

Cardinal Hayes Dedicates Model Welfare Village

His Eminence Outlines Past and Present Activities of Church in Field of Charity at Ceremonies on 180-Acre Tract at Parmadale

Cleveland, Sept. 29.—Parmadale, styled the "model welfare village of the world" and without doubt one of the most pretentious Catholic charitable projects in the country, was dedicated Sunday by His Eminence Cardinal Hayes of New York, the "Cardinal of Charity."

Parmadale, which lies just outside Cleveland, Bishop Schrembs' See city, has a tract of 180 acres, on which 12 cottages, an administration building, a chapel, a dining hall and a power house already have been built. Here 400 orphan boys of the diocese are cared for by the Sisters of Charity of St. Augustine.

The sum of \$1,700,000 has thus far been spent on the project. Later a similar group of buildings will be erected for orphan girls and the eventual cost of the colony is expected to be \$5,000,000.

The Catholic Charities Corporation, composed of 30,000 men and women of the Cleveland diocese who make annual contributions to the work, is the financing force of Parmadale.

Bishop Schrembs had made the dedication the subject of a pastoral to his flock in which he said the day would "mark a new era" in the history of the diocese.

On Thursday he said the first Mass on the grounds, and the entire community received Communion from his hands.

On the morning of the dedication it had been planned that Cardinal Hayes address an audience of 12,000 in a great out-door congregation. A driving rain caused the ceremony to be held indoors and only a fraction of the throng could be accommodated.

With the vision before her eyes of the homeless Babe of Bethlehem wrapped in swaddling clothes and laid in a manger, the Church has always held out the hands of a mother to the orphan and to the neglected child.

Church's Zeal For Charity. The Cardinal then launched into an outline of the magnificent record of the Catholic Church in caring for the orphan. He told graphically how, in the beginning, the Apostle James placed the visitation of widows and the fatherless among the first duties of every true Christian.

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Pope Interested In Small Pilgrim Who Serves At Mass

By Msgr. Enrico Pucel, (Rome Correspondent, N. C. W. C. News Service).

Rome, Sept. 28.—The third pilgrimage from New York, which recently arrived in Rome under the leadership of the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Daniel Burke, pastor of the Church of St. Philip Neri, was received by the Holy Father in the Sala del Parlamento, a magnificent salon hung with tapestries, where His Holiness on the days of solemn ceremonies stops to put on his sacred vestments before going to the Sistine Chapel.

The Holy Father, on entering, stopped near Msgr. Burke and extending his hand for him to kiss, said: "We know that there are many Italians in your parish and that you take good care of them; take a special blessing to all in your parish and particularly to the Italians."

Then His Holiness passed round the room in front of all the pilgrims, giving each his hand to kiss, whilst Msgr. Burke presented them. Among them was a small boy of six or seven years dressed in a soutane like a little St. Louis. His Holiness stopped and caressed him while Msgr. Burke presented him, saying: "This child already serves at Mass." And the Pope replied: "Bravo, that is already something. We must give him a beautiful medal." And he placed in the child's hand the commemorative medal of the Holy Jubilee, while His Holiness' secretaries distributed them to all the other pilgrims.

After blessing all of the members of the pilgrimage and their families and the Archdiocese of New York, Pope Pius said: "We bless also you, our great and worthy country in which the Church has progressed so steadily and from which we expect to see in the future what we see at present, a vast manifestation of Catholic work and Catholic life, of which this pilgrimage is a sign and proof."

The Holy Father then asked Msgr. Burke to translate his speech into English.

The next morning the pilgrims assisted at the Pope's Mass in the Aula delle Benedizioni together with many other pilgrimages which were in Rome at that time, and after Mass Monsignor Burke celebrated Mass in the Chapel Pauline, distributing Holy Communion to the pilgrims.

Irish Harvest Shows Improvement Over Past Two Seasons

Dublin, Sept. 28.—The Irish harvest this year will show an improvement on that of the past two years. Where there has not been an increase in the yield of the crops there is, in most instances, an improvement in quality. The heat and rains of August brought on grass very rapidly and cattle are in much better condition than they were a month earlier.

