

Campus Dateline

Scholarship Won

Ellen Murray, Mercy High senior, has won a \$6,000 tuition scholarship to the School of Journalism of Syracuse University. The award was announced



ELLEN MURRAY

at the convention banquet of the Empire State School Press Association, Friday, September 25.

Miss Murray, an entrant in the news-writing examination sponsored by the Syracuse School of Journalism, won the scholarship on the basis of a news story written Friday at the convention.

Contestants were assigned to report the speech given at the convention's opening session by Professor Edmund Arnold, chairman of the athletic department at S.U.

Miss Murray is the editor of the Quill, Mercy's paper.

Literary Awards

A Mercy High publication, the Quill, was one of ten school papers to receive the All-New York State rating from the Empire State School Press Association on September 25 at Syracuse University during the annual ESSPA journalism convention.

In the "individual writing" category five students received awards from ESSPA:

1st place trophy for column writing—Diane Sall.

2nd place for best photograph—Laurie Kasper.

3rd place for best news photograph—Laurie Kasper.

3rd place for best interview story—Kathy Neary.

Honorable mention for best literary work—Sally Schreiber; for best feature story—Cheryl Faraone; for best editorial page—the Quill.

Sister Mary Christine, public relations moderator at Mercy, addressed one of the conference sessions on the topic "How to Create Reader Interest." Sixteen Mercy journalists attended the convention.

Nazareth Academy publications were named winners in several areas of student journalism at the Empire State School Press Convention held at Nazareth Academy.

The Spectrum and the Gabriel received an "All New York" rating in the Better School Publications Competition. The Spectrum received the highest rating of any literary magazine entered in the contest. A plaque was awarded in recognition of this achievement.

The Gabriel won a second prize certificate for Best Service to the School among newspapers entered in the competition, and an Honorable Mention for Page One typography.

Individual awards were as follows: First Place trophy for feature writing to Carol Annis of the Spectrum; Second Place Certificate for interview writing to Judith Greenleaf of the Gabriel; Third Place Certificate to Dolores Bruciner, sports writing in Gabriel; Linda Bloom, poetry in Spectrum; Kathleen Crowley, news writing in Gabriel; and Richard Jones, feature story in Spectrum.

Honorable Mentions went to the following: Ruth Crowley, sports writing, Gabriel; Linda Bloom, editorial writing, Gabriel; Margaret Swanson, interview writing, Gabriel; Susan Schantz and Joyce Testa, interview writing, Spectrum.

Eleven students and three faculty advisors attended the two-day convention.

Sister Marie Catherine, journalism teacher and advisor to the Gabriel, was elected a member of the Board of Directors of the Empire State School Press Association at the annual advisors meeting in Hendrick's Chapel at the university Friday morning. Sister presented the Iva Sapoznik Memorial Trophy to the editor of the Immaculate, yearbook of Immaculate Heart of Mary Academy, Buffalo. This award will be given annually to the publication judged best among all entries including yearbooks, newspapers and literary magazines.

Court House Action

Twenty-six Catholic High School students from Aquinas, Nazareth, McQuaid, Mooney and St. Andrew's formed one-third of the student participants at the Western New York Forensic League Congress last Saturday, September 28, in the Monroe County Hall of Justice.

Thomas Farrell, an Aquinas senior, was elected president of the student Senate. Nominated for speaking awards were Robert Craig and Richard Merie of Aquinas and Richard Rudy of McQuaid.

An Aquinas bill to guarantee equal financial aid to private, parochial, and public school students was introduced and passed in the student Senate. It was tabled in the student House of Representatives. This same bill is on the agenda for the Winter Congress to be held in the Hall of Justice on January 23. The only bill passed by the student houses was a bill to recognize Red China.

McQuaid Debaters

Last weekend the Campion Debating Society of McQuaid High School placed fourth out of thirty-seven schools participating in the Seventh Annual Interstate Debate and Oratory Tournament at Canisius High School in Buffalo.

The affirmative team, composed of senior John Sale, and sophomore Joseph Combs, finished the tournament with two wins and two losses. McQuaid's negative team of senior Richard Rudy and junior George Northrup, swept through the tournament undefeated.

