

## Paul Schmidt Heads CYO

Richard C. Scott, President of the Board of Directors of the Catholic Youth Organization, announced today that Paul B. Schmidt has been elected the new executive secretary of the C.Y.O. He will take over the position vacated by Howard Meath this past month.

Mr. Schmidt is a native of Rochester, a graduate of Aquinas Institute, 1954 and St. John Fisher College, 1958. He did graduate studies at the University of Buffalo School of Social Welfare. At present, he is on



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the faculty of the State University of New York at Buffalo as a field instructor in the training of social work graduate students. He is a member of the Rochester Chapter National Association of Social Workers and a member of the Academy of Certified Social Workers.

His work experience includes eight years of various phases of social work for the Catholic Family Center. Since 1964, he has directed the Social Service Department at St. Joseph's Villa and established a parish social work project in the inner city at Mt. Carmel Parish.

He is married to the former Joanne Kassman and they are parents of five lovely daughters. The Schmidt family resides on Hurstbourne Road in Irondequoit and are members of St. James Parish.



## In St. Patrick's Day Parade

BISHOP KEARNEY High School band and color guard, marching with the "Fighting 69th", lead the New York City St. Patrick's Day parade. Here they are reviewed by Cardinal Spellman and other church and civic dignitaries as they pass St. Patrick's Cathedral.

## Scholarships to Aquinas

Ten scholarships were awarded to local eighth graders by Aquinas Institute this week, according to Father Leon G. Hart, C.S.B., principal of the Catholic boys school.

The Aquinas grants over a four year period are valued over \$9,000. Four are full tuition and six are partial tuition

today. Father Hart paid tribute to the excellent caliber of students from the area parochial schools who competed for the Aquinas grants. "It is evidence," he said, "of the fine teaching going on in our diocesan schools."

Winners of the full scholarships were: Kenneth A. Bartle, St. Rita school, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon G. Bartle of 268 Beechwood Crescent, Webster; Daniel P. Leta, St. John the Evangelist school, Humboldt St., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross J. Leta of 71 Beresford Rd.; and Kenneth C. Stevens, St. Theodore school, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stevens of 55 Matilda St. The fourth full tuition scholarship was previously awarded to David Hayes of Blessed Sacrament school on the basis of excellence in oratorical competition.

Leta is the second member of his family to win an Aquinas scholarship. His brother David, a sophomore, is currently on scholarship.

Partial scholarships were won by: James L. Modney, Our Lady of Mercy school, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Modney, 35 Cloverdale Rd.; Patrick J. O'Connor, Blessed Sacrament school, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. O'Connor, 208 Rutgers St.; Richard J. Ruscio, Holy Family school, son of Mr. and Mrs. August J. Ruscio, 63 Milliner St.; and Brian Zapf, St. Plus the Tenth school, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Zapf, 51 Bright Oaks Drive.

Two partial grants for oratorical skills were previously given to eighth graders Mike Lester of St. John the Evangelist school and Richard Millerich of St. James School.

Four hundred and fifteen students from all sections of the city and from surrounding towns wrote the entrance examination at Aquinas. The top ninety were chosen to write a second examination from which the scholarship winners were chosen.

## Thank You From Inner-City

The Sisters and laymen who work in the Inner-City program wish to express their heartfelt thanks to the many people who responded to a recent plea in the Courier Journal for clothing for the needy.

Hundreds of pounds of clothing and other items were delivered to the center at St. Michael's School for distribution.

