

# Nurses Will Hold Bishop's Banquet

The Rochester Diocesan Council of Catholic Nurses will hold its annual banquet honoring His Excellency, Bishop Kearney at 5:30 p.m. April 13 in the Terrace room of the Powers Hotel.

Loretta Linehan is honorary chairman of the affair and Ellen O'Hern is chairman.

REV. THOMAS O'Donnell, rector of Georgetown University School of Medicine, will be the guest speaker. He is a nationally known author of a medical ethics textbook entitled "Morals in Medicine."

Corbelita Astrucillo, a student at the Eastman School of Music, will be guest soloist. Nurses from the Auburn, Canandaigua, Corning, Elmira, Hornell, Rochester and Soreby Councils will attend the affair.

Serving on committees for the affair are Irene Spogis, general arrangement; Marion Kinsella, patron; Mary Cunningham, invitations; Maureen Hickey, publicity; Jane McSweeney, arrangements; Eleanor Kelm and Edith Casillo, favors, and Mary Guest, Mrs. James McGee and Mrs. Edward Mangan, tickets.

Toastmaster will be Anne Foley, Father Paul C. Wohlrab is spiritual director of the council.

Nurses from the Geneva Chapter of the Catholic Nurses will attend the banquet, according to Loretta Linehan, council and Geneva chapter president.



**FATHER O'DONNELL**  
For reservations, Geneva members are requested to contact Mrs. Catherine Carroll, Geneva chairman, by April 5. Other Geneva officers are Mrs. Mary C. Toney, vice president, and Mrs. Anne Gizzi, treasurer. Father John Loughlin of St. Francis de Sales Parish, is moderator.

## Dennis Cavanaugh Rites in Corning

Corning—Requiem Mass was celebrated in St. Patrick's Church Monday morning of this week for Dennis Cavanaugh, 79, of 42 Fenderson St., Painted Post, who died at his home last Friday following a 4-year illness. Prayers were said at the funeral home before Mass and burial took place in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mr. Cavanaugh, a native of Corning, had lived in the vicinity all of his life, where he was a member of St. Patrick's Holy Name Society. He retired from Corning Glass Works seven years ago.

He is survived by one brother, Timothy, of Hudson.

## Japan Vatican Office Now Embassy

Vatican City—(NO)—The Japanese legation to the Holy See has been raised to the rank of an embassy.

There are now 33 embassies and 15 legations accredited to the Holy See.

## Addison Rites Held for 2 Women

Addison — Funeral of Miss Katherine Hickey of Nutley, N.J., was held here Saturday morning with High Mass of Requiem celebrated here at St. Catherine Church by the pastor, the Rev. Francis H. Turner followed by interment in St. Catherine's Cemetery.

Miss Hickey a former resident of Addison, died the previous Wednesday in Bloomfield, N.J. Miss Hickey was born in Addison.

Besides her brother, Atty. John J. Hickey, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Michael Kerins of Addison; other nephews and nieces surviving besides Mrs. Abrams of Addison are Phillip Hickey of Belleville, N.J.; Charles Hickey, Paterson, N.J.; Edward Kerins and Mrs. Edward Caton, Jersey City, N.J.; Miss May Murray, Indianapolis, Ind.; Joseph Kelly and Mrs. George O'Brien, New York City.

Relatives accompanying the body from New Jersey to Addison were her sister, Mrs. Kerins of Addison; her brother, Atty. John J. Hickey of Nutley, N.J. and nephew and niece, Charles Hickey of Paterson, N.J. and Mrs. Edward Caton of Jersey City, N.J.

Addison — Funeral was held Monday at St. Joseph's Cathedral, Buffalo for Miss Helen Sweeney of this city, a former resident of Mack Hill, Tuscarora Township, who died last Friday in the Bison City. The body was brought here for interment in the Sweeney family plot in St. Catherine Cemetery in the village.

Death was attributed to a heart ailment. Miss Sweeney was born about 74 years ago on Mack Hill. She was graduated from the School of Nursing at Sisters Hospital in Buffalo. She followed the nursing profession serving as public health nurse, and school nurse at Buffalo. She retired several years ago.

She is survived by one sister, Miss Margaret Sweeney, former area resident, who is also a patient at Ivy Nursing Home in Buffalo. Other relatives in this area who survive include Jerry Driscoll of Mack Hill; Cornelius Driscoll and Mr. Thomas Tunney Sr. of Corning; Mrs. William Sullivan and Mrs. Helen Donahue, Elmira, all of whom are cousins.

## Engagements

Hammondsport—Mr. and Mrs. Desmond McCann of Bath, RD 2, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Jean to Edward Strzepek of Savona, RD 1.

Miss McCann is a graduate of Hammondsport Central School and is employed by the National Army Store here.

Mr. Strzepek attended Bradford Central School and is engaged in farming.

Wedding plans are incomplete.

## Corning Lad Will Represent America

Corning — Peter Goller of St. Patrick Church is one of three local high school lads selected by the American Field Service for this summer's "Americans Abroad" program. The others are Robert E. Simmonds and Kent Tiffany.

The three, selected from 12 students nominated from the three local high schools, will spend six to seven weeks with families in foreign countries. The latter may be in South America, Central America, Europe, New



Sketch of proposed dormitory for Nazareth College for women, work on which was started this week.