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In the course of the program, Bishop Schrembs conferred the insignia of a Knight of St. Gregory the Great upon David J. Champion, prominent benefactor, in recognition of his benefactions to Catholic charity, and especially of his latest gift of \$65,000 for a memorial cottage at Parmadale to his wife, Rose Daily Champion.

Cleveland regarded Cardinal Hayes' visit as one of her great events. His Eminence visited several of the academies and the seminary, and on Sunday evening was the honor guest at a banquet in the Hotel Cleveland. Two hundred priests and prominent laymen were present, including distinguished Protestants. City Manager W. R. Hopkins sat beside the Cardinal. His Eminence lauded the Parmadale project, declaring it might well be a model for other parts of the country, and also commented on the cordial relations that exist among all classes at Cleveland.

Paulist Priests Calm 4500 While Church Is Ablaze

Prompt Action Averts Panic Among Immense Congregation Attending Special Service At St. Paul The Apostle In New York

New York, Oct. 1.—Prompt action of the priests averted a panic among more than 4,500 persons assembled in the church of St. Paul the Apostle of the Paulist Fathers, Sixtieth street and Columbus avenue, on Sunday evening, when a fire was discovered over one of the side altars. Led by ten of the Paulist Fathers the entire congregation walked quietly from the old and picturesque edifice without any disorder.

The fire was started in the ceiling above the Blessed Virginia's altar at the south-west corner of the Church by what was at first thought to be defective insulation of the electric light wires, but upon investigation the exact cause of the fire could not be determined.

The Rev. Henry F. Riley, rector of the Church, saw smoke coming through the ceiling while the Rev. Owen A. McGrath was in the midst of a sermon. He immediately told Father McGrath, requesting him to announce that all should leave the church from the nearest exits without creating any commotion. An usher notified other priests in the rectory and they placed themselves at the various exits to maintain order.

An alarm was turned in by one of the parishioners and a few minutes after the church was emptied a crowd estimated at 15,000 gathered in the streets.

Radio Broadcasting Interrupted. In the new Paulist radio station, adjoining the Church, the Rev. Thomas H. Burke was broadcasting a special sermon on St. Teresa, because of a nine-day novena in honor of the recently canonized saint which was being conducted in the church.

Meanwhile the edifice had filled with smoke which poured through the open doors and windows, and to the spectators it appeared that the church was doomed.

Police reserves were called to make a path for the firemen, and hose lines were run through the entrances to the church, and part of the ceiling, with its mural decorations, was torn down before the fire was under control. The walls and flooring were damaged by smoke and water.

While some of the congregation knew that a fire had been discovered in the church during the services, most of them never realized that there was any danger, according to one of the Paulist Fathers, because of the manner in which Father McGrath, the preacher, announced to them that they must leave the church, and continued to relate popular stories. The Rev. William Finn, director of the famous Paulist choir, and organist of the Church, played the organ until every person left the edifice, after Father McGrath had made the request to leave.

Father Riley said today that while the damage was difficult to estimate he thought that it would not exceed \$3,000.

St. Paul the Apostle Church was built in 1883. Noted architects have declared that the Church is one of the most artistic in the country. It contains specimens of the art of the art of John LaFarge, Stanford White, William Laurel Harris, and Frederick MacMonnies.

Kerrick Alumni Elect Officers At Annual Reunion In St. Louis

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 2.—Members of the Kerrick Alumni Society at their annual reunion at the Seminary elected the following officers: President, Rev. Edward T. Finan of St. Louis, pastor of the Church of the Presentation; Vice-President, Rev. Alfred G. Thomson of St. Louis, assistant pastor at the Cathedral; Secretary, Rev. William L. Ebert of St. Louis, assistant at Holy Family Church; Treasurer, Rev. Henry J. Lambert of St. Louis, assistant at St. Rose's; Historian, Rev. William F. Mullaly of St. Louis, pastor of Annunciation church.

