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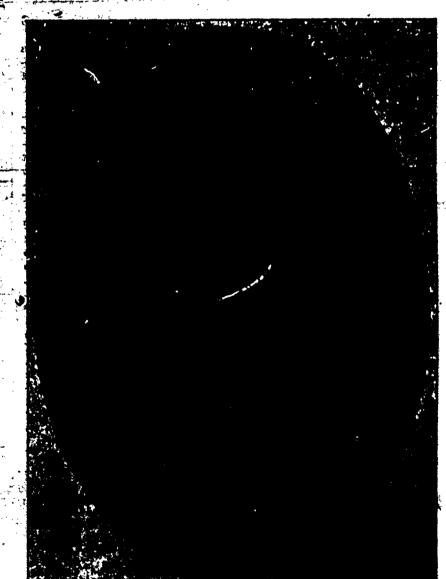
France's Prestige Hurt By Fight On **Religious** Orders By M. Massiani

Paris, Dec. 31 .-- Just before dis-After unumerating the various mismolishment of nine missionary out of French hands to missions from ferrors of higher institutions of Council added: "Many nations, astonimmediate adoption of a measure her missions, have through every ple completely filled the hall? Layorable to the congregations.

are Protestants, Jews and Free-increase of their missionary person-Thinkers: abroad, they have had an opportunity they have easily taken over the terridone by missionary congregations withdraw."

on the very name of France. For this is not being instructed on the mis-is a histor bolds the Mass reason they deem it just and essent-isionary question from a purely Cath-las a bishop holds the authority to Tal that every measure be taken to olic standpoint. There is a national favor their reinforcement in France aspect to the question, but it is inand the continuation of their work veresting to not that the blows dealt the congregations have been turned mbroad. things, he felt the need of the con-

Among those who signed the against the very prestige of the counpetition are many members of theitry.



Academic Francaise and the Academies of Medicine, Sciences, Moral Sciences, Inscriptions and Belles-Lettres; and the Deans of a number of law, medical and literary colleges. A significant signature is that of M. Levy-Bruhl, founder of the socialist Closed With Mass journal L'Humanite, which has be-In the project submitted to the

Chamber by Premier Poincare, these Madrid, Dec. 31 .- The extraordinwords stand out: "French foreign ary session of the National Assembly missions are in danger of death." closed with a five o'clock Mass celein Parliament of the Govern-sionary establishments, colleges and brated by the Bishop of Madrid in ment's proposal to authorize the other institutions that have passed the conference hall of the Congress, the only instance of a modern Parliaconsregations in France, 128 pro-other countries, the president of the ment terminating its labors with a religious act of this sort. All governlearning addressed to Parliament a ished at the prestige which France, ment officials, members of the legisretition in which they recommended without effort, had acquired through lature and a large gathering of beo-

It was General Primo de Rivers possible means and at the cost of The majority of these professors great financial sacrifices, favored the who originated this plan. Since he but having traveled nel so that after ten years of effort throughout the night and because he of studying and admiring the good tory from which we were forced to a religious demonstration of some kind, he consulted with the Bishop of Madrid. The Bishop told him that

> celebrate Mass at whatever place seems most appropriate. The President explained that while they might appear to have reversed the order of

> > tinued aid and inspiration of God in directing his words and actions. During the session; the President announced that a balance of three million pesetas would be used to augment the salaries of needy clergy.

men. A petition to this effect had been presented to the Government by the Archbishops collectively and was defended before the Assembly by the Archbishop of Valladolid, Dr. Gandasegui,

The conference hall in which the Mass was celebrated is one of the largest rooms in the national congressional building. Although not as large as the hall of sessions, it is more beautifully decorated and furnished. Covering the door communicating with the main corridor is a magnificent red tapestry given years to by the deputies from Cuba ar Porto Rico. The gold dised, in the border alone was valued then a \$50,000, and its value has since increased. Above this tapestry hangs a 17th century ivory crucifix, before which the ministers take their oath of office.

Tables were removed from the

other ornaments and illuminated of Viminacium.

## Spanish Congress' The Holy Father Appoints All Night Session Monsignor O'Hern As Third Bishop of Rochester



## MCROSEDRN OREANNATINE

O'Hern, vioar gemeint of the G olic diocese of Rechester and re of Corpus Christi Church, who een appointed successor to " Best Rev. Thomas F. Clenter bishop of the dionese, is a sail Olean. where he was born 1474.

