: Mrs. Terence Kavanagh, vice president; Mrs. John Freeman, secretary and Mrs. William West, treasurer.

Mrs. Mary Schneider Funeral Mass Held

Funeral Mass for Mrs. Mary D. Schneider was offered by the Rev. Leo V. Smith in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, Monday after services at L. W. Maler's Sons. Mrs. Schneider, widow of Frank Schneider, died at the age of 85 at 184 Scottsville Road. She was a member of the Rosary Society of St. Andrew Church. Six grandsons were bearers. They were Leonard, Joseph and John Glasser and Leo, Eugene and Robert Schneider. Mrs. Schneider is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mary Glasser and the Misses Loretta and Eunice Schneider, the last a former member of the Courier-Journal staff; two sons, Frank A. and Andrew C. Schneider; 13 grand children; 22 great grandchildren; her brother, Joseph Schaffner of Freiburg, Germany and several nieces and nephews. Blessing at the chapel in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery was imparted by the Rev. Leo A. Matuzewski.

More Club Lists Valentine Dance

St. Thomas More Club's second annual Valentine's Day social formal will be held at Brookline Country Club on Friday, Feb. 11. All are invited. Tickets are \$3.50 per couple and will be obtained at the door. Robert Grout, chairman, and his committee promise a full evening of dancing, prizes and entertainment with the selection of a queen of the ball as the keynote. Proceeds of the dance are to be presented to St. Andrew Parish in appreciation for their spiritual and material help and cooperation during the past year. Any additional information may be obtained by calling Grout at GL 3-2898 W or Ted Florack at GE 8-1996 J.

St. Mary's League To Select Staff

A nominating committee will be selected at the meeting of St. Mary's League, Wednesday, Feb. 5 at 8 p.m. in the Catholic Women's Club, 215 Alexander St. Cards will be played. Plans for the birthday party at St. Joseph's Villa on Saturday, Feb. 22 will be discussed. Mrs. George Esse is in charge of this meeting.

McQuaid, Aquinas Boys Take Scholastic Honors

Three hundred fifty-five Aquinas Institute students made the honor scroll and 235 were awarded scholastic honors following examinations last week.

Students, Dads To Dine, Dance

A total of 235 students of McQuaid Jesuit High were awarded scholastic honors for the school period Dec. 1-Dec. 16. At an assembly of the student body on Monday the Rev. James Barnett, S.J., rector, presented testimonials to 121 students who had achieved the mark of 85 or better in every one of their subjects. Honorable mention was made of 114 students who had crowned the mark of 80 in each of their subjects with a general average of 80 or better in all.

Bishop Blesses Rings

The altar class at St. Agnes High received their glass rings January 28. Bishop Kearney blessed the rings in a special ceremony after he offered Mass in honor of St. Agnes in the auditorium. The girls later to wear their rings in their home rooms. The school ring is a gold band with an oval stone surmounted with a gold palm which symbolizes the martyrdom of St. Agnes.

Basketball Schedule

TONIGHT: Notre Dame High, Elmira at Seton Catholic. McQuaid at Brockport High. Mt. Carmel High, Auburn at Port Byron, 7 p.m. SUNDAY: Aquinas at Bishop Timon, Buffalo. TUESDAY: Spencer High at Notre Dame High, Elmira, 6:30 p.m.

Book Review Set

Mrs. H. Len Gibson will give a book review at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 4 in St. Joseph House of Hospitality, 492 South Ave. She will review "Cry the Heart," a story of the Nobel Peace Prize by Hertha Pauli. Mrs. Gibson's talk is another in a series of one-monthly lectures sponsored by the Fides Forum, a discussion group organized by those who conduct the House of Hospitality. The public is welcome.

Sauters Mark 60th Jubilee

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sauter, 59 Burrows St., life-long members of Holy Family Parish will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary beginning with Mass and Communion at Holy Family Church, Saturday, Feb. 1 at 9 a.m. Breakfast and a dinner at the home with members of the family and friends are scheduled during the day.

St. Margaret Guild To Hold Meeting

St. Margaret of Scotland Guild will meet Feb. 5 at the Ridge Road Meeting Hall at 8:15 p.m. The meeting will be conducted by the newly elected officers: Mrs. H. McStradick, president; Mrs. James Kane, vice president; Mrs. M. Brown, secretary; and Mrs. Charles Innis, treasurer.

Archconfraternity Lists Breakfast

Archconfraternity of the Holy Family of St. Joseph Church will meet Sunday, Feb. 2. The members will attend 7:30 Mass and receive Communion in a book. Breakfast will be served after the Mass in the school hall followed by Conference given by the Spiritual director. Miss Evelyn Cassidy is breakfast hostess, assisted by Misses Mary Hynes, Irene Kress, Edna Finzer, Teresa Stukas, and Mildred Ritz.