A dinner followed, when addresses were made by Very Rev. M. S. Ryan, C. M., president of the Seminary, and Rev. James J. Duggan, the retiring president. A banquet at Coronado Hotel brought the reunion to a close. Most Rev. John J. Glennon and the members of the Seminary faculty were guests of honor. Rev. Joseph H. Tettemer of St. Louis acted as toastmaster. The following responded to toasts: Rev. John T. Sesson of St. Louis, Rev. Francis Dieckman of Jonesburg, Mo., Rev. J. J. Fallon of Belleville, Ill., Rev. E. H. Blankenmeyer, of Mosele, Mo.

The reunion began with High Mass at the Seminary, when Rev. James J. Duggan was the celebrant and Rev. N. W. Brinkman preached the sermon. A solemn Mass of Requiem was celebrated for deceased members at St. John's Church, Rev. Sylvester I. Tucker, assistant at the Cathedral, directed the singing, which was by the Priests' Choir.

Foreign Service School Students Recruit On Ship

(By N. C. W. C. News Service).

Washington, Oct. 2.—Three students of the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service here, who shipped as ordinary seamen and worked their way to Europe to study shipping conditions, have just returned to the University with a story of a strange bit of "recruiting" for the Foreign Service School.

The three worked their way to Baltic and North Sea ports, visited points in Holland, Germany, France, Denmark and other countries, and finally started back. They had been surprised to find ordinary seamen reading the classics in the ship's library. They told of their own mission and of the School, and made the account so convincing that two of the ship's officers decided to come to Georgetown and register for the Fall term.

A dozen or more students of the Foreign Service School have returned to resume their classes after varied experiences in distant lands over the Summer. Several traveled over the Continent making surveys of social and economic conditions. One, with a gift for foreign languages, put in a profitable summer as an assistant director of tours in seven countries. Some attended the famous Academy of International Law at The Hague, others took courses at some of the oldest universities in Spain and Portugal. About 20 all told went to Europe last June, with the encouragement of the School authorities, to supplement their studies by actual experiences in foreign countries. They will be back shortly to resume their classes.

Thomas H. Healy, Assistant Dean of the Foreign Service School, is another who has returned to Georgetown after spending the Summer abroad. He had the rare distinction of being invited to give a series of lectures before the Academy of International Law.

Bishop Glass Denies Holy Sepulchre Order Will Admit K. of C.

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Salt Lake City, Oct. 2.—In order to correct statements made in regard to the proposed Fifth Degree of the Knights of Columbus, the Rt. Rev. Joseph S. Glass, Bishop of Salt Lake, has sent the following letter to John H. Reddin, Supreme Master of the Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus: "Mr. John H. Reddin, 'E. N. C. Building, Denver, Colorado. 'My dear Mr. Reddin:

"A number of the Catholic Papers throughout the country, in discussing the proposed Fifth Degree of the Knights of Columbus and the movement looking towards bringing help to the Patriarch of Jerusalem and to the Catholic Cause in the Holy Land, have made certain unwarranted assertions. Therefore, I am sure that you will be glad to have me state that the Patriarch of Jerusalem has not made any promises in the premises; he has not promised to make anybody associated with this movement a member of the Papal Order of the Holy Sepulchre; and he certainly has had no thought of identifying the Knights of the Holy Sepulchre with any other organization.

"The Knights of the Holy Sepulchre are a Papal Order and this Order has its own Papal Constitution and the Pope, himself, is the Supreme Master of the Order of the Holy Sepulchre.

"With every good wish, I am, 'Yours very sincerely, 'Joseph S. Glass, 'Bishop of Salt Lake."

Father McGarry's Jubilee Celebrated

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Notre Dame, Ind., Oct. 2.—The Rev. Moses A. McGarry, C. S. C., Assistant General of the Holy Cross Order has just celebrated the golden jubilee of his ordination. Father McGarry sang a High Mass in Sacred Heart Church. The Rev. John McGarry, a nephew, was deacon of the Mass; the Rev. Myles Riley, another nephew, was sub-deacon, and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Moses Kiley, also a nephew, was in the sanctuary. A dinner was given in Moreau Seminary in honor of Father McGarry's jubilee. He taught theology at Washington for several years before coming to Notre Dame.

