



Profession

Sister Roseanne Marie Wesley, OSF, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Wesley of 164 Dierdre Drive, made her Profession of Perpetual Commitment to the Franciscan Sisters of Allegany, N.Y., Aug. 29 at Christ the King Church. The celebrants of the Mass were Fathers William J. Schifferli, pastor, Thomas G. Lenhard, and Michael Wesley. Sister Roseanne Marie is a graduate of Mercy High School, St. Andrew Elementary School and St. Bonaventure University.

Museum Showing

Railroad History In Early Photos

A Civil War photographer who followed the railroad builders westward compiled the pictorial history of the transcontinental railroad that is on exhibit at the Rochester Museum.

Andrew J. Russell, a one-time resident of Nunda, used a homemade camera and developed his glassplate negatives in the dark of his covered wagon. He followed the construction workers through the wilderness west of the Missouri to Promontory Point, Utah, where the Union Pacific linkup took place May 10, 1869. His photographs show the workmen and their primitive tools and methods; Indian fights and frontier settlements.

The exhibit will run through Sept. 20. On Wednesday, Sept. 16 at 8:15 p.m., the museum will show an hour-long film about railroads and the men who built them. There is no admission charge.

Youth Believes Survey Finds Traditional View

Milwaukee—(RNS)— A special survey shows that a majority of young people here take a rather traditionalist view of religion, attend church regularly and think more positively of organized religion than do their

contemporaries in other parts of the country.

Opinions of youths between 16 and 21 were sought in the survey, which was conducted by Bisbing Business Research for The Milwaukee Journal.

Bank Anniversary



Charles F. Seuffert, senior vice president and trust officer of the Marine Midland Bank - Rochester, will mark his 45th anniversary with the bank on August 24.

Seuffert started his bank career in the then classic way — as a messenger. He was soon transferred to the bank's Trust Department which became the center of his career. He was appointed assistant trust officer in 1940 and head of the department in 1948.

A member of St. Thomas the Apostle Roman Catholic Church, Seuffert has also been active in numerous civic, professional and social affairs.

Sixty three per cent of those responding said they agreed with the statement: "I believe in the concept of God as a Supreme Creator who rewards and punishes people in this life or in a heaven or hell."

Twenty per cent said they were uncertain and 13 per cent said they disagreed. The others gave no answer.

Eighty per cent said they considered themselves believers and 53 per cent said they attended church regularly although many did so because of parental pressure. Only 6 per cent said they never attend church.

Fifty-eight per cent said their feeling about organized religion was best described by the statement. "I believe in an organized church or religious organizations that preserve and perpetuate religion to serve God and mankind."

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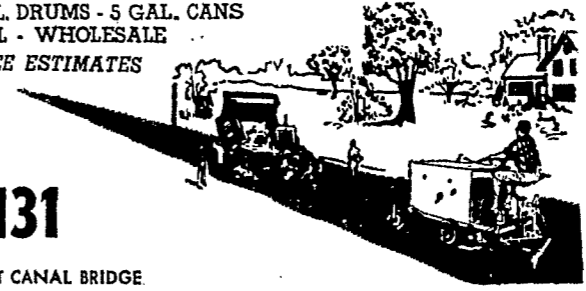
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