



Father Gerard Jean-Juste, director of the Haitian Refugee Center in Miami, flashes a victory sign on June 18, following U.S. District Judge Eugene P. Spellman's ruling.

Sarah Child

All in the Family



She Talks To Trees; They To Each Other

According to University of Washington researchers who have been working with some willows, trees can communicate. Enough, at least, to warn each other of impending attacks by tent caterpillars.

No doubt most people learning of this arboreal feat will scoff. Not me. I've been talking to trees for years — and getting excellent responses.

When we moved into our present home, there was but one lone tree, a beech, on our two-thirds acre.

Gift evergreens from friends and saplings transplanted from a nearby field were augmented with an occasional trip to a nursery where we gawked about like kids in a candy shop without any money.

I had my eye on one of the young Oriental Planes, probably the fastest-growing quality tree (as opposed to silver maple or poplar) in this part of the country.

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Haitians

Continued from Page 1 refugees through black churches in the area in a cooperative plan with Catholic Family Center and the Office of Black Ministries.

In earlier statements, diocesan Catholic Charities also pledged itself to institutional sponsorship with the added pledge to ease the

refugees' transition into Rochester community life, and to secure legal help for the refugees before and during exclusionary hearings.

Dr. John S. Walker, executive secretary of the Office of Black Ministries, last week acknowledged that Catholic Charities has been unable to find legal counsel to fulfill that pledge.

3 Faiths Join In Lebanon Appeal

The Rochester Commission on Interfaith Cooperation has joined an interfaith appeal for Lebanese relief jointly sponsored by the Catholic Relief Service, Church World Service and the Joint Distribution Committee (Jewish), it has been announced by Rabbi Shamai Kanter, chairman, and Joseph Kelly, co-chairman of the commission.

The Interfaith Hunger Appeal, the agency coordinating the three-faith ecumenical campaign was established in response to world hunger.

contribute to the programs of the agencies in Lebanon which may send funds to:

American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee for Lebanon Relief, PO Box 2287, New York, N.Y. 10163;

Catholic Relief Service for Lebanon, 123 East Ave., Rochester, N.Y. 14604.

Church World Service for Lebanon, Room 608, 475 Riverside Drive, New York, N.Y. 10015;

Interfaith Appeal for Lebanon, PO Box 1000, New York, N.Y. 10150.

Anyone wishing to



Lebanese civil defense volunteers rush a badly burned victim of a booby-trapped car explosion to an ambulance in Beirut's western residential area on June 25.

Villa Benefit

A benefit party for St. Joseph's Villa is being thrown by Mary Ann Hill 1 p.m., Sunday, July 11, at Scarlatta's Party House. Ms. Hill said that local bands will be featured and sales of baked goods, hand crafts and plants will be included. In addition, she said, the Great Vandini will entertain with magic, and an exhibition of karate will be performed by the Jennings School of Karate.

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Noted Speaker

Dr. Maulana Karenga, internationally recognized educator and social activist, was the guest speaker at the second annual fund raising dinner for the Marcus Garvey Memorial Black Solidarity Committee, on Wednesday, June 30, at the Mapledale Party House. Dr. Karenga is currently an associate professor of Black Studies at California State University at Long Beach and is director of the Kawaida Institute of Pan African Studies. He is also recognized as the creator of the African-American holiday "Kwanzaa."

Brownsville Team To Rally Youths

The He's Alive Team, a group from Brownsville, Texas, which has been conducting missions and retreats in the Spanish community throughout the northern part of the diocese, will hold a city-wide Youth Rally, noon-6 p.m., Sunday July 11, at St. Francis of Assisi on Whitney and Campbell streets.

John Podsiadlo of the Spanish Apostolate... The team of Wally Delgado, Ernesto Garza, Margie Barrego and Frank Trivino, will remain in the area, giving missions and days of renewal, until July 19.

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