

# Solemn Funeral Masses Offered For Four Sisters of St. Joseph

Funeral Masses for four Sisters of the Congregation of St. Joseph were conducted at Nazareth convent chapel, this week. The four sisters died on Sunday, Jan. 21, 1962.

Funeral services were held as follows:

**SISTER M. MARCELLINA** Houlihan's Mass was offered on Tuesday, Jan. 23 by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John S. Randall, assisted by the Rev. George M. Kalb, deacon; the Rev. James Slattery, subdeacon and the Rev. Robert M. Egan, master of ceremonies.

Sister Marcellina was an instrumental music teacher in the diocesan schools for more than 40 years. She died in St. Joseph's Convent infirmary after a long illness.

A native of Rochester she entered the Sisters of St. Joseph in 1906. Sister taught music in St. Agnes' Institute, Nazareth Hall, the former St. Mary's Boys Home on Main St. West and Immaculate Conception before illness forced her to retire in 1958.

Sister Marcellina leaves a brother, Vincent Houlihan of Rochester and nieces and nephews.

**SISTER M. AFRA** Chmiel's Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. George M. Kalb with the Rev. William H. Shannon, deacon and the Rev. Richard Bricker, subdeacon on Jan. 24 at 9:30 a.m.

Sister Afra was in charge of the bakery at Nazareth Motherhouse in Pittsford until she became ill eight months ago. Her death took place in St. Joseph's Hospital, Elmira.

Born in Poland, Sister Afra lived in Geneva before entering the Community in 1926.

Sister Afra for 29 years was in charge of the cafeteria of St. Agnes Institute between Corpus

Christi Church and Corpus Christi School. The institute was a private school for girls.

She was put in charge of the Nazareth Motherhouse bakery in 1956. Surviving are several cousins.

**SISTER M. CLARENCE** Nary's Mass was offered by the Rev. John M. Maxwell on Jan. 24 at 10:30 a.m. Assisting were the Rev. William Devereaux, deacon; the Rev. John Steger, subdeacon; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Dennis W. Hickey, master of ceremonies and the Rev. Richard Hart, thurifer. Also in attendance were the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John M. Duffy, the Very Rev. Adelbert J. Schneider, V.F. and the Rev. George M. Kalb.

Sister Clarence died in St. Joseph's Convent Infirmary in Pittsford.

A native of Rochester, Sister Clarence entered the Congregation from Holy Apostles Parish in 1918.

Prior to taking ill in 1954, Sister Clarence taught in St. Ambrose, Corpus Christi and St. Francis Xavier schools, Rochester and in St. Joseph's, Wayland and St. Paul's in Oswego.

She is survived by a brother Raymond L. Nary, master of the Fifth District, Fourth Deacon, Knights of Columbus common deacon and the Rev. Richard Bricker, subdeacon on Jan. 24 at 9:30 a.m.

**SISTER M. EILEEN** Small's Mass was being offered Thursday, Jan. 25 in Nazareth Convent Chapel. She died of a heart attack in St. Joseph's Hospital, Elmira, Jan. 21, 1962.

Previously she had taught eight years in Blessed Sacrament School, Rochester.

Born in Ireland, Sister Eileen entered the Sisters of St. Joseph in 1904. A teacher in St. Patrick School, Corning for 22

years, she later served as principal of St. Stephen School, Geneva and St. Patrick School, Seneca Falls.

Several nieces and nephews survive.

## Solemn Mass Offered For Mrs. Miller

Funeral Mass for Mary Catherine Miller was offered in St. Helen's Church, Tuesday, Jan. 23, Mrs. Miller, who was the oldest of 19 children, died Jan. 20, 1962 in her home at 309 Renouf Drive, Gates.

Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Rev. J. Beech Sullivan assisted by the Rev. Leo G. Inglis, Deacon and the Rev. William Devereaux, subdeacon. Also present were the Reverend Fathers Benedict Ehmman, Albert J. Geiger, John A. Remington, Daniel Hogan.

MRS. MILLER was the mother of Sister M. Marita of the School Sisters of Notre Dame. Born in Newark, N.J., she came to Rochester with her family a year later. She had lived in this area ever since. Mrs. Miller was married to Joseph C. Miller Nov. 28, 1888. Mr. Miller died in a traffic accident in 1931.

She was a member of St. Helen's Altar Society and the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association of Holy Family Church.

