

New Cancer Laboratory Sponsored At St. Mary's Drive Seeks \$200,000

A new cytology laboratory will be opened at St. Mary's Hospital in Rochester by the local unit of the American Cancer Society, it was announced this week. The only other cytology laboratory in Monroe County is being \$24,702.00 for this program.

Cytology is the study of cells (Webster). It is a proved tool for early detection of cancer, and in examining cells for cancer from cervix, lungs and stomach. The only other cytology laboratory in Monroe County is located at Strong Memorial Hospital started by the American Cancer Society thirteen years ago.

Pledges toward construction costs of the new St. Boniface Church building, Gregory Street, will be sought throughout the parish next month, the Rev. Francis J. Taylor, pastor, announced today.

Minimum goal in the campaign will be \$200,000 in three-year pledges. The new church, now under construction and expected to be completed early next year, replaces the 70-year-old towered Gothic edifice which was destroyed by fire in November, 1957.

Organization of a committee of 300 men to conduct the parish-wide canvass, scheduled Nov. 15, is now underway. Members of the advanced gifts committee will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 21, and general committee captains will meet at 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 22.

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Bishop Names Scout Chaplains

Bishop Kearney has appointed Rev. Richard E. Murphy, assistant pastor of Immaculate Conception Church, Ithaca, as area Scout chaplain of the Louis Agassiz Fuentes Council and the Rev. Roger F. Switzer, assistant pastor of St. Mary, Horseheads, as area Scout chaplain for the Sullivan Trail Council.

TOGETHER WITH the local Scout executive and the chairman of the Catholic Lay Committee on scouting, the area chaplain assists in promoting the spiritual part of the scouting program for Catholic boys.

Other area chaplains are Rev. Robert Kreckel, Auburn; Rev. William Hickey, Hornell, and Rev. Thomas Statt for the Geneva area.

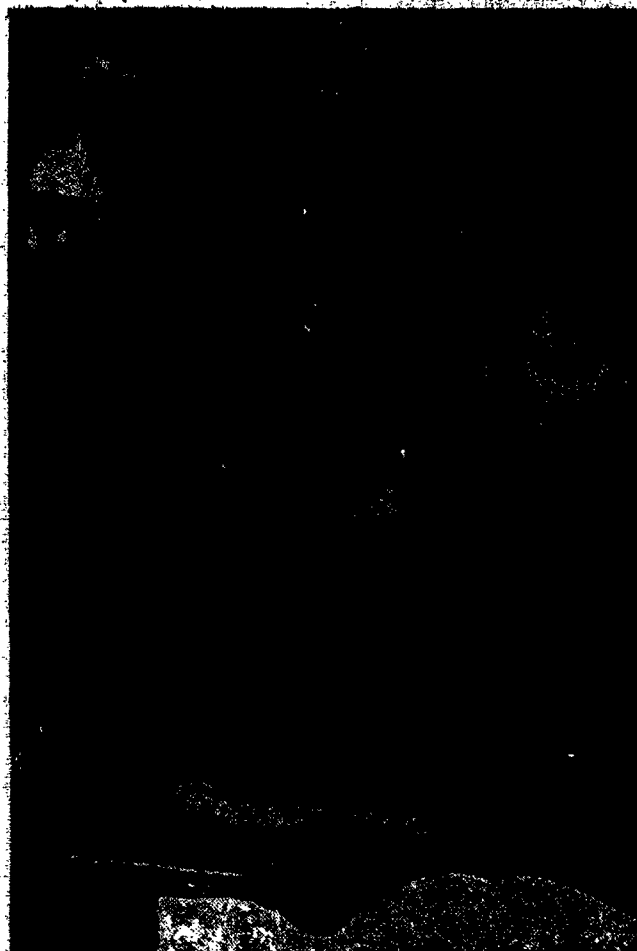
ACCORDING TO Dr. J. Lowell Orblison, Professor and Chairman of the Department of Pathology of the University School of Medicine and Dentistry, cytology examinations have increased in the past three

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ATTIRED IN missionary garb for Alaska, Father Leo C. Mooney, then director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith calls on Father Edward J. Cunningham, S.J., down with a slight cold after 14 years missionary work in the interior of Alaska at St. Mary's Hospital. Visit was in February, 1935. Father Mooney wears Father Cunningham's heavy fur parka necessary in Alaskan winters. Father Cunningham wears a lighter parka used as protection against strong winds.

Looking Back Father Mooney Sparked Local Mission Activity

By THOMAS H. O'CONNOR

Mention of Mission Sunday coming Oct. 18 makes memory processes stir and this department seeks to look back on mission activity during the past 30 years or more.

This writer's first experience with mission activity in the Diocese of Rochester was when he met the newly named diocesan director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in front of the old Federal Building on Church St. Father Leo C. Mooney had just been named by Bishop Thomas H. Hickey to establish an office of the National Society on March 16, 1928.

Father Mooney said he was opening an office in the Lincoln-Alliance Bank Building and a visit there was made before he had put away his books.

FOR THE NEXT 12 years, priests, Sisters and Brothers who were following the "Teach Ye All Nations" admonition came to that office and the faithful aided them with prayers and funds to carry on the work.

None of those who were interviewed recalled Father McKeel's visit, a "Vicentian" missionary whose exploit of occupying Chinese roads was accomplished by being lowered over the Chinese wall in a basket. A Father Sullivan, Jesuit missionary to Manila recalled how he was saying an outdoor Mass in his mission to land to pause at the feet of the altar to allow a cow, sacred in India, to pass between him and the altar.

