

Cardinal Bourne's Continuity Claim Stirs Anglicans

(By N. C. W. C. News Service) London, Sept. 23.—A first-class controversy was started by Cardinal Bourne when at Sunderland the other day he told the Anglicans plainly that their claim to represent the old pre-Reformation Catholic Church was futile.

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Dr. Henson's Reply The Bishop, who is the well-known Dr. Hensley Henson, went this week to Sunderland to give a dramatic gesture to his reply. It was at Sunderland that the Cardinal spoke. "As a true successor of St. Aidan and St. Cuthbert I owe it to my people," he said, "to make some public answer." He claimed that the Cardinal had made a public challenge, and in a lengthy address, which repeated many of the long-explored charges against the Church, he declared that "the Latin Church never which the Cardinal presides has continuity not with the pre-Reformation Church as a whole, but only with that dissentient fragment of it, the 'diehards' of 1570, who obeyed the Pope's summons and went forth from the parish churches."

As a Catholic paper remarks, Dr. Hensley Henson in trying to take the high line as the true successor of St. Aidan and St. Cuthbert, is hampered by his own personal past. A successor of St. Aidan and St. Cuthbert against whose preference he that high dignity even Anglicans protested, on account of his own condemnation of certain people's heretical views, is undoubtedly at a controversial disadvantage. Cardinal Bourne's Continuity Defended Cardinal Bourne has not spoken in public since the Bishop of Durham's outburst. But the cudgels have been taken up on his behalf by a well-known Northern priest, Father Mackin, of Jarrow. Father Mackin, speaking on the day following Dr. Hensley Henson's utterance, said that the Catholic Church of today holds the same doctrines and observes the same practices as the pre-Reformation Church. "As the Anglican Church does not hold these doctrines the Bishop of Durham says such doctrinal continuity is unnecessary. Such (ecclesiastical) continuity," he says, "may go along with the widest divergences of opinion and belief."

Ruhr Papal Delegate, Departing, Praised For His Impartiality

By Rev. Dr. Wilhelm Baron von Captaine, (Cologne Correspondent, N. C. W. C. News Service). Cologne, Sept. 15.—Monsignor Testa, Papal Delegate to the Ruhr district for eighteen months, is about to return to Italy, his mission finished and his accomplishments and the manner in which he performed his task highly praised.

Dr. Fuchs, Oberpresident of the Rhineland, who as a result of the London Conference has just returned to Cologne after his exile, has received a visit from Monsignor Testa in the course of which the Papal Delegate felicitated him on his return to his home and office in the name of the province, the Oberpresident thanked Monsignor Testa for the great interest the Pope has taken in the welfare of the Rhineland and praised highly the impartiality, prudence and energy with which the delegate had accomplished his mission. He recalled that Monsignor Testa's activities have ever been completely non-political and that all animosities have been removed from his office and declared that not only the German Catholics, but also the Protestants and the State are indebted to the Pope and his delegate.

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Religious Teaching Experiment Begun in Lakewood, O.

(By N. C. W. C. News Service) Cleveland, Oct. 1.—The program of religious education for pupils attending public schools in Lakewood, a suburb of this city with a population of 65,000, began according to announcement. The program is in cooperation with the public school system.

Rev. J. Quinter Miller, superintendent of religious education for the council of religious education of the Federated Churches of Greater Cleveland, says the program will be similar to that in weekday schools in many other cities throughout the country. The announcement of the program states that "the curriculum is to be non-sectarian" and based on the Bible as a text book. Fourth grade instruction will have as its theme, "God's Noblemen of the Old Testament." Fifth grade pupils will study biblical geography and sixth graders "The Life of Christ."

The subjects will be taught for an hour each week in church centers near the schools. Fourth grade pupils enrolled for the courses in religious instruction will be dismissed on Wednesdays at 2:30 p. m., fifth graders on Thursday, and sixth graders on Friday at the same hour. School programs have been arranged so that pupils dismissed will miss regular courses in any particular subject only once in six weeks. Religious instruction is given only to those children whose parents have given written permission for it. Those who do not desire it remain in school until the usual closing time, 3:30.

There is no charge for the religious course. The movement is fostered by the non-Catholic churches of Lakewood which provide the classrooms, teaching staff and equipment without cost to the general public.

