



THE MOST REV. Robert L. Whelan was installed as the second Bishop of the Fairbanks Diocese February 13. He became Bishop following the retirement of the Most Rev. Francis D. Gleeson, retired Bishop of Fairbanks. Catholic Laity and Clergy assembled from all parts of Alaska to witness the colorful ceremony. Here, Bishop Whelan is pictured with two old friends, Dorothy

Napoleon (left) of Hooper Bay and Audrey Ambrose of Huslia. Bishop Whelan has known the girls, both Juniors at the University of Alaska, 'since he had been a priest.' The 'halo' above the Bishop's head was inadvertently captured by the photographer during a reception at Boileau Hall following the installation.

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