

# Campus Dateline



KATHLEEN JACKSON  
**Honor Society**

Kathleen Jackson, a senior at Nazareth Academy, has been named semi-finalist in the National Honor Society Scholarship Program sponsored by the National Association of Secondary School Principals. This selection has been made on the basis of Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test scores.

Kathleen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Jackson, 28 Ruggles Street. She is a member of Holy Cross Parish. Scholastically, Kathleen ranked sixth in a graduating class of 435 students. Consistently she has achieved high scores on national and local tests. She has displayed special aptitude in mathematics and science, taking first place in a mathematics contest at Nazareth College in her Sophomore Year, and at the Brockport Science Fair in her Junior Year. This year she is competing in the Westinghouse Talent Contest.

Selected as the Extension Magazine Teen Board representative, Kathleen has entered a feature story in the Extension Contest for Extension Guest Editor. Her story describes her personal experiences as a member of a family of 16 children.

As a member of the Bishop McQuaid Chapter of the National Honor Society, Kathleen will compete for a place in the finals of the scholarship contest. The SAT scores will be combined with the rank-in-class to determine a composite score for each finalist, and from this group finalists will be selected. Finalists will be notified and requested to submit biographical data, and family financial data which will be reviewed by the scholarship board. Winners will be announced in May.

Nazareth Academy Dance Committee will sponsor an inter-Catholic High School Dance in the school gymnasium, 1001 Lake Avenue, Friday, January 29, from 8 to 11 p.m.

Bob Fenton's Signets will play for this "Mid-term Frolic," sponsored by the Freshmen Class. Committee members are Debora Plimpton, Freshman Class president; Joanne Smelt, decorations chairman; Joanne Hanley, refreshments; and Sandra Stock, special arrangements.

Admission is fifty cents.

## CLP at Mercy

While forces of flexibility and renewal revamp Mercy's Sodality Program under Sodality sponsorship will feature three speakers and a race relations project. These elements compose the January-February agenda of the school's spiritual organization.

On January 11 the CLP heard Mrs. John O'Brien, a speech therapist and vice-president of the Rochester Diocesan Council of Catholic Women.

Continuing the topic of "service" Miss Mary Burkett, a Mercy faculty member, will speak on Feb. 11. Rev. P. David Finks, spiritual director of the group, will talk on Feb. 18.

Father Finks will urge the Christian Leadership Program to join the campaign for open occupancy. The CLP will solicit signatures on pledges, which condemn housing prejudice.

Back in September of '64 the Sodality formal meetings were replaced by a Christian Leadership and Christian Challenge Program which would affect renewal of Sodality attitude.

According to Father Finks, the annual meeting of Sodality directors in Washington, D.C., in October 1964 made clear the notion of flexibility. In its four hundred year history, Sodality has undergone five major divisions. The situation, he says, is now ripe for another change.

## Health Club

The National League for Nursing has granted a National Charter to Mercy's Health Careers Club, according to club president, Maureen Cotterill, and moderator, Sister Mary Claude. The club now joins the ranks of approximately 2000 high school groups in the United States which are nationally chartered.

The Health Careers Club received the initial registration fee as a gift from the Women's Auxiliary of Monroe County Medical Society, the community sponsor. The club's "personal" sponsor is Mrs. James DeWeese, wife of Dr. James DeWeese.

## KC Speaker

Mercy senior Mary Faith Santangelo spoke again at the KC C January 21 in the second round of the Knights of Columbus oratorical contest.

The winner will go on to Syracuse. The next step in the competition is New York City where a \$1600 scholarship is offered to the winner.

Miss Santangelo won the local oratorical contest sponsored by the Rochester Knights in December.

## Parents Dance

St. Agnes High School on Saturday, Jan. 30 will hold its annual Parents Dance.

With a delicious smorgasbord in the cafeteria, dancing in the gym, and entertainment provided by TV, radio and stage stars, the evening's plans promise various pleasures to please all.

This special highlight of the SAH social calendar is sponsored by the Fathers Club, and preparations will be directed by Father Cushing, moderator of the Fathers Club, who will be assisted by members of the Senior Class.

## Exchange Student

Marcia Pauletti, exchange student from Bolivia, South America, enrolled at St. Agnes High School this past week under the sponsorship of the National Catholic Welfare Conference exchange student program. She will attend St. Agnes as a member of the senior class and live with Mr. and Mrs. Carmelo Vassallo of 179 Sunnyside Drive whose daughter Joyce is a senior at St. Agnes.