Pan-Celtic Congress in Brittany Draws Both Welsh and Irish

(Paris Correspondent, N. C. W. C. News Service). Paris, Sept. 26.—A three-day pan-Celtic congress has just been held at Quimper in the heart of the Breton country. It attracted delegates from Ireland, Wales, and Brittany. The opening Mass in the cathedral of Quimper was followed by the blessing of the 80 flags and banners some of them of really marvelous workmanship, before the porch of the cathedral. They were borne by Breton men and women in national costume.

At one of the meetings, Miss Agnes O'Farrelly, professor of Irish language and literature at the National University of Ireland, retraced the long martyrdom of Ireland and the indomitable energy of the Irish. "We, like you, wish to preserve the language of our ancestors," she said. A special section of the congress was devoted to the works of the "Bleu Brug" (Heather), which is an association composed chiefly of ecclesiastics for the preservation of the Breton language in the church and the development of traditional faith.

Techny Scholastics Will Study in Rome

(By N. C. W. C. News Service) Techny, Ill., Oct. 4.—At the request of the Superior General of the Society of the Divine Word, Techny is sending three of her scholastics to the Eternal City to complete their theological studies for the missionary priesthood. They will sail from New York today on the steamer "Veendam." At the Motherhouse of the Society of the Divine Word at Steyl, Holland, they will be joined by several European confreres. Opportunity will be afforded them to visit other Mission Houses of the Society on the way to Rome.

They will commence their studies November 1st at the "Angelica," the Dominican house of studies. The three scholastics are: Fr. Adolph Noer, S. V. D. of Belleville, Ill. (third year theology); Fr. Emiel G. Leage, S. V. D., of Moline, Ill. (second year theology); and Fr. Cletus Solary, S. V. D., of Madella, Minn. (first year theology.)

Younstown Women Do Splendid Work In Five Years' Time

Younstown, Oct. 4.—Friends of the Youngstown court of the Catholic Daughters of America believe its members offer an example to other courts throughout the country in the display of a worth activity and a program that has received praise in many quarters. The Youngstown court is five years old and has close to 1,000 members. It observed its fifth anniversary on a recent Sunday by receiving communion in a body in the Church of the Immaculate Conception of which Rev. John R. Kenny, chaplain to the court, is pastor, and giving a dinner in a local hotel on the following night.

The court has sponsored the purchase and equipment of a home for working girls, known as the St. Joan of Arc home; has conducted a campaign to increase the circulation of Catholic literature throughout the Mahoning valley, and nearby territory, and arranged for a series of talks by priests on "Catholic Education."

It has also paid subscriptions for Catholic publications to be placed in reading rooms of various clubs and the reading rooms of the main and branch public libraries, and has presented a set of the Catholic Encyclopedia to the south side branch of the public library. Establishment of a dowry for young women of the court who choose to enter upon religious life is another contribution of the court. A gift of \$100 is given the young nun upon her profession of first vows. Five young women of the court have thus far entered sisterhoods.

Turkey Authorizes Opening Of Catholic Schools, Is Reported

(Paris Correspondent, N. C. W. C. News Service). Paris, Sept. 27.—A notice which has appeared in the Paris newspapers and which seems to emanate from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, announces the opening of the French Catholic schools in Turkey at an early date. "The directors of the French Catholic schools," it says, "having addressed themselves to the Turkish government, have declared themselves ready to accept the measures recently decreed by the committee on public instruction."

"For its part, the French government has officially notified the Turkish charge d'affaires in Paris that it accepts the suppression of all religious emblems in the schools. Under these conditions, the Turkish government is willing to authorize the opening of these schools under government control." La Croix adds to this information a note from a missionary which partially corrects it. It says that although the monks have resigned themselves to the suppression of most of the religious emblems, they will under no circumstances remove the crucifix from the classrooms.

Dayton Pastor Given \$3,000 Purse When He Resigns Charge

Dayton, Ohio, Oct. 2.—A purse of \$3,000 from the congregation was given to Rev. Charles A. Hickey, who has been pastor of the Church of the Sacred Heart for 33 years, on his retirement last Sunday. Father Hickey has been named chaplain to the convent of the Sisters of Notre Dame, Cincinnati. The transfer was made at Father Hickey's request.

Priests Saves Blazing Motorist

London, Sept. 29.—Father Innocent Apap, a popular Dominican preacher, rushed to the scene when he saw a blazing motorcycle with its rider in flames. Pulling off his coat as he ran he wrapped it around the cyclist, whose legs had already been badly burned. The injured man was taken to a hospital, his life saved by the priest's presence of mind. Father Apap was returning from a visit in the vicinity of the Priory at Haverstock Hill, London.

