

Spiritual Unity Congress of Americans Convenes Here

SCIENTISTS FORM DIOCESAN UNIT

Rev. F. LeBuffe, S.J., Assists In Catholic Round Table Organization

The St. Augustine Chapter of the Catholic Round Table of Science was organized by the Rev. Francis P. LeBuffe, S.J., the first week in December. The meeting was held at a luncheon in the college refectory. Father LeBuffe gave brief account of the history and purpose of the Catholic Round Table, and urged affiliation of the members of the St. Augustine Chapter with the national organization.

Representatives of all the Religious Communities teaching in Florida and two lay professors, Dr. Henry Clause of Miami University and Dr. Edward Weinberg of Rollins College, were present. It was agreed that meetings should be held annually in conjunction with the Florida Academy of Research.

The only officer of the organization is Sister Mary Jane, O.P., secretary. Sister's appointment shows that the charter members of the science Round Table recognize the exceptional work of the Sisters of St. Dominic who have done much to advance scientific research in the state.

Staff Member Wins Contest

Frances Collier, News Editor of "Angelicus," took first, second and third place in the recent snapshot contest held by the Art Club.

At the Club's regular meeting several pictures entered by students were judged by Virginia Stolpmann, Mary Eileen Leonard, Ruth Waters and Colleen Breslin, president of the group. The winning snapshot is a view of the chapel tower taken from the base and it has a background of sky. A picture of "Buddy" in the big blue jar took second place, while a view of the administration building captured third place in the contest.

The snapshot which won first place will be featured by a daily paper.

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR JANUARY

Jan. 1-3—Barry will be host to the Spiritual Inter-American Conference. About 50 delegates, including Father Joseph F. Thorning, will be the guests of Mother M. Gerald, O.P., Mrs. J. W. McCollum, National President of the N.C.C.W., will also be a guest.

Jan. 8—The new course in Parliamentary Law will begin. The course covers a period of six weeks.

Jan. 26—Semester exams will begin. A tea has been planned for the Senior Girls of Miami Public Schools. It will be held sometime in January.

Sodality Adds Five Members

"I Love a Lady in Blue," Sister Denise's new melody, set a keynote for the Sodality High Mass and reception of December 8. Love of the Lady in Blue led five Barry students, Rosalie Fallon, Patricia Anderson, Frances Kronenbitter, Lorraine Miller, Mary Eileen Leonard to unite themselves more closely with her through Sodality membership.

Father Cyril W. Burke, O.P., received the candidates presented by Patricia Ridge; these new sodalists were afterwards guests of honor at a communion breakfast in Calaroga Hall. A short talk given at the breakfast by Father Burke emphasized the significance of the fact that the feast of the Immaculate Conception, patroness of America, came at a time when the nation is in grave need of her powerful intercession.

League Offers Yule Program

The Junior Classical League chose the lounge of Rosa Mystical Hall as the scene of its monthly meeting yesterday. Carrying out the Christmas theme, the group opened the meeting with the singing of "Adeste Fidelis." At the conclusion of the formal business a varied program was presented. Patricia Anderson gave a report comparing our American Christmas with that of the Roman Saturnalia, which also took place on December 25. Colleen Breslin traced the origin of the Christmas tree and other Yuletide customs, Joseph Pflueger explained the derivation of the Greek word meaning "Christmas." The reading of St. Luke's gospel on the first Christmas by Pege Reis closed the meeting.

Holiday Plans In Full Swing As College Is Dismissed For Holidays

Thoughts of a white Christmas and a family reunion will attract many Barryites north when Christmas recess begins on December 18 at 12:30 P. M. Mary Jean Perez will spend two nights and a day en route to Manitowoc, Wisconsin, where a vacation full of celebrations awaits her. Almost as far north is the destination of Audrey Bibeault—Putnam, Connecticut. Eleanor Neary is afraid that one of those blackouts and air raids will begin just when she arrives home. Santa Claus will find Frances Verhelle in Grosse Pointe, Michigan, and Jane Ellen Doig in Gary, Indiana. Pennsylvania calls Virginia and Susan Wagman and Mary Malone—just to tell them that a holiday crammed with fun awaits them.

