

BISHOP SHEEN MAKES THE SCENE

On Thursday, May 22, Padua had the great and surprising pleasure of a visit from the Bishop of Rochester, the Very Rev. Fulton J. Sheen.

He received a warm welcome from the student body as he entered the driveway and got out of his car.

The students then assembled in the refectory and listened to one of the greatest orators Padua has ever heard. Both the faculty and students were held spellbound by the wit, wisdom and sincerity of his excellency. He talked on everything from the cost of his ring to his visit with the Holy Father.

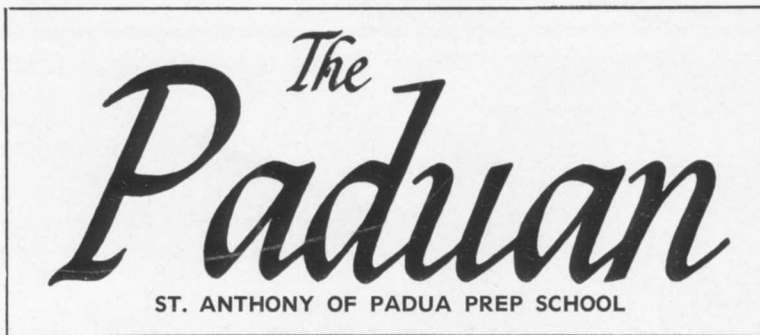
A. Y.

JUNIORS DROP IN ON SERVICE

Through the arrangement of their theology professor, Father Austin, the Junior class of Padua attended an Episcopal Church Service. The service was held at St. James Episcopal Church in Watkins Glen, on May 15, 1969.

After the observance of the mass, the class was invited to have coffee and cake through the kindness of "the women of St. James". After the small luncheon, the Juniors had a discussion with the pastor, Rev. Alton Stivers, and the concelebrant, Rev. William Dobbs. The discussion concerned the differences and similarities of the Episcopal and Roman Catholic Churches. They found out that there are few differences between the two religions in regard to liturgy and beliefs. The Juniors felt closer to their separated brethren and want to plan more trips to explore other religions. In this way we can find out more about other segments of God's people. We as Roman Catholics should not feel superior to any religion, but to observe and see how close we are and how we can unite to form one religion in the future. The present generation will never see this but can work to dissolve the prejudices and conflicts that are stopping us from uniting with other religions. In this way, the future generations can complete the work and unite with each other in worship.

A. Y.



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Bishop Sheen is greeted by students and faculty

SCHOOL PICNIC

On May 28, 1969, the student body, excluding the Seniors who were on their class trip, departed to Tremaine Park to enjoy the annual School Picnic. The park provided a variety of facilities for the enjoyment of swimming, hikes and sunbathing. At 1 p.m., lunch was prepared by the students themselves on grills provided by the park. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in swimming and playing softball, football and volleyball. Some of us, being tired of seeing the same faces, proceeded to acquaint ourselves with members of the opposite sex. The students ate supper at seven and the day ended at eight as the buses pulled up to take us back.

The picnic was a success as usual even though the weather did not look promising.

A. W.

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A. Y.

THE MOTHERS HAD A BLAST

Once again, the traditional Mother's Day weekend, May 10th through 11th was held at Padua. Thanks to the combined effort of the faculty and students, the weekend was an outstanding success.

The majority of the parents arrived on Saturday morning, which gave them ample time to attend a conference with the guidance counsellor, Mr. Russell Cutshall. There they discussed the college futures of the students, particularly the Juniors.

Saturday afternoon brought the activities — namely the stage band concert and gymnastics exhibition. The concert conducted by Fr. Joe Knitter, consisted mainly of popular selections enjoyed by both the young and the old. The gym show, under the direction of Fr. Emil Rakowski, took place immediately after the band concert. Although small in number, the gym team exhibited a tremendous amount of potential and everyone was pleased by their excellent performance.

The remainder of the afternoon gave the parents a chance to relax, or just catch up on the "latest news". Toward the evening a buffet supper was served at the school, but most of the parents preferred to go out to dinner with their sons.

This year, instead of the usual 3-act play, it was decided that there would be two 1-act plays presented. The first play, "Joe Tracy", was put on by both the Juniors and Seniors; while the second play, a satire of "Julius Caesar", was staged by the Sophomores. Both plays were directed by Fr. Eric Skalski.

Next on the agenda was the annual Mother's Day Dance and raffle. Music was furnished by the "Roving Eye", Padua's own group. The raffle was held during the dance, and many prizes were given away to lucky winners. Following the raffle most parents called it a day and retired to their motels for a good night's rest.