Since St. Agnes joined international high school student program in 1960, five such students have attended St. Agnes coming from Chile, Bolivia, Germany and France. This year, in addition to Marcia, Flora Johanna Ottitsch from Austria, living with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lousa of 155 Miramar Road, attends St. Agnes with her "hostess" sisters, Mary Ann and Linda.

## Fathers' Club

Rev. William Schifferli, pastor of Christ the King Parish, will be guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Fathers' Club of St. Agnes High School next Thursday evening, January 28.

Illustrating his talk with a series of slides, Father plans to speak on "Egypt—Land of Mystery," summarizing his personal impressions gleaned from studies and from his personal visit there.

This meeting of the Fathers' Club will begin at 6:30 p.m. with a smorgasbord supper served by the Grinnan Caterers in the cafeteria. About eight there will be a short business meeting, after which Father Schifferli will speak.

## Future Nurses

Miss Patricia Fogarty, nursing instructor at St. Mary's Hospital, addressed the Future Nurses Club of St. Agnes High School at their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, January 14, at 2:30 p.m.

Discussing the work of surgical technicians, Miss Fogarty also acquainted those students interested in such a career with the new six-month training course now being given at St. Mary's.

## Attend Meeting

Sister Marie Margaret, Sister Dorothy Ellen, Sister Theresa Daniel, and Sister Marie Matthew will represent the administration, business, and guidance departments of St. Agnes High School on Wednesday, January 27, at the annual Education-Industry dinner meeting which will take place at East High School this year.

Guest speakers will be Mr. James Sebaste, Assistant Superintendent for Vocational Education and Youth Extension Services for the City School District, and Dr. Thomas Olivio of the State Education Department.

Speaking for industry, Mr. Russell C. McCarthy, Manager of the Industrial Management Council, will outline the employment outlook for the Rochester area in 1965.

## Exchange Program

Student Council of Notre Dame, Elmira, is organizing a foreign exchange student program to begin in two years.

In order to support the program, a king and queen of Foreign Exchange will be crowned at the Student Council dance on January 29. Votes for the candidates are monetary and are placed in containers circulated throughout the school. The boy and girl with the highest total will be crowned king and queen.

Candidates for the titles are: Freshmen Mary Kelly and Pete Peretti; Sophomores Bridget Sweet and Larry Comerese; Juniors Joy Lepore and Jack Leonard; Seniors Cindy Ford and Mike Malone.

Heads of the various dance committees include Mike Harris, Peggy Frailey, Barbara Anderson and Janine Mauche.

## Entrance Exam

On Saturday, January 23, Notre Dame will hold its annual entrance test. 221 students from the area schools have applied; Sister Mary Deelan, principal, hopes that all the applicants will be accepted. Twenty-one of the students are from the first graduating class of St. Mary's School in Horseheads.

Two two-year scholarships, two four-year and one one-year scholarship are offered to the high scorers on the entrance exam. An alumni scholarship is



Barbara Hartz and Elizabeth Lipinski, senior art students of St. Agnes High School, elicit the approval of Father Cushing for the Parents Dance posters they printed for display in the homerooms.

## Mooney Glee Club

At the invitation of Mr. Elbert Angvine, editor of the "Greece Press," the Cardinal Mooney Glee Club will perform at the Greece Exposition in the Ridgecrest Shopping Center Hall. The program is set for Saturday, January 23, at 3 p.m.

Selections will include a Negro spiritual, "Balm in Gilead," with soloist Andrea Delbert, the "Evening Prayer" from Hansel and Gretel, a medley of Jerome Kern tunes and a patriotic set.

The group will be directed by Sister Mary Edwina and accompanied by Brother Edward Boyer at the piano.

## First Aid

During the past week, Dr. Daniel Nowill gave a special demonstration of mouth-to-mouth resuscitation and closed-chest massage to interested seniors and faculty members of Notre Dame. Dr. Nowill, who is an anesthetist at Arnot-Ogden Hospital in Elmira, was representing the Chemung County Chapter of the American Heart Association.

He presented a movie "The Pulse of Life," which described safety measures to be used in certain accident cases. Each person present was then instructed in correct methods to use in various circumstances.

## Supper Planned

The smorgasbord supper sponsored by the Parents' Association will be held on Sunday, January 24, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. in the Notre Dame gym.

## Kearney Retreat

Immediately following mid-term examinations, Bishop Kearney High School students will make their annual retreat, January 27-29, with two experienced retreat masters in charge of these exercises.

Reverend Joseph Bernier, S.S.S., Founder and Director of the Catholic Youth Adoration Society, who has frequently addressed youth groups in Rochester, will be the Retreat Master for the girls.

Reverend Christopher O'Connor, of the Mill Hill Missionaries, Vocation Director and Director of the Student Retreat Band, will serve as Retreat Master for the boys.