Transfer Of Priests In Cleveland Diocese

Cleveland, Oct. 3.—Several changes of priests to important city parishes includes transfer of Rev. John R. Kenny from Youngstown to St. Edward's, Cleveland; Rev. J. F. Collins, former pastor St. Bridget's, Cleveland, to be pastor St. Augustine's, Cleveland; Rev. Richard F. Brennan, pastor at Bedford, to be pastor of St. Bridget's, Cleveland; Rev. Jerome J. Reidy, pastor St. Mary's Conneaut, to succeed Father Kenny in Youngstown. Rev. Carl F. Frey, secretary to Bishop Joseph Schrembs for three years, is to be one of the faculty and spiritual director to the student body at the Seminary of Our Lady of the Lake. No secretary to the Bishop has been named.

Dr. Orchard Tells Why He Has Daily 'Mass' In Chapel

Declares His Belief in Rome As True Church, But Ignores Authority Of Rome To Decide Who Are True Catholics

London, Sept. 28.—The Rev. W. E. Orchard, of the King's Weigh House Chapel here, has written a booklet to explain the daily celebration of "Mass" in his Congregational chapel.

When the Rev. F. R. Webber, a Lutheran pastor, returned to Cleveland the other day after studying the increase of ritualism in Europe, he commented on Dr. Orchard's unusual practices, which include Stations of the Cross and Benediction.

"Mass is the one thing that matters," says Dr. Orchard in his remarkable defense. "Mass" is celebrated every morning at 7:30 in his chapel, the practice having been continued for two years without much criticism until now, when a storm of controversy has broken over Dr. Orchard's head.

He states that the doctrine of transubstantiation is the most spiritual interpretation of the Eucharist that has so far been conceived, and he forecasts its general acceptance by all Christians.

"One Thing That Matters. 'We may well hope,' he says, 'that the Mass will one day be discerned by all Christians to be the one thing that matters, the Catholic celebration the point at which unity will be found, and the doctrine of transubstantiation the basis of a sacramental philosophy which illumines many mysteries, sure foundation on which a truly corporate life can be built, the center from which all our efforts at social reconstruction will be truly inspired.'

"It does not seem difficult" in Dr. Orchard's view, "to see the possibility of one who accepts a high Calvinistic view of the Sacrament passing over by insensible stages, and yet with immense gain in the sense of reality and efficacy, to the Catholic view."

Dr. Orchard says the modern mind can hardly rest content for long with the retention of a merely symbolic rite. It is too reminiscent of kindergarten methods, he thinks.

Dr. William E. Orchard, whose chapel is in the west end of London, near the famous Jesuit church at Farm Street, has been long known as an outspoken and forceful preacher. Many fashionable people are among his regular congregation. A few years ago he invited a Catholic priest to occupy his pulpit and the invitation was accepted.

In a tract on "The Catholic Church," published last March, Dr. Orchard gave expression to these views: "We can therefore hold that Rome is the true Church, but that 'orthodox believers and professors of the Catholic and Apostolic faith' really belong to her.

"Building On The Rock. "Moreover, we can believe that our Lord's promise will yet be fulfilled, that the historical development of the Church will not have to reverse its progress, and even that it will be upon the rock of the Petrine See that the Church will finally be built; that when the Papal supremacy, and then the Papal infallibility, are interpreted, as they can be, in a Christian sense, true to the only type of supremacy which the New Testament recognizes and which St. Peter himself exercised, and with which indeed the greatest statements of the Papal claims can be found to agree, then Peter, having been converted, will be able to strengthen his brethren."

For seven years Dr. Orchard has had a Benediction service at King's Weigh chapel. A "consecrated host" is placed in a monstrance and elevated, and after the singing of hymns and the offering of incense, the blessing is given with the monstrance. Dr. Orchard says his service is according to the Roman rite, "but in English and simplified."

Head Of Augustinian Assumption Fathers Arrives In America

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

New York, Oct. 2.—The Very Rev. Father Gervais Quemard, Superior-General of the Augustinian Fathers of the Assumption, has arrived in this country to make the canonical visitation of the houses of his order in the United States, Canada and South America.