The Campion Society's strong showing was matched by the McQuaid Oratorical Society. Junior Jeremy Abbott, finished second out of thirty-seven participants in Interpretive Reading, with a selection from Elizabeth Ryan. Another junior, Gary Valley, took a third place in Original Oratory. Senior Richard Hughes, took fourth place in Extemporaneous Speaking.

Editors Conference

Representatives from three Nazareth Academy publications will attend the Scholastic Editors Conference Saturday, Oct. 17, at the Powers Hotel at 9 a.m.

The following editors will attend: Mary Linda Quinn and Sheila Donovan from the Gabriel; Sophie Korczyk and Rita Lotta from the Spectrum; and two editors from the Lanthorn staff, Kathleen Amato and Joan Weber. Sister Marie Catherine

General advisor, and teacher St. Margaret, Lanthorn advisor, will be group leaders.

Delegates will be guests of the Democrat and Chronicle and the Times-Union at an awards luncheon following the conference.

New Gabriel Staff

Nazareth Academy seniors Sheila Donovan and Mary Linda Quinn were appointed co-editors of the school newspaper, the Gabriel.

Other editors are as follows: Eva De Bernardo, news editor; Bonnie Clava, assistant news editor; Barbara Pfitz, feature editor; Barbara Toscano, sports editor; Darlene McKean, manager of home-room reporters; Jane Szacki, staff librarian; Geraldine Dennis, reporter to the Catholic Courier Journal; Kathleen Vernosh, art editor; and Elynn Valerio, chief photographer.

Inter-High Hop

Tories of gold and blue form the decorative scheme for the "Junior Jump" Inter-High School Record Hop, at Nazareth Academy Thursday, October 16, in the gymnasium from 8:15 to 11 p.m.

The Quintones will play. Admission will be 50 cents.

Margaret Tomczak is general chairman. Other committee heads are as follows: Elaine Hastings, decorations; Mary Ann Whitty, checking; Patricia Leahy, and Elynn Valerio, general arrangements.

Mercy Field Day

Field Day, Mercy's annual acquainted school picnic, produced a wide display of talent, skill and color on campus Friday, October 2.

Sponsored by the Student Government Association under president John Bellante, the day was studied with activities which included the championship ball game, song fest with a program put on by each class and the faculty; Father Fink's Frolics (student stunts and games, directed by Mercy's chaplain); and a hoorteeny.

The Bidders, a semi-professional group, were the featured performers in the afternoon hoorteeny program.

Winners of the day's competitive events were as follows: championship game, cheerleading and song fest, Little Charlemagne game, freshman (girls) and games, sophomores; most valuable players, seniors Marilyn Entress and Joyce Wittman.

Committees for the day were organized by class officers: Ignace Polly Cole and Ellen Hallock; juniors Ellen Tallmadge and Barb Silo; and sophomores Cindy Zolker and Ellen Binga.

Sing Bishop's Mass

A group of Mercy students, under the direction of Sister Marie Mary, sang the Mass at the Carmelite Monastery on Saturday, October 3, the feast of the Little Flower. His Excellency, Bishop Kearney, celebrated the noon Mass.

The same group also served as the choir for the Mass celebrated by Bishop Kearney to open the CYO drive at the K of C.

The singers included Judith Bagley, Mary Lou Boehm, Marguerite De Yaeger, Eleanor Everett, JoAnn Grass, JoAnne Pirelli, Patricia Schubert, Marjorie Nautelmer, Marie Ralph, Kathleen Speight, Peggy Anne Farren, Patricia Hallen, Patricia Riners and Chris Seibold.

Open House

Fifteen parents will be formally introduced to Cardinal Mooney High School at Open House Thursday evening, October 15, at 7:30 p.m. The Class of 1969 will conduct their parents through the school and acquaint them with the faculty. Teachers will remain in their classrooms so that freshmen can take their parents through a typical school day, according to Brother James Madigan, C.S.C., principal.

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Mooney Guild Elects Slate

MRS. FRANCIS WISCHMEYER, newly elected president of Cardinal Mooney Women's Guild receives gavel from Mrs. Jack Walker retiring president. Officers and board members for 1964-1965 are: moderator, Brother Harold Miller; president, Mrs. Wischmeyer; vice president, Mrs. John Degus; treasurer, Mrs. Earl Pflah; financial secretary, Mrs. Norman Jacobs; recording secretary, Mrs. Gerald Ensmann; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Louis Ugnio; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Charles Donner; advisory and historian, Mrs. Jack Walker; arrangements, Mrs. Lambert Jacobsmeler and Mrs. Vincent Malo; granty tuition, Mrs. Edward Hardenbrook; hospitality, Mrs. Gerald Dimmick; liaison, Mrs. Richard Mittle; publicity, Mrs. Frederick Purchase; sunshine, Mrs. Kenneth Unger.