Sharing the shortest-distance-from-Barry honors are Josephine Pflueger, Mimi Gibbons, Marilyn Kojenge, Theresa Renuart and Pegge McGhan.

AMSC TO DISPLAY PAN-AM. EXHIBITS

Science Students Will Make Industrial Models For Spiritual Congress

In cooperation with the Spiritual Inter-Americanism Conference to be held here December 29-January 3, members of the Albertus Magnus Science Club are undertaking projects which will pictorially tell a story of American relationships.

Patricia and Christine MacGill will submit a poster demonstrating the production and manufacture of coffee, and featuring the countries from which the United States receives its coffee supply.

Lorraine Miller has been moulding plaster for a relief map of Chile. Sodium Nitrate mines will be located on the map. Lorraine intends to explain the actual mining and preparation of nitrate for shipping.

A poster drawn by Josephine Pflueger will illustrate the principal exports of the countries of Central and South America.

Rosella Hoecherl, Sydney Roche, and Margaret Leitheiser are constructing a miniature of the Barry College swimming pool. The processes of irrigation and chlorinating of water will be explained by the scale model.

Margaret Reis, Elaine Johnson and Patricia Anderson will demonstrate the method of home air conditioning in a scale house which they are building.

Mary Leonard, Marylin Kojenge, Dollyanna Webster and Audry Hull are making a research study on the life cycle of the Malaria Paracite in relation to its causes and symptoms.

They'll hang their stockings up in Miami Shores. Mary Eileen Leonard and Eleanor Condon are counting the days until they reach South "Ca'lina" again, while Rosalie Fallon is all set for the biggest Christmas yet in Raleigh, North Carolina. Pat Anderson will be hostess to Elaine Johnson and Pege Reis at a pre-Christmas house party. Pege is returning the compliment at New Year's. Laura Bentz and Colleen Breslin plan a trip to Silver Springs, and Chris and Pat McGill (blackouts and so forth permitting) are hoping to ride bicycles down Key West way.

Sleeping late and "just resting" rank high in holiday plans but many parties are anticipated too. Of course Miami students plan a general reunion at the Orange Bowl on January 1, and January 4 will see all the wanderers back for the second term at Barry.

Delegates from 21 Republics, Educational Leaders to Attend

The first Conference on Spiritual Inter-Americanism will be convoked at Barry College on December 29.

The congress, which will be attended by delegates from every American Republic, will extend to January 3.

During this period the delegates will be the guests of Mother Mary Gerald, O.P., Mother General of the Dominican Sisters of Adrian, Mich.

The first three days of the conference will be devoted to a reunion of the members of The Sign Seminar to South America, a group of professors and students who undertook advanced studies last summer at the University of San Marcos, Lima, Peru.

An expansion of the seminar will be planned in a series of roundtable discussions to be directed by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Barry, rector of St. Patrick's Church, Miami Beach, and chairman of the board of governors of the Committee on Cultural Relations with Ibero-America and Spiritual Director of The Sign movement.

Made Survey

Last summer, Msgr. Barry not only supervised the work of the seminar at Lima, but also made a survey of religious and social conditions in Chile, Argentina and Brazil. His report on the results of this survey will be one of the features of the conference. Msgr. Barry will likewise furnish the delegates a review of his lectures delivered in the capitals of South American Republics on "Religion: The Bulwark of Democracy in the Western Hemisphere," and "Florida: Gateway to the Americas." Translated into Spanish and Portuguese, these lectures produced a deep impression throughout Ibero-America.

