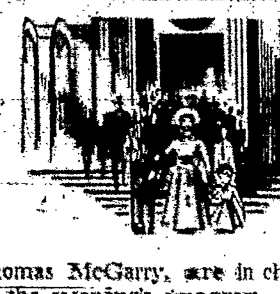
WHAT'S NEW In The Parishes



ST. JEROME Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association Branch, East Rochester will meet Sept. 4 at 8 p.m. in the church hall. President Mary Davis will conduct the meeting.

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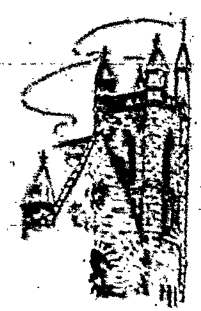
HOLY APOSTLES Rosary Society has scheduled its opening Fall meeting, Sept. 3. The meeting will begin promptly at 7 p.m. with recitation of the Rosary in the Church. Members will go to the school hall for a business session and social hour. Mrs. James Goggin, president, will preside. A "sparkling" new program for the coming season will be presented. Committee chairmen will be introduced. Sunday, Sept. 7 will be the first corporate Communion Sunday for the season. All members are requested to wear their badges and to occupy the front left-center pews.



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ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, Spencerport Confraternity of Christian Mothers will open the fall program with a tureen supper for women of the parish, Sept. 8 at 6:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. A film and talk on cancer presented by American Cancer Society will follow. Third grade mothers headed by Mrs. Thomas McGarry, are in charge of the evening's program.

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SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL Ladies Auxiliary No. 166, Knights of St. John officers enjoyed a supper picnic at the home of their president, Mary Corcoran, 805 Ridgeway Ave. She has been unable to preside at the meetings since March due to a broken hip. Picnic chairman was Catherine Joyce assisted by Stella Smith, Pearl Walsh and Julia Miller.

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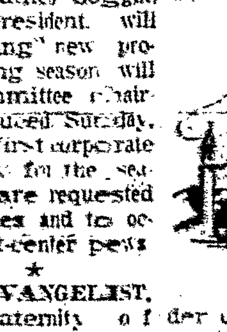
SS. PETER AND PAUL'S. The Holy Name Men's Club will hold its first meeting of the season on Wednesday, Sept. 3 at 8:15 p.m. Dr. Paul S. LaLonde will show slide pictures of his last trip to Tanganyika in Africa where he works six months out of every year helping the Medical Missionaries of Mary, an order of Nuns, in their work with the natives of this East African British colony. All men are invited to attend and are urged to bring their families. Ralph Mercurio, program chairman, also issued an invitation to altar boys to attend this meeting. Refreshments will be served.



Nazareth Dorm Ready In January

Further expansion in residence facilities at Nazareth College has been necessary to accommodate the increased number of out-of-town students seeking admission to the Rochester Catholic women's college.

The new dormitory for which the cornerstone was laid by Bishop Kearney after the commencement exercises on June 2, will be ready for occupancy the second semester.

In the meantime, freshmen will again occupy temporary living quarters in the old library in the administration building and a group of juniors will live in the rear wing of the second floor of the administration building where dormitories have been set up.

THE NEW Lourdes Hall will accommodate 134 resident students and three counsellors and will also house a new dining room, designed to accommodate 270 students, as well as a large recreation room on the ground floor. Many out-of-town students will continue to live in homes in the college area, until such time as there are adequate accommodations on campus.

Avon School Redecorated

Students and graduates of St. Agnes School in Avon join their principal in viewing the work being done to ready the school for opening next Wednesday. Workman Carl Beckwith chats with the group as he sands one of the school desks to be refinished. From left, are Veronica Maxwell, Beckwith, Karen Dougherty, Cheryl Dougherty, Peter Dougherty and Sister Teresa Gerard, principal. Veronica and Karen are now attending St. Agnes High School in Rochester. The school has added new flooring, new lavatories, a faculty room, new hall lighting, new equipment for the cafeteria as well as enlarging the cafeteria and painting and refinishing the entire interior. A record enrollment of 46 children in the first grade has boosted this year's enrollment to 201.

St. Thomas Institute Sets Lecture Series

The Saint Thomas Institute announces the opening of its Fall series of doctrinal lectures for Catholic laymen. All adult Catholics are invited to enroll in one or other of the courses.