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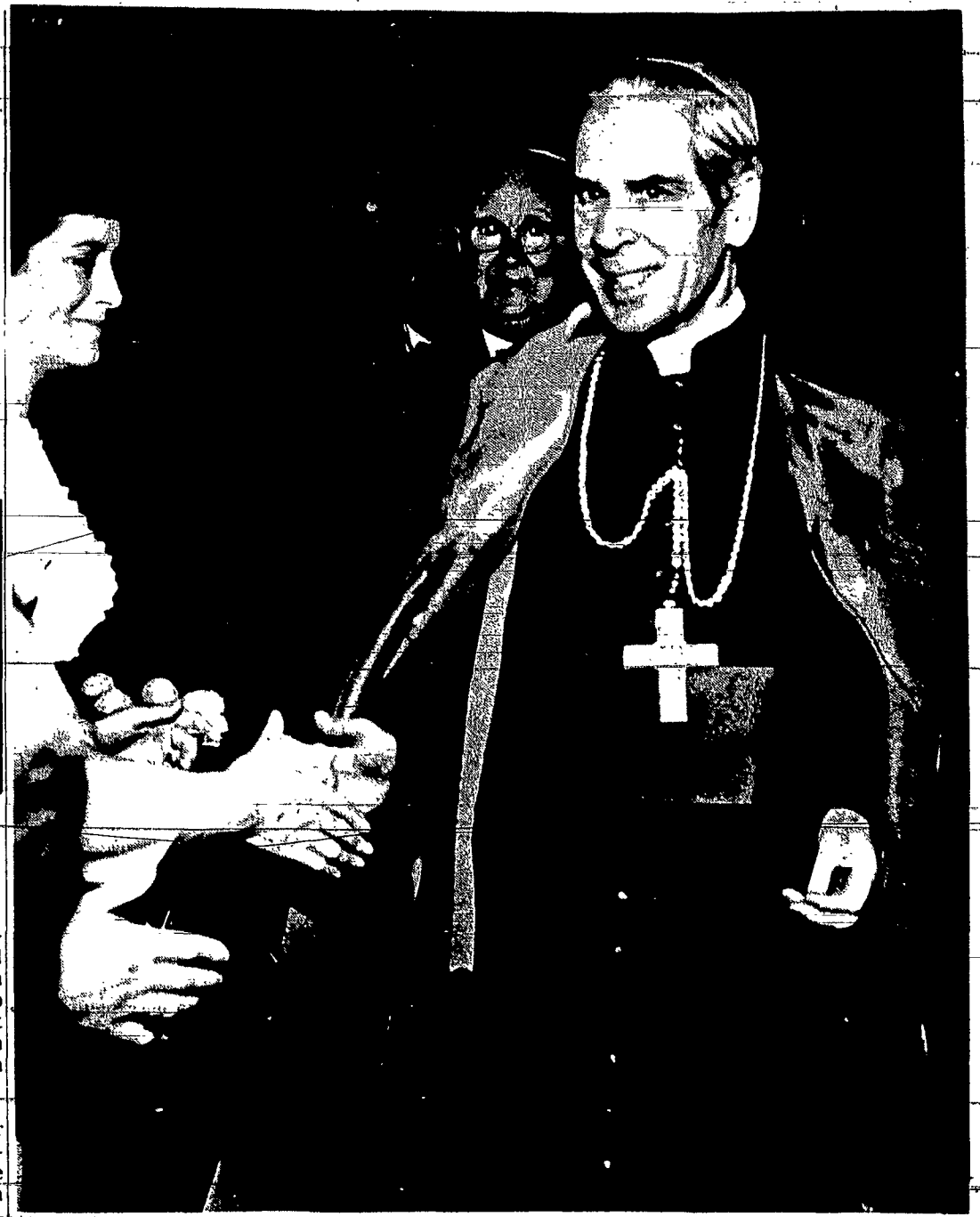
## 25 Years Ago

(From Catholic Courier files, March 26, 1942)

Father Paul Cuddy, 14th diocesan priest to enter the armed forces and an Army Chaplain returned from Dothan, Ala. to be honored at a reception at Immaculate Conception Parish Hall, Ithaca where he was a curate before enlisting.

America will win the war if it gets on God's side, Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen of the Catholic University of America declared in a nationally broadcast Catholic Hour address.

