

Academy Business Majors Win Spelling Citations

Nineteen Nazareth Academy business students earned national office managers association spelling certificates in the test given on March 14.



Girl Champion

SEE CORNING of Mount Carmel High School, Auburn, winner of city championship in girls' division of foul shooting contest held at Central High School Gym. She placed 84 baskets in 50 tries. (A. G. Tarby Photo)

Requiem Mass For Democrat Printer

Requiem Mass for Gerald C. Hamm, a Democrat and Chronicle printer, and one time with Christopher Press, was offered in St. Helen's Church, Hinchey Rd. on March 12 after services at M. Allyn Halloran and Son Funeral Home, 2125 Chalm Ave.

Mr. Hamm, 49, died at his home, 114 Arrowhead Drive, Gates, March 9, 1958.

Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Edward J. Foy, also in the Sanctuary were the Reverend Fathers J. Beecher Sullivan, Raymond G. Moore and John Steger.

Bearers were Paul Schreiner, James Riley, Raymond Moore, Elbert Finch, Richard Otto and James Culp.

A native of Syracuse, Mr. Hamm attended grammar school there. He was a graduate of Cathedral High School, now Aquinas Institute.

He was a member of St. Helen's Church Men's Club, Gates Exempt Firemen and Local 15 of the Typographical Union.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Schreiner Hamm; a son, John G.; a brother, Ralph in Florida and several nieces and nephews.

Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Church Celebrates St. Patrick's Day

Corning St. Patrick's Day was celebrated with two special events in St. Patrick's Parish here last Monday. High Mass was celebrated at 8 a.m. honoring the patron saint of the parish with the Rev. Thomas Brennan, pastor of St. Mary's Church, bringing a special message on the life of St. Patrick.

In the evening, the Holy Name Society sponsored a social hour for all men of the parish.

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The test was based on the first 300 words of the N.O.M.A. official spelling list of 900 words, the main objective being to develop interest in correct spelling.

Two other tests will be administered before May 1. Spelling progress certificates will be awarded to those who earn 100% on the next test. A spelling proficiency certificate will be awarded to those who make 100% on all three tests.

The second and third tests are not restricted to only those who are successful in the first test. Any member of the secretarial, office practice, shorthand 2 and typing class is eligible for these tests.

Certificates were presented to Jean Bellamah, Sally Burgmaster, Noreen Carlisi, Mary Ann Corbelli, Carolyn DeVonis, Joyce Graus, Carol Guly, Susanna Janowick, Patricia Kiefer, Elizabeth McKay, Lorraine Merlino, Joanne Pezzulo, Sylvia Salpante, Rita Satter, Alice Savio, Rose Unterfranz, Toinette Ventura, Lillian Viva and Mary B. Wehner.

Dr. Kolesnik Pens Education Aid Book

Dr. Walter B. Kolesnik, Rochester faculty member and author of the book "Mental Discipline in Modern Education," just published.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Kolesnik, 832 Avenue D, Rochester, is the 31-year-old professor resides in Detroit with his wife, Kathryn. He teaches at the University of Detroit.

In his book, Professor Kolesnik is said to have taken a major step in helping those interested in education understand the problems of mental discipline.

The book also enables readers to evaluate some of the solutions which have been proposed in the past half century.

Kolesnik is a graduate of St. Stanislaus School and Benjamin Franklin High School. He earned his B.A. and M.A. degrees at Marquette University, Milwaukee and his doctorate at the University of Wisconsin.

Nazareth Senior Wins Math Award

Elizabeth Gantner of 265 Cinnabar Rd., a member of St. Margaret Mary's Parish, was given an honorable mention award in the National Science Foundation's math competition scholarship exam held recently.

A senior at Nazareth College, Miss Gantner is a math major at the school and holds a scholarship to the college. She is a graduate of St. Agnes High School.



Orator

David Perry, 15, sophomore student at Aquinas Institute, is this year's "Underclassman Champion" in oratory at the Dewey Ave. school. He won out over 150 freshmen and sophomores and will next face the upperclassman champion for the top oratory title at Aquinas.

Trinity Grads Arrange Tea

Rochester Chapter, Trinity College Alumnae Association is planning a Tea for prospective students Saturday, April 12, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. William D. Cook, of Elmwood Avenue.

Girls in the Junior Classes of 26 schools were invited. The Misses Marilyn Jo Gallic, Carol Moynihan, Rosemary Stott, Katherine Fungam, and Karen Finucane, Trinity students, will discuss the Washington, D. C. college with prospective students.

