

## St. Andrew's Parents To Meet At Fisher

Parents of college department seminarians of St. Andrew's Seminary will learn more about the program planned for their sons when they attend a meeting at St. John Fisher college on Sunday, Mar. 14.

The regular meeting of the Parents' Association will be transferred to Rosina Kearney auditorium on the Fisher campus this month for this purpose.

Auditory Bishop Lawrence B. Casey will address the parents at 3:30 p.m. Also speaking will be Very Rev. Joseph Hogan, newly appointed director of the seminary house of studies and Ronald Proulx, admissions director at the college. They will cover various aspects of the

plan by which the seminarians will make their college studies at Fisher beginning this September.

Prior to the meeting, guided tours of the college will be conducted at regular intervals, from 2:00 to 2:45 p.m. Groups will be shown the buildings and facilities on the campus by the college students.

### Engaged

Geneva—Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Nolan of 357 Castle St. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Catherine, to Peter Serafino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Serafino of 114 E. Williams St., Waterloo. The wedding is planned for Aug. 29.

## Montgomery Honored For 25 Years Service

Catholic Charities last week honored George W. Montgomery, Jr., for the completion of twenty-five years of service.

He came to Catholic Charities in 1940 and, except for military duty between 1943 and 1946, has been with the agency in various capacities for a quarter of a century. In 1952 he was appointed executive secretary of Catholic Family Center, the case-work agency of Catholic Charities.

Attending a dinner in his honor were Rt. Rev. Msgr. Arthur E. Rattigan, former director of Catholic Charities; Rev. Donald J. Mulcahy, director of Catholic Charities; Rev.

William G. Charbonneau, director of Catholic Family Center and Rev. Joseph F. D'Aurizio, associate director of Catholic Family Center. Also present were the staffs of the Catholic Family Center, the DePaul Clinic and the Social Service staff of St. Joseph's Villa and St. Ann's Home.

Father Mulcahy lauded Mr. Montgomery as an exemplary Catholic layman. He also emphasized his outstanding reputation in the professional community of Rochester. Also honored at the dinner were Miss Catherine E. Wobus for 20 years of completed service; John F. Rice for 10 years and Mrs. Mildred Green and Gerald Pashby for 5 years.



## Projector Given School

The Catholic Action League of St. Alphonsus Church presented a motion picture projector to St. Alphonsus School at a dinner meeting held in the school recently. Left to right: Mrs. Helen Samuels, treasurer; Rev. John M. Merklinger, pastor of St. Alphonsus church; Mrs. Leo Kroker, vice president; Mrs. Pauline A. Davie, president; and Miss Rose Marie Damello, secretary.

## Maryknoller Lauds Work Of Peace Corps In Africa

Young Americans in the Peace Corps are doing a great job in Tanganyika, a Maryknoll priest told the children of St. Peter and Paul school, Rochester, recently.

Father George Daily, M. M. said that the Peace Corps Volunteers work on the idea of helping the people of the coun-

try they serve in, to help themselves. Under the leadership of the Tanganyikan government, and working with the people there, they've been instrumental in building better schools and improving living conditions generally.

Prior to his talk, the visiting missionary had shown the children an exciting film on mission life in Tanganyika. Students were impressed by the austerity of life there, where for most people, such items as radio, T. V. or telephones are unheard of.

Father Daly's informative talk was of special interest to Sister Mary Alvera's seventh-graders, because it correlated with their geography studies this year.

## Littlemore, Unity Center

Oxford, England — (NC) — group of Anglican and Catholic clergymen here are turning the place where Cardinal Newman was an Anglican vicar — and then became a Catholic — into an ecumenical center.

The place is the part of Oxford called Littlemore, where Newman had an Anglican parish, and the nearby group of almshouses that he dubbed "the college" where he officially entered the Catholic Church.

A year ago a group of Oratorian Fathers from Birmingham bought "the college" and converted it into a Catholic oratory. Soon afterward, the newly appointed Anglican vicar of Littlemore, the Rev. V. Fletcher, suggested that it would be an appropriate place for Catholics and Anglicans to have unity meetings.

## K of C Sets Mar. 14 For Area Oratoricals

Area finals of the Knights of Columbus State Oratorical contest have been set Sunday, March 14 at 3:00 p.m. by local chairman Paul G. Rombaut, Our Lady of Mercy High School auditorium on Blossom Road.

The Knights of Columbus has the diocese divided into seven districts, and one contestant or his alternate from each district may compete at this event. Those to be presented have already competed on a council level and a district level in contests conducted by the District Deputies.

At stake in this area trial is an opportunity for the winner to compete in the state finals at Saratoga Springs, N.Y. on May 21. All those participating in the state finals receive awards.

The grand prize is a \$1,000 scholarship with two runner-up scholarships of \$1,200 and \$1,000. Each of the remaining contestants will receive a \$200 U.S. Government Bond. There will be 12 contestants at the finals, one from each of the areas into which the State has been divided by the Knights.

The scholarship awards are for any Catholic college or university granting a degree and located in the United States.

Save Your Vision Week Observed

"Space age living" makes it more important than ever for Americans to safeguard their sight, warns the American Optometric Association in a statement prepared for Save Your Vision Week, being observed this week.

The AOA estimates more than 50 million Americans unknowingly have visual defects serious enough to hamper their everyday activities. Vision can change so gradually, says the AOA, that these problems develop without being detected. The association advises individuals to have a complete visual examination at least once a year.