On January 1, 2 and 3, Msgr. Barry will preside at the first annual meeting of the Executive Council of the Committee on Cultural Relations with the American Republics. The members of this executive council are ex-officio qualified to vote for the winners of The Sign Las Americas Awards, two gold medals to be given each year to the North American and South American, respectively, who make the richest contribution to Spiritual Inter-Americanism. Both laymen and women are eligible for the awards. The Inter-American Panel, or College of Electors, is composed of nationally and internationally prominent citizens, Protestants, Jews and Catholics.

Intended for Laymen

The prizes are intended for lay people; not for the clergymen of any denomination, although the latter may serve as electors.

Among the well-known clergymen who have accepted invitations to act as judges are the Rev. Dr. Z. Barney Phillips, Chaplain of the United States Senate; the Rev. Dr. James Shera Montgomery, Chaplain of the United States House of Representatives; the Rev. Dr. Robert I. Gannon, S.J., President of Fordham University; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas F. McDonnell, National Director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, and the Very Rev. Dr. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.A., President of the University of Notre Dame.

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Convention Highlight

His Excellency the Most Reverend Joseph P. Hurley, Bishop of St. Augustine, will pontificate at a Solemn High Mass at the opening of the Convention, and will deliver the sermon at that Mass.

Staff Extends Greetings

The Staff of Angelicus extends to His Excellency the Most Reverend Joseph P. Hurley, Bishop of St. Augustine, to the clergy of the Diocese, to Reverend Mother Mary Gerald, O.P., and to all our teachers at Barry College cordial good wishes for a joyous Christmas and God's blessing in the New Year.

Future "Betsy Rosses" Make Pan-American Flags

Flags for the first conference on Spiritual Inter-Americanism are being made by the members of the Spanish Club and Art Club under the direction of Sister Regina Marie, O.P., and Sister Cathal, O.P. The Spanish students are making the Flags of the twenty-one South American republics. The state seal of several of the flags is being painted on the banners by the school artists. The American flag, which measures 4x6 feet, will be in the center of the "V" shaped formation of flags.

Sodality Reorganization Facilitates Meetings

With the reorganization of the Sodality comes a new arrangement of meeting times. Replacing the once monthly meetings there is now in effect a revised program in which one period a week on Wednesday from 11:05 to 11:45 will be devoted to the Sodality.

Twice a month the meeting will be turned over to the various committees which will make plans in preparation for the programs of the other two meetings.

These programs will be presented at the spiritual and business meetings.

At the recent Sodality rally here at which Gesu was present, a motion was made and carried that the Catechetical group teach religion once a week to the little colored children living in the Lincoln Project. This work will be started after Christmas. Each Sunday two girls will meet with the group to be taught. This work will be carried on for the rest of the year.

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Peace On Earth . . .

With the Christmastide message, "Peace on earth to men of Good Will" once again we recall the loveliest wish ever expressed on earth. Unfortunately it echoes back and forth today finding few places where it is welcome. On Christmas Eve, The New York Evening Sun will probably reprint its answer to a little girl who voiced the age-old question, "Is there a Santa Claus?" It will also answer our question as to where we may find peace on earth. The little girl was told that there is a Santa Claus and that he lives perpetually in the hearts of those who admit him. She was told that although Christmas trees and turkey and all of the other traditions and customs we observe are a part of Christmas, they are subordinate to the main theme and idea of Christmas, namely the commemoration of the birthday of Our Lord and Saviour. This year most especially must we remember the significance of this day. The Saviour of the world has come and to Him must we appeal for mercy and salvation — salvation from death dealing hordes, and salvation from spiritual menaces.

On Invalid Novenas

Several years ago the latest fad to sweep the country was the chain letter — send a dime and within a few weeks you will receive much more than that amount. Now, the latest form of the chain letter is the "mail Novena." Several students on the campus have received them and have been puzzled as to what course of action they should pursue. In a recent religion class Father Burke gave the answer. "Throw them into the waste paper basket immediately," said he. "They are not valid."