Mrs. William Mooney is general chairman. Miss Dorothy O'Brien is in charge of contacting the schools, assisted by the Mesdames William A. Tracy, Joseph DeNoon, J. Leo Callahan, William D. Cooke, F. Leslie Dolinger, G. Fred Doyle, John D. O'Brien, and the Misses Evelyn Ruth McIntire and Corinne Ryan.

Mrs. C. Donald Scanzetti is refreshment chairman, assisted by the Mesdames Henry F. Hanford, Robert C. Napier and Miss Marilyn Spahn. Miss Patricia McGuire is publicity chairman.

Institute President Lectures Today

Lambda Chi Rho will present Very Rev. Edmund J. McCorkell, C.S.B. at 12:30 p.m. today, Friday, in a lecture entitled "The Return of St. Thomas." The lecture will be held in the Rosina O'Doherty Kearney auditorium at St. John Fisher College. The public is invited.

Father McCorkell is president of the Pontifical Institute of Medieval Studies in Toronto. He was formerly superior general of the Basilian Fathers and lectured in English at St. John Fisher College during the 1955-56 academic year.

Former superior and president of St. Michael's College in the University of Toronto, he has been associated with the Pontifical Institute, a branch of St. Michael's, for over 25 years. The institute conducts advanced research in all phases of medieval life.

Annual Math Contest Listed At Mercy High

Thursday morning, March 27, is the day set for the annual math contest sponsored by the Mathematical Association of America. Sister Mary Bonaventure announced at Our Lady of Mercy High School.

The contest is open to all juniors and senior high school students in the United States and Canada and approximately 50 students from Mercy are expected to participate. They will take a one hour and twenty minute exam on elementary algebra, plane geometry, and intermediate algebra.

An award will be given to the girl with the highest score in the school. The three highest papers in the school will act as a team and compete with other schools.

Classes are being held twice a week in preparation for the exam. Although the contest has been held for several years, it is the first time that Mercy has ever competed.

Mercy Students Strive for Awards

Students of Mercy High School's business department are striving for commendation awards in the national office management association's spelling project.

Sixty-seven students are participating in the project, which consists of three tests, one of which has already been given.

Four of the girls received marks of 100 percent in the first quiz, with 27 rating above 85 percent. The four who received the perfect marks were Marie Grace Ferrari, Joanne Heveron, Mary Ellen Klein and Mary Jo Santore. Honorable mention went to four who received 99 percent in the test. They are Maureen Flanagan, Paula Irvin, Judy Morrow and Marlene Pilato.

Class Grooming Winners Named

The four class winners in the Our Lady of Mercy High School grooming campaign were announced by the school's student council.

Winners were Margaret Spahn, senior; Nancy Watt, junior; Beatrice Cocuzzi, sophomore, and Marcia Wagner, freshman. The campaign began March 6 and was completed with the judging March 17.

Capri Club Lists Officers

As a result of their March 16 elections, the C.Y.O. Capri Club announces the election of Henry Ballastio to succeed Margaret Lennon as president of the club for the coming year. Miss Lennon has served in the office of president for the past two years.

Other newly elected officers are Mary Pozzanghera, vice president; Gerard Keenahan, treasurer, and Mattie Toto, secretary.

Installation of the new officers will take place at the club's annual Communion Breakfast which will be held at Lorenzo's Restaurant on Sunday, March 30, immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass at Our Lady of Victory Church, Pleasant St.

Reservations for the breakfast may be made by calling Margaret Fernback at Genesee 87200-J or Virginia Cook at Glenwood 3-698-W.

All single Catholics over 25 are invited.

Juniors Tie Seniors, Miss Cheerleader Named

Members of the junior class at Our Lady of Mercy High School salvaged a tie for the school basketball championship last Friday when they beat the senior class team 53 to 43 in the final game of the season.

In addition, a seven member judging team named sophomore Hecina Smith "Miss Cheerleader of 1958." Runnerup was Mary Muoin, a member of the senior class.

THE JUNIOR class team is composed of Margy Flynn, captain, Sue Seibold, Irene Hapand Kay Kress.

The members of the senior team are Millie Brady, captain, Helen Berthold, Ann Roth, Judy Loewenguth, Carol Rose Ebert,

Joan Crosby and Marguerite Parsons. The cheerleading award was judged on the ability to work with the group, gracefulness, motions, jump and facial expressions. The judges were made up of three faculty members and four members of the athletic council.

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