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Monsignor Baden Urges
An Active Catholic Life
In Baccalaureate Address

Reconstructive Role
Of Youth Stressed

Reminding the graduates of St. James' alma mater that they are "doers of the word and not hearers only," the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles E. Baden, in his baccalaureate address on Sunday, May 31, pointed out that the present world crisis and its aftermath offers many opportunities for the practice of good works.

"As members of the Catholic laity," he declared, "you are justly expected to function in developing a solution for the alleviation of economic ills and the cure of the physical sickness and poverty, but principally for the alleviation of economic ills. Math offers many opportunities for the alleviation of economic ills,

M. F. WALTER NEW EDITOR
Miss Pfeiffer Ends Four Years Work On Edgecliff Staff

The editor's blue pencil was passed this week from Rose Pfeiffer to Mary Francis Walter. Tradition having it that the work of the new editor was announced by Stie- ner Martin, no one was surprised when, senior next year, is majoring in history and minorng in English and journalism. In the past she was active in a number of activities on the Edgecliff staff, but this exchange editor this year. Miss Walter was business manager of the Camera Club and is now the newly-elected secretary of the senior class. She also is a member of the debate team and the Publicity Committee. Other appointments to positions on the staff will be made in appropriate time.

The retiring editor is a sociology major and her participation in the work of the sociology class was a result of her proficiency at the subject of sociology and was also a member of the student guild, the International Relations Guild, Music club, Orchestra, and the C. S. M. C. Miss Pfeiffer is president of the Student Guild and Mrs. Jacob Pfleider of Westwood.

MGR. BADEN

Twentv Brothers Of Students Are Serving With Forces

The members of the graduation class of 1942 were honored Monday, June 1, in the Class Day exercises, which were held on the school campus.

It was a day of rejoicing and meritment, a day of sober thought and sadness. The seniors' college life was over and the entire student body gathered to pay tribute to them.

First the wise and far-sighted juniors looked through a super-powerful microscope and by the aid of the heavenly bodies were able to prophesy the fortunes of the 30 graduates. This was all fun, and the juniors sincerely hope that the members of the class of 42 will have more sane and sensible lives than their successors predicted.

Margaret Mcclure read the class history, which revealed that during the past four years two girls have had some real times. They've been good, and they've been bad; they've been carefree among themselves, but they've been helpful to others.

The more serious business of the day occurred on the lawn in front of Emory hall when the tearful seniors passed the traditional daisy chain to the shoulders of the anxious juniors. This daisy chain is a symbol of love, loyalty and honor. If the present group of juniors can live up to those virtues as well as the departing seniors have in the past, they will be very fortunate.

The group then marched down to the stone wall behind Emory hall, where the seniors performed the last act of the Class Day. They planted their rookwood, which will grow this next spring in the memory of the Class of 1942.

The ceremonies were climed with the singing of "Our Lady of Cincinnati."

LITERARY GUILD

Mischievous Lads Emerge Heroes

Holding their last monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, May 19, in the Senior Ball Room, the English Guild members were treated to a program by the members of the class of 1942.

The meeting was preceded by a buffet supper at 5:30 p.m. Beverly Halcy, president of the Guild, welcomed the guests and Mary Rose Callahan, secretary, gave a resume of the club's activities and accomplishments in the past year. After a review of a newly-published novel by Michael Kenney, "The Man of Brooklyn," the members voted for a new president. Mary Ann Latourette was elected and it was decided to choose the other officers at the first meeting next September. Membership in the organization is restricted to juniors and seniors who are English majors or minors. The club, which had 20 members this past year once a month, usually on the first Wednesday, met on Tuesdays during the first two weeks of class, with the third week in the summer. The club usually met in Mr. A. J. Cronin's much-discussed "Keys of the Kingdom," and Reading List included "Seven Sisters," by Emily Hawthorne, "The Mariner's Mirror," by J. W. Croxton, "The Private Life of the King," and "The House of the Plain People," by Jean Schmitt, "The Rich White People," by James Tipton, "The Great Gatsby," by F. Scott Fitzgerald, and "The Big Break," by Dashiell Hammett, "The Third Man," by Graham Greene, and "The Good Companions," by Graham Greene.

The meeting ended with a formal affair on and one of the most exciting events of the year was the Senior Ball to be held in the Cincinnati Country Club on June 2.