The letters, some of which are being circulated by Catholic College Graduates, state that the novena has been around the world three times. They request the recipient to say the Our Father, Hail Mary and the Glory Be To The Father, three times each day for three days. They also stipulate that four copies of the novena be

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Father Le Buffe Urges Students To Challenge All Statements

The tall, grey-haired sponsor of the Sodality, Father Francis P. LeBuffe, S.J., paid a three-day visit to the Barry campus during the first part of December. During the course of his stay he addressed Barry Sodalists on the subject of independent thinking.

One cannot sleep mentally through one of Father LeBuffe's talks; he compels his listeners to follow his trend of thinking and to see clearly every point he makes and how he makes it. Father welcomes questions and arguments from the floor. He has trained his Catholic Evidence group in New York, he told Sodalists, to question and fight every statement he makes.

Father's speech centered about the fact that Catholics, provided with a sure framework of fixed principles, are too apt to use these principles as a rule of thumb to apply to any problem and never to apply independent thinking to subjects. He strongly urged that students should have a reason for the faith that is in them, and should not passively accept anything and everything "because the Church says so."

Father declared that there is a

wrong impression that the Church wishes her members to remain in ignorance of the bases of the dogmas of faith. He said that the lay apostolate can never hope to convert souls until it can offer logical reasons for the faith it wants accepted.

He stressed the fact that Catholic college students have a responsibility in the lay apostolate. However, before they can hope to convert others, they must be intellectually sure of the logical reasons for any statements they may make. There is a great advantage, Father pointed out, in the Catholic philosophy. One need never doubt that a fact is true, even though one may not be able to prove it by reason. Another advantage he brought forth is that one newly adventuring into the field of independent thought need not start with the difficult job of testing the foundations of faith, but may trust in them while he proves by reason other and simpler things first.

Father's talk left the students with a renewed appreciation of the gift of faith and a determination to fit themselves for the lay apostolate through practice in the art of independent thinking.

Peace On Earth To Men Of Good Will



Discs and Data

By SISTER MARY DENISE, O.P.,
Barry College—Dept. of Music

Inside a tiny church in Arnsdorf, Austria, many, many years ago, Franz Gruber was having trouble. His organ had broken down on the day before Christmas Eve, and all hopes of presenting the elaborate Musical Program he had prepared for Christmas left him. In his plight, he asked the assistant priest, Father Joseph Mohr, to write a few simple verses that his choir could sing without an accompaniment, as it would be impossible to have the organ repaired in time. Father Mohr was inspired to write the beautiful little verses of Silent Night! Composed to be sung only once by a simple village choir, this beautiful hymn has come down through the ages to us, to be sung by the world's greatest artists and symphonic Choirs. Who does not thrill at Schumann-Heink's interpretation of Father Mohr's little hymn? Deanna Durbin, with a beautiful choral background has also recorded this enchanting hymn for Victor.

First place, as always, goes to music as a medium of expression of the Nativity and other Christmas devotions. Perhaps never before have we needed to reflect on the spiritual blessings in our lives as much as in these disturbed days. Hence an album devoted to the loftiest of music expressions of the world's three great composers will be inspiring at this time. Marian Anderson, great Negro American Contralto, has prepared an album called "Great Songs of Faith" from the sacred works of Handel, Mendelssohn, and Bach. She is accompanied by the Victor Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Charles O'Connell. Miss Anderson is heard in "He Shall Feed His Flock" and "He Was Despised" from the Messiah by Handel; "But The Lord Is Mindful of His Own," from St. Paul; and "O Rest in The Lord," from Elijah, both oratorios by Mendelssohn; and "All Is Fulfilled," from Bach's St. John Passion. This is certainly a precious album for Christmas and will prove equally entertaining all through the coming year.

For good choral music I suggest the Trapp Family Choir in beautifully intoned renditions of "Silent Night," "In Dulci Jubilo," and the carol, "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen."