Private Schools Are Not Un-American Says The Washington Post

Washington, D. C., Oct. 2.—Under the title "Private Schools Not Un-American," The Washington Post published, in its issue of yesterday, the following editorial: "There will be much vigorous dissent from the sweeping condemnation of private schools as un-American which was made the other day by Prof. Sharp, of Boston University. With his excommunication upon the public school system as characteristically American, there can be no quarrel with his high estimate of its indispensable value. But he will fail to convince thoughtful minds of any essential incompatibility between the two systems, of public and private schools, or of anything in the latter that is necessarily opposed to the political and social principles of America."

"For the genius of America does not call for standardization in education, in industry, or in any respect. In industry we may grant that each worker should be entitled to at least a minimum living wage. But we certainly cannot decree that nobody shall rise above standard by doing more or better work, and thereby entitling himself to more pay, or profit. So in education. We may and should provide free instruction for all in the general essentials. But we cannot deny to those who can afford it, and who desire it, the additional and certain advantages which are to be had only in private schools; remembering always that those who go to the expense of sending their children to private schools continue at the same time to pay their full share for the support of the public schools from which they derive no direct benefit."

"If Prof. Sharp were right he would be condemning the great institution with which he is connected, and himself for teaching in it. Boston University, like the great majority of our institutions of higher learning, is a private school. It would be intolerable to charge it, and countless other colleges and universities, with being un-American and as tending to breed antagonism and suspicion. As a matter of fact there is generally more incalculable patriotic principles in private universal schools than in those maintained by the State for the reason that they are more independent. State institutions tend to be by no means always entirely exempt from at least the danger of partisan influence, and for that reason are less inclined to stress the teaching of politics, government and patriotism than institutions which are not dependent upon the favor of the party in power."

"It is the glory of democracy that it must practically recognize the principle of 'many men, many minds,' summed up his conception of the and is therefore the very negation of antithesis and standardization. Its purpose is to afford opportunities to all, which, of course, must mean that and to rise as high as their inclinations may lead them and their abilities may make possible. Private schools may afford facilities which it would be impossible, and absurd if it were possible, to provide in public schools. To deny the right to professional and to enjoy such facilities would be to deny one of the 'inalienable rights' of man."

St. Xavier Banishes All Outside Playing

Cincinnati, Ohio, Oct. 2.—St. Xavier College has adopted a blanket rule against participation in outside amateur athletics, whereby such participation disbars a man from further eligibility, present or future, on teams representing the college in intercollegiate sport. The rule goes into effect this year. Any intent to hamper amateur athletics is disclaimed, the object being to elevate the plane of collegiate athletics, say the authorities, and to promote variety, inter-class and intra-mural sports.

FROM THE CONVENT OF THE SACRED HEART

Sister Superior Endorses Merit of Father John's Medicine for Children Writing from the Sacred Heart Convent at Newport, Vt., the Sister Superior in charge says, "We have here a large boarding school and as soon as we see a child without appetite or not feeling well we have him take Father John's Medicine. I think it is the best remedy for children." (Signed) Sister Mary Alexander, Superior Sacred Heart Convent.

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Pastor Of Cathedral At Newark Succumbs To Double Operation

Newark, N. J., Oct. 3.—The Rt. Rev. Magr. Francis P. McHugh, pastor of St. Patrick's Cathedral, here, died Monday night following a second operation for cancer of the intestines. He was taken ill suddenly Wednesday, and the first operation was performed in the belief he was suffering with appendicitis. Monsignor McHugh was ordained in Galesburg, Ill., in 1901. After serving as pastor of St. Mary Madgeleae church here, he became professor of Dogmatic Theology and Greek in Seton Hall college, and held that post some time before being assigned to St. Patrick's. He was made a monsignor in 1921. One of the most popular and best loved priests in Newark, Monsignor McHugh is now mourned throughout the city. The bells of every Catholic church here were tolled when his death became known, and the children of the parochial schools were assembled to pray for him.

Czech "National Church" Is Unable To Agree On Creed

(By N. C. W. C. News Service) Prague, September 22.—The "Czech-Slovak Church" which has just held its first Council in Prague, has been unable, after five years of existence, to agree upon a creed which it can ask its devotees to accept as authoritative. While a catechism of the schismatic church has been drawn up by the "Patriarch" Dr. Farsky and Mr. Kalous, it was not accepted by the Council. The most definite declaration of belief adopted. The most definite things done were the appointment of committees on doctrine, financial affairs, and discipline, and authorization of preparations for another Council to be held, probably, in January.

