

### 2 Bakerton Scout Troop Members To Receive God And Country Award

Two members of Boy Scout Troop 72 of Bakerton will receive God and Country awards at the morning service this Sunday, May 29, at the Methodist Church in Bakerton. Never before in the history of the denomination and have fulfilled other duties, including regular Bible readings and church attendance.

When these medals are presented the Bakerton Scout Troop will gain the distinction of being the only unit in the Peary Council whose members have won the highest awards of both the Protestant and Catholic faiths. Three members now hold the Ad Altare Dei awards of the Catholic Church. They are Robert Lamont, Paul Columbus and Leonard Teklinsky.

Thomas Lehmer was leader of the troop for the past 2 1/2 years before he became field executive of the Admiral Robert E. Peary Council last August. William Muir now is the scoutmaster.

### St. Francis College Fund Drive Swings Into Gear This Week

The fund-raising drive of the Friends of St. Francis is in full swing throughout a seven-county area, with the organization setting its sights on a \$300,000 goal with which it plans to construct a new dormitory at St. Francis College, Loretto.

In many North Cambria communities fund solicitations on a house-to-house basis are going on this week. In other towns they will be started in the near future.

The on-campus phase of the drive already has netted close to \$12,000, according to reports at a recent meeting of students and faculty. The on-campus goal was set at \$10,000.

Chairmen named for communities in this area are as follows: Spangler—Martin Kirsch; Bakerton—Cletus Lehmer; Barnesboro—R. T. Todhunter Jr., chairman, and Harry Altman and Ralph Greenwood, co-chairmen.

Carrolltown—Charles R. Sharbaugh.

Cresson—Howard Mellon. Ebensburg—Fred H. Andress. Gallitzin—Andrew S. Krishock. Hastings—P. O. Holtz. Patton—Dr. John Allen Murray.

### Barnes & Tucker 9, 10, 12 And 15 Mines Visited By U. S. Inspector

In reviewing safety conditions observed at the Barnes and Tucker Company's Lancashire Nos. 9, 10, 12, and 15 mines, all near Barnesboro, a Federal coal mine inspector credited a few recent improvements and also proposed some further safeguards for the entire operation as well as for individual mines, the Bureau of Mines announced on Wednesday of this week.

The mines employed 52 men and averaged 160 tons of coal daily when they were examined in April by Inspector William Rachunis.

Improvements cited for each mine included clean areas around ventilating fans, prompt closing of ventilating doors after equipment passes, and rock-dusting the dry areas to within 20 feet of the faces. In the No. 10 mine, the fire boss used a permissible flame safety lamp on inspection trips and reported results of his examination before men entered the mine. Loose brows on the main haulage way were taken down, and a weak roof was provided for pressure-relief at the fan. Improved handling of the blasting cables was noted in this mine. The No. 9 mine, which also was cited for installing an approved fuse in the trolley locomotive circuit.

General recommendations for all mines called for safer locations for explosives and detonator containers, storage of lubricants in closed containers, and wearing of protective hats and footwear by men exposed to all

### ST. AUGUSTINE

Lewis E. Krise, S.N., of Bayonne, N. J., is visiting here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Krise. He has completed his course in storekeeping and expects to leave for Porto Rico on May 30.

Mrs. Louis Adams, Mrs. Harry Mulligan, Mrs. Harry Adams and Mrs. Hortense Adams all attended the card party in Loretto last Sunday. Mrs. Hortense Adams was the winner of the door prize.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller announce the birth of a son, born recently. He will be named George.

Mrs. Ernest Sheehan, Mrs. Joe Yahner and Mrs. Harry Mulligan were among the group of Home Economics ladies on a tour of the city of Pittsburgh last Wednesday.

Gerald Becker of Hastings was a business caller here on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Adams were visitors in Altoona on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nagle of St. Mary's, Pa., spent the week end here at the homes of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Krug of Nanty Glo were guests of relatives here last Sunday.



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### Hastings Rotary Club Committees Named Monday

Committees were appointed at a meeting of the Hastings Rotary Club on Monday evening of this week in Demento's Restaurant, Hastings, George Clark president of the unit, announced the appointments.

They are:

Club service, Joseph Galinis; program, Don A. Weaver; fellowship, Dominio Demento; classification, Paul Easley; fellowship, John Brazill; Rotary information, Morris Seymour; magazine, Paul Holtz; attendance, Oscar Binder, and international service, Melvin Routh.

Vocation service, P. N. Cronauer; community service, Fred Vell; youth, Paul Kahner; traffic safety, James Commons; farming, John Dvorchak; health, Dr. George Dvorchak, and welfare, Dr. Morton Earley.

Rev. Father Joseph K. Pier, pastor of St. Peter & Paul's Catholic Church, Weedvale, was the principal speaker. He told the group that a club could not function without thinking tolerance. The priest also said the organization must have religion at heart.

### Co. Legion Group 5th In Pennsylvania

Membership of the Cambria Co. American Legion District is the fifth largest in Pennsylvania.

This was reported at the meeting of the county Legion committee last week at the Barnesboro Legion Home by Joseph F. Bernard, commander, who said county membership is 10,223.

Mr. Bernard stressed membership possibilities. He said there are about 25,000 residents in the district eligible for membership.

The group approved the saving bond drive and voted to cooperate every way possible. The next county meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 21, in Blandburg.

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### Mrs. A. L. O'Connor Renamed As Head Of Tri-Co. Demos

Reelection of Mrs. Albert L. O'Connor of Loretto as regional director of District 13 took place during sessions of the 22nd annual convention of the Pennsylvania Federation of Democratic Women last Friday in Washington, Pa.

Mrs. O'Connor was retained for her second two-year term as the head of the district which embraces Cambria, Indiana and Armstrong Counties.

The Loretto Democratic leader was heading a delegation of 22 district women at the state convention.

Active in Democratic politics for a number of years, Mrs. O'Connor is president of the Loretto Democratic Women's Club and the Cambria County Federation of Democratic Women's Clubs.

She also will become president of the Ebensburg Business and Professional Women's Club on June 1. Mrs. O'Connor also is the chairman of Allegheny Branch, American Red Cross.

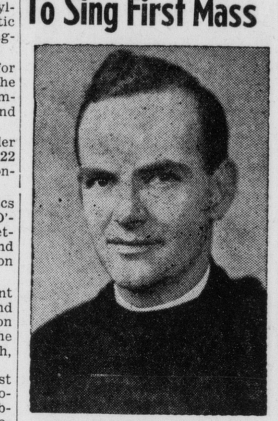
One of the highlights of last Friday's session was an all-woman panel discussion on the subject, "President's Truman's Program."

### 2 Cambria Co. Employees Attend Welfare Conference

Frank Burns, superintendent of the Cambria County Home for the aged and Thomas McGough, assistant chief clerk in the commissioners' office, were the two representatives from Cambria Co. attending the regional Pennsylvania Welfare Conference held in Huntingdon on Thursday of last week.

Topics discussed by speakers were community health problems, welfare legislation and rehabilitation of handicapped persons.

### Father J. T. Sullivan To Sing First Mass



Rev. Father Joseph T. Sullivan, Friar of the Third Order Regular of St. Francis, who was ordained to the holy priesthood Apr. 2 of this year by Most Rev. Richard T. Guilfoyle, bishop of Altoona, at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, will sing his first Solemn Mass in the Holy Family Catholic Church at Colver on Sunday, June 5.

Father Sullivan is a son of Daniel J. Sullivan of Colver. He attended St. Francis College and was received into the Franciscan Order by profession in 1945. He also attended the Catholic University of America in Washington, where he completed his theological studies.

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