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azareth Notes 110 Years of Education topics in the subject.

This September, Nazareth Academy starts its 110th year of educating young women of Rochester. As the school has continued to change through the decades. so it is with this coming school year.

There are eight new people on the faculty: Mrs. Shirley Townsend and Mrs. Rose Umiker are new to the business department: William Andia will be the drama director: Mrs. Linda Kantor, home economics; Sister Mary Elizabeth Brewer, librarian: Mrs. Janice Barney, mathematics: Mrs. Ellen Hansen, 'science: and Sister Mary Sayles. cafeteria manager.

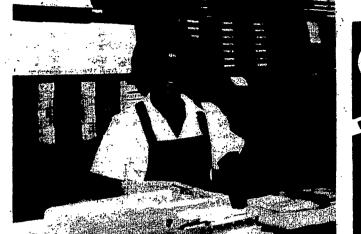
In addition, several new courses have been added to The curriculum. In response

to requests from Nazareth alumnae who have gone on to colleges for engineering. the school will offer a onesemester course in mechanical drawing. A new computer for math and science will give the students an added opportunity for course work in computer programming. A course entitled "Integrated Business Data Processing" will be piloted for the State Education Department this fall. A computer word processor will be added to the business machines in

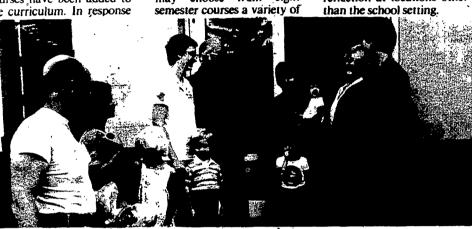
order to fulfill requirements for the course. For the first time, the home economics department will not offer a major sequence. Instead, students may choose from eight reflection at locations other

The art department will offer new courses in weaving and printmaking. These courses will eventually lead to a new fine arts major slated to be completed by

1982-83. The music and art departments have worked gether to form the fine arts major which will combine music theory, history and performance with art history and production. 'A new retreat program will start in September using a team approach of various personnel from Nazareth and other high schools. Based on the Teen Seminar approach, students will take school time for prayer and

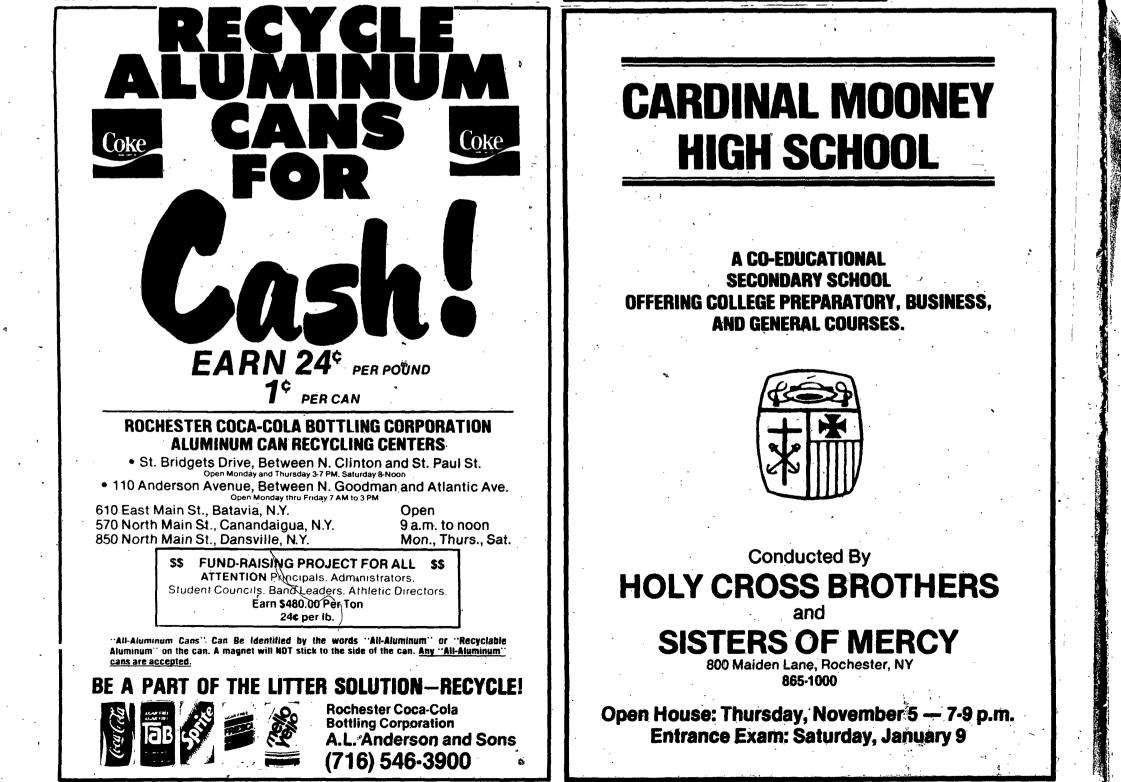


Junior Emira Woods readies textbooks for distribution at Nazareth Academy.



Early Education

Father John Hedges, center, pastor of St. Helen's Parish, greets pre-school children at the front door of the school prior to registration for the start of classes this fall. The Pre-School Cope program at St. Helen's focuses on the child's developmental learning stages, enriching the basic learning of the child's early years. From left, James and Donna Matt and their daughters, Jennifer and Heather; Bonnie Wurtz and her son Jimmy; Father Hedges; Anne Quarterley holding daughter Erin, son Timmy; Mrs. Agnes Laurer, school principal; and Mrs. Denise Heroux, pre-school teacher.



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