TWO COURSES are being offered this year: I—Sacraments: Lectures by Rev. William M. Hart, Ph.D. II — Apologetics: Lectures by Rev. Joseph L. Hogan, S.T.D. Father Hart and Father Hogan are members of the faculty of Saint Bernard's Seminary.

REV. WILLIAM M. HART REV. JOSEPH L. HOGAN

Both courses will be conducted on Thursdays from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. beginning Sept. 18 and continuing through Nov. 20.

All lectures are to be given at Cutler Union, 560 University Ave., Rochester. The registration fee is $10, or $12 for husband and wife who enroll together.

All registrations and inquiries should be addressed to The Saint Thomas Institute, Saint Bernard's Seminary, 2260 Lake Ave., Rochester 12.

First Friday Club Lists Ex-Chaplain

Rev. Thomas M. Reddington, assistant pastor of St. Monica Church and former Army chaplain will address men of the First Friday Club at Hotel Sheraton, Sept. 5, according to Joseph J. Attinasi, chairman of the Knights of Columbus sponsoring committee.

Father Reddington will be presented by the Rev. E. Leo McMannus, club moderator and chaplain of Rochester Council, K. of C.

Father Reddington who entered the Army in March, 1945 was assistant at St. John the Evangelist Church before going to St. Monica's. Men of both these parishes are especially invited, Attinasi said.

Directory For Diocese Printed

The official directory of the Diocese of Rochester for 1958-1959 made its appearance this week with the latest arrangement in contents and added information for the user.

His Excellency Bishop Kearney in the Foreword commends the service and expresses his appreciation for the publication.

Eighty-four pages and covers are given over to making available locations and telephone numbers of persons and places in the diocesan confines.

Diocesan offices, churches, clergy, rectories, schools, hospital and institutions are included. A map of the Rochester diocese and buyers guide are inserted.

Parishes have Masses and devotions listed, confessions and baptisms and parish organizations and presidents as well as pastor, priests and school information.

Eucharistic fast for laity, Holy Days of obligation and proper forms of addresses for religious are included.

Term Starts Sept. 2

Registration and enrollment in all regular day courses will take place Tuesday, Sept. 2 at Rochester Business Institute

REV. JOSEPH MUCKLE

Father Muckle Marks Golden Jubilee

Rev. Joseph T. Muckle, C.S.B., the oldest American Basilian Father, celebrated his 50th anniversary in the Congregation of St. Basil on Aug. 15 in Toronto. He is the first American Basilian to mark his golden jubilee.

The day of his golden jubilee, Father Muckle spent quietly for he was on his annual retreat with the Toronto Basilians.

Father Muckle has three brothers who are priests: Rev. John F. Muckle, pastor emeritus of St. Thomas Church, Irondequoit; Rev. Charles E. Muckle, pastor of St. Agnes Church, Avon; and Rev. William Muckle, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Toronto. Their sister is Sister Mary Charles Muckle of the Sisters of Mercy. Their home is in Stanley, N.Y.

THE JUBILARIAN was born in 1887 in Stanley, professed in 1908 and ordained in 1915.

Professor of Medieval Latin Literature at the Institute of Medieval Studies at the University of Toronto, Father Muckle assisted in the establishment of the periodical, "Mediaeval Studies," to which he was an early contributor as he is now.

Father Muckle also aided in bringing the Basilian Order into the Diocese of Rochester, during the time that Edward Cardinal Mooney, present Cardinal Archbishop of Detroit, was the fourth Bishop of Rochester.

THE BASILIAN Fathers now direct Aquinas Institute and St. John Fisher College in this Diocese.

Father Muckle also served as general councillor in the Congregation of St. Basil from 1932-36. He holds the honorary degrees of LL.D. from Assumption University and D. Litt. from the University of Western Ontario. He has been a member of the Royal Society of Canada for many years.

He has spent most of his religious life in Canada, with the exception of a few years spent at the order's high school in Houston, Texas.

Corning Parochial School Remodeling Scheduled

Corning — Work on remodeling and renovating of the north building of St. Mary's elementary school is expected to start in the near future subject to approval of bids opened last week and signing of contracts, according to the Rev. Thomas F. Brennan, pastor.

The low bid for the general contract was entered by W. E. Granger & Sons of Elmira. Other low bids came from John C. Dineen of Corning, plumbing; Harry E. Rising of Corning, electrical work; and C. R. Evans Corporation of Elmira, heating.