Sunday morning, Fr. Humphrey Tobias celebrated the mass in honor of all mothers and following the mass, the traditional procession and crowning of the

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CLASSROOM BRIEFING COURSE TAKEN

May 14-15, 1969, a group of students took a three hour classroom briefing course required by the Motor Vehicle Bureau of New York State. The course lasted two days and was given at Watkins Glen High School by their driver education teacher, Mr. Max Moore. The sessions included defensive driving movies and the important aspects of driving taken from the manual. Upon completion of the course, yellow certificates were issued which are required when applying for a road test.

"AMERICAN POWER AND FOREIGN POLICY"

May 8, 1969, Mr. Yoggy, history professor at Corning Community College, presented to the student body and faculty a controversial lecture on, "American Power and Foreign Policy". Mr. Yoggy was invited by Fr. Tomian who was previously acquainted with the professor through attending similar lectures with various groups at Corning and Elmira.



The band performs on Mother's Day

MUSIC

Another sad happening is A. Y.'s uprising over the loss of the orangatang. (heh, heh) Poor Donny is just losing his hair over it. Related?

Thanks to R. N. for the unacknowledged donation of his amp and radio to P. W.

A. P. has found a new friend who was last seen flying out a window: Bye R. Z. O.

J. N. is having a problem—seems his freckles won't peel off.

J. C. is all hectic about the lunar landing in July.

M. A. Z. is known to be a bore (boar).

C. H. has been hooked. J. W. and O. T. are still at it! P. F. has been signed to the Lawrence Welk show. This probably means that A. P. will be busy.

T. M. has finally sighted King Kong's navel.

As for D. T., well—My name is D. T. and . . . Everyone envies J. D.'s tan. (He's a W.A.S.P.)

S. W. and S. R. are both S.I.P.S. P. R. and J. T. say "Deutsche-liand uber Alles".

Oh jive! A. Z. is smooth. A. W. and Alpine are no more. C. C. says he saw it.

It has been confirmed that J. K. cannot read Roman numerals. Seems that S. Z.'s 24 hours are up.

H. K. loves baseball. J. G. hates the end of a cycle. R. N.'s tune: Mellow Yellow.

M. J. reached too far. T. U. was picked up by the men in the white coats.

W. P. still has fleas. G. P.'s not prejudiced, he just wants to have a good time.

D. B. ran. And now it's time to leave so—bleib gesund und wir sehen ze.

Auf Wiedersehen
Elom

Hello out there!

Recently I realized a great thing was going on—music. Yeah, it's what's happening, and you know something else, it's happening so quick you've got to listen all the time. As Jim Morrison of The Doors says, "Music is your special friend", and now music has become something special.

Today, music varies very widely. It runs something like this: In hard rock we have Jimi Hendrix and The Cream followed by The Doors. In hard blues we have Led Zepellin and Janis Joplin. In psychedelic soul, The Temptations take over followed by Sly and the Family Stones. In everyday juke box music, Ohio Express and The 1910 Fruitgum Company (which are hardly mentionable).

One aspect of music which I have not yet covered is jazz rock. This brings me to reviewing the latest group, "Blood, Sweat and Tears". A group of nine musicians who combine trumpets and other brass instruments with the regular rock instruments to establish a unique sound never before produced. B, S & T, is the brainchild of Al Kooper, the former leader and organist of the group. Incidentally, Kooper today is synonymous with good music. When you hear his name mentioned you can expect another great happening.

A few good cuts on the B, S, & T album are "Smiling Phases", a hard chugging blues-rock song; "God Bless The Child", a soft ballad to the child who's got his own will. "Blues, Part II", which is just what it says, and the well known "You've Made Me So Very Happy".

Other than that I'd like to introduce you to *Billboard Magazine*, available at Kessler's News-

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MOTHERS—

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Blessed Virgin Mary took place. However, due to rain, the procession was held in the gym instead of outside.

At noon everyone who attended the banquet enjoyed a delicious roast beef dinner prepared by Bro. Benjamin Falkowski. Special thanks to brother and his staff for making it possible.

After the banquet, parents began preparing for their departure, since most of them had a long trip ahead of them. Just about everyone was reluctant to leave but the time soon came when farewells were being made.

So, with that, the Mother's Day weekend came to an end and student life was returned to its original pace. A good time was had by all and nearly all went home looking forward to the following year and another enjoyable Mother's Day weekend.