Besides her daughter in religion, Mrs. Miller is survived by three other daughters: Mrs. John (Mary) Bauer, Miss Martha Miller, Mrs. Joseph (Clara) Knapp, two sons, Arthur J. and Norbert Miller; her three sisters, Mrs. Barbara Lenhard, Mrs. Anna May, Mrs. Margaret Fischer; one brother, Ernest Meador of Toledo, Ohio; 10 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren and one great-grandchild; also several nieces and nephews.

When Mrs. Miller celebrated her 94th birthday last November, all five generations were represented.

Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Arrangements by Alva Halloran and Son Funeral Home.

## Nun's Mother Mrs. Williams Requiem Held

Auburn — Mrs. Mary Dehant Williams, widow of Harry W. Williams, formerly of Auburn, died unexpectedly Saturday, Dec. 23, 1961 in Phoenix, Arizona, where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Josephine Ryan.

SOLEMN MASS of Requiem was offered in St. Mary's Church by the Rev. John L. Coonan assisted by the Rev. John T. Walsh, deacon and the Rev. James A. Williams, subdeacon. Rt. Rev. Msgr. James D. Cuffney was seated in the sanctuary. Sisters of St. Joseph attended the Mass.

Besides her sister, Mrs. Williams is survived by one son, John R. Williams of Watertown; one daughter, Sister Josephine Claire of the Sisters of St. Joseph, and four grandchildren.

Burial was in the family plot in St. Joseph's Cemetery where the committal service was conducted by Msgr. Cuffney.



## Plan Member Drive

HOLY ANGELS GUILD annual membership drive will be held Jan. 29 to March 15. Mrs. Francis G. Wagner, right, is chairman, and Mrs. Homer N. McGill, left, cochairman.

## Cayuga Deanery Unit Reports Activities

Auburn — Mrs. E. Joseph Hassett, president, presided at the meeting of the Cayuga Deanery Council of Catholic Women on Tuesday, Jan. 16, at the Catholic Daughters Home.

REPORTS WERE submitted by chairman of the Foreign Relief, Family and Parent Education, Cooperating with Catholic Charities and the Library and Literature Committees.

Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh extended an invitation to parishioners of all parishes in the deanery to attend the Family Holy Hour, Sunday, Jan. 28, at Holy Family Church, between the hour from 4 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. Leonard Greene reported that \$60 was received from affiliated organizations for the "Feed a Family" program, which provides food packages for people in devastated lands.

Mrs. Joseph Koziol announced that in lieu of the exchange of gifts at Christmas parties members of the Immaculate Heart of Mary and Altar Society of St. Alphonsus Church and the Mother's Club of St. Basil's Church donated items of baby's clothing for the Pope's Storehouse, a total of 110 pieces having been received.

Members of the Confraternity of Christian Mothers of St. Alphonsus Church donated 300 pounds of linens and medical supplies for shipment to Dr. Paul LaLonde for use in the mission fields in Africa.

The Council will again this year provide the Seymour Library with a subscription to the magazine "America".

Mrs. John P. Verzamani was named chairman of the forthcoming Silver Bake Sale to be held to raise necessary funds to defray the expenses incurred in the sponsoring of the Pro-Cana conferences during the Lenten Season. The conferences are held for engaged and newly married couples, and detailed information will be made available at a later date.

Mrs. L. Harvey Clark spoke to the members regarding the exchange students studying in our area, and felt the time has come for the establishment of the International Relations Committee in the Deanery, a committee which is in existence on the Diocesan Level.

Parish organizations will be able to work with the committee in becoming better acquainted with the students, by inviting them to various functions sponsored by the organizations, and learn of the customs of the native land of the students.

Mrs. Frederick J. Welch was named chairman of this newly formed committee, and will be assisted by Mrs. Joseph L. Barry as co-chairman.

REV. SIMON MARRO, O. Carm. of the Carmelite Monastery spoke briefly on the Third Order of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, outlining the purpose and the requisites for membership. Father also extended an invitation to anyone interested to feel free to attend the meetings, which are held on the third Sunday of each month at the Carmelite Monastery.

Miss Lou A. M. Falley, chairman of the Spiritual Development Committee presented an interesting and descriptive display pertaining to the Liturgical Seasons of the Church.

Refreshments were served by members of the Rosary Society of Sacred Heart Church following the business meeting and program.

## Rosarians Hold Meeting, Supper In Waterloo

Waterloo — The regular monthly meeting of St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society was held on Thursday, Jan. 18, in St. Mary's School Hall, preceded by Rosary and Benediction in the church at 6:30 p.m.

