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Caiholic Open Forum Held At Elizabeth, N. J.

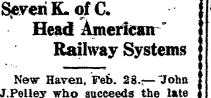
Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 26.-Taking advantage of the interest in Catholicism stimulated by the last presidential campaign, the Federated Holy Name Societies of Union County, New Jersey, comprising some 26 parish units centering about this city, is offering to its members and their non-Catholic friends on each Sunday afternoon during Lent in Open forum program. The programs are given in St. Mary's schol auditorium, and thus far have attracted large audiences.

The Rev. William I. Lonergan, S. J., of the America staff is the forum speaker. Under the general topic. 'The Modern Indictment of Catholicism," Father Lonergan is treating of the follwing questionss, "Is the Church Intolerant?" "Is the Church Arrogant?" "Is the Church un-Amercan?" "Is the Church Officious?" and "Is the Church Worth While?"

About half of each afternoon's progrâm is taken up by the lecturer's talk. The remainder of the time is given over to the asking and answering of questions. Slips of paper are distributed after the lecture and members of the audience may make FIND inquiries either about the afternoon's subject or about Catholic belief and practice in general. The slips are 37 collected and the questions are an-

swered the same afternoon. Many Questions Aslord

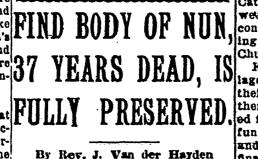
The answering of questions at []U these open forums, Holy Name officials say, has proved of striking interwet. They point to the fact that the questions propounded are timely and



J.Pelley who succeeds the late E. . Pearson as president of the E. J. Pearson a spresident of the seventh Catholic and Knight of Columbus to be selected as head of a great railway system.

The others are Angus Daniel McDonald, president of the Southern Pacific Line in Texas and Lousiana; Patrick E. Crowley, president of the New York Central Lines; Lawrence A. Downs, president of the Illinois Central; W. J. Harahan, president of the Chesapeake and Ohio; William T. Noonan, president of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh; James E. Gorman, president of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific; and J. J. Barnet, president of the Edward F. Carry, the Erie. president of the Pullman Company of Chicago, is also a Knight.

Mr. Pelley comes to the New Haven road from the Central of Georgia Railway, of which he has been president since 1926. The Central of Georgia is a subsidiary of the Illinois Central.



MARSHAL FOCH, IN SHADOW OF DEATH, SENDS FOR PRIEST

The Catholic Family Newspaper

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

Paris, Feb. 27 .- Desperately ill with a complication of aliments and his condition varying after a real crisis last night, Marshal Ferdinand Foch, Generalissimo of the Allied Armies in the World War, today called to his bedside Father L'Hande a famous preacher and a member of the Society of Jesus to which the soldier's brother, Fr. Germain Foch, belongs.

Marshal Foch, Father L'Hande revealed following his visit, had been worried because his brother had not come to his bedide in response to his call, being unaware that Father Foch is confined to his bed by illness at Montpellier.

"The two," said the priest-visitor, "are like twins. Both are born, aggressive leaders, but whereas one has won fame by battling, with armies and often against other man, the other has waged the war of religion against iniquity."

When asked what he and the Marshal discussed, Father L'Hande added, is the strength of the Marshal, whose brain he found to be work-ing at "full speed," despite the infirmities that had attacked his body.

said that they talked about Napoleon's campaign in Italy. Religion, he It also became known today that Marshal Foch has followed with keen interest the reports of the debate on the Kellogg peace pact in the French Parliamnt. After following one report the Marshal is said to have exclaimed: "That is right! There should be no more wars!"

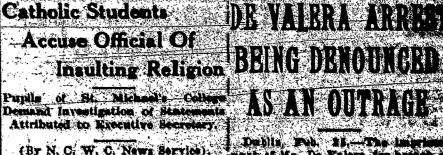
Catholic Would Flame Guns Used Not Act In An **Unclean** Play

London, Feb. 25 .- Working in a Jerusalem, Feb. 25 .- Time was University. coal mine in this country at the pres- when a swarm of locusts settled ent time is one of the worst-paid as astride the Jordan in the vicinity of well as hardest jobs to be found, but the Holy City they settled with soma-

Patrick Kelly, a Bowhill (Scotland) Catholic miner, prefers it to \$30 a week and a part in a play which he as witness: Toward the end of Januaty. Last, ing against the teaching of the Church. Kelly is coach of the Bowhill Vil-ing against the teaching brought went finto action. Another awarm awooped down at Kilo 24 on their wives. His training brought awarm awooped down at Kilo 24 on the Jerusalem Jerico Road and attill Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and attill Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he last for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he Medil Beits for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he Medil Beits for the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he Medil Beits, the Hence Heavier with the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he Medil Beits, the Hence Heavier with the Jerusalem Jerico Road and still Harris, M. A., who says that is he Medil Beits, the Hence Heavier with the modern methods were inter-Students' Council between G. He Medil Beits, the Hence Heavier with the modern methods were inter-Students' Council between G. He Medil Beits, the Hence Heavier with the modern methods were inter-Students' Council between G. He Medil Beits, the Hence Heavier with the modern methods were inter-Students' Council between G. He Medil Beits, I Heavier Heavier with the modern

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The letter, in part, said:

Report Catholics Insulted

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