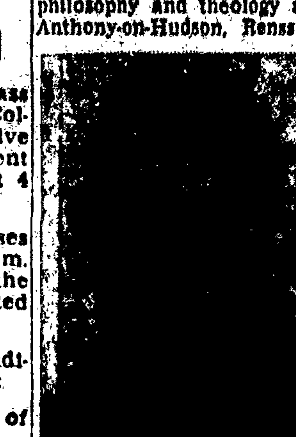
Fr. Hodes Marks Silver Jubilee

The Rev. Bertrand M. Hodes O.F.M., will celebrate his twenty-fifth jubilee in the Franciscan Priesthood with a Solemn High Mass for his family and friends in Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church, Rochester, on Sunday, June 7 at twelve noon.

FATHER BERTRAND is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Hodes and a brother of Mrs. Leo Blanchard, 1142 Long Pond Road; Joseph Hodes, 58 Weaver Street; Bernard Hodes, 79 Hollister Street; and Richard Hodes, 42 Queens Lane; all of Rochester.

He graduated from Our Lady of Perpetual Help Grammar School in June of 1926 and spent six years at St. Andrew's Preparatory Seminary. In 1933 he entered the novitiate of the Conventual Franciscans at Syracuse and was professed into the Franciscan Order in 1934.

He completed his studies in philosophy and theology at St. Anthony-on-Hudson, Rensselaer,



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and at Catholic University, Washington, D.C., and was ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Edmund Gibbons, in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Albany, June 3, 1939.

The following day Father Bertrand celebrated His First Mass in the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Rochester.

Father Bertrand spent the first six years of his priesthood as a professor at Trenton Catholic High School, Trenton, New Jersey. In 1946 he was among the first seven Conventual Franciscans to volunteer for the Order's newly accepted missions in Costa Rica.

From 1946 until 1950 Father Bertrand served as pastor and superior of the mission territories of Golfito and Quepos and prefect of discipline at the Conventual Franciscan Seminary, San Antonio de Belen.

From 1950 to 1963 he was Commissary Provincial of all the Friars laboring in Costa Rica. He now is superior and novice-master at the Seraphic College of the Assumption, Alajuela, where nine native Costa Rican Friars are presently preparing to enter the Order.

Since Father Bertrand's arrival in Costa Rica eighteen years ago, the Conventual Franciscans have established and maintain five parochial mission territories which include over one hundred thousand souls, a high school and grammar school for eight hundred boys, a minor seminary with an enrollment of seventy one boys, a novitiate, and a radio station.

There are now twenty seven priests and three brothers laboring in Costa Rica from the Immaculate Conception Province whose motherhouse is located in Syracuse. In the past eighteen years four native Costa Ricans have been ordained Conventual Franciscan Priests, fourteen are presently studying philosophy and theology in the United States and nine are in the novitiate, in Costa Rica.

The vocation director of the Conventual Franciscans for the Immaculate Conception Province resides at the Franciscan Mission House, 319 36th Street, Union City, New Jersey.

161 Slated For Degrees At Nazareth

The largest graduating class in the history of Nazareth College, 161 students, will receive degrees during commencement exercises, Sunday, May 31 at 4 p.m.

The commencement exercises will be preceded at 10:30 a.m. by a Baccalaureate Mass in the Motherhouse Chapel celebrated by Bishop James E. Kearney.

Following is a list of candidates for bachelor's degrees:

Candidates for degree of Bachelor of Arts:

Janet M. Andreano, Mary Elizabeth Asip, Roseann Marie Bellanca, Patricia Anne Bennett, Yvonne Marie Burcume, Barbara Theresa Burgmaier, Caroly Ann Cammarata, Carol Mary Christ, Sandra Jean Clark, Susan Eve Close, Barbara Maureen Coddington, Kathleen Jane Coggins, Martha Jane Cook.

Mary Cuddy, Leslie Anne Delmege McDonald, Julianne Phyllis Denti, Catherine Anne Diehl, Michele Loretta DiGaetano, Annette I. DiSchino, Sheila Lee Docteur, Patricia Ann Donahue, Sharon Anne Dooley, Margaret Louise Dunn, Anne Elizabeth Emperor, Antoinette Nicolina Fallone, Rosemary Anne Faso, Sheila Anne Flynn.

Joyce Foley Rittinger, Marcia Anne Fuehrer, Susan C. Gibson, Diane M. Guarino, Eva Marie Hackett, Christina Irene Halscher, Alice Mae Hanlon, Patricia Ann Herring, Sandra Jean Huber, Ruth Mary Hummel, Maryann E. Iocco, Eileen Rose Jurca, Eileen Marie Kane.