A GERMAN SUPPER was served by Band No. 5. Mrs. Vincent Laggan, band leader, was general chairman of the supper.

Slides on the Mass were shown by Rev. George E. Gauthier, Moderator of the Society.

The Society voted to pay the first installment of 1962 on its pledge to the School-Hall Subscription Drive.

Plans are being made to hold a card party and dance sometime in the near future. Mrs. Anthony Frerach and Mrs. Richard Hillmer, Band Leaders of Bands 3 and 7, respectively, will be in charge of arrangements.

The meeting on Feb. 15 will feature the annual Catholic book review, display and sale.

## Siebert Takes Over Rambler Line

With a background of 40 years in the automobile business, the Siebert firm at 615 South Ave. is now showing a complete line of Ramblers. During 28 years of the 40, the firm was known as Siebert's Chevrolet.

The new Rambler dealership will carry the largest parts service facilities in the Rochester area according to President and treasurer, Richard L. Siebert, vice president, Henry E. Siebert Jr., and James L. Siebert, and secretary Edward B. Reagan.

The firm was started by Charles L. and Henry E. Siebert. Sr. Public is invited to see the Rambler display.

## KC Ladies In Geneva Reelect Mrs. Andrews

Geneva — Re-elected to office in the Knights of Columbus Auxiliary, Mrs. Donald Andrews assumed the role of president of the group for the second year at installation ceremonies recently in the K. of C. Home.

OTHER OFFICERS installed were: Mrs. William Leonard, vice president; Mrs. Thomas DeVaney, recording secretary; Mrs. John Hart, treasurer; Mrs. Joseph Marino, financial secretary; Mrs. Carl Dreher, Mrs. Russell LaRocca and Miss Anna DeLea, trustees.

Committee chairmen include Mrs. Joseph Yannotti, hospital; Mrs. Russell LaRocca, membership; Mrs. Russell LaRocca, publicity; Mrs. Leo Keenan, color bearer; Mrs. Stephen Hastings and Miss Clementine Madia, blue guards; Mrs. Frank Murphy and Mrs. Grace Fleming, red guards; Mrs. Mary Goodenow, conductress; Mrs. Russell LaRocca, co-conductor.

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## New Alumnae Group

The recent addition to women from forty-five states and five foreign countries, and at the present time has an enrollment of 1200 students.

Shown above are Mrs. Thomas T. Maklowski, (right), club president, and Mrs. William J. Hickey, Jr., chairman of the pre-Lenten dinner-dance for members and their husbands at the Towne House Restaurant, Feb. 24, 6:30 p.m.

Alumnae newly-arrived in the area are invited to contact Mrs. Maklowski, 70 Briar Hill, Rochester 15, or phone UN 5-4782.

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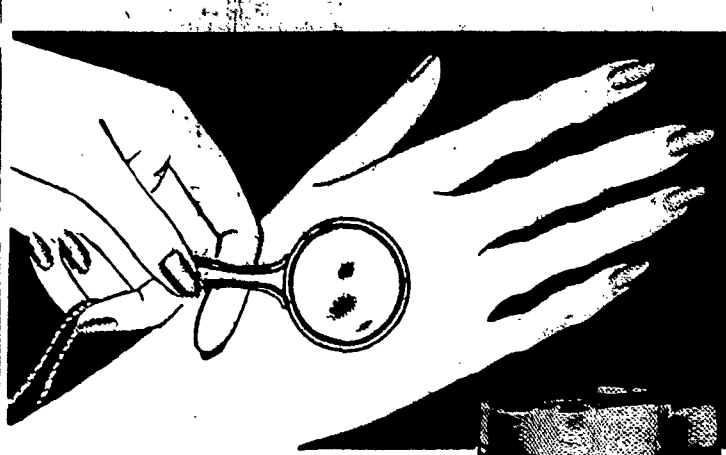
Three Catholic high school seniors were among eleven young men nominated by Representative Judy Weis to compete in entrance tests for the U.S. Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs.

The three are Fred A. Curran, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curran, 216 Gibbs St., Rochester, senior at Aquinas Institute; Michael F. Di Gregorio, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Di Gregorio, 74 Maple Dale St., senior at McQuaid Jesuit High School; and William J. Soehner, 17, son of Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Soehner, 40 Hawthorne St., also a senior at McQuaid.

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