S. L.

1970 SIQUAERIS

Next year's Siquaeris staff has been organized and the members are as follows: J. Romelczyk, editor; A. Wolodzko, co-editor; E. Malina, J. Dul, business managers; J. Wallace, M. Arends, layout managers; R. Orzechowski, R. Ciesla, protographers; J. Carney, advisor; and P. Widynski, dark-room technician.

Production has already begun following a meeting with Mr. Clay of the Taylor Publishing Co. The student body is looking for support through their selling of ads.

SENIOR CLASS TRIP

Again the time has come! The seniors are off on their class trip, accompanied by their moderator, Fr. Reynold Jerecki, o.f.m. The busload of enthused graduates-to-be left Monday, May 26 in the general direction of the east coast. There, the first few days of the excursion will be spent in Boston, Mass. Shortly the compass will swing southward, and our seniors will find themselves once again on the road. In the distance lies their destination, where they will spend the remaining days of their journey, New York City.

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. . . and then there was the Orangatang but due to the unpleasant fragrance about him, the above was sent away. So now it is up to me, *Elom*, to keep you informed of the underground Padua.

First of all, let me tell you something about myself. I'm a 5' 5" blond, blue-eyed female and I . . . yeah right. I'm really a figment; a little thing that supposedly hangs out in the upper right-hand corner of the D. R. You see, I'm there but not really here; but then again I am and yet might not be where I am or be. Still probably I aren't an isn't but just may . . . ahhh, nobody cares anyway. Apathetic Paduans! Why is it that no one cares? Forget it, I don't either.

Since I am, I know. And since I know, I tell. Transitivity, my friends. (See M. B.)

Poor J. D. for it has been said that E. M. will swing no more and that her one-eyed teddy bear got loose.

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YOUTH COUNTY

On May 22-23 the Junior class went to town to participate in Youth County. Sponsored by the Legion Post of Watkins Glen, the main purpose was to become involved in local government. Students from Odessa and Watkins Glen also took part in this activity.

First came the primaries and soon after came the finals accompanied by serious speeches as the students realized that soon they would be involved in the government of our country.

The elections took place and as the votes were being counted there was a half-hour break in the program. During this period Paduans volunteered to entertain the students. Seven Paduans, including Fr. Tomian and Charlene, a student from Watkins Glen, came up to sing folk songs. The real star was Thomas Manning who entertained us under the guise of a superb comedian.

After the votes were counted several Paduans found themselves occupying county seats.

We all enjoyed this chance to participate in something different and we thank the people who made Youth County a memorable experience.

R. P.

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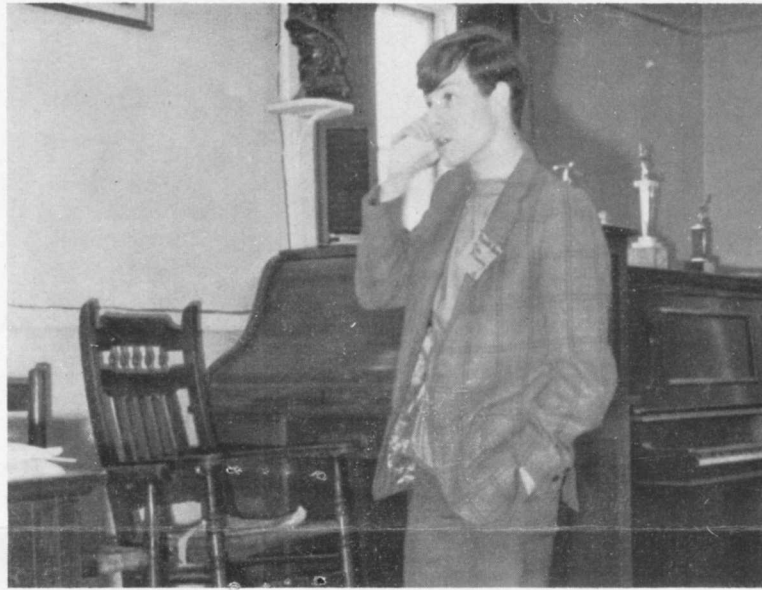
A Friend

Computer Programming

On May 23, Mr. M. Crofton, a representative from the electronic computer programming institute of Binghamton talked to the Juniors on computer programming. He presented a film on computer use and programming and invited them to come and tour the institution.

Thanks to Father Tomian Uss for making the talk possible.