Mary Patricia Kane, Mary Helen Kelly, Janice Mary Kocher, Joyce A. Kozuch, Sabina J. Kulakowski, Barbara Jane Lanahan, Patricia Mary Lawlor, Carole Marie Leafe, Elizabeth Ann LeValley, Marie Louise MacAdam, Diana Marie Manel, Kathleen E. Mangan, Kornelia Judith Marshall, M. Tamara Marte.

Suzanne Rita Martin, Patricia Ann Martone, Patricia Ann Matyjas, Maureen Ann McArdle, Donna Marie McGlynn, Mary Katherine McKay, Sharon Helen Meehan, Margaret Mary Muller, Kathleen Ann Murphy, Mary Ellen Murphy, Mary Kathryn Murphy, Susan Frances Murphy, Ann Aileen O'Brien.

Kathleen Ann O'Brien, Sharon Marie O'Meara, Elaine T. Ostrowski, Barbara Ann Page, Alberta J. Pear, Kathleen Mary Prestel, Ann Edith Provenzano, Judith Helen Riley, Monica Anne Riley, Patricia M. Rowe, Mary Ann Rugala, Mary Anne Ryan, Erma M. Salatino, Cecelia Mary Santelli.

Mary Cahill Schalt, Sandra Carol Sheflin, Jeanne Marie Sloan, Sheila Ann Smyth, Mary Louise Spiotti, Judith Ann Spitzer, Phyllis Margaret Steve, Kathleen Anne Sullivan, Margaret Taylor.

Sara Jane Tower, Kathleen Ann Vinci, Kathleen Ann Wagner, Caroline E. Waligora, Virginia Anne Welch, Mary Josephine Werthman, Ann Elizabeth Woods, JoAnne Zaino, Sandra Marie Zurlo.

Candidates for degree of Bachelor of Science:

Janet L. Almeter, Mary Kathleen Baker, Joan Elizabeth Barski, Kathryn Ann Benedict, Pauline Marie Boulais, Sharon Gail Butler, Linda L. Carr, Joanne Marie Cashion, Anne Patricia Collins, Diane Marie Connor, Sheila E. Crilly, Geraldine Teresa Cristofaro, Maureen Elizabeth Crowley.

Angela Ann Cutri, Rita Pellizzari Daly, Shelby Ruth Davis, Ann Marie Eckl, Marie Elaine Elia, Jacquelyn Felice, Patricia Emily Franco, Karen Louise Gears, Rosanne Golden, Ellen Ann Goyette, Nancy Helen Gray, Nancy Irene Griffin, Ann T. Helland, Judith Gail Jensen, Mary Margaret Kane, June Ann Kesselring.

Patricia M. Kowalski, Oksana Krychuk, Diana Frances Laskoski, Andrea Evelyn Leys, Mary Ann Magin, Carol Ann R. May, Mary Catherine McCarthy, Judith Ann McDonald, Sarah Drummond McGowan, Judith Ann McGuire, Margaret Mary Meyer, Maureen F. Mockler, Maureen E. Mooney, Madeline Anne Naegle.

Katherine Mary Noll, Anne Rita Owen, Mary Kathleen Reiss, Mary Elizabeh Rich, Catherine E. Schwalb, Judith A. Severance, Catherine Ann Sien, Paula Ann Smith, Agnes Ann Sorge, Susanne T. Stiewe, Marianne Taylor, Diane M. VanWaes, Elizabeth A. Way, Anastasia Marie Wellandt, Jean Marie Werth, Monika Marie Wickert, Judith A. Yawman, Marguerite M. Yochum, Linda Helen Young.

St. Andrew's Honor Roll

Honor Roll students at St. Andrew's Seminary following quarterly examinations are as follows:

High School I

William Schreiber, Robert Riley, Peter Burke, Michael Cook, Patrick Morphy, Robert Schrader, George Izzo, William Neilen, Timothy Skelly, Paul Moszkowski, David Anselm, James Jones, James Mosher, Gregory Maray, Michael Hogan, John Bevensi, James Lee, James Thomas, Michael

High School II

James Woytash, Vaughn Polmenteer, William Yantz, Robert Sullivan, Stephen Mennemeyer, Charles DiSalvo, William Hurley, Lee Waterman, James Whalehan, Joseph Knight, Thomas Welf, Joseph Verabel.

High School III

Thomas Dixon, Daniel Finn, David Harradine, Gary Gortier, Gregory Pierce, Michael Coniff, Stephen Kraus, Darrell Davis, Judd Thines, James Callan, James Valone, Louis Sirianni, Robert Kennedy, David Saracino, Dennis Shaw.