Father Quemard is a renowned scholar and has attained to eminence in many other fields. Most of his life has been spent in the Near East. Ordained in 1899 in Jerusalem, at 25 he was made a Professor of Sacred Scripture. At this time he wrote a book for which the French Academy awarded him a prize. In 1904 he went to Paris to become a staff member of his order's great publishing house, La Bonne Presse. Afterward he served in Russia, then became Director of one of the greatest colleges in Bulgaria. In the war, he did ambulance work, after which he resumed the headship of the college. Sent to Turkey, he reorganized his order's work there with great efficiency, and took a leading part in church reunion activities. He was elected Superior-General in 1923, and the order has flourished under his direction. He has received numerous decorations from the French, Russian, Rumanian and Bulgarian governments and learned societies.

Indian Missionary Celebrates Diamond Jubilee With Charges

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

St. Francis, S. D., Oct. 2.—Surrounded by thousands of Sioux Indians who look upon him as the "Beloved Blackrobe", Rev. Florentine Digmann, S. J., celebrated the Diamond Jubilee of his entrance into the Society of Jesus on October 1. The celebration was held at St. Francis Sioux Mission, St. Francis, South Dakota, where Father Digmann has been stationed for thirty-nine years.

On Christmas Day, seventy-nine years ago, Father Digmann was born at Heiligenstadt in Elbsfeldt, Germany. At nineteen years of age, he entered the Society of Jesus at Friedricksburg, Westphalia. In 1880 he came to the United States, landing in Boston on July 4. Two years were spent at Canisius College, Buffalo, and four at what is now Campion Preparatory School at Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin. On August 5, 1886, Father Digmann arrived at St. Francis with reinforcements for what was then a struggling mission.

Where now stands the great concrete plant with a capacity for 500 children surrounded by groves of trees and flanked by the mission shops and buildings, Father Digmann found only two small frame buildings and two sod barns on a boundless grass-covered prairie. One building housed the Sisters, the other sheltered the Jesuits and the children, besides providing space for the laundry, carpenter, blacksmith and shoemaker shops.

Overcoming a multitude of difficulties set up by race prejudices, religious hatred and savagery, Father Digmann patiently labored with the Indians until he had guided them to civilization and Christianity and assisted by the Indians, changed St. Francis Mission from lowly dwellings to perhaps the largest mission school in the United States.

Thousands of his beloved Indians came to the mission to join in the celebration. Solemn high Mass with Father Digmann as celebrant opened the festivities. After the Mass a reception was held in the auditorium where all the Indians had the opportunity of shaking hands with Putin Sapa, Black Beard, as is the custom, and telling him of their good wishes. In the afternoon an entertainment was given in his honor by the school children. In the evening motion pictures taken by the Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions of the Indian Congress and of St. Francis Mission School were shown.

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Veteran Catholic Writer Still Busy In Ninetieth Year

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Washington, Oct. 1.—Henry M. Beadle, veteran Catholic newspaper man, is continuing his literary work despite the fact that he has just celebrated his eighty-ninth birthday here. He is a contributor to the Daily American Tribune, Catholic newspaper in Dubuque, Iowa, and at present is engaged in writing a "Short Life of Christ."

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Golden Anniversary Of Minnesota Church

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Stillwater, Minn., Oct. 2.—St. Michael's Catholic Church here observed its fiftieth anniversary this week. When it was erected in 1875, it was called the finest church in Minnesota, and it still ranks high as a parish church. Records tell of 3,000 attending the dedication, in what was then a little frontier town. Bishop Thomas L. Grace of St. Paul officiated.

Veteran Police Head Of Washington, D. C., Devout Catholic, Dead

(By N. C. W. C. News Service)

Washington, Oct. 2.—Daniel Sullivan, Major and Superintendent of Police of the District of Columbia and one of the most picturesque as well as revered chiefs of the Washington police have ever had, died here Thursday night. He was a devout Catholic and had received the Last Sacraments shortly before he passed away. He was 63.

Major Sullivan had been a member of the police force for 38 years, starting as a private in 1899 after being discharged from the Marine Corps. He won promotion on merit alone, and was known for bringing harmony into the department and effecting reforms of police working hours.