J. R.



Thomas Manning entertains at Youth County

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room in downtown Watkins Glen. Along with "EYE" magazine which is published every month, *Billboard*, a weekly magazine, rates very high with me. Available inside are reviews of the latest albums, and a top 200 album chart besides the regular "45" survey. You can also find out what the top hits are in other countries. The top 200 album chart tells you how an album rated last week, this week, and how many weeks it has been on the survey. In my opinion, if you want to keep up with music, read *Billboard Magazine*.

A few albums you should watch for are:

Last Traffic Exit; their latest album and rumored as their last album. Also The Chicago Transit Authority — a double LP by the group title. "The Live Adventures of Al Kooper and Mike Bloomfield" — recorded live at the Fillmore West in San Francisco. (Rates very high with me). "On The Threshold of a Dream" — The Moody Blues, the fourth album by the group who made it big long ago with "Go Now".

Just a few closing quips for my readers. They say that grazing in the grass is a gas but I think it all depends upon whom you graze with. And although it's cheaper to die, you only live twice. And don't forget that castles made of sand, slip into the sea eventually.

DANCES AT PADUA

In the process of expanding the social life for Paduans separate classes have sponsored dances. From the Seniors to Freshmen, all have contributed time and effort to give a little entertainment to the rest of the student body.

Not only are the dances a social success, but with the help of an all Paduan Rock Band, they have become a financial success as well. The last few classes to sponsor dances have made sizable profits.

The student body enjoys these dances and uses them as a release for built-up anxieties of the week. Girls from Alpine, Watkins Glen, Odessa and other small towns are always informed of the dances at Padua. Paduans are always able to find partners. All it takes is a little looking and asking.

It was admitted by the student body that girls and dances are nice to have, but as the saying goes, "A place for everything and everything in its place". I've heard that girls influence Paduans to a point of a downgrade in studies and discipline. I feel that if a person is a mature, sincere individual, his studies and academic obligation will come before social life. We are young men at the age where social life in moderation is a part of our maturing into adulthood and social life, in moderation, can do no harm.

A. Y.

EDITORIAL

For twenty years, two high schools have existed in Watkins Glen, knowing little, if anything, about each other. We, the present Paduan editors feel that student relations between W.G.C.S. and Padua can and should be greatly improved.

We offer, as one step in a long road, the possibility of a Student Exchange. By Student Exchange we do not mean a daily attendance of certain classes by students from Padua at Watkins Glen or vice versa, but a day or week during which students could witness classes in progress at the respective schools. The selected students would be able to observe typical classroom procedure, pupil reaction, and schedule arrangement at each school.

A Student Exchange might seem like a very small way to better relations or even strike some as serving no purpose at all. We feel though, that much is to be gained from such a venture. The schedule of a boarding school has great flexibility and differs somewhat from that of a public high school. This freeness and diversity is certain to affect the students subject to it whereby a certain culture is formed, quite adverse to that of the public school. Boarding school life definitely leaves its marks on all who experience it, sometimes to such an extent that the individual is unable to understand the reactions of a public school student, virtually leaving this misunderstanding to grow to hate, expressed by open hostility.

We feel that a Student Exchange would enable both parties to gain a greater understanding of each other's triumphs, anxieties and eventually minds, leading to an era when W.G.C.S. and Padua can not only co-exist, but cooperate in education and the social aspects associated with high school.

The Editors

CAR DONATED

Miss Edith McGuire, a retired school teacher from Bath has donated a car to Padua. The car, a 1960 white Rambler in good condition, was originally owned by her recently deceased sister.

Many thanks to Miss McGuire.

J. C.

BETTER LUCK NEXT YEAR

At the beginning of the baseball season Padua's team looked sharp. They were hitting the ball hard and fielding like pro's. By mid-season they had a .500 average. Then starting the second round, Ed Malina, Padua's ace pitcher, injured his knee during the game against Watkins Glen. The hard throwing right hander was out for the season and thus started the downfall of the team. They lost to bad as well as good teams by scores like: 16-9, 15-2, 15-6, and 13-6.

Padua's nine, not losing hope, finished up the season by beating T-Burg 6-3, with the fine fielding of Rick Gaston, Steve Jurewicz, Kenny Kokozka, and Mike Jaskolski, and the hard throwing of Hery Karcsh, who took the starting position for Ed Malina. The team ended the season with fifth place and a 4-8 record.

The underclassmen, who dominated the team this year and will be back, have already made plans for a better season next year.
J. C.

A LEAGUE IS FORMED

This year under the new leadership of Adam Pyka, the bowling league has been a success.

