

St. Joseph's Hospital Will Hold Open House On Tuesday

St. Joseph's Hospital will observe Hospital Day on Tuesday, May 13. Open house is scheduled from 2 to 4 p.m. and again from 7 to 9 p.m.

Members of the hospital's women's auxiliary will be on hand to guide visitors to the exhibits which will be staffed by department personnel so that visitors may have their questions answered.

Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the tours, and door prizes will be awarded at 9 p.m. Visitors who have made the tour will be eligible for drawings, even though not present at the time the winning names are announced.

THE OPEN HOUSE at St. Joseph's is a part of the observance of National Hospital Week, which is May 11 to 17. The theme is "Careers That Count" and visitors will be briefed on some of the many careers available in hospitals today.

"Few people realize the amazing variety of careers that are found in the modern hospital. Many of them did not exist 20 years ago. Advances in medical science paved the way for them," according to Sister Margaret Adelaide, superintendent of St. Joseph's Hospital.

The new discoveries in medicine are not only made it possible for more people to use hospitals. Last year saw a new record set for hospital admissions—but also created new careers. This meant that hospitals needed more personnel to fill the old and new true jobs, and more skilled personnel to handle the new careers.

"This also meant that some traditional hospital careers changed tremendously in scope. For instance, nursing, a vital ad-

junction of hospital care since Florence Nightingale, is no longer just bedside care. The modern nurse, whether she is an operating room nurse, a nurse anesthetist or a duty nurse, has skills and responsibilities that her predecessor of the Crimean War never dreamed of.

"Each new development in the world of science seems to add new careers to a hospital. Even the discovery of the self-sustaining nuclear chain reaction which resulted in the atom bomb also resulted in the field of nuclear medicine. One career in this field is the assistant to the physician treating certain glandular disorders such as hyperthyroidism by radio-isotope therapy.

"SUPPOSING a young person is interested in a scientific career. In the hospital he can easily satisfy his curiosity about science in a way that helps mankind. He can work in the laboratories as a biochemist or bacteriologist or, if he prefers not to undertake such a long college course, he can after two years of college receive another year of training in the hospital and become a medical technologist.

"Hospitals are people with all

kinds of skills, all kinds of training, all kinds of talent. The receptionist who greets each patient with a smile performs the important task of giving psychological comfort to the new patient. The medical record librarian, who has been called the scorekeeper for the hospital team, is responsible for organizing an efficient medical records system. She can perhaps even save a life by being able to produce quickly the previous history of a patient, or a case history of an illness similar to that of a new patient.

"These are just a few of the careers," Sister Adelaide said. "There is a place for anyone who is interested in a career in a hospital."

"To sum up, hospital careers today offer a wide variety of occupational interests. They offer steady employment as well as the chance for quick promotions. They offer job security. They offer an emotional satisfaction in that the job involves not a commercial product but assistance to human beings. In essence, hospitals are people serving other people," Sister concluded.



MAY DAY at St. Joseph Hospital School of Nursing, Elmira, Wednesday, May 14 is planned by this committee: (from left) Myra Kubish, Sayre, Pa., general chairman; Ann Howard, Nazareth College sophomore, Glens Falls, publicity; Mary Lou Allore, senior, McGraw, N.Y., Living Rosary chairman; Phyllis Gofsky, freshman, Elmira, Outdoor Shrine Chairman.

St. Joseph's Slates May Queen Crowning

Plans are nearing completion for the observance of May Day at St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing on Wednesday, May 14, starting at 2 p.m.

A procession to the outdoor Shrine of Our Lady of Grace will be highlighted by the crowning of the May Queen by Rev. Phillip E. McGinn, hospital chaplain. The May Queen will then crown the statue of Our Lady.

Seniors, juniors, Nazareth College sophomores and freshmen will act as attendants to the May Queen. Her page will be Raymond Stoddard Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Stoddard and flower girl will be Karen Lucas, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Lucas.

