

FEBRUARY IS CATHOLIC PRESS MONTH

First of all, let me say that the mailman did not pass our house, forgetting to leave your last two (2) issues of the Narrator. As had been announced, there was no issue planned for the first meeting of the year on January 3rd.

The issue which was to hit the newsstands prior to our January 20th Meeting never got off the ground due to the death of my sister, Marian, who passed away on January 7th after a nine-month battle with cancer.

At this time, I would like personally to thank those Brother Knights and their Families for their kind expressions of sympathy and consolation to my Family and me through their cards and visitations.

CATHOLIC PRESS MONTH

As most know, or should know, February is annually designated as Catholic Press Month. I suppose the purpose of this is to make us aware of the many fine Catholic periodicals and papers which are available. Not only are the majority of them informative, but many are downright entertaining. I would imagine that most of us are receiving the Catholic Universe Bulletin; but how many have one or more magazines coming into our homes regularly, or occasionally will spend a dime for a pamphlet as we leave Church on Sunday? No longer will you find Catholic literature to be written in the prosaic or stilted fashion. Many of them are controversial in nature, causing one to think in terms other than what we have been accustomed to in years gone by.

The Council will not have a display of Catholic literature this year as we have sometimes had in the past at the Public Library. Catholic Activity Chairman, John Dodd, has available certain pamphlets and information concerning the names and prices, etc., of the many books, magazines, and pamphlets which can be purchased or ordered, either individually or by subscription. You are asked to contact Bro. Dodd for more details.

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THE CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Fr. John Lesniak has appeared at our last two meetings, presenting timely and informative talks on the Liturgy. I think for the first time, many of us learned the meaning of Liturgy—being the Worship of God. Father stressed that we have to learn to worship God intelligently and sincerely if we wish to attain Eternal Salvation. Our moral lives will be better also if we but learn to Worship properly.

Father advises, "In the next few weeks I will endeavor to bring us up to date on the current Liturgical Renewal in the Church. A series of discussions on the various aspects of the Liturgy—covering such topics as the Mystical Body, the Sacraments and the Eucharistic Sacrifice—will be explored in depth. Your participation and questions will be most welcome."

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REVISED BUDGET ADOPTED

The revised Budget, as submitted by the Trustees, was presented on the floor to the membership at the January 3rd meeting. The Budget as submitted was adopted.

As was expected, this piece of business provoked a lively and spirited discussion from both the pros and the cons. For the most part, logical and valid arguments were presented by both sides; but it was the will of the majority that the Council tighten its purse strings, keeping in mind that we should be putting money in the bank toward a future home. What all this means is that our Scholarship Program has been temporarily put in mothballs. We will now seek ways to further reduce our operating costs in all categories. Also, we will now go in performing our limited acts of Charity.

COMING EVENTS

- February 7 — Regular Meeting, 8:30 P.M., sharp.
February 11 — Squires Business Meeting, 2:30 P.M. St. Brendan Hall.
February 18 — Isabella Guild Meeting, 8:00 P.M. Southwestern Savings & Loan.
February 11 — NARRATOR DEADLINE.
February 21 — Regular Meeting, 8:30 P.M., sharp.
February 25 — Squires Activity Meeting, 2:30 P.M. St. Brendan Hall.

REUNION DANCE

All we can say, is that we had a real blast at Melody Grove on the 20th. This was far and away the most successful dance the Council has held from the standpoint of attendance—better than 150 couples. The music by the Merry Jesters was superb. A tip of the hat to the Committee of the Kay Cee Club, and to the Chairmen, Ace Spakowski, Art Schmotzer, and Don Kane. What do you think of a Spring Dance now?

COUNCIL RAMBLINGS (BIG EARS?)

John Dodd, Catholic Activity Chairman, for inserting in the general mailing announcement for the Dance, the Prayer cards to be used by the Family and individuals for Catholic Family Month (January) and for the future.