Two young men well remembered as visiting the Propagation of the Faith office were two other Vicentians, Fathers Frederick Gehring and Frederick McGuire who had gone through school and seminary in Brooklyn and were awaiting assignment to China. They visited the local high school mission meeting at Aquinas Institute with Father Mooney and entertained the students, especially Father Gehring with pen sketches. Both later left for China in October 1932 where they distinguished themselves as missionaries. Father McGuire is now the secretary of the Mission Secretariate in Washington. Father Gehring after service as a Chaplain, "The Guadalcanal Padre," is with the Vicentians in Brooklyn.

BESIDES GREETING missionaries from around the world, such as Rev. Adrian Ryk and Rev. Peter Coenen, Mill Hill Fathers, first from Philippines and second from British East Africa, and Mother Anna Dengel from India, Father Mooney directed mission enrollments and one year was fifth in the country in funds received.

He was interested in the Maryknoll Fathers at Osnaburg, because they were American missionaries going to foreign lands. We spent a few days there in the 20s and met young priests just back from the missions but destined for high places such as Bishop Lane, Bishop Peckham and Bishop Byrne whose early days were spent in Auburn.

One experience stands out for me, I, a little known Catholic newspaper man from Rochester, was asked to take a walk around the grounds with the co-founder of the order and later Bishop James A. Walsh. His courtesy and consideration stimulated an interest in the mission work and a desire to help all missionaries as well as Maryknollers.

The society has had but three diocesan directors, Father Mooney, Monsignor John S. Randall and now Father George S. Wood. Space is not available nor time does not allow a historical account of their work, this but lists a few highlights.

A Catholic Students Mission Crusade convention in Niagara University is recalled because we there met Rev. Michael J. Reedy, executive secretary of the National Catholic Welfare Conference and later Bishop of Columbus, Ohio.

A MEMORABLE CSMC rally in Rochester under the direction of Bishop Kearney and conducted at Red Wing Stadium during Monsignor Randall's time emphasized the mission zeal of our youth. They gathered in sweltering heat and the program was carried through despite prostrations.

The mission report in this week's issue will show the financial cooperation of our dioceses but the prayers and individual help given local missionaries can only be recorded in Heaven.

Bath Drive Tops Quota, Over \$125,000 Pledged

Bath — St. Mary's School and will be open for sessions in Hall Building Fund Appeal, Bath, exceeded their quota of \$90,000 by \$35,721.16. It was announced by the Rev. John P. O'Malley, pastor and honorary chairman of the campaign.

The solicitation, Sunday, October 4th, was the culmination of a six-week campaign that saw 370 men of the parish serve on various committees to raise funds for the new school and parish hall.

The funds were raised in the form of three-year pledges which are payable weekly, monthly or yearly. It is anticipated that the new school building

will be open for sessions in September, 1960.

FATHER O'MALLEY has expressed his appreciation and gratification at the spirit of co-operation shown on the part of the workers and the parishioners in general.

The total pledged amount, \$125,721.16, has indicated great sacrifice on the part of many of the parishioners," Fr. O'Malley remarked, "and it is a tribute to their loyalty and faith."

The Pacesetter Committee accounted for \$16,000, the Special Gifts Committee amassed \$24,000 and the General Com-

mittee, with unsolicited gifts from parish friends and business interests accounted for the balance.

AT THE GENERAL Kickoff Dinner, Saturday, Oct. 3, 110 men gathered and made their own pledge before contacting the parishioners.

Bishop Casey addressed the workers at the dinner. After Benediction on Sunday, Oct. 4, the workers completed their contacts, each man having approximately two parishioners to solicit.

Professional counsel for the campaign was provided by Joseph J. Conneron, a representative of Foley Associates, a national fund-raising firm of Rochester, New York.

Parishioners Set St. John's Drive

Preparations for the new school-church completion Building Fund Appeal at St. John the Evangelist parish, Rochester are nearing conclusion.

The first phase of the campaign, the Advance Gifts Solicitation, will be from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 25. This phase will be preceded by a kick-off dinner for the workers on Saturday, Oct. 24.

The second phase of the campaign, the General Solicitation, will be from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 1. On this date, over 300 members of the parish will actively solicit funds. Workers will attend a giant pep rally on the preceding Thursday.

Guest speaker will be fellow parishioner, the Honorable John P. Lomenzo, in addition, there will be a kick-off

dinner on Saturday night, Oct. 31 in the church hall.

THE GUEST SPEAKER will be Bishop Kearney. This event coincides with the Bishop's 75th birthday anniversary. Msgr. Boyle stated that "it would be a fitting birthday gift to present another new school building and a more beautiful, serviceable church to Bishop Kearney on this occasion."

The new school building and completion of the church will involve a building program of \$350,000. The immediate minimum goal of the current Fund Raising Appeal is \$250,000, Msgr. Boyle stated.

Knights To Hear Fr. Cavanaugh

Rev. John F. Cavanaugh, of St. Andrew's Seminary, will speak at the Rochester Knights of Columbus meeting, Thursday, Oct. 15, at 7:30 p.m. at the Columbus Civic Center, Tuesday.

Forty Hours

Sunday, Oct. 18 — Holy Family, St. Helen, St. Joseph, Rochester; St. Mary, Genesee; Holy Trinity, Webster; Veterans Administration, Bath.



HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATOR Sister Theresa of St. Mary's is shown above receiving check from Sherwood M. Snyder, (left) head of the Monroe County Unit, American Cancer Society, for establishment of a new cytology laboratory. Dr. Jacob Adler, pathologist and Director of Laboratories at St. Mary's Hospital, looks on.

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At the services from 7 to 8 p.m., the Rev. Michael Volpe, assistant pastor, St. Andrew's Church will be the speaker. The Holy Hour is sponsored by the Diocesan Sodality Union.

The Rev. Joseph P. Beahm, assistant pastor of St. Francis Xavier Church is diocesan director of Parish Socialists.

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