High School IV

Matthew Kane, John Merreall, David Wolf, Robert Simpson, Kenneth Jones, Joseph McCormick, Michael Mahler, Michael Dewhirst, Theodore De Welles, Michael Kress, Mark Masterson, William Darling, Donald Schwab.

College Preparatory

Gerald McInerney, Peter Cogrill, Joseph Hart, Robert Nittoly.

College I

Michael Britton, William McKeever, Michael Ball, Richard Cilano, Timothy Clark, Charles Steiger, Walter Kosiol, Mark Nothnagle, Gary Hamelin.

College II

Richard Welsh, David Walker, William Phelan, Richard Schaad, James Berner, Louis Vasile, Michael Hall, Michael Nolan.

Bishop Becomes Fire 'Chief'

A WHITE HELMET, standard Fire Department equipment, is presented Bishop Kearney by Public Safety Commissioner Donald J. Corbett with Fire Chief Joseph L. Donovan approving. The gift signifies the Bishop's rank as honorary chief. Presentation took place at annual breakfast of Rochester Fire Bureau Holy Name Bureau, Sunday, May 17, in Sheraton Hotel. Mass and Communion were at St. Joseph's Church, Rochester. Elected to head the Society were Norbert Hoffman, president; Clarence Bradler, vice president and Charles Bubel, secretary-treasurer.

Aquinas Captures Elmira Relays

A flock of records fell as expected Saturday in the Elmira Relays and the happy faces bursting across the finish line were Aquinas Institute runners for the most part.

Aquinas won the meet comfortably with 22 points. Runner-up McQuaid Jesuit, also of Rochester, finished with 12 points, edging out Elmira Free Academy which tied Ithaca high school with 10 points each.

And so Aquinas' collection of gold medals continues to grow. With Randy Block running as anchor man in the 880 relay, the Irish set a new meet record of 1:33 in the event. It was one of the four new meet marks produced by Aquinas during the afternoon. Aquinas also tied another and set a new school record, to boot.

Before the glory parade continues, it should be pointed out that McQuaid won the mile medley and set a new record. Eric Kendrick ran a 1:57.9 anchor 880 to help his team defeat Waverly. Elmira Free Academy captured the 480-yard shuttle hurdles; Southside took the distance medley and Geneva won the 440-yard event.

Aquinas broke records in the half-mile, mile and two-mile enroute to its fourth victory in the last six years of competition in the highly respected Southern Tier meet.

In the two-mile event, Aquinas' John Donovan, Barry McGee, Jerry Murray and Mike Popen established a new record of 8:27, breaking the meet record of 8:28.4 set by Aquinas in 1962.

The Aquinas squad of Dick Newman, Craig Zurkey, Tom Guerinot and Randy Block contributed to the new record in the 880-yard relay and in the mile relay Jim Walsh, Jim Benson, Tom Woods and John O'Neill broke their schools established meet record set in 1962 with a 3:34.2 mark.

Aquinas's distance combines have been the terror of the relays circuit this spring setting no less than five new marks to date.

Last Monday Aquinas continued its winning ways by winning its nineteenth consecutive track meet, defeating Madison High School of the Interscholastic League, 86-27.

On Saturday, May 23, Aquinas will be host for the first annual Aquinas Relays, set for Fauver Stadium of the University of Rochester.

McQuaid Runs Second; Records Fall, Anyway

For the second week in a row, Aquinas and McQuaid were one-two against out-of-town opposition, with the Knights taking runner-up spot behind the Little Irish at the 13th annual Elmira Relays last Friday. That cozy arrangement may not have anyone exactly doing cartwheels around the Elmwood Ave. campus, but it has produced a substantial re-writing of the McQuaid record book. And further depredations against the surviving standards can be expected when the Knights and the Irish go at it again in the Aquinas Relays this Saturday and in next Wednesday's dual meet at McQuaid.

At Elmira, McQuaid relay teams set school marks in four of their six races, though they won only one of them. Individually, sophomores Eric Kendrick and Steve Fahy were clocked in sub-record time for relay legs, though running starts make relay times unofficial for record purposes. Point-wise, the Knights accumulated 12 to edge a pair of powerful Southern Tier rivals—Ithaca and Elmira Free Academy—for second place honors behind Aquinas's top-heavy 22-point victory total.

The evening started auspiciously, with senior Pete Gores coming up with a 14.6 anchor leg to bring the Knights home second in the 480-yard hurdles shuttle race. A school record 58.7 clocking went with the silver medals, shared by Gores, Steve Borbas, Bert DiPaola, and Dave Dunn.