Derby Winner

Winner of the miniature soap box derby held by Holy Redeemer Cub Pack 189, Thomas Muir, left, shows his excitement as his car crosses the finish line first. Watching the finish are Edward M. Wandtke (treasurer of the committee), and John Wandtke, winner of the den chiefs race. The race was held Monday in the school hall.

Sports Program Slated By New Auburn Parish

Auburn—A sports smoker is scheduled Feb. 11 by the Holy Name Society and Men's Club of Sacred Heart Parish, Auburn. Bob Keegan of the Chicago White Sox, only pitcher in organized baseball to compete a night game in 1957, will be the featured speaker.

Nurse Alumnae Elect Officers

Alumnae of St. Mary Hospital School of Nursing elected Virginia Hafler and Kathleen McMillan as president and treasurer respectively at a meeting Monday at the Nurses Home. Other officers continuing their terms are Ann Reeger, vice president; Jean Lynam, correspondent; Irene Nuthinagle, publicity secretary; Helen Ward, Rosemary Hessel and Margaret Myers, board of directors.

Seminarians Attend Day of Recollection

A Day of Recollection will be held at St. Andrew Seminary, Feb. 7 by the Rev. Leo Pincus, C.S.B., of St. John Fisher College. Leo Pincus, sports editor of the Auburn Citizen Advertiser, will be toastmaster. A luncheon will be served by ladies of the Mothers' Club and of the Rosary Society at 6:30 p.m. Joseph V. DeLoach, general manager. He is being assisted by Herman Jesse as general chairman and by Harold Wood and John Hassett as directors. Carol Caffrey.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

St. Charles HN	200 games, Attness 212-21, 16031, Kujawa 221-203-992, P. A. 219-16000, Fess 275, H. L. 219-16000, Savoy 275, H. L. 209, Klem 208, Loveland 275, Darling 211
St. Charles Ladies	High total and high single Claire Leblanc 300-191
Leis Fun. Home	7134, Veltz Shoe Store 7134, Butler 505, 5451, Walker Ap 487-567, Kates Realtor 425-627, O'Brien Gift Center 28-77
Sacred Heart Men's Club	Pooler Fun. Home 6139, Esser 57-43, Southport 589, 557, 447, Farrell Ross Fun. Home 55-45, Grinnan Mkt. 517-47, Keystone Bid. Sup. 547-457, Welker Grill 51-59, Foley Assoc. 507-497, Ludington's 41-50, O'Reilly Tax. 40-60, Sharrows 40-60, Feldman Realtors 39-61
St. Theodore's	200 games, St. Miarik 222, Colligan 221-203, C. Coffey 211, J. Wilson 202, A. Coen 202, Case 201, Nelson 201, Schifferell 201, Tree Top Inn 75-25, Lally 61, 682-317, White Oak Dairy 61, 39, Coco Mkt. 58-42, Hook's 58-42
Catholic Men	200 games, Dancy 23, 234, Homan 23, Wozniowski 231, 617-137, 227, Tiffin, Mauro Kozicki 220, Kinney 217-212, Pflieger 215, Kiel 210, Entenenti Elanogre, Compagnone, Michalo 209-209, Aon 208, Ino, Gifflo 205, Leacock 205, Macz, Elbert 205, Kiv, 205, Sova, Meteky Groek 400-201, Dines Bauer Iuppa Wender-Kesler 202, Lally 201, Stages, Fazio, Meith, Malcholski 200
St. Joseph's	7237, St. Joseph's 7034, Santala's 7035, HRAA 2 67-48, St. Theresa's 1-63-42, Holy Rosary 627-427, OLPH 1-627-427, Most Precious Blood 62-43, Notre Dame Retreat League 617-137, Holy Apostles 6144, Crusaders 597-457, HRAA 1-59-16, K. of C 1-587-467, Mt. Carmel 57-48, St. Margaret Mary 56-49, St. Andrew's 55-50, Sacred Heart 1-53-52, St. Joseph's HN 527-527, Sacred Heart 2-5253, St. Francis Xavier 51-54, K. of C 2-497-557, St. Theresa's 2-497-557, OLPH 2-48-57, Immaculate Conception 46-50, Mother of Sor. row 1-437-617, Mother of Sor. row 2-41-64, Blessed-Sacrament 39-66, St. Cecilia 38-67, St. George's 36-69, St. Rita's 34-71, 682-317, White Oak Dairy 61, St. Lucy's 25-80, Holy Cross 25-39, Coco Mkt. 58-42, Hook's 58-42

119 Girls Compete In 'Sport-A-Month'

One hundred and nineteen girls from 11 local parishes competed in the Catholic Youth Organization Sport-A-Month swim meet in the CYO pool last Saturday. The next Sport-A-Month program will be a three-man basketball tournament according to the Rev. Eugene H. McFarland, director.