May Day is sponsored annually by the Nursing School Society, and this year is under the general chairmanship of Myra Kubish, senior of Sayre, Pa.

KC To Honor Father Thomas

Coming—A testimonial dinner for Father Ralph Thomas, S.A., will be conducted by Corning Council, Knights of Columbus, May 27. Father Thomas, council chaplain is leaving this area in the summer to take the post as editor for a magazine published by the Friars of the Atonement.

Grand Knight James V. Bothe announced that Edward D'Arangelo is chairman of dinner arrangements.

Chaplain of Corning Council for two years, Father Thomas will make a trip to England this summer before taking up his editorial duties. He is at present attached to St. John's Atonement Seminary, Montour Falls.

St. Casimir Rosary Society Will Meet

Members of Rosary Society of St. Casimir Parish, Elmira will hold a general meeting on Monday, May 12 at 7 p.m. in the church. Rosary recitation and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament will be held.

Following church services a business session will take place in the school hall. Refreshments will be served.

Annual May Day Fete At Notre Dame High

The annual salute to the Blessed Virgin, Queen of the May and special patroness of the school, will be held at Notre Dame High School on May 14. The ceremony will begin with a noon Mass, celebrated by Rev. Joseph Hogan, chaplain. After Mass the outdoor ceremony will proceed with the crowning of Our Lady and an act of consecration made by the entire assemblage.

MARY CLAUDE Hager was elected May Queen by her classmates. She was chosen to represent the ideals of virtue in modern life, as patterned after the life of the Blessed Virgin. She will crown Our Lady.

Senior attendants elected are Joseph Rempe and Judy McManus; junior attendants, Bernard Coffey and Kathleen Miller; sophomore attendants, Michael Tarby and Sally Bowers; and freshman attendants, Edward Delaney and Margaret Rose McCarthy.

Cross bearer will be Gerald O'Connor; candle bearers Robert Johnson and Daniel Laux; servers, Anthony Punzo, William Johnson, John McNeerney and Lawrence Joshiba.

Parents and friends of Notre Dame are invited to join the students in participating at the ceremony.

St. Anthony's Lists Triduum

A Triduum in preparation for the anniversary of the canonization of St. Therese, the Little Flower, will open in St. Anthony's Church, Elmira on Thursday evening, May 15 (Ascension Thursday) at 7:30 p.m.

Services will be held each of the three nights and solemn closing will take place on Saturday evening with distribution of the Blessed Roses, symbolic of the favors obtained by the Little Flower to those who pray to her.

Parishioners Add To Fund Total

In a report released yesterday, Rev. Francis J. Reilly, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Horseheads, stated that pledges to date for the new school fund had now reached a total of approximately \$160,000.

Construction of a school and auditorium will be started at an early date the latter to be used for Sunday Masses, to relieve the inadequate facilities in the present church.

Estimated cost of this initial phase of a parish building program will be at least \$250,000, according to Father Reilly.

Notre Dame High Plans Carnival

Third annual lawn festival and carnival sponsored by the Parents Association of Notre Dame High School, Elmira will be held on the school grounds on Friday and Saturday, June 6 and 7.

Cochairmen for the affair are Mrs. Daniel E. Laux and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rybak. Additional committees will be named at an early date.

St. Patrick's To Have 40 Hours

Solemn Forty Hours Devotion will open in St. Patrick's Church, Elmira on Sunday at the 11 a.m. High Mass. Rev. DeSales Standerville, S.A. of Montour Falls will conduct the services.

Schedule and time of services will be announced at all Masses on Sunday.

Catholic War Veterans Open Convention May 15

Formal opening of the New York State Catholic War Veterans convention will take place on Thursday, May 15 at the Mark Twain Hotel. About 600 delegates and guests are expected to attend the three-day sessions.

His Excellency Bishop Kearney will celebrate a low Mass for the veterans and friends at 8 p.m. on Thursday in St. Patrick's Church and will also be the celebrant of the closing Mass to be held at 7:50 a.m. Sunday in St. Patrick's Church.

