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"In vain will you found missions and build schools, if you are not able to wield the offensive and defensive weapons of a loyal Catholic press."
—Pope Benedict XV.

"We cannot say enough for the Catholic press in its efforts to bring to our attention the wrongs of the world. It would urge all to be better based on the principles of Catholicism."
—Missy O'Brien

Beautiful Tribute Paid to Professor F. Eugene Bonn By Archbishop Hickey

University Sunday Designated By Bishop For the Catholic Univ.

Collections Will Be Taken Up In All Churches of the Diocese on Sunday, In Accordance With Request of Cardinals and Archbishops of the United States, for Catholic Education.

BISHOP'S LETTER TO PASTORS TELLS OF AIMS AND WORK OF THE UNIVERSITY

The first Sunday of Advent, which falls this year on November 30, has been designated by the Rt. Rev. John Francis O'Hern, D.D., Bishop of Rochester, as "University Sunday," and collections will be taken up in all churches of the Diocese for the Catholic University of America, at Washington, D. C. In his letter to pastors on the subject, Bishop O'Hern expresses the hope that there will be a generous response to this collection.

The Bishop's letter to the pastors is as follows: Dear Reverend Father:—In a special communication dated November 10, 1930, and signed by the Cardinals and Archbishops of the United States, the Bishops of the country are asked to place the matter of the annual collection for the Catholic University of America before the priests and people with the hope of obtaining a generous response for the needs of the Catholic University of America. They have also requested that a special Sunday known as "University Sunday" be set aside for this purpose, which Sunday in the Diocese of Rochester falls each year on the first Sunday of Advent. Consequently announcement of the University collection should be made on next Sunday, November 23, and the collection should be taken up either at the Offertory or the Post Communion of the Mass on Sunday, November 30, the first Sunday of Advent.

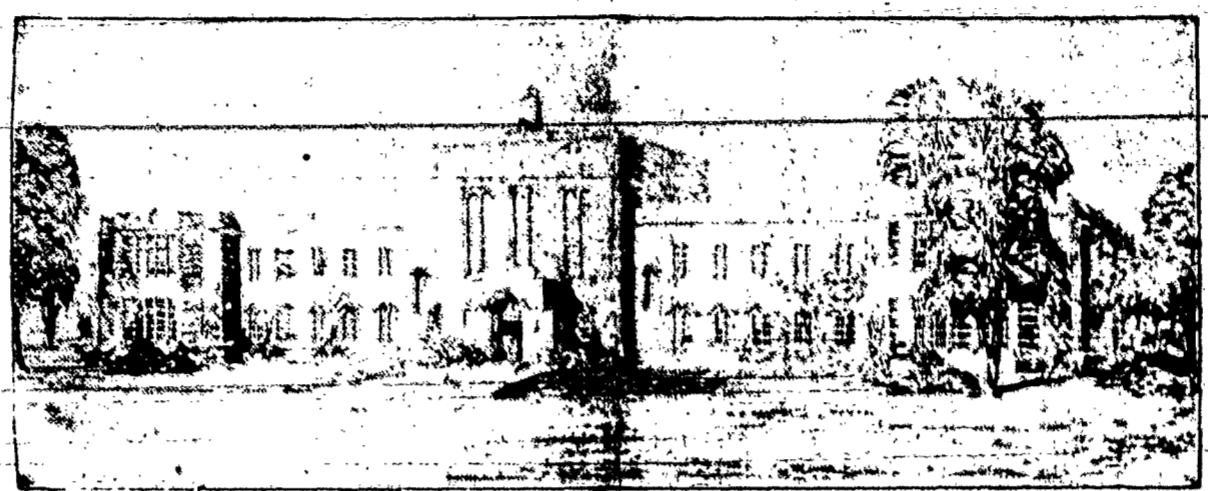
In the communication which has been received, the distinguished Board of Trustees calls attention to the notable progress made in the academic life of this supreme seat of learning of the Church of the United States, and emphasizes the fact that the progress made has been rendered possible chiefly by the contributions received through the last "Annual Collection." In the past year, the School of Law has been particularly strengthened and broadened while

the University has carried on its regular program of Theological, Scientific, Historical and Cultural courses, at the same time rendering valuable services in various fields of religious and charitable activity as organized and outlined under Episcopal sanction for the welfare of the whole country.