## Lay Apostolate Institute Hears Father Tormey

Fourth and final lecture of the Institute of the Lay Apostolate of the Rochester Diocesan Council of Catholic Women was presented last Monday in Parlor A of the Columbus Civic Center. Rev. Richard Tormey, chaplain at Mercy High School, spoke on "Public Relations in the Lay Apostolate."

In addition to the usual aims of public relations as represented in the publicizing campaigns in industry, the professions, and in civic affairs, Father Tormey pointed out the hierarchy's concern that public relations be used as a means of winning souls to truth, "to interpret the Church, its manners, opinions, goals and people to all our society." The role of the laity in public relations, Father Tormey stated, is to share in the work of the hierarchy, to assist in winning and keeping souls.

IN APPLYING the techniques of public relations through our modern methods of communication, Father Tormey said that the lay person in charge of such a program — the public relations chairman — should have "imagination and perseverance" and — the courtesy of Christian charity which makes the lay person truly representative of the Church.

Mrs. Lynn French, former president of the Monroe County Deaconess Council of Catholic Women, discussed the "44 qualities" which the Catholic lay apostle should possess, stressing understanding as the chief requirement and as the mother of all other good qualities. Sophie Cudzio, chairman of public relations for the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, discussed briefly public relations as a program of the Council of Catholic Women.

Rev. E. Leo McManus, moderator of the Council of Catholic Women, presided at this final session. Mrs. Theodore Strohmeyer was honorary chairman of the institute, Mrs. Arthur P. Farren, chairman, and Mrs. Lawrence P. Wells, co-chairman.

## Rochester Missioner in April Issue Of Maryknoll

Cala Cala, Bolivia — A Rochester missioner, Father James P. Courneer, Maryknoll, palm at his remote mountain mission in Bolivia is featured in the article, "Andean Holy Week" in the April issue of Maryknoll, a national magazine.

FATHER COURNEER, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Courneer, of 54 Rugby Ave., has been stationed in the Andes Mountain area of Bolivia since 1935.

Holy Week in the Andes is said to be an experience a visitor never forgets. It is celebrated with all the pomp and pageantry

## Nazareth College Starts New Dormitory Construction

Construction of a new \$850,000 dormitory for resident students of Nazareth College began this week on the 2-40 acre East Ave. campus. The new building will provide facilities for 134 additional students.

The new building will be similar in construction to Meddle Hall, the main dormitory, and connected to it by a passageway. The building will be three stories high with the left wing providing dining facilities for 270 students.

LIVING QUARTERS will consist principally of double rooms with built-in wardrobes and chests. Recreation facilities will be provided on the ground floor.

Existing residence halls, consisting of the main dormitory, the senior house and two freshmen houses, can accommodate 143 students. The present enrollment of 185 boarders has necessitated the use of temporary housing for 40 students.

With an expected enrollment of 275 residents in 1938, rising to an estimated 350 by 1960 and 500 by 1965, the college secured an \$810,000 loan from the Housing and Home Finance Agency to provide additional housing.

A. W. Hopeman and Sons Co. is the contractor. Waasdorp and Northrup are architects.

## List Home Parties For Cenacle Fund

A series of home parties during the Easter season will take the place of the annual card party usually held at this time for the benefit of the building fund of the Cenacle Retreat House, 633 East Ave.

Friends of the cenacle who plan a party should send in their donations and the names of the players before April 19. Mrs. Gerald Luke, 191 Linden St., GR/3-6334, is general chairman.

## Diocesan Director At National Conference

Rev. Eugene H. McFarland, director of the Catholic Youth Organization in Rochester, will be among the more than 150 priests and Catholic laymen who will take part in the 15th National Conference of Diocesan Scout Chaplains in New York April 9 and 10.

Meeting under the theme of "Onward for God and My Country—How?" the priests and laymen will discuss means of making the program of the Boy Scouts of America more effective in the lives of Catholic boys.

At a dinner on April 9 at the Park Lane Hotel, Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, will present the St. George Award to General Carlos P. Romulo, Philippine Ambassador to the United States. Ambassador Romulo will address the dinner.

## Nursing School Activities

The student government Association of St. Joseph Hospital, School of Nursing is planning a card party to be held in May. Plans are incomplete and the date has not been set.

NAMED FOR CONTEST — Patricia Murphy, a member of the Junior Class was elected by the Student body as St. Joseph's candidate for the New York State Student Nurse Contest, Annually, each fall, at the Convention of the New York State Nurses' Association, a student nurse is selected from all nursing school contestants as the New York State Student Nurse.

## Catholic Daughters List State Meeting

New York State Convention of Catholic Daughters of America is planned for May 12 to 16 at The Towers Hotel, 25 Clarke St., Brooklyn, according to Mrs. Margaret D. Lantz, state regent.

Solemn Pontifical Mass celebrated by Bishop Bryan J. McEntegart at Church of the Assumption will open the program. A boat-trip around Manhattan is planned. Reservations for trip or convention banquet may be made with local grand regents.

Sister's Voice — Dublin — (RNS) — Chief Justice Sir Michael Hogan of Hong Kong visited Drogheda, County Louth, to see his sister, Sister Mary Sheila Hogan, make her final profession as a member of the Medical Missionaries of Mary.

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