To the Squires Circle for providing dinners for two needy families at Christmas — food for 26 people.

To the Children's Christmas Party Committee for a dandy party for the kids; and to Tiny Vitello (Mr. Santa Claus Himself). They related to us the humorous things the kids had to say when questioned by Santa.

To P.G.K. Pat Gareau who announced a joint project involving the Knights and the Masons of the Blue Lodge in North Olmsted. Pat has been an advocate for years of us working with the Masons. With the advent of the Ecumenical Movement, his efforts have born fruit. He has asked that we work together on the Independent Health Fund Drive. Pat has been a Board Member for a number of years, and has stuck his neck out in volunteering the services of the Council. He is looking for 10 Members to assist 10 men from the Blue Lodge in calling on the Solicitors, who will do the actual canvassing for funds. The Drive will take place in either the last week of March or the second last week. How about giving Pat a call at (777-0181) and back him up. He is looking for a few more volunteers.

To the Council for having a total of 71 Sir Knights, Knights, and Squires present at our last Quarterly Communion on December 17 at St. Brendan.

To General Program Chairman, Dick Waytko; to Treasurer, Lindy Forcellini; and Art Schmotzer, who are respectively, the Chairman, Co-Chairman, and District Auditor for the 1968 Sustaining Membership Drive of the Boy Scouts of America. They are responsible for North Olmsted, Fairview, Olmsted Falls, Berea, Middleburg Hts., Bropark and Strongsville. The Drive starts March 2nd.

To the Knights of the Month: July—Jim Wilkins, our Financial Secretary. For his dedication and devotion to a demanding job.

August—Dick Tischler, our Youth Chairman for his outstanding job with the Squires Circle. September—John Bovenzi, our Inside Guard. For his wonderful work with the Squires.

October—Dave Wolfe, our Warden. For his overall zeal, and in particular for his sale of 80 books of tickets in the State Youth Drive, the highest total in the history of the Council.

November—PGK Ben Lyons, our Membership Chairman. For his tremendous efforts in building our Membership and his Degree work. We convey our sincere congratulations to you men and thanks for your continuing excellent work. These men received gifts from our Fraternal Activity Chairman, Henry Kobak.

To Al Swinglish who succeeded in rolling a 111 game on December 19. I should imagine that this qualifies Al for one of his famous "poity" awards at the Bowling Banquet. A bit of luck department: Bob Pietrykowski won the big door prize at the meeting of 12-20, being the free 5 gals. of gas, tube job, oil change, and filter donated monthly by Bro. John Horchy (North Olmsted Marathon). Lindy Forcellini pulled the same stunt on January 3rd when we won the above prize. The first 50-50 Drawing of the New Year was won by Don Kobak, \$8.25. Do you know this, Rita?

Belated Happy Birthdays to some and Many Happy Returns for the following Knights:
January
1 Col. Jim Nunes
2 Lindy Forcellini
5 Jim Wilkins
6 Kayl Hainen
9 Jack Parker
10 Bill Gayneau
11 Ben Wright
13 Ralph Volmer
14 Art Suroski
15 Pete Castle
16 Bill Harmon
18 Ed Kinnick
21 Bob Kubinski
John Strarek
26 Art Schmotzer
28 Joe Reznik (Pa.)
Matt Weidner
29 John Bovenzi
Rev. Lenahan

February
4 Val Fulmini
5 Francis Sroka
9 Roy Seitz
10 Tony Teper
11 Chuck Werner
13 Bernie Beeks
Nick Calviti
Ernie Gundy
Tony LaPonza
Maryn Thomas
14 Ed Maloros
17 John McLaughlin
21 Rev. McCaffery
22 Vince Armaddio
26 Joe Kreicz
26 Kallel Abdalla
Terry Geiger
28 Bill Miller
We certainly wish our Grand Knight, Ray Heper, a full and speedy recovery. He was hospitalized at Fairview on January 17th.

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