



A group of students show off their talent during Anniversary Day presentation of 50 years of musical theater.



Laying plans for education day at the college are, left to right, Mary Reed, Dr. A. Barraco, chairman of the Education Department, Virginia Witt and Tom Walsh.

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# Flourishing Tree

## NAZARETH COLLEGE

"... complete flowering of the educational apostolate which Bishop McQuaid had entrusted to his Josephite Sisterhood.

"Small seed to flourishing tree."

The words are from Father Robert McNamara's 1968 history of the Rochester Diocese.

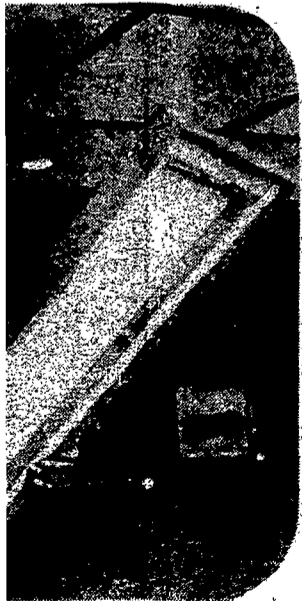
The "small seed" of Father McNamara's metaphor was planted in the long-gone "glass house" on the St. Joseph Sisters' Nazareth Academy campus, where 26 young women reported for college classes on Sept. 24, 1924.

Aspects of the "flourishing tree" in Pittsford were photographed during the 50th birthday party for college and community, and the alumnae's "Focus Fifty" week in October.



Nazareth College's Brass Ensemble climbed to the roof of Smyth Hall to give their anniversary day concert. The photo above shows the group as they appeared from across campus.

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range paintings during 50 program.



Nazareth student finds a quiet spot for a nap.



Professor David Pollard and Betty Suwileau pause to enjoy the warm Fall weather between classes.