The league was composed of six four-man teams. Every Saturday from 1 to 3:30, these teams battled continuously in the lanes downtown. Each team became a strong contender as the season continued. But in the closing weeks, Jim Nolan brought his team from behind to take a strong hold on first place, while Stephen Dziuba secured second. Adam Pyka, with his accurate strike zone, bowled a high game of 207. Stan Zachara, missing the high game by 7 pins, proved that he was outstanding bowler by obtaining the highest average of 157.

Although the season only lasted 6 weeks, it proved to be a worthwhile activity accepted by the students.

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GYM TEAM DOES IT AGAIN

Crash, boom, ouch! Yes, the gym team is having practice again. This year's team consisted of 12 members with Fr. Emil as coach.

Fr. Emil, a great gymnast in his time, worked harder this year than ever before. Holding practices six times a week, he broadened our knowledge of gymnastics. The team, being pushed and encouraged, earned the title of "gymnasts".

Their first exhibition was performed on the Mother's Day weekend. It was well appreciated by all present. One of the outstanding gymnasts on the team, Joe Wallace, was doing his flips over anything and everything and had the audience in a state of suspense. Next John Pludrzynski, the only senior on the team, demonstrated a combination of moves in his tumbling routine which was considered the best the show has had in years. Following was Jim Gomiela, who after 3 years of strenuous practice on the trampoline, thrilled the spectators with his extremely coordinated moves. Last but not least was Tony Yannetta, the foundation of the team. He was the little man with the big arms found on the bottom of all the pyramids and any place else where strength was needed. Let us praise the progress and initiative on the part of the freshmen who saved the show.

On Saturday, June 7, 1969, the gym team will once again present a gym show at Bath, N. Y., during a festival. It will be a modified version of the Mother's Day show using only the horse, minitramp and mats.

Our sincere thanks to Fr. Emil from the gymnasts for the superb job he did as coach.

J. G. & J. W.

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Padua	8	—	Romulus	3
Padua	3	—	Watkins Glen	4
Padua	10	—	Odessa	3
Padua	6	—	South Seneca	12
Padua	3	—	Dundee	15
Padua	2	—	Romulus	15
Padua	6	—	Watkins Glen	15
Padua	6	—	Odessa	13
Padua	9	—	Trumansburg	16
Padua	2	—	South Seneca	3
Padua	6	—	Trumansburg	3

BATTING AVERAGES

	AB	B	H	RBI	Pct.
Karcsh	38	9	14	5	.369
Kokoszka	40	4	13	8	.325
Jaskolski	28	7	9	6	.321
Arends	20	3	6	2	.300
Wallace	36	11	9	5	.250
Davis	16	2	4	3	.250
Malina	16	5	4	6	.250
Scarp	33	7	7	2	.212
S. Jurewicz	37	4	6	2	.162
Daley	20	6	3	1	.150
Pyka	27	4	6	3	.148
Gaston	18	3	3	3	.142
Total	338	67	82	48	.242

PADUA DOWNS T-BURG

Padua's disappointing baseball season came to a close with an impressive victory over Trumansburg, 6-3. Henry Karcsh put on a brilliant pitching exhibition, silencing the booming Trumansburg bats. Ken Kokoszka slammed a double driving in one run and three more runs came home as a result of bases loaded walks. Mike Jaskolski continued his torrid hitting, slamming a two out run producing single in the fifth. Sophomore Dick Daley took over the catching duties for an injured Adam Pyka and proved he can get the job done efficiently. The majority of the team now looks to next year and a much improved team and, hopefully, record.
P. W.

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TOURNAMENT RESULTS

Here are the latest returns from the tournament center at Padua. After a hard battle in the various fields of contest, the victors are riding on their high pedestals. The competition was rough. (I should know, I was in it). And sometimes the results were surprising. Welcomed to Padua's tournament hall of fame are:
FOR PING PONG

1st place, Adam Pyka
2nd place, Witold Plucienkowski

FOR SHUFFLEBOARD

1st place, Bruce Wojno
2nd place, Steve Dziuba

FOR FOUL SHOOTING

1st place, Ron Kopacz
2nd place, Bob Ciesla
3rd place, Mike Jaskolski

It's too bad, though, that the pool competition is not completely through because I would surely like to know what will come of it. Hey! The chess tournament almost slipped my mind. Steve Jurewicz is doing a good job in it, almost as good as Steve Dziuba on the pool tournament. I'd like to thank Steve Jurewicz, Steve Dziuba, George Popko, and Kevin Glynn for their efforts in running the contentions. I look forward to next year and the tiddly-wink competition and club. If you're interested, see me next year okay? And remember, take good care of the gym's equipment because it won't last forever.

J. R.

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