In the next race, McQuaid's two-mile foursome of Greg Sloan, Paul Jones, Mike Shaughnessy, and Pete Miller, though far off Aquinas's winning pace, averaged under 2:13 apiece to lower the school mark to 8:51.5.

Gold medals went with the next record, as Kendrick outdueled his Ithaca opponent in a 1:57.9 half-mile anchor leg that carried McQuaid's mile medley team to a school and meet record of 3:42.7. It was the first time under two minutes for Kendrick, who began his leg in fourth position, some 25 yards off the pace. He caught up gradually, then battled stride for stride down the backstretch before finally taking the lead at the last turn. Keeping him in the race for his prime effort were Mike LaForce, Tom Meisch, and Gores. Meisch was timed in 22.7 for his 220 leg.

In the mile relay, the Knights missed a record by less than 2 seconds, but Fahy had a 53.0 quarter leg as he combined with Chuck Maier to give his team a temporary lead over an Aquinas team that eventually scored a record-breaking win. Bryan Burns and Mike Connor were the other Knights on the third-place quartet.

The fourth record fell in another third-place finish, with miler Dick Lenhard anchoring a distance medley team to an 8:22.9 clocking. Running the shorter legs were John Stanley, Jack Keenan, and Meisch.

This Saturday, the 12-school Elmira field will expand to 22 for the first running of the Aquinas Relays, set for U of R. Stadium at 1:30. And the fast Fauver track promises to produce a new batch of records—besides the automatic ones that go with every inaugural meet.

Sam Colantoni Elected By State CWV

At the Annual State Convention of CWV, the Department of New York Elected Sam Colantoni, 83 Asbury Street, Rochester, its THird Vice Commander, its Third Vice Commander, May 14-15-16 at the Hotel Buffalo.

A large delegation of CWV members and Auxiliary attended from Monroe County. State Assemblyman John R. Lis of the 5th District was the keynote speaker at a combined session on Saturday morning with the Auxiliary.

He spoke both on domestic and foreign problems and advised the veterans that Americans must continually seek methods at the conference tables for the complete elimination of weapons for making major wars, but that at the same time we must remain militarily at the top to retain our position as a world leader.

Speaker at the Convention Banquet Saturday evening was Bishop James A. McNulty of Buffalo, who spoke about keeping spiritual ideals high in todays materialistic world.

Resolutions passed were for (1) Full continuation of NYS Division of Veterans Affairs offices, (2) successful passage of a civil rights bill through Congress (3) reinstatment of National Service Life Insurance, and (4) opposed to any cooperation with Russia for a joint moon shot.

Newly elected Department Commander is James P. McBride from Long Island. Monroe County CWV'ers won an award for First Place in County Historians books. Senator Walter J. Mahoney of Buffalo addressed the vets and asked for vocal efforts from majority groups to counteract legislation led by minority groups.

Aquinas, Mercy Win Oratoricals

Oratorical skill combined with topics about the theatre and Communist world captivated the audience and the judges at the Diocesan Bishop's Public Speaking Contest held this year at St. Agnes High School, Wednesday evening, May 13.

Mary A. Schlosser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schlosser Jr., a senior at Our Lady of Mercy High School, won first place in the girls division with her lively presentation of the history of the theatre, entitled: "Behind the Masque." She is well versed in drama having participated in many Mercy theatrical productions and the lead role in three of them this past year.

James Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Austin, a senior at Aquinas Institute, won first place in the boy's division for his discussion of the Christian's attitude toward Communism in a speech entitled: "Fasten your seat belts, please." This award has followed closely upon his winning of the New York State Gavel Award in Albany, April 25, and his nomination as senior class Valedictorian on May 1.

Bishop Kearney presented both winners with medals imprinted with his coat of arms, checks for $25, and plaques for their respective schools. Judges for this year's contest which involved eight of the area high schools, were: Harvey J. Fox, Ph.D., Principal of School No. 46, Rev. E. Kolb, M.S., Principal of Notre Dame High School, Batavia, and Rev. R. Keppeler, M.A., Ass't Principal of Notre Dame High School, Batavia.

Nurses Name Mrs. Eckert

Mrs. Madeline Eckert was elected president of Monroe County Chapter of Catholic Nurses at the May meeting. Mrs. Helen McCann was named secretary.

Elected to the board of directors were: Miss Mary Carcelli and Miss Mary Coccia. Don Matilidi, retiring president at the final dinner meeting, expressed thanks for cooperation given during his four years of office.