Monsignor Joseph R. Koch, state chaplain from Brooklyn and a native of Rochester will be the celebrant of the opening Mass.

William Walzer, state commander is general chairman. Assisting locally are Peter Beach, Merto Kowlich, Youstun Fesetic and William Kowlich.

Feshoh - Macekur Post 1178 C.W.V. will be host to the convention. The post has arranged for the ladies auxiliary to be taken on a tour of the Corning Glass Works on Thursday afternoon and are sponsoring a ham dance in the Mark Twain Hotel that evening.

Judge Daniel J. Donahoe of the Chemung County Children's Court will be the guest speaker at the auxiliary luncheon in the hotel on Friday at 12 noon.

Holy Name Members Hear Steuben Judge

Steuben County Judge Domenico Gabrielli of Bath was the guest speaker at the Communion Breakfast of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary of Mt. Carmel Church in Utica last Sunday.

Judge Gabrielli spoke before an audience of 450 Holy Name members, following the society's 3 a.m. Mass at the Utica Church. The breakfast was held at the Hotel Hamilton in Utica.

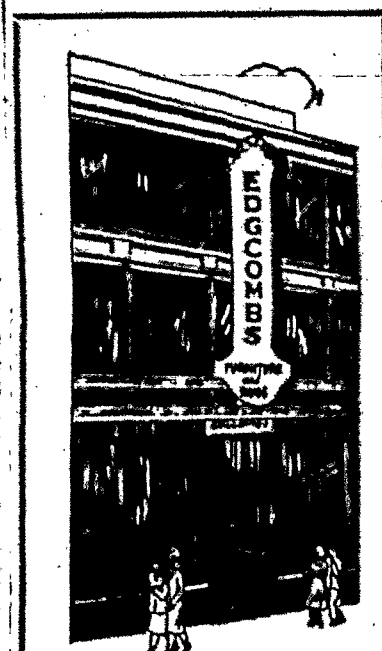
Gabrielli, a native of Rochester, is a graduate of St. Lawrence University and Albany Law School. He is past president of the Bath Bar Association, is a member of the New York State and American Bar Associations and served as Steuben County district attorney for four years, before being elected a judge. He is also a member of Corning Council, Knights of Columbus.



MONSIGNOR KOCH

Election of officers will take place at the Saturday session and Bishop Kearney will be the guest speaker at the grand banquet to be held in the hotel at 7 p.m. A military ball will follow the banquet.

Rev. Stephen Shymansky, founder of the Feshoh - Macekur Post and former assistant at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic church in Elmira Heights will be a guest.



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Ascension Day Masses Set In Elmira

Schedule of Masses in the Elmira area for the feast of the Ascension, Thursday, May 15, a holy day of obligation, is:

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

Ithaca CDA Schedule Annual Banquet For May 23

Ithaca—Final plans for Court Santa Maria, Catholic Daughters of America annual banquet are announced by Mrs. Joseph L. Leone, chairman and Mrs. Joseph D. Minogue, co-chairman. The banquet is scheduled Tuesday, May 13 at Joe's Restaurant at 6:30 p.m.

Guest speaker will be Mary Boyler, a 35 year member who will trace the history and highlight the achievements of the CDA during her time.

ENTERTAINMENT will be provided by the Savayards, a Cornell University group. They will present scenes from the Gilbert and Sullivan opera "Ruddigore." Paul Green will direct a 13-singer cast.

Mistress of ceremonies will be Mrs. Minogue. Assisting the chairmen will be Mesdames James Bero, decoration; F. H. Fox and George Haglin, flowers and table decorations; Michael Peech, entertainment; A. Strauffer, program, and Arthur Sprague, tickets.

Mrs. Hommel Named National Delegate

Mrs. F. P. Hommel, president of Chemung-Schuyler Deanery Council of Catholic Women was elected a delegate to the 29th national convention of the National Council of Catholic Women to be held in St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 20 to 24.

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