

Principal Named At Olean School

OLEAN — The Rev. Edward E. Muerder, a former Buffalo teacher and assistant pastor, will succeed the Rev. John M. Ryan as principal of Archbishop Walsh High School on July 1.

The promotion of Father Muerder, assistant principal for five years, was announced Thursday by Bishop Edward D. Head of the Buffalo Catholic Diocese.

Father Ryan's new assignment has not yet been announced.

The new principal taught nine years at Bishop Turner High School, Buffalo, before his assignment in 1958 to the former St. Helen's Missionary in Hinsdale. Since 1970, most of his time has been spent on the Archbishop Walsh faculty, although Father Muerder assisted in other area congregations.