The bids were opened at the office of the architects, Considine & Haskell, at Elmira. Amounts of the low bids and the names of those entering higher bids were not made public.

The bids must be reviewed and approved by the Building Commission of the Diocese of Rochester, before contracts can be awarded. This, Father Brennan said, is not expected to require a great deal of time.

FIRST PHASE of the construction program, which is covered by the bids opened Thursday, consists of remodeling the north building and installing complete new electrical, heating, and plumbing systems. New windows through the building are also planned.

No date has been set for the completion of this phase of the project. When it is completed, pupils from the oldest building will take temporary quarters in the north building, and the older structure will be razed. Under another contract, a new building with an eight-room L-shaped wing will be erected on the site.

AS ANNOUNCED previously, the first phase is to consist of remodeling and renovation of the north building of St. Mary's School, the main floor of which is occupied by a gymnasium with an entrance on West First Street. Complete new electrical, heating, and plumbing systems are planned, as well as new windows throughout the building and an entire modernization on this wing.

When the first phase is completed the second phase of the program will be started under another contract to be awarded later. This phase will consist of razing the original school building, which faces State Street, and the construction of a new building on its site. The latter will be an eight-room L-shaped wing. It is planned to provide temporary class rooms in a large hall in the north building and in the basement, and pupils who have been using the oldest building will move into these when the remodeling phase is completed.

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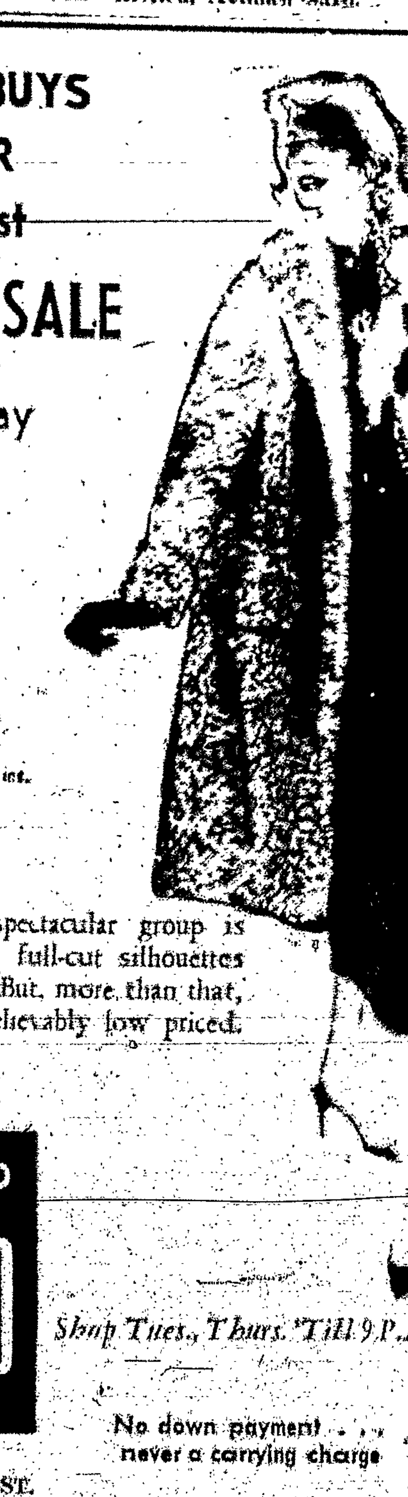

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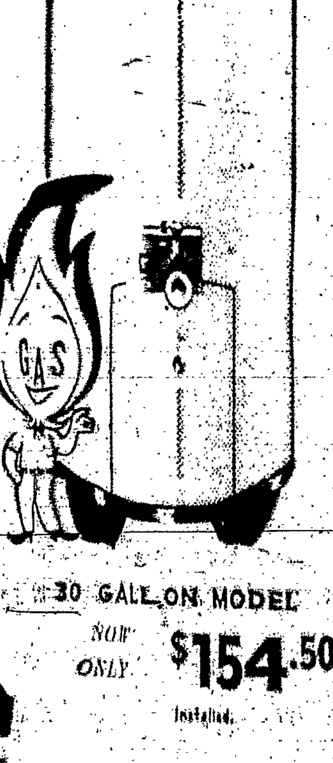

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