Rev. John V. Rosse, spiritual moderator of the chapter reported on the Catholic Nurses national convention in Chicago held from April 29 to May 3. He stressed the work required by the nurses if they are to preserve their organization.

Chapter dinner meeting will resume in September.

Sister Ottilia Marks 70 Years As Religious

Sister M. Ottilia (Kasman) of the Sisters of St. Joseph will mark seventy years in the religious life at a Mass in the Immaculate Heart of Mary Convent on Saturday, May 30th.

Sister Ottilia was the first girl from St. Francis Xavier School to enter the religious life. She has taught in the Diocese of Rochester for 67 years. For thirty years she was assigned to Holy Trinity School, Webster.

Sister also taught at Holy Apostles, Immaculate Conception, St. Bridget's in Rochester, and in Auburn Dansville, Wayland, Perkinsville, and Greece.

Sister Ottilia will welcome her friends at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Convent, 428 Mt. Vernon Ave., where she resides.

Fisher Slates Michael Novak

Michael Novak, controversial author of "Marriage: the Lay Voice" which recently appeared in Commonweal, will speak at St. John Fisher College on Wednesday, May 27, at 8 p.m. in an event sponsored by the College Alumni Association.

In addition to his contributions to Commonweal, Novak has written a number of novels, contributed to Harper's, The New Republic, The Nation, and America. He is currently a teaching fellow at Harvard University.

Plans Reunion

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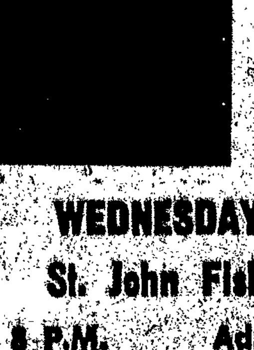

This young philosopher and novelist, is pursuing studies in the philosophy of religion at Harvard. Michael Novak writes regular for The Commonweal and The New Republic. His articles have appeared in Harpers, The Nation, America as well as scholarly journals.

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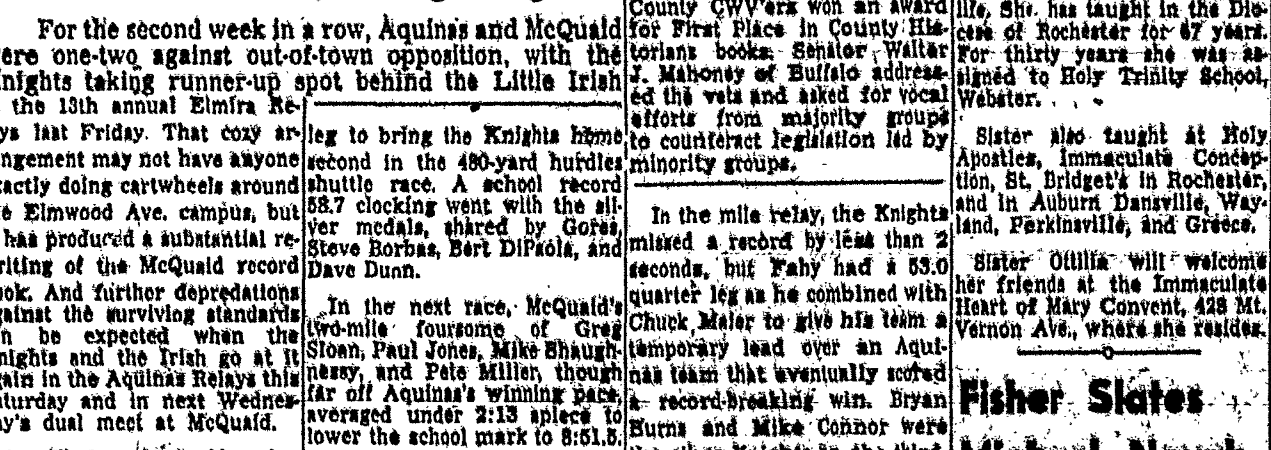

Plan Memorial Day Mass

MEMBERS OF THE committee prepare for the annual Memorial Day Mass at 9 a.m. in St. Joseph's Cemetery, Auburn. Left to right (seated): the Rev. Lawrence W. Sansom, assistant pastor of Holy Family Church, in charge of arrangements; the Rev. William E. Dayle, pastor of Holy Family church, celebrant of the Mass; Charles J. Dae, general chairman; (standing): Joseph Malvaso, commander of the Catholic War Veterans, sponsors of the Mass; George F. Train, Alan Bailey, Anthony J. Colella, William J. Carmicelli, and Joseph J. Hickey, members of the committee.