In many homes, it is the custom at Christmas time to read "The Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens. Now, this beloved story has been adapted, narrated, and produced by Ernest Chappell for Victor Records, and will provide much entertainment for the whole family.

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sent out within four days. Then one is to wait and see what happens. Instead of wasting time on invalid novenas, we could put that time to better advantage by saying a few extra prayers for victory.

Inter American Conference

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Prominent laymen on the panel include Roger W. Straus; Professor Arthur S. Aiton, head of the History Department of the University of Michigan; Dr. Herbert Ellsworth Cory, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts, the University of Washington, Seattle; Neil MacNeil, Assistant Managing Editor of the New York Times; Dr. Mortimer J. Adler, of the University of Chicago; James Lawrence Fly, Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission; Dr. Richard J. Purcell, head of the History Department of the Catholic University of America; Louis S. Rosenthal, Vice-President of Chase National Bank, New York City; Richard Reid, Managing Editor of The Catholic News, New York City; Dr. George N. Shuster, President of Hunter College; George K. Hunton, Editor of the Interracial Review, and Dr. Tibor Kerekes, head of the History Department of Georgetown University.

Complete Program

According to the announcement by Father Maguire, the program of the conference on Spiritual Inter-Americanism will include the following subjects and lecturers:

"Religion in Chile," Mrs. J. W. McCollum, of Gainesville, Florida, National President of the National Council of Catholic Women.

"Our Good Neighbors in Washington: The South American Diplomats," by the Rev. Dr. W. Coleman Nevils, S.J., dean of the Graduate School, Georgetown University, Washington, D. C.

"Understanding Guatemala, Mex-

Day Hops Victorious In Campus Tourney

The Volleyball tournament closed on Dec. 10, when "Calaroga" a day hop team, defeated "Rosa Mystica's" team in the last second of play with a score of 21-20. The two teams met as a result of a round-robin tournament.

The boarders, however, promise to take the laurel wreaths when they meet their day-hop adversaries on the basketball court soon after the Christmas recess.

Tara Club Holds Concert

Featured at the "Christmas Basket" party to be held by the Tara Club on December 10 in Rosa Mystica Lounge were Madame Mary Lenander, contralto, and Mr. Walter Grossman, cellist. In order to gain admission each member of the audience presented a gift wrapped in true Christmas style. These gifts will be donated to the Sodality and will help fill the Christmas baskets.

The program was as follows:
 Silent Night,
 Hark the Herald Angels Sing.
 The First Noel.

These traditional hymns were sung by the audience.

Handel Sonata, Walter Grossman, cellist.

Stride la Vampa from Il Trovatore, Madame Mary Lenander, contralto.

Cathedral Chimes, Sister Mary Denise, O.P.

I Love Thee, Greig.

My Love Is A Muleteer, Madame Lenander.

Hungarian Rhapsodie, D. Popper, Mr. Grossman

ico and Peru Through Their Arts," by Miss Margaret Brine, Lecturer in the University Extension of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Boston.

"Cancer Research in the American Republics," by Dr. George Sperry Sperti, Director of the Institutum Divi Thomae, Cincinnati, Ohio, and Palm Beach, Fla.

"U. S. Coverage of Ibero American News," by Neil MacNeil, Assistant Managing Editor of The New York Times.

"Social Reconstruction in Chile," by Mr. Charles Henry Lee, Legal Department of the Texas Company, New York City.

"Canada's Place in the Inter-American Movement," by the Rev. Dr. A. M. L. Danis, Professor of Social Science at the University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada.

"The Needs and Opportunities of Colombia," by Mrs. Charles Henry Lee, of New York City.

"The Program of President Gotulio Vargas in Brazil," by Dr. Joseph F. Thorning, professor of Ethics and Sociology at Mount St. Mary's College and Seminary, Emmitsburg, Md.

