

Deaths

Sister Columba, 74 Years a Nun

Sister Mary Columba Hearne, a Sister of Mercy for 74 years, died May 12, 1975, at the age of 92.

The Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated last Wednesday evening at the Mercy Motherhouse.

In good health all her life, Sister Columba was taken to Genesee Hospital May 10 after a fall. It is believed that this was the only time she ever was a hospital patient.

She was born in County Waterford, Ireland, and entered the Sisters of Mercy at the age of 18. She held a B.A. degree in English from St. Bonaventure University.

Fifty-seven of her 65 years as a teacher were spent in Auburn. She taught in Holy Family Grammar School, Auburn, for 32 years. For another 25 years, from 1932-1957, she taught English and social studies in Holy Family High School. Her other teaching assignments were in Corning and Hornell.

Sister Columba retired to the Mercy Motherhouse on Blossom Road in 1967. She was an avid reader, especially of the daily newspaper, and was admired by

Marie Mack Sinacori Memorial Rite

A memorial service took place May 17 at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, 4536 St. Paul Blvd. for Marie Mack Sinacori who was killed in an automobile accident March 30, 1975 in Lenox, Mass. She lived in Irondequoit and

her colleagues for her knowledge of history.

Sister Mary Columba is survived by a sister-in-law, Mrs. John Hearne, and a niece, both of Fall River, Mass.

A. Vaillancourt

Elmira — Anna D. Vaillancourt died May 6, 1975, in St. Joseph's Hospital.

The Mass of Christian burial was celebrated May 9 at St. Patrick's Church, with burial in St. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

Mrs. Vaillancourt was the wife of Basil Vaillancourt, who represented the Courier-Journal in the Southern Tier for 34 years. She lived at the Mark Twain Apartments.

Surviving besides her husband are several nieces and nephews.

V. J. O'Neill

Vincent J. O'Neill of Brockville, Ont., died April 29, 1975, in Brockville General Hospital. He was the brother of Mrs. M. Leo Lynch of Rochester.

The Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated May 1 at St. Barnaby Church in Brewers Mills.

Survivors besides his sister are a daughter, Mrs. Earl Carroll of

was graduated from Irondequoit High School. She worked at the Kodak Hawk-Eye plant before her marriage to William Sinacori of Lenox, Mass., three years ago. She was a communicant of St. Thomas the Apostle Church.

Brockville; four sons, James and Joseph of Gananoque; John, Toronto, and Dr. Edmund O'Neill, Kingston; two cousins, Msgr. J.A. O'Neill of Lyn, Ont., and Father G.A. O'Hearne, Perth, Ont.

Emma Lortz

The Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated May 1, 1975, at St. Charles Borromeo, Greece, for Emma Fitzgerald Lortz, who died April 27.

Mrs. Lortz was the widow of Frank Lortz. She was a member of Holy Angels Guild and the Legion of Mary.

Survivors are two brothers, Bernard B. and Richard L. Fitzgerald; two sisters, Mrs. Evelyn Dittman and Mrs. Bernice Hoelscher, and several nieces and nephews.

Welfare to Be Ithaca Topic

Ithaca — "Welfare: Problems and Possibilities," is the theme for the 1975 Institute of the New York State College of Human Ecology, Cornell University, set for May 20. The Institute is open to the public.

"Each year the Human Ecology Institute provides a forum for discussion on public issues and concerns," according to Jean Failing, Dean of the College of Human Ecology. "This year's Institute addresses the nation's welfare system — its impacts on New York State and the options available for reform."



Anniversary Celebration

Five hundred people, including children from Our Mother of Sorrows School, parents, faculty, and clergy, helped Father George Wood their "pastor and friend," celebrate his 35th anniversary of ordination at a luncheon May 6. Here Father Wood talks with Mrs. Arlene Eckert of the Home School Association and Sister Judith Green, principal.

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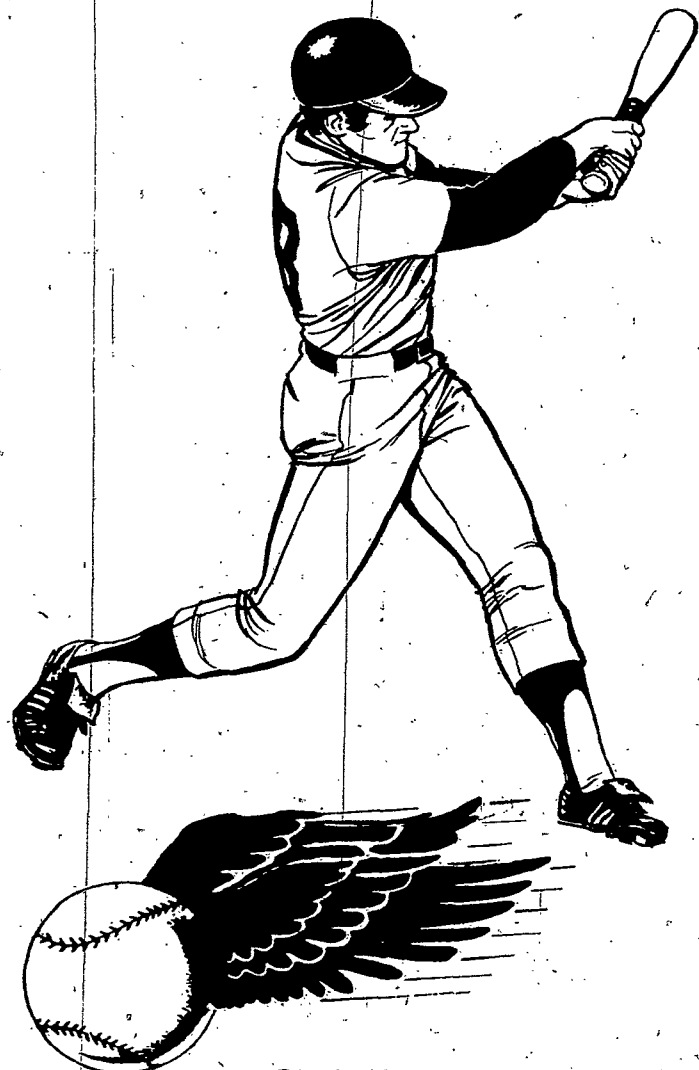
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