## Tour Scheduled To East Europe

A tour of East Europe, featuring the Balkan countries, as well as principal centers of the European Soviet and adjoining states, has been announced for this summer, under the personal direction of Monsignor James A. Magner of the Catholic University at Washington D.C. The group is scheduled to leave New York by air on or about July 15 to Prague, then to Warsaw, Moscow, Leningrad, Kiev, Bucharest, Sofia, and Budapest. Information and applications for membership on the Tour may be obtained by writing to Msgr. Magner at The Catholic University of America, Washington 17, D.C.



AQUINAS COACH Gordon J. DeHond with Lemoyne Debate winners: Tom Farrell, Bob Craig, Marty Drilling and Dave Hill.

## High School Forensics

Three Trophy Winners

Aquinas varsity debaters kept up their winning record by taking a first and two second place trophies at the annual Lemoyne College High School Debate Tournament held in Syracuse March 5, 6.

Senior Thomas Farrell won first place for his Original Oratory speech on the "Decline and Fall of Man." This was the same speech that placed third at the Miami Beach Forensic Tournament over Christmas vacation.

Junior Martin Drilling took second place trophy in the Extempore Current Events Speech. He placed in the top two in each of the three rounds of debate.

The overall second place trophy for debate was awarded to the entire Aquinas squad which went undefeated on the negative, compiling a five win, no loss record. Robert Craig and David Hill make up the negative team while Farrell and Drilling are the affirmative on "Control of nuclear weapons by an international organization." The affirmative lost the last round of power matched (win-

ners vs. winners) debate against first place Hendrick Hudson High School of Montrose, N.Y.

### At Capital

Four McQuaid Jesuit High School students participated in the Georgetown University Cherry Blossom Tournament in Washington, finishing in the top 16 teams (115 schools competed) and winning an eighth place speaker award. McQuaid debaters were George Northrup, Joseph Combs, Richard Rudy and John Keenan.

### Mooney Debaters

Since October, Cardinal Mooney has participated with other area schools in the Rochester Area Debate League. Its final meeting will be held at Cardinal Mooney High School on Saturday, March 13, at which time trophies will be awarded.

Recent debating honors include Peter Salber's Certificate of Distinction for the outstanding speaking record of the Charles James Fox Varsity Debating Tournament. NFL Degrees of Excellence have been conferred on David Bonin and John Vermeire. Degrees of Merit were given to Bernard Laramie, Maureen Mangan, Pa-

trix Miller, Paul Montabellio, Matthew Priest and Donald Roth. Thomas Thrasher placed third in original oratory in the Aquinas Tournament.

### McQuaid Fresh Win Trophy

McQuaid's freshman debaters racked up their biggest victory of the season on Mar. 6, when they captured the Bishop Kearney Trophy at Bishop Kearney High School.

Freshmen Pat Hanehan, Tom Kay, Tom Kostizak, and Leo Pudup made up the squad of debaters that came away with a perfect record of six wins and no losses. The affirmative of the topic, "Resolved, that nuclear weapons should be controlled by an international organization," was debated by Kostizak and Pudup, while Kay and Hanehan comprised the negative team.

McQuaid defeated St. Joseph's Collegiate Institute of Kenmore, N.Y., the second place winner, and topped 33 other teams in the contest. Bishop James E. Kearney presented the trophy to Tom Kay as general representative of the McQuaid team.



Bishop Kearney gave a trophy named in his honor to Thomas Kay, captain of McQuaid Jesuit High School's debate team which captured first place in a tournament held at Bishop Kearney High School last weekend. 33 teams with 153 debaters participated. Other winning teams included Cathedral Prep, Erie, and St. Joseph's, Buffalo. Best speakers were Kevin de Hond and James Georger of Aquinas Institute, Rochester.

## Tertaries To Attend Carmelite Congress

In lieu of the regular March Chapter meeting, of Our Lady of Victory Chapter, Third Order Secular of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, will join with other Carmelite Chapters of the Finger Lakes area in a Regional Third Order Congress to be hosted by Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Chapter, Auburn, New York, on Sunday, Mar. 14, at Mt. Carmel High School.

Theme of the Congress will be "The Paths of the Church" and discussions will include Self-Awareness, Renewal and Dialogue.

Joseph Latour has arranged for bus transportation to leave Our Lady of Victory Church at 8:00 a.m. Rev. Daniel McLaughlin, S.S.C.C., the Chapter's Director, will accompany the group. Opening exercises and first session is scheduled for 9:45 a.m. Dinner will be served at noon with Mass, to be offered at 4:30 p.m., to conclude the Congress.

Tertaries are invited to participate in the Rosary for Peace at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Family Rosary Center, 401 Orange St., on their regularly scheduled Friday, March 18th. Jeffrey Latour will lead the rosary.

Miss Emma Witz, Chapter Mistress, has announced that a retreat for women tertaries is scheduled for June 18th, 19th and 20th, at the Conacle Retreat House. She urged that reservations be made by April 30 that those attending will be assured of accommodations of their choice.

## Mooney High Mat Tournery Set Friday

Cardinal Mooney High School is staging the finals in its first intra-school wrestling tournament Friday, March 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. The event, an outgrowth of the physical education program, is unique in that every boy in school participated. Anthony Merola, football coach and physical education instructor, is in charge of the program.

The elimination of 400 boys started after intensive gym class instruction was given in the art of wrestling.

The finals will have the two top boys in each weight division compete. Each match will be two periods, each period being 1½ minutes in duration.

Medals will be awarded to the winners and runners-up in each winners and runners-up in each weight class. An admission fee of 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults will be charged.

### Visitors for Shut-ins

Mrs. Stanley J. DeBurch, Chairman of the Gray Lady, Gray Man Visiting Service of the Rochester Red Cross Chapter announces that volunteers are needed for that Service. Men and women in the towns of Monroe County and in the city of Rochester are wanted to visit shut-ins in nursing homes and in private homes.

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