"The Sign Seminar Federation in Universities and Colleges," by Sister M. Patricia Helen, D.H.M.,

Volley Ball Dictionary Appears Post-Tourney

Now that the volleyball tourney has come to a finish with the Calarogas in the center of the sports picture, we pause to review briefly some of the fascinating bits of vocabulary used by Barry athletes.

Did you think a service was merely something rendered with a smile by a gas station attendant? It is also the opening play of a volleyball game, one of the intramural games held after school on Friday, for example. Then there's the "kill." While it sounds as if it might only be of interest to a big game hunter, the "kill" is one of the tricky volleyball shots being learned by physical education groups in their regular weekly classes.

Another vocabulary soon to be mastered by Barry ball players is that of basketball which is the next regularly scheduled sport. The swimming pool, a year round sports center, will be used for private practice and swim parties until February, when group work will be resumed.

head of the Department of Romance, Languages, Immaculata College, Immaculata, Pennsylvania.

"The Significance of the Southwest in Inter-American Relations," by Dr. Carlos E. Castaneda, Professor of History at the University of Texas.

"What The Sign Seminar Means to a College Professor," by Sister M. Laurine, O.P., head of the Department of Romance Languages at Siena Heights College, Adrian, Mich.

"The Role of the Pan-American Union," by Miss Julia MacLean Vinas, secretary to the Assistant Director of the Pan-American Union, Washington, D. C.

"Our Good Neighbors: The People of Ibero America," by the Rt. Rev. Monsignor William Barry, Rector, St. Patrick's Church, Miami Beach, Fla.

"What The Sign Seminar Means to a College Student," by George M. Widney, of Mobile, Ala., President of the Student Council, Mount St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md.

"What The Sign Seminar Means to South Americans," by Miss Lily Dasso, graduate of Villa Maria Academy, Miraflores, Peru, and now a Law student at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

"Lay Spiritual Organizations in Ibero America," by Mark G. McGrath of the University of Notre Dame and a leader in the Pax Romana movement.

"Women Students in South American Universities," by Miss Gertrude McGee of the Diocesan Speakers' Bureau, Buffalo, N. Y.

"The Press and the American Republics," by the Rev. Theophane Maguire, C.P., editor of The Sign.

"The Place of Barry College in the Inter-American Movement," by Sister Regina Marie, O.P., head of the Department of Romance Languages at Barry College for Women, Miami, Fla.

"Education in South America," by Miss Ellen Collins, of the Graduate School of Columbia University, New York City.

"Problems of the Caribbean," by A. Curtis Wilgus, Professor of Hispanic American History at the George Washington University, Washington, D. C.

"Social Legislation in South America," by Dr. John C. Hayes, Assistant Professor of Law at Loyola University, Chicago, Ill.

Will Preside

Presiding at the session in the six-day conference will be Mrs. Walter Briggs of Detroit, Mich.; Mother M. Berenice, I.H.M., of Immaculata College, Immaculata, Pa.; the Rev. Dr. W. Coleman Nevils, S.J., of Georgetown University; the Rev. Florence D. Sullivan, Rector of the Gesu Church, Miami; Dr. Richard J. Purcell, head of the Department of History, Catholic University, Washington, D. C.; the Rev. Dr. J. P. O'Mahoney, Director, Crane Hall at the University of Florida, and Sister M. Gonzaga, O.P., Administrator of Barry College.

The address of welcome will be delivered by Sister M. de Lellis, O.P., Dean of Barry College. After the hymn, invoking the aid of the Holy Spirit at the opening Chapel exercises of the congress, a prayer will be pronounced by

Spirited Sodalists Start Catholic Action In Motion

"To feed the hungry, to clothe the naked"—these are but two of the corporal works of mercy which we learned in the "Penny Catechism." As children these principles were learned and accepted as a part of our faith; in the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin they actually come to life before our eyes—in the form of Catholic Action.