"Patriarch" Farsky celebrated "Mass" and delivered a sermon in the Church of St. Nicholas prior to the first session of the Council. He took occasion to explain the reasons tending to breed antagonism and suspicion. As a matter of fact there is generally more incalculable patriotic principles in private universal schools than in those maintained by the State for the reason that they are more independent. State institutions tend to be by no means always entirely exempt from at least the danger of partisan influence, and for that reason are less inclined to stress the teaching of politics, government and patriotism than institutions which are not dependent upon the favor of the party in power.

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The Versatile Glaze Made Viator Mentor

(By N. C. W. C. News Service) Bourbonnais, Ill., Oct. 2.—Ralph Glaze, once star end at Dartmouth and presently nominated in his undergraduate days for all-American eleven, is coaching the football team at St. Viator's this year, having succeeded Jack Craggie, who now has a berth with the University of Chicago.

St. Viator's From Lake Forest, Where He Was Coaching

Glaze came to St. Viator's from Lake Forest, where he was coaching. He has been menter at Drake, Southern California and the University of Colorado, once played league baseball with the Boston Americans, and has taken a course under Knute Rockne. The versatile Glaze also will handle baseball and basketball at St. Viator's.

Deaths of the Week

- Funeral services were held from the respective churches on dates given. May their souls rest in peace.
Cunneen—Martin Cunneen of No. 281 Berlin street, died October 5, at the Rochester General Hospital. Funeral from the Holy Redeemer Church October 8.
Finucane—Miss Josephine Finucane died at Buffalo, October 5. Funeral from the Sacred Heart Church this city, October 8. Burial in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.
Rooney—Thomas Rooney, formerly of this city, died October 4, at his home in Elba. Funeral from St. Mary's Church, Batavia, N. Y. Burial in the family lot at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.
Watson—George P. Watson died October 4. Funeral from St. Mary's Church, October 7th.
Maier—Hugo Maier of No. 164 Bernard street, died October 4, aged 48 years. Funeral from Holy Redeemer Church, October 8.
Marcelo—Mrs. Albina Marcelo died October 5, at No. 35 Madison street, aged 89 years. Funeral from St. Lucy's Church October 8.
Fitzgerald—Katherine Fitzgerald died October 3, at St. Mary's Hospital. Funeral from Holy Cross Church, October 6.
Knapp—Martin Edward Knapp died suddenly, October 3, at his home, No. 4 Lochner place, aged 44 years. Funeral from Holy Redeemer Church, October 6.
Walsh—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Walsh died October 3, at the family home, No. 279 Emerson street. Funeral from Holy Rosary Church, October 6.
Pelusio—Catherine Pelusio died October 7, at her home, No. 67 Otis street, aged 64 years. Funeral from St. Anthony's Church October 10.
Mathews—John Mathews died October 6, at No. 59 Ardmore street. Funeral from St. Augustine's Church, October 9.
Kolb—Elizabeth De Tangle Kolb died October 8, at her home, No. 540 Maple street, aged 69 years. Funeral from Holy Family Church, October 11.
Kloisley—Bertha Wahl Kloisley died October 7, at the family home, No. 210 Avery street, aged 37 years. Funeral from Holy Apostles Church, October 10.
Kellaher—Gertrude J. Kellaher died at her home, No. 1065 Carson avenue, October 8. Funeral from St. John the Evangelist Church, October 11. Interment at Panfield, N. Y.
Smith—Mrs. Anna L. Smith died October 8. Funeral from the Immaculate Conception Church, October 11th.
White—Clementine Kahor White died October 8, at her home, No. 239 Hamilton street. Funeral from Our Lady of Victory Church, October 10.
Bendon—Elizabeth Bendon died at her home, No. 268 Brooks avenue, October 9. Funeral from St. Monica's Church, October 11.
Kerins—Miss Elizabeth M. A. Kerins, of No. 974 St. Paul street, died October 9, aged 35 years. Funeral from St. Bridget's Church, October 13.
Trotzman—Joseph Trotzman of No. 48 Lisbon street, died October 8, at Tupper Lake, aged 37 years. Funeral from Holy Family Church, October 11.
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