CYO In the News

Results of the swim meet are as follows: Age 11 and under—25 yd. free style won by Merilyn Metherell, Sacred Heart; second, Jean Hughes, St. Anne's; third, Rosemary Vought, St. Andrew's; 25 yd. breaststroke won by Merilyn Metherell; second, Judith Ennis, St. Anne's; third Sally Maher, St. Monica's and Elaine McGifern, Good Counsel (tie); backstroke won by Elizabeth O'Reilly, Good Counsel; second, Sally Maher; third Jeanne Schill, St. Andrew's.

Results of the Catholic Youth Organization basketball games last Sunday are as follows:

Grammar school—Holy Cross 23, Sacred Heart 21; St. Monica's 32, Blessed Sacrament 15. High School St. Augustine 62, Annunciation 57; St. Monica 55, Mother of Sorrows 33, St. Charles 43, Sacred Heart 29; St. Andrew 76, St. Stanislaus 51. Games scheduled this Sunday are as follows: Grammar School—Mother of Sorrows Holy Cross at Holy Cross 2 p.m.; St. Thomas St. Charles at Aquinas 2 p.m.; Sacred Heart St. Monica's at St. Monica's 2 p.m.; Holy Rosary Blessed Sacrament at CYO auditorium 2 p.m. High School—Holy Trinity Annunciation at CYO and 5 p.m.; St. James Mother of Sorrows at CYO gym 3:30 p.m.; St. Augustine Sacred Heart at CYO aud. 3:30 p.m.; St. Monica St. Andrew at St. Monica at 3:30 p.m.; St. Charles Holy Cross at Holy Cross 3:30 p.m.; St. Thomas St. Helen at Aquinas 3:30 p.m.

Father-Son Banquet Listed

Annual father and son banquet will be conducted in Nazareth Hall Cadet School gymnasium on Sunday, Feb. 2 opening with a baked ham dinner at 5:30 p.m. Sport celebrities including Bob Keegan, Chicago White Sox pitcher; George Siler, Rochester Red Wings general manager and Johnny Antonelli are on the program. Tickets are \$2.75 each.

Catholic Nurses Plan Program

Canandaigua Chapter of Catholic Nurses meet last week at the home of Mrs. Andrew Brown to outline a program for the remainder of the year. A planned program will be sent to each member. Committee chairmen appointed were Mrs. Charles Connolly, program; Mrs. Thomas McCreger, refreshments; Miss Barbara Hogan and Miss Maureen Badger, membership.

Science Award To Aquinas Senior

Joseph Scholand, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scholand of St. John the Evangelist parish, Spencerport, a member of the senior class of Aquinas Institute is the 1958 winner of the Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award for achieving the highest scholastic record in science subjects during his high school career. Rev. E. P. Magee, C.S.B., principal, announced. The Rochester optical firm provides for three or more scholarships annually, with flexible stipends based on financial need, and with a total combined value of \$9,600.

Fulbright Prize To Nazareth Grad

Josephine Tascetta, Nazareth College '50, has been awarded a Fulbright Prize fellowship for an additional year's study of contemporary French literature at the University of Paris. Miss Tascetta won a Fulbright award for the year 1957-58 and has spent the past year in Paris. Subsequent to graduation from Nazareth College Miss Tascetta taught for a year, then studied for her Master's degree in French at Laval University in Quebec. After a further period of teaching she returned to Laval as a doctoral candidate. She is using the Fulbright awards for research on her doctoral thesis. Miss Tascetta is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Tascetta, 85 Canterbury Road, and is a member of Blessed Sacrament Parish, Rochester.

Dance Planned By Capri Club

C.Y.O. Capri Club will hold a dance from 9:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. in the Columbus Civic Center ballroom on Saturday, Feb. 1. Phil Laurini and his orchestra will play. Refreshments will be served. The group invites all single Catholics over 25 to attend its functions. Further information may be obtained from the Rev. George S. Wood, moderator, at Hamilton 6-1466 or E. Neese 8-1001-J, or from Margaret Lennon, Greenfield 3-9510.

New President

Notre Dame (NC) — Francis L. Layden of Evansville, Ind., has been elected president of the 27,000-member Notre Dame University Alumni Association.