"The Holy Hour you make I put far above all other things done at home in the war effort," and an essential contribution to successful completion of the war, Bishop Kearney told 300 Nocturnal Adoration Society members at Powers Hotel.



## St. Patrick's Day Speaker

BISHOP SHEEN in his first appearance as speaker at the Knights of Equity St. Patrick's Day dinner is greeted at Hotel Manager by Daughters of Erin. The knights headed by Michael J. Ryan follow. Present to greet the Bishop were Supreme Sir Knight George Moore, Sir Knight Dennis O'Reilly and Christopher Delanty, past Supreme Sir Knight.

## Women's Council to Hear 'Black and White' Author

The Women's Human Relations Council will hold its annual luncheon-Wednesday, April 19, at 12:15 noon, at Temple Beth El on Winton Rd. S., Rochester.

Charles Silberman, author of "Crisis in Black and White," will discuss the subject, "Can We Solve the Racial Crisis?"

The Women's Human Relations Council is an organization composed of representatives from 58 local women's groups. In existence about 15 years, it

antecedates most local organizations working in the field of human rights. Its purpose is as follows: to create in the community the right attitude toward religious, racial and ethnic groups, to channel information of importance to all women's organizations, to promote fair practices in housing, employment, education and law enforcement, and to recognize and understand prejudice.

The Diocesan Council of Catholic Women has been a member group of the Women's

Human Relations Council since its inception. For several years Reservations for the luncheon may be made by calling Mrs. Nordbye, 271-3187. A fee of \$1.00 may be paid at the door by those wishing to attend the DCCW program only.

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## Holy Week At Monastery

Holy Week will climax at Mt. Saviour Monastery near Elmira at 9 a.m. Vespers and Benediction will be celebrated Sunday at 10:30 p.m. and midnight

at 5 p.m.



AQUINAS SCHOLARSHIP winners include: (front) Kenneth Bartle, Kenneth Stevens, Daniel Leta; (back) Patrick O'Connor, James Modney, Brian Zapf, Richard Ruscio.

## Grants Awarded At Notre Dame

\$3,000 in scholarship aid was awarded to eight members of the incoming freshman class at Notre Dame High School in Elmira for the school year 1967-68, it was announced this past week by Sister Mary Declan, principal. The scholarships were granted on the basis of recent entrance test results.

Full four-year scholarships of \$800 each were awarded to Ann

Marie Gleason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gleason of St. Mary Our Mother Parish in Horseheads, and to Gregory Gerard Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Royall W. Smith of St. Mary's Parish, Elmira.

Two year scholarships, valued at \$400 each, were granted to George Patrick Zurenda, son of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Zurenda of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, and to Patricia Ann Hurley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Hurley of SS Peter and Paul's Parish.

One year scholarships of \$200 each were won by Sheila Marie Sloan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow J. Sloan of St. Patrick's Parish and by Robert Kevin Lambert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Lambert of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo E. Considine scholarships, valued at \$100 each, were awarded to Rosemary Kathleen Monahan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Richard O. Monahan of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, and to David L. DePumpo of St. James Parish in Waverly.

## Lab, Library In Fairport

The Men's Club of St. John of Rochester parish, Fairport, has presented Sister M. Francine, R.S.M., principal, with a science Roll-away Lab.

The lab is completely equipped and includes a materials cabinet supplied with demonstration and experimentation props and guide books.

With the addition of a new school wing, and through the cooperation of Mrs. Cole, head of a volunteer group, the school now has a library of 1700 books through donations and under Title Two ESEA. The library has been furnished and draped by the Women's Club.



## An Office for Urban Ministry

Father David Finks, Bishop Sheen's vicar for urban ministry, has opened an office for his apostolate in the inner city at Immaculate Conception rectory, 445 Plymouth Ave. South, Rochester. His secretary is Mrs. Leonard Donahue. Phone number is 232-3460.

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