As a part of the Sodality's Christmas program it was suggested that each class take the responsibility of feeding and clothing an entire family for Christmas. The suggestion was enthusiastically received, and plans for making four poor families happy this Christmas Day are nearly completed. Together with food and clothing there are included in the baskets toys for the younger members of the families. Excess clothing has been gathered, laundered and repaired by the girls and wrapped in gay paper and ribbons. All this in the knowledge that someone has been made happy will speed the girls on to their own Christmas preparations with a light heart.

the Rev. Cyril Burke, O.P., Chaplain of Barry College. All religious exercises will take place in the Cor Jesu Chapel.

The winners of The Sign Las Americas Awards will be announced by Msgr. Barry and Father Maguire in a nation-wide radio hook-up on January 3.

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Fashion Fads

We suggest that instead of letting people fret and worry over what to give you for Christmas, you leave a list of your heart's desires in some conspicuous place. You might place a long V-neck sweater at the top of that list, they show your initialed collars to excellent advantage. Alligator is news—shoes and bag to match would be a gift from the gods.

Mix-match your socks, let one of them match your sweater, one your skirt! Plead with Santa for a quilted robe, they make studying nice and cozy. Jingle bells! Jingle bells! Wear them in your hair and on your shoelaces, they help you to keep in the spirit. Crocheted caps with shoulder length tassels are much smarter than babushkas for chapel, and they are vieing for first place with those tricky Eton caps. Dress up a black reefer with a leopard muff and a diminutive hat to match. Those gay rubber boots will keep you nice and dry, and will eliminate sitting in class worrying about wet feet when you should worry about more important matters. You who are heading north will really appreciate those bunnies for mitts. They have suede palms in every color imaginable. We've heard from reliable sources that people don't really object to dirty saddle shoes as much as they would have one believe, and they do say that the average American college girl is well dressed and well groomed, but they also say that she has two pet aversions, hair brushes and standing and sitting up straight. True?

A pin wale corduroy pinafore worn with a long sleeved shirt is very, very nice looking. Grab the wish-bone from the Christmas turkey, dry it, paint it with nail polish, dress it up with a bow and wear it on your lapel. Merry Christmas to all and to all a Happy New Year!

Dean Reports Proceedings Of Educational Conference

The preparation of the college student for Catholic Action work must be directed from four bases: religious, moral, social, and apostolic. This was one of the timely findings of Sister M. de Lellis, O.P., dean of Barry College, who reported to faculty members this week on the proceedings of the recent Catholic Education Association meeting in Louisville, Kentucky. This statement was gleaned from the talk, "Catholic Action on the Catholic College Campus," given by Sister Antonio, Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, Texas.

The Association's suggestions of Catholic Action on the campus paralleled the work Barry College did last year as well as that planned for this year. Included are spiritual retreats, rosary devotion to the Blessed Mother in October and May, sodality bulletin boards, and social work for needy families on special holidays.

Especially interesting to Sister M. de Lellis was the address of President Umphrey Lee of Southern Methodist University. His subject, "The Interpretation of the Spirit of Democracy in Religion," developed the thesis that the Christian doctrine of love is the basis of democracy.

Although war had not been declared before the conclusion of the meeting for Women's Colleges, Sister Agnes Cecile, Barry College delegate, received timely advice for the attitude of an educator from Salem College's president, H. E. Rondthaler. In his talk, "Maintaining Academic Standards and Independence in a Time of Emergency," President Rondthaler gave words of comfort in his hope that education, based on the search truth, would be influential in eradicating war, based on disruption.

PICTURES OF THE MONTH

A review of Barry in the news as it appeared in the Miami Daily News during the last month.



Members of the Science Department hard at work under the direction of Sister Mary Jane, O. P., Betty McBride, Antoinette Sevier and Audrey Hull.

Calling All Artists

"Angelicus" staff members request that all of you who have any artistic talent, submit timely sketches to be used for the cartoon corner of the editorial page. The sketch must speak for itself, and it must be timely. Those of you who feel you have no talent may submit an idea. We will have it worked out should it be acceptable.

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