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Diocesan Music Fete Draws Mercy Schools

Hornell—St. Ann's uniformed parish band participated in a Diocesan music festival in Rochester Saturday along with several other musical units from Sisters of Mercy schools.

The marching, counter-marching and unique wheel formation of the band, supplemented by the twirling of a 36-member baton corps, brought applause from the spectators. The routine for Saturday's performance was planned by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Lawrence W. Gaanen, V.F., pastor of St. Ann's.

SEVERAL CONCERT band selections were included in the program. All musical arrangements were under direction of Sister M. Raymond Joseph of St. Ann's School music department, conductor.

The band brought the program to a close with a surprise feature as the young musicians and baton twirlers gave a musical salute to the Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of the May.

The singing ensemble, accompanied by the band, sang hymns to the Blessed Virgin while a large statue was brought out on the field and enshrined by seven

Mrs. Moretti
Elected Head

Hornell—Mrs. Raymond Moretti of Erie Court was elected president of the Steuben Deanery, Diocesan Council of Catholic Women, at a meeting May 19 in the Pine Room of St. Ann's School.

She succeeds Mrs. J. Gerald Griffin as head of the Deanery which has a membership of more than 1,000 women in Catholic societies and organizations.

Hornell is treasurer.

DEANERY DIRECTORS,

whose offices still are in effect,

Mrs. Hubert Solo and

Mrs. Virginia Husman, both of

Hornell. The spiritual director of the Deanery is the Rev. William H. Hickey, chaplain of St. James Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. William Leonard, chair-

man of the Deanery's Foreign

Relief Committee, announced

that two boxes of adults' used

clothing and new infants' ap-

parel had been sent to the New

York headquarters recently.

From there, it will be shipped

overseas to the needy, regard-

less of their religious affilia-

tions or their nationalities.

real young members of the

band.

St. Ann's was the only band

in the festival. Orchestral

groups from Holy Cross, St.

James, St. Louis, St. John's and

St. Salome's participated in the

outdoor performance.

Later, St. Ann's Band re-

peated portions of the program

at Our Lady of Mercy Mother-

house in Rochester for Sisters of

the Navarite and Catherine McAuley College.



NEW AND REPIRING officers are among those pictured attending the annual Communion and breakfast of Stella Maris Society of St. Patrick's Church in Corning. Seated, Mrs. Evelyn Brueilly, president; Mrs. Helen Howard, vice president; and Mrs. Thomas Horigan, (standing) Mrs. Fred Gorman, Miss Mary Fitzgerald of Elmira, speaker; Mrs. Mary O'Hara, and retiring officers, Mrs. Vincent Sementilli, Mrs. Helen Egbert and Mrs. Dorothy Gallagher.

Stella Maris Women Hold Annual Breakfast

Corning—The annual breakfast of the Stella Maris Society of St. Patrick's Church attracted 80 women members of the parish to the Steuben Hotel last Sunday morning, after they had received Communion in a body at 8:30 a.m. Mass in the church.

Mrs. Vincent Sementilli, retiring president, was toastmistress. The Rev. James Baker, assistant pastor, gave the invocation and a brief talk.

GUEST SPEAKER was Miss Mary Fitzgerald, director of Catholic Family Service in Elmira.

The Rev. William Cannon, pastor, gave the benediction.

Mrs. Fred Gorman was chair-

woman of the breakfast.

HORNELL—"Graduates" of St. Ann's Kindergarten were presented diplomas at commencement exercises Sunday afternoon in the Pine Room at St. Ann's School.

The 53 members of the class, under direction of Mrs. Edward Deegan, kindergarten teacher, presented a program of songs, recitations and dramatics in the colorful program.

Columbus Ladies View Tour Slides

Corning—A picnic for members of the Ladies of Columbus organization will be held June 1 at Denison Park, it was decided at a meeting of the group in the Knights of Columbus Home last week.

MRS. J. EDWARD Faulke was named chairman for the summer event, assisted by Mrs. Rose Faulke, Mrs. Caroline Faulke, Mrs. Joseph Ruocco, Mr. and Mrs. William Cassidy of Corning, Mr. as second prefect, Geraldine Faulke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ruocco, Mrs. Thomas Gill.

Miss Mary Mikolajczak, who toured Europe in 1958, was a guest and showed slides of France, Italy, Switzerland, England, Germany, Poland and Holland. A discussion and question and answer period followed.

Miss Mikolajczak spoke of the various customs of Europe and the primitive way of life in Poland. The speaker was introduced by Miss Mildred Durkinc.

Refreshments were served.

Before the meeting the Sodalis attended the annual 40-hour devotions at St. Mary's Church.

PLANS WERE made for the annual May Crowning which this year will take place on the Convent lawn of St. Mary's Church Sunday at 5:15 p.m. High School girls and the girls from St. Mary's Grammar School will march to the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary where the Queen will crown the statue.

Moderator of St. Mary's Sodality is the Rev. Thomas H. Witts, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church.

Sunday Bake Sale

Members of the Sacred Heart Ladies Society of St. Anthony's church are sponsoring a bake sale to be held on Sunday after all Masses, in the corner Annex.

Mrs. Peter Caporaso is chairman and Mrs. Patrick Esposito is cochairman.

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ND Student Takes Honors

James Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, of 106 Durand Avenue, ninth year student at Notre Dame High School, received honorable mention from the Future Scientists of America Foundation of the National Science Teachers' Association.

HIS ENTRY, a sun-moon dial with a forty-page booklet of explanation and calculations, was awarded first place in the Earth Science division of the Rochester Diocesan Science Fair last March. The same display took second place in the Notre Dame Science Fair this year.

He also pleaded for the promotion of Cana conferences which are a "way of establishing the silver of family life" and the promotion of the Christian Family movement.

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This award is sponsored by the American Society for Metals. This organization has been instrumental in encouraging young people in the fields of science and engineering.

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Ladies Of Charity Schedule Events

Executive

A dinner-meeting will be held by the Executive Committee Wed., June 1, at the Hickory House. A social hour will start at 7 p.m. and the dinner will be at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. James B. Walsh, dinner chairman, announces the following are invited to attend, executive officers; new, continuing and retiring chairmen and co-chairmen; advisors and members of the standing committee. Rev. Hubert A. Blisk, moderator, will be the guest. A short business meeting will follow the dinner at which time the names of the new committee advisors will be announced.

Our Lady of Nazareth
Our Lady of Nazareth Committee will meet Wed., 2 to 5 p.m. at the residence of Mrs. Theresa Lynch, 374 Fulton St. Mrs. Joseph Carbo is in charge of refreshments.

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