Ball To Follow Commencement

The scholastic year was brought to a close tonight at 30 seniors received their degrees from the Most Rev. Archbishop John T. McNicholas at traditional graduation ceremonies held on the campus of Our Lady of Cincinnati.

The Senior Ball will be held this evening at the Summit Hills Country Club, where the guests of the Senior Class of 1942 will be entertained. A table to Ray Richter's orchestra will officially begin the dance at 10 o'clock and continue until 2 o'clock. The Senior Ball is a formal affair and one of the most exciting events of the year.

B. J. Rak

Home Economics Officers Named

Home Economics club officers for the coming year were elected at the final meeting of the club, held May 31. The officers are Betty Grimes, president; Mary Rose Kuhl, vice-president; Grace Rack, secretary, and Janet Horgan, treasurer. Patricia McDougal was appointed to the yearbook committee and Jean Schmitt, program chairman.

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people became convinced of the futility of making sacrifices. They saw that the leaders of nations were just as greedy as before the war. They saw that politicians still sought to abuse their power. They saw millions of men, women, and children die of starvation because virtue had taken the place of justice. They saw all this and they asked themselves: Is this what we fought for? They then concluded that there is nothing worth fighting for except self.

And so they became a selfish generation. They attained prosperity, yes. Their era, the Roaring Twenties, is still regarded fondly by many as "the good old days," the days when there was a chicken in every pot and two cars in every garage. But in spite of their material prosperity they still remained a lost generation. They laughed, they laughed too loudly to be sincere. They never were hungry, but they were starved for human kindness. They said that they lived the full life because they indulged their every wish, but their lives were as shallow as only pagan lives can be.

Shall ours be another lost generation? It need not be, even if our sacrifices prove to be as futile as those of the youths of the last war. For, the world is stepping out of its shell, and I believe that the leaders of nations are now just as greedy as before the war. They saw all this and they asked themselves: Is this what we fought for? They then concluded that there is nothing worth fighting for except self.
THE graduates (above) begin their solemn procession to the outdoor stage where the commencement exercises are conducted. This is the seniors' last walk through the stone gates that lead to the warm heart of Our Lady's school.

A MAY Breakfast (left) is given annually by the Home Economics club in the sun room of Emery hall. The affair affords the domestic science students an opportunity to exercise their talents and enable the seniors to build up their collective constitution for the rigors of Senior Week.

QUEEN of the May crowning ceremony of 1942 with her attendants (below). Irma Roetker, accorded the honor by vote of the student body, crowned the statue of the Blessed Virgin in the traditional May Day celebration. Her attendants are, left to right, Margaret Mary Winters, Rose Pfeiffer, prefect of the sodality; Mary Helmick, and Geraldine Hanson.

JUNIOR Prom scene (left) just after Rose Pfeiffer, Jr., had received the crown from the hands of Anna Mae Gerbus (extreme right), president of the junior class. The attendants of the Prom Queen are (left to right) Betty Muehlenkamp, Jean Geers, Mildred Slacke, and Peggy Kierans.
Never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unnoticed.

MEMBERS of the class of '42 — the war class — pray to the Patroness of the United States for the victory of justice and charity over the forces of greed and hate. As if in answer to the students' prayer, the trees and the heavens in the background unite to form a reassuring V.

The planting of the rose bush at the Class Day exercises (left). Betty Kloecker, president of the senior class, adds the '42 bush to the row planted by the graduates of previous years.

A TRADITIONAL candle ceremony is held annually on the campus during Senior Week. The physical education students participate in a drill in cap and gown. During this year's ceremony, the retiring president of the Student Council, Peggy Kiernan, formally handed over the candle to Rose Mary Cox, her successor, to symbolize the graduates' bequest of the torch of scholastic endeavor to the undergraduates. The students are shown (above right, bottom right and left) in three formations executed during the drill.

The picture above of the students' prayer for victory was made by Rev. John E. Wheatley.
ACTIVITIES OF GRADUATES ARE LISTED

Elizabeth Dickin ... Chemistry major; daughter of Mr. J. L. Dickin, Fort Thomas, Ky.; alumna of Brown County Ursuline Academy at St. Martin, Ohio; member, Science Club and Choral Group.

Mary Lee Feldkamp ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Feldkamp, Clifton; alumna of Our Lady of Mercy High School; member, Music Club and College Orchestra.

