

FINAL PLANS MADE FOR FIRST MASS BY BUTTE PRIEST

Reception, Banquet to Be
Held at Hibernia Hall
Sunday After Services
at St. Lawrence Church

Rev. Donald R. Harrington, native Butte man, will celebrate his first mass tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock in the St. Lawrence church, early-day landmark of the city of Valhalla. The mass will attract a large delegation of out-of-town Catholic clergy to the city and will be attended by Sisters of Charity, Father Harrington's mother, sisters and brothers in addition to hundreds of parishioners. A banquet in honor of Father Harrington will be served in Hibernia hall at 1 o'clock.

The mass will be preceded by a procession from the parish school to the church. Priests, altar boys, ladies societies, members of Father Harrington's class at St. Lawrence school, his family and friends, a group of honor from the Knights of Columbus and the cathedral and sister clergy will participate.

Four Become Priests

Father Harrington is one of four boys from this parish who have become priests. The others are Father Emmet Shea, Father William McDonnell and Father Edward O'Connor. The latter celebrated his first mass in St. Lawrence church two years ago. Another boy of the parish, James Sullivan, is now in a Jesuit seminary. Of those in the class with which Father Harrington graduated, 13 years ago, two girls have entered the Sisterhood. They are Sister Hayford, known as Sister Makina, and Marie Harrington, known as Sister Mary Anne.

Seating reservations have been made for Father Harrington's mother, Mrs. Hannah Harrington, his brothers, members of his graduating class and other friends. Members of the Butte Hockey club, of which Father Peter P. MacDonald, pastor of St. Lawrence parish, is a member, will also have reserved seats. Father MacDonald will deliver the sermon.

Father Harrington will be assisted on the altar as follows: The Rev. A. J. Rooney, assistant priest; the Rev. J. J. Sheerin, deacon, and the Rev. Edward P. O'Connor, sub-deacon. The Rev. Peter M. Brett will be master of ceremonies, and Patrick Harrington, a brother of the new priest, assistant master of ceremonies.

Born in Connersville

Father Harrington was born in Connersville in 1897. He received his elementary education at St. Lawrence parochial school, graduating in 1911. He then entered the high school department of Mount St. Charles college, now Carroll college. In 1920 he was sent by the late Bishop Hennessey to North American college at Rome. He completed his education there last year and was ordained Dec. 8 by Cardinal Macchetti, vicar general to Pope Pius XI. While in Rome, Father Harrington studied with two other Butte boys who were ordained at the same time. They are the Rev. John Sheehan and the Rev. Leo Bellanger.

During the mass the Rev. Father Harrington will extend the papal blessing, a privilege granted by the holy father to American priests ordained in Rome. This blessing carries the plenary indulgence.

The banquet in Hibernia hall will be largely attended. An anniversary will be celebrated. A program of talks has been announced as follows: "The Pope," Father J. A. Rooney; "The School," Father E. J. Shea; "The College," Father Edward O'Connor; "The Home," Father J. J. O'Connor. Musical selections will be rendered by Judge McKenna's orchestra.

Choir Is Big

Musicians for the mass will be furnished by St. Lawrence church choir directed by Charles R. O'Connell. The choir will be as follows: Reggie O'Neil, Ezra Sawronik, Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Offertory, Sanctus (Grand), Benedictus, Agnus Dei, (Hosanna). The personnel of the choir is as follows: Soprano, Paul Matthews; Contralto, Bernice. Mrs. Elizabeth Mueller, Marie Harrington, sister, Marion Benish, Mrs. Margaret O'Brien, Mrs. Rosemary Dwyer, Helen Lee, Lucene, Charles Martin, Gerald Mulvane, Harold Sullivan, Frank, Anne Gleason, Dave Higgins, Charles Connolly, Virginia, George Dwyer, Thomas Benish, Anne McGuffin, saxophone, John Haggerty, organist, John Donaghy.

Members of Father Harrington's graduating class at St. Lawrence school, most of whom will be present Sunday, were: Officers—Thomas Conner, president; John Doyle, vice president; James Murphy, treasurer; Thomas F. Bean, secretary. Members—Della Kelly, Della Richards, Phyllis Hall, Orla Downey, Nora Mulvane, Margaret Penn, Bernice Walsh, Florence Sullivan, Catherine Leahy, Della Burke, Jane Laughlin, Sherwin Miller, Mrs. Penn, Margaret Pearty, Mary Leahy, Margaret Ryan, I. Sheehan, Father Hayford, Marie Harrington, Thomas O'Connor, John Burke, John McCarthy, Giovanni Sullivan, Charles Lee, John Walsh, James Reid, Robert Holland, Sam O'Neil, Theodore Whalen, James Murphy, Robert Mulvane, John O'Neil, James O'Neil, Daniel O'Neil, Edward Hinch, Thomas McGuffin, William Caldwell, Thomas Ryan, John LeVelle, Peter Madden, and John Harrington.

Assisting Committee

Committees from the two schools who are assisting with arrangements are: St. Anna, Madeline Fred Montgomery, J. J. Barrington, Fred MacDonald, William Hall, Joe Cusumano, Esther Barry, William McCarthy, John Lomenzo, James Young, Lillian Roddy, Madeline Hurligh, Mary Dwyer, Mary Harrington, Margaret Mulvane, Anne Lee, John Sullivan, Catherine Downey, Helen Lomenzo, Bernice

Sullivan, Della Driscoll, Josephine Pulliam, Anne Pulliam.

Committees assisting in the arrangements for the banquet are: Publicity, Thomas O'Connor, Curtis Lee, James Murphy, John Burke, John McCarthy, William Caldwell, Josephine Benish, Mrs. The Dwyer, Margaret Pearty, Orla Downey, Della Richards, general arrangements, Margaret Pearty, Della Richards, Phyllis Hall, Orla Downey, Bernice Walsh, Edward O'Neil, Katherine Leahy, Florence Ryan, Josephine Miller, Eva Connolly, Mary Lomenzo, I. Sheehan, Mrs. The Dwyer, Mrs. John M. McDonald, Mrs. John Doyle, Mrs. Ralph Merry, Mrs. Orla Harris, Mrs. Clifford C. Young, Thomas Conner, John Burke, James Mulvane, John McCarthy, Giovanni Sullivan, Curtis Lee, John Walsh, James Reid, Robert Holland, Sam O'Neil, Theodore Whalen, James Murphy, Robert Mulvane, John O'Neil, James O'Neil, Daniel Hinch, William Caldwell, Thomas Ryan, John LeVelle, Peter Madden.