Mooney Guild

A special Mass for the members of the Women's Guild of Cardinal Mooney High School will be celebrated by Rev. Donald Haycock, C.S.C., Saturday, October 10, at 9 a.m. Breakfast will be served in the school cafeteria.

Brother Harold Miller, C.S.C., moderator, urges all members to attend "to beg God's blessing on the year's program through this first spiritual activity." Officers will be there to greet new members.

Elected in June, this year's officers include: Mrs. Francis Wischmeyer, president; Mrs. John Degus, vice president; Mrs. Earl Pflah, treasurer; Mrs. Louis Ugnio, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Norman Jacobs, financial secretary; Mrs. Gerald Ensmann, recording secretary and Mrs. Charles Donner and Mrs. Jack Sankel, sergeants-at-arms.

Six faculty members of Our Lady of Mercy High School will attend the meeting of the Foreign Language Teachers of New York State at the Hotel Syracuse on October 10.

They are: Sister Mary Raphael, Sister Mary Maureen, Sister Mary Martin, Sister Mary Constance, Miss Mary Burkert and Miss Jackie Topchak.

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First Semester			
Aug.	24-27	Elementary School Principals' Workshop—Nazareth College.	
Sept.		Elementary Lay Teachers' Conferences (Auburn, 9/9; Rochester, 9/10; Elmira, 9/11)	
Wednesday	9	Opening of Schools (Half-day sessions first week of school)	
Monday	21	Diocesan Teachers' Conference	
Tuesday	22	Diocesan Teachers' Conference	
Sunday	27	Lay Teachers' Day of Reflection	
Oct.	5-15	Fall Standardized Tests	
Monday	12	Columbus Day—Holiday	
Friday	16	Communally Conference Day—Holiday	
Nov.	8-14	Catholic Education Week. Theme: Support Your School	
Wednesday	11	Veterans' Day—Holiday	
Wednesday	25	Thanksgiving recess begins	
Monday	30	Schools Reopen	
Dec.	Tuesday	8	Feast of the Immaculate Conception—Holiday
Tuesday	22	Christmas Recess Begins	
Jan.	Monday	4	Schools Reopen
Monday	11	Diocesan Examinations Begin	
Second Semester			
Jan.	Monday	18	Second Semester Begins
Saturday	23	High School & Seminary Entrance Examinations	
Feb.	Sunday	7	Lay Teachers' Day of Reflection
Monday	22	Washington's Birthday—Holiday	
Mar.	Saturday	6	High School Acceptances Mailed
Monday	13	Diocesan-wide Registration—Elementary Schools	
Mar. 29-April 9		Spring Standardized Tests	
Wednesday	14	Easter Recess Begins	
Monday	26	Schools Reopen	
Thursday	27	Ascension Thursday—Holiday	
Friday	28	Spring Holiday	
Monday	31	Memorial Day Observance—Holiday	
June	Thursday	17	Diocesan Examinations Begin
Thursday	24	School Year Closes	

Mrs. Weaver's Requiem Sung

Funeral Mass for Mrs. Margaret Weaver was offered by Rt. Rev. Msgr. Gerald C. Lambert in St. Monica Church, Oct. 3. Mrs. Weaver, 77, of 363 Arnett Blvd., died Sept. 30, 1964.

Surviving are her husband, William V. Weaver, one brother, Earl W. Dody, Hartford, Conn.; several nieces and nephews.

Monsignor Lambert gave Mass in St. Monica Church, Oct. 3. Cemetery Arrangements by Henry D. Halloran son, Arnett Blvd.

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Our Lady Queen of Peace Rosary Society held a tureen supper at Brighton Town Hall Tuesday evening, Oct. 6. Welcoming guests were Mrs. Patrick Gaffney, Mrs. John Connor, Mrs. Edward Ribson and Mrs. Henry Hill.

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