## Appointments

The following changes in faculty and assignments at Bishop Kearney High School will become effective on Feb. 1. It has been announced by Brother Joseph M. Clark, principal.

Michael Spang will assume the Athletic Directorship of the high school, replacing Walter Teike who has resigned from the post at Bishop Kearney to accept a teaching position in the City school system. Teike during his two and a half years at Bishop Kearney was also head coach of football and wrestling. Spang during this same period was the Assistant Athletic Director and head basketball coach.

Martin LaFica, head baseball coach and assistant football coach has been named to the position of Assistant Athletic Director.

Daniel Couglin, assistant football coach for the past two seasons, has been named head varsity football coach for the Kings of Bishop Kearney High.

Harold Pfeiffer Jr. has been added to the staff as a Physical Education instructor and will assist Terry Mather with the coaching of the wrestling teams at Bishop Kearney.

## Henrietta Woman Wins Christmas Decor Prize

Mrs. Stu McSweeney, 15 Gate House Drive, Henrietta, is the first prize winner in the Knights of Columbus Christmas decoration contest. Second prize went to Mrs. Berton Rath, 1845 Pinnacle Rd. and third prize to Mrs. Edward Spurring, 2080 E. Henrietta Rd.

## Top Honors

The Aquinas Institute Color Guard, past New York State Champions, won first place last Saturday in Colors on Parade, a guard contest held at East Ridge High School.

Sponsored by the United Drum Corps of Rochester, the contest attracted units from St. Catharines, Ont., Lackawanna, Hamburg and Big Tree, as well as local organizations.

The Aquinas Guard, with student officers Peter Baglin and Tom Gray in command, received a score of 94.05, three points higher than its closest contender, the Melodiers of Lackawanna.

The Aquinas Color Guard is an integral part of the famed Aquinas Marching Band.

## Merit Finalists

Father Hart, principal, announced the names of the Aquinas students who were named finalists through their outstanding performance on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. This test of educational development was given in month-long, 17,000 high schools last March.

The students cited for their high achievement are James W. Aveni, Dennis J. Bromka, Robert T. Craig and John F. Houle.

## Faculty Member

According to Father Hart, these students represent the country's most intellectually able young people. "They possess the talents and qualities necessary for leadership in the future. They are resourceful, hard-working and ambitious."

Each Merit Scholarship is a four-year award to cover the undergraduate college years. The recipient's stipend is tailored to his need.

Also signaled out for outstanding performance on the Scholarship Examination were the following Aquinas seniors who received Letters of Commendation: Peter M. Baglin, James A. Chialery, Joseph P. Culhane, Donald V. Dorell, Robert J. Donofrio, John R. Dougherty, Robert C. Eagan, James A. Full, Joseph M. Hodges, John E. Lehr, Michael J. McNair, John J. Pohl, Michael Seltzinger, Michael R. Siebert and John Slowikowsky.

## Inauguration

Rev. Cyril R. Udall, C.S.B., director of music at Aquinas Institute, received a personal invitation to attend the inauguration of President Lyndon Johnson and Vice-President Hubert Humphrey which was held in Washington last Wednesday.

Unable to attend because of his school duties, Father Udall considered the invitation as a tribute to the Aquinas Institute Band, which performed for the President during Mr. Johnson's visit to Rochester last October.

The engraved invitation measuring eight by eleven inches, was received by Father Udall three weeks ago. A reply card addressed to Dale Miller,

THE CONTEST was sponsored by the Henrietta Council of the Knights of Columbus to encourage a more religious attitude to Christmas in general and more specifically in the home decorations during the Christmas season.

"It is felt that the contest which was open to any private home in the town, was a success," the knights reported.

Prime requisite for entries was a religious development of the Christmas theme. Attesting to the closeness of the competition is the fact that the judges did not agree on any one of the prizes. Awards were made on composite average scores. Prizes were \$25, \$15 and \$10.

Some interesting sidelights of the contest are that the winning McSweeney entry was received after the contest deadline but was postmarked Dec. 19 and was accepted. The Spurrings were not going to enter at first. In addition there were entries who perhaps misunderstood the rules and had to be disqualified and in turn there were qualifying displays which were not entered. Basic qualification was a religious motif.

In ending the contest, Gene Eckert, committee chairman, indicated that the decision of the judges are final and that there would be no discussion of the judging. Special commendation was earned by Sibley's South Town for their window display.

Chairman Eckert expressed the knights' thanks to the contest entrants, to the merchants who cooperated so well in the other aspect of the Christ in Christmas campaign and especially to the judges who "expended gasoline and braved the cold to criss cross the town and make the whole contest a reality."

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