He was baptined at St. Bound ture's College Church, Allegany, M. Y. In which parinh the family 2000 the Church de At. Mary al and man graduated from Perochial Rehool at an and from the Gleen with a britliant re

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Most Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, archbishop of Viminacium

CLERGY HONOR I experienced such difficulty of ex-

his church during a pastorate and loy of Brooklyn, who was prevented his church during a pastorate and episcophie that has extended over a period of forty-five years; the toast master presented the retiring bishop with an elaborately embossed check for \$10,000 on behalf of the priests of the discess. Milwankee Jan

With this sift," said Mgr. Francisco. O'Hern, "it is our wish that you The bishops who were presented

but sever have of Bishop Hickey.

Right\_Rev. Monsignor J. Francis O'Hern-

peoler and Oureland Rt. Rev. Monsignor J. Francistahall be, "Bervice." That is what the monsherr of the center of the room and the confer-O'Hern, vicar general of the Diocese Dople look for today in their furls in Rome. While a ence hall rapidly changed into the of Rochester and apostolic adminia spiritual leaders, devoted and un the North American Odica service, in bringing the restor was his emineater of up beneath the crucifix with the trator, on Wednesday, January 9th, trathe, beauties and blassings of William H. O'Commail, now

tapestry at its back, was brought was named to succeed most Rar religion to their souls in a busy bishop of Boston. from the Church of San Jeronimo. Thomas F. Hickey, who has retired and pleasure loving in a budy On his return to the the parish in which the congression-because of ill health as second "Aralle ft will be a great pleasure States in March, 1907, "In a difference of the civic well. O'Hern was appeared the bishop of the Rochester diocese, rare and betterment of our beloved immerulate Conception." del Carmen. Adorned with paims and and who has been made Archbishop city of Rochester with its many and the late Roys Auguality varied interests.; Our community and in Mentember the

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with candles and a profusion of electric lights, the hall took on the semblance of a temple. And despite the fact that the service occurred at five in the morning, the hall and all Monsignor O'Hern made the follow. This and there and the reform of the set of the its antechambers were filled with ing statement: 

worshippers. In this same hall a requirem Mass was celebrated before the bodies of the Cochester unsolicited from the which will help to make all our 1985. he was the celebrated ministers, Lopez de Holy Father, Pope Pius XI,Supreme Aysis and Sagasta y Canabjas, who were assassinated at Puerta'del Soi in 1912. Its general use is as a place for informal conferences have a precising browner around the factor of Rechercher for informal conferences have been been and the the same time, live on the factor of Rechercher in 1912. Its general use is as a place pression. It seems like a dream to ARCHBISHOP AT TESTIMONIAL Testions, and while our of being conditions, and while our of being cond ficial relations have been changed. Geophysical Congress met there. our fraternal love and devotion I At the Mass recently celebrated, relation the United States heart.

Leading members of the Catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the there are the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the there are the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the there are the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the there are the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is the catholic hope is even strengthened. I want the concerned to the section of the catholic hope is the catholic hope is the section of high devotion and unstinted service Albany; from Bishop Thomas Mol-that Bishop Hickey has given to have a Brocklyn who was prevented astionally in the ecclesiastical world country, and it is possible that the E. O'Mera, pastor of a

while all the works of religion and most Rev. Edward J. Hanna of Sei Church, Edward W. selucation have gone forward with Francisco, a former Rochesteriat Monsigner O'Herm, Me Dies Of Pneumonia the rapid growth of the city and and a classmate of Monaignor being a trustee of diocese. It has been my good for-O'Hern at the American College of the Horses in a tune to have served under them Rome will act as consecrators Rochater Cat

Milwaukee, Jan. 7.-The Rev. more than twenty ave years, and to ceived messages of congressiation Mary's and messages of congressiation Mary's and messages of congressiation "With this sift," said Mgr. "The bishops who were presented of the classics and head of the depart them, under God., I dwe whatever them, under God., I dwe whatever from this city and all sections of the section and the luncheon were Bishop Thomas ment of classics at Marquette Uni-them and the luncheon were Bishop Thomas the section and the section and the section and the luncheon were Bishop Thomas the section and the se

when Archbishop Hickey arose Thomas C. O'Reilly of Scranton of pneamonia. The manual so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of the second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of the second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of the second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The manual so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The second so the tributes that had pars and Bishop Joseph H. Couror of Ordensburg. The second so the tributes that had pars and the second of Ordensburg. The second so the second so the second so the second of these dignitaries spoke. The second so the second so the second of these dignitaries spoke. The second so the second of the second of these dignitaries spoke. The second so the second of the second so the second of th by mastered his emotions, rector of St. Bernard's Seminary, seminary, Florissant, Mo., for three youd the commes of our discuss alguor O'Rern yasterday. "We will and Eugene J. Dwyer, distinguished years before coming to Marquetts in Catholic layman and long a friend 1926. A sister in Dublin survives, have a more devoted and loyal body mail we have resolved advice from P. O Here.

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

Funeral services were hold today. Ito serve and, please God, my motio Rome."