Irene Feldman ... Chemistry major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Feldman, Walnut Hills; alumna of St. Ursula Academy, McMillin Street; member, Science Club and Choral Group.

Edel Gardner ... Chemistry major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gardner, Reading; alumna of Mt. Notre Dame Academy, Reading; president of Science Club; member of Choral Group.

Lucille Wald ... English major; daughter of Mrs. William Walsh, Norwood; alumna of Norwood High School; member of Edgecliff Players, Literary Guild.

Janet Kemme ... French major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kemme, Walnut Hills; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy; member of Literary Guild, C. S. M. G., Choral Group.

Jeannette Meyer ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meyer, Westwood; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy; member of Choral Group.

Betsy Jane Minnette ... English major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sam, Minnesota; alumna of Regina High School; member of Edgecliff Players, Literary Guild.

Dorothy Meader ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Meader, Price Hill; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy; member of Edgecliff Players, C. S. M. C.

Jean Lowry ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lowry, St. Bernard; alumna of Mt. Notre Dame Academy, Reading; member of International Relations Club.

Mildred Shackle ... Art major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shackle, St. Bernard; alumna of Our Lady of Angels High School; vice-president of the Camera Club, member of the Edgecliff Players, Choral Group.

Audrey Schlosser ... Sociology major; daughter of Mrs. Louis Schlosser, Price Hill; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy, treasurer of the senior class, member of the Edgecliff Players, C. S. M. C.

Isabella Wicker ... Mathematics major; daughter of Mrs. Frank Wicker, Westwood; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy; member of Choral Group.

Ruth Weller ... English major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weller, College Hill; alumna of Our Lady of Angels High School; member of the Literary Guild, Choral Group.

Dorothy Wetterstrom ... Biology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wetterstrom, Walnut Hills; alumna of Regina High School, Norwood; member of Science Club.

Alma Witt ... Home economics major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Witt, Price Hill; alumna of Mt. St. Joseph Academy; president of the Home Economics Club, member of the Edgecliff Players, Literary Guild.

Emily Huster ... English major; daughter of Mrs. Louis Huster, Northwestern; alumna of Mt. Notre Dame Academy, Reading; vice-president of the Literary Guild, president of the Camera Club, member of the Edgecliff Players, Choral Group.

Lucille Winters ... English major; daughter of Mrs. William Winters, Norwood; alumna of Norwood High School; member of Edgecliff Players, Literary Guild.

Jean Lowry ... English major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowry, St. Bernard; alumna of Mt. Notre Dame Academy, Reading; member of International Relations Club.

Our Lady of Cincinnati College

Elizabeth Rottenburger ... Latin major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Rottenburger, Northside; alumna of Our Lady of Mercy High School; member of International Relations Club, Literary Guild, Music Club, Orchestra, C. S. M. C.

Betty Kluecker ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nutini, Fort Thomas, Ky.; alumna of Mt. Notre Dame Academy, Reading; president of the Literary Guild, Choral Group.

Margaret Kieser ... History major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kieser, Price Hill; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy, Westwood; president of the Student Council, member of Choral Group, C. S. M. C.

Margaret Mallor ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Mallor, Milford; alumna of Milford High School; member of Choral Group, C. S. M. C.

Marie Villing ... Nursing; daughter of Mrs. Anna Villing, Moundfort Heights; alumna of West Night High School.

La Verne Meyer ... Sociology major; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer, Cheviot; alumna of Mother of Mercy Academy; member of Choral Group, C. S. M. C.
DIG  DIG  DIG

The class of ’34 is winding up its O. L. S. social activity at Summit Hills country club graduation night. The student body is invited and the motto in: "Come one, come all, if HE’s not in the army. “Ran” and Harold will be there, Lee and Bob (which one?). Bev’s brother all the way from Texas (and the brother).”

It looks as if Audrey made the grade. "Not only Audrey, but Irma, too, has been accepted, so you see everything is going strictly to the age.” . . . When Eddie isn’t ping pong quarters, record: 1 collapse, 1 win, 1 collapse, 1 win, 1 collapse, 1 win.

Hank."

When the hate and hear y blow-hards were interested.

"That" cow."

Our first (Continued from page 2)

McGee squirmed. Rita Riesenberg (now Mr. and Mrs.) were always dressed in the world's most expensive suit. To make the spring suit add spectator sports to prom tickets — how Father McGee worried about the obvious universal distruption by the obvious universal