In order to continue and develop its program and also to maintain its high standard, the Catholic University must receive adequate support so that its hopes and ambitions aroused in the Catholic people of the nation forty years ago, when the foundations were laid, may be fully realized. As the Catholic University is particularly sponsoring and serving Catholic education in the United States and the Church of America, let us impress upon our people in every parish the fact that their contribution will be an evidence of their devotion to the cause of Catholic education, of their loyalty to the Sovereign Pontiff and of their love for the Church of America.

"Thanking you and your people now in the name of the Board of Trustees and of the Faculty of the University and of all interested in Catholic Higher Education as exemplified in this great Catholic University of America at Washington, with the warmest personal regards, I remain,
"Devotedly yours in Christ,
"JOHN FRANCIS O'HERN,
"Bishop of Rochester."

A Splendid Gift to Notre Dame University



THE NEW INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE SCHOOL

Edward N. Hurley of Chicago, prominent business man, recently donated \$200,000 to the University of Notre Dame for a new International Commerce School—a school in which young men will be taught how to promote international business affairs. Mr. Hurley himself has been most successful in this line of business, and he sees a great new field here for bright American young men. So he has founded this school, and it will be a new departure in the college world.

The above drawing is supplied to the Catholic Courier & Journal by the architects, Graham, Anderson, Probst & White.

King In Danger



In Spain there is a clamor for a Republican form of Government, and King Alfonso of that land is facing troublesome days. He is one of the few Catholic rulers left in Europe, and while he is beloved by the great mass of his people, he is compelled to face the agitation fostered by a large number of dissatisfied ones.

Staten Island New Hospital Is Dedicated

New York, Nov. 28.—The new million-dollar St. Vincent's Hospital, erected by the Sisters of Charity at West New Brighton, Staten Island, was dedicated and formally opened by Cardinal Hayes last Sunday. The structure was completed several months ago and had been receiving patients for some time but the formal dedication was postponed until Cardinal Hayes could attend.

Notre Dame Friend



A school of International Commerce, to touch foreign business to the youth of America, will soon be built at Notre Dame University, through the generosity of Edward N. Hurley of Chicago, who donated \$200,000 for this purpose.

Cathedral Organist Honored By Church At Solemn Service

Papal Decoration, "Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice," Is Conferred Upon Him In Appreciation of Forty-Two Years of Faithful and Devoted Service At Pontifical Mass on Sunday.

GREAT CONGREGATION IN ATTENDANCE WHEN THE BISHOP CONFERS THE HONOR

In St. Patrick's Cathedral Sunday, at the 10:30 o'clock Mass, the Papal decoration, "Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice," was conferred upon Professor F. Eugene Bonn in appreciation of his 42 years of faithful and devoted service as organist at the Cathedral. Many priests were present at the service, and friends from all over the Diocese, and from beyond the Diocese, came to pay tribute to one whom they love and respect, and to pray that God will give him continued life, strength and talent to keep up his work as organist at the Cathedral.

Professor Bonn was honored further, too, by the presence of two Bishops and one Archbishop—the Rt. Rev. John Francis O'Hern, D.D., Bishop of Rochester, the Rt. Rev. Emmett M. Walsh, D.D., Bishop of Charleston, S. C., and the Most Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, D.D., Archbishop of Baltimore. Bishop O'Hern celebrated the Pontifical Mass, with other officers as follows: Assistant priest, Rt. Rev. Maqr. William M. Hart, vicar general; deacon of honor, Rev. John P. Brophy; Rev. John F. Doppell; deacon, Rev. George V. Huran; sub-deacon, Rev. Joseph A. Cameron; master of ceremonies, Rt. Rev. Andrew B. McShane.

Prof. Bonn occupied a place of honor in the sanctuary—the first Sunday in 42 years he had not been at the organ of the Cathedral. Students from St. Bernard's Seminary and from St. Andrew's, and priests from all over the Diocese aided in the sanctuary. The altars were decorated with yellow chrysanthemums, surrounded by lighted candles, and the Cathedral was enriched by the pomp and impressive beauty of a solemn pontifical Mass.

Two Sons in the Choir
One son of Professor Bonn was at the organ—John Paul Bonn—and another son, Francis Bonn, directed the choir. So that, while Professor Bonn was absent from his accustomed place, his soul and spirit were there, represented by his born gifts like himself with love and understanding of music, and here and understanding of the sacraments of the Church. There was special music for the occasion, and in all ways it was a service that touched the hearts and souls of Professor Bonn and his friends.

But not alone by pomp and ceremony was the beloved Professor honored. Kind words, and affectionate were spoken to him by an old dear friend, Archbishop Hickey, when he had served for many years at the Cathedral. The tribute was beautiful, and it touched the hearts of all. Archbishop Hickey spoke as follows:

"For those who love their Lord of flesh in love and understanding, than they; for the first and last beauty made all these things, these words are a part of the third verse of the thirtieth chapter of the Book of Wisdom.

"God is all holy, and God is all beautiful; and like the other perfections of God, His holiness and beauty are infinite and consequently surpass all human understanding. But we know something of the holy, something of the beautiful, and these perfections of God are seen nowhere so conspicuously in the world as in the spouse of Jesus Christ, the Holy

Hearty Approval Given To Proposed New Edition Of Catholic Encyclopedia

Hierarchy of America Adopts Resolution Commending The Work, and Support of Clergy and Laity Is Pledged to Editors.

Washington, Nov. 28.—At the recent meeting of the Hierarchy of America, at the Catholic University in this city, a resolution was adopted pledging the support of the Bishops to the publication of a revised edition of the Catholic Encyclopedia, and promising to obtain for the editors the support of the clergy and laity of the entire country. The resolution indicates that many improvements are being planned for the revised edition, and that it will be of much greater importance than the present edition. It will show, too, the marvelous progress that has been made by the Church the world over since the publication of the original edition in 1914.

What the Bishops Say
The resolution is as follows:

"We are happy to learn that the editors of The Catholic Encyclopedia are to reorganize their work in order to bring out a revised edition of The Catholic Encyclopedia.

"Because of the excellence of this publication, its scholarly and thoroughly Catholic character, the zeal and devotion of its editors and writers, the immense good it has done for religion and the Church, this announcement is of such importance as to merit the approval and encouragement of the hierarchy.

"The many changes which have come over the world since the completion of the Encyclopedia, in 1914, necessitate a revised edition of it, and it is desirable that the original be inaugurated by its editors, with their experience and their association with Catholic scholars, with the assistance of five hundred of their collaborators still available and of the many writers who have contributed to their various publications.

"An Important Change
It is particularly gratifying to know that the editors have planned to make this new edition better in many respects than even the original and that they are to treat every apologetic subject in such a manner that the article on it may be reproduced in booklet form and thus provide a complete study series of apologetics.

"This new edition of the encyclo-

pedia will show the marvelous progress of the Catholic Church in every part of the world, despite the turbulent period through which we have been living these past fifteen years, and will emphasize the advances made by Catholics in religious activity and in scholarship.

Supreme Pontiff Approves
"Since the editors have been favored by the approval of the Sovereign Pontiff, Pius X, Benedict V and our present Holy Father, gloriously reigning, and since members of the Hierarchy whenever our language is spoken have commended their great work, we deem it proper that we in conference assembled should not only approve their present project, but agree also to commend it and to obtain for the editors the support of the clergy and laity, so as to enable them to devote their labors entirely to their editorial work and establish a permanent organization for the production and promotion of Catholic literature."

McBride's Brother Sent to Asylum

Carrollton, O., Nov. 28.—Emmett McBride, brother of C. Scott McBride, head of the Anti-Saloon League of America, was ordered committed to the Massillon State Hospital for the insane when arraigned here on a charge of issuing fraudulent checks. McBride was returned here from Washington, D. C., several weeks ago.

New Hampshire Priest Elected To Legislature

MANCHESTER, N. H.—Although he campaigned against himself and had requested that his name be dropped from the ballots on election day, Rev. Napoleon Gilbert of the little mill town of Hookset, near here, found himself elected to the state legislature when all the votes were counted. Father Gilbert is a priest of the Manchester diocese. He is pastor of Holy Rosary church of Hook set.

Priest Reported To Be Martyred Is Still Active

Shanghai, Nov. 28.—Rev. Henry Von Arn, Swiss Vincentian, reported hanged by Communists when the red armies captured Pengtsch in the Vicariate of Nanchang, Kiangsi Province, has not been put to death. Instead he is held prisoner.

Captive Priest Freed
Peking, Nov. 28.—Rev. Louis Brugnelli of the Foreign Missions of Milan has been freed by the Chinese bandits who held him since August 15. The circumstances of his liberation are not completely known.

On Assumption Day Father Brugnelli was made prisoner while preparing for Mass and held for ransom. He was at the time pastor of the mission of She-Chi-Chen in the Vicariate of Nanchang, Honan Province. The missionary was born at Bergamo, Northern Italy, 55 years ago.

Prizes Offered In Short Story C.D.A. Contest

New York, Nov. 28.—Nationally prominent writers have accepted places on the board of judges for the National Women's Short Story Contest to be conducted under the auspices of Woman's Voice, the national monthly magazine of the Catholic Daughters of America. Several hundred dollars in prizes will be awarded for stories no longer than 3,000 words submitted by women writers, the first prize being \$100.

The board of judges for the contest is composed of John B. Kennedy, associate editor of Collier's, director of the famous Collier Radio Hour, a former editor of Columbia, the Knights of Columbus national magazine, and a distinguished author of novels and short stories; Miss Mary King, of Chicago, former Woman's Voice, of Chicago; former Woman's Voice, of Chicago; and fiction buyer for the Chicago Tribune Syndicate; Mrs. Lucille Borden, and the former Princess Razvigil.

All short stories are to be submitted to the Contest Editor, Woman's Voice, Catholic Daughters of America, National Headquarters, 10 West 71st Street, New York City.

She Commanded Death Battalion In Polish Army

SAN FRANCISCO—A modern "Joan of Arc" arrived here a few days ago when Lt. 80's Shipchuk was handed over to begin a tour of America. She commanded the famous "Batalion of Death" in the Polish army. It was composed entirely of women, organized by the Movement and it fought for months with the regular army in driving off Bolshevik raiders from Russia following the World War.

Has High Office In Organization Of U. S. Employees

WASHINGTON, D. C.—She is a woman that pledges herself never to strike. It comprises thousands and thousands of federal employees, including clerks, stenographers, postal workers, chemists, scientists, editors, printers, engravers and others. The organization is known as the National Federation of Federal Employees and its secretary-treasurer is the very able Gertrude M. McNally. Approximately half a million men and women belong to it.

Hollywood K. C. Initiates Stars Of Movie World

Hollywood, Cal., Nov. 28.—Several noted film stars and directors were members of a class of 150 candidates from various councils of the Nineteenth District which was initiated here recently.

Among the candidates were Ben Turpin, well-known comedian; Joseph P. Quillan, father of the famous Quillan family; John Ford, leading director for William Fox; Fred Niblo, Jr., son of the famous producer and himself a distinguished screen director; and Harry English, executive secretary of the National Vaudeville Artists of America.

Those attending the Third Degree, included Jack Coogan, Sr.; Pat O'Malley; Sam Taylor, who is at present directing Mary Pickford; Mike Dolin, one-time major league baseball star and now an actor; William H. Mayberry, casting director for First National; Jack Gail, producer and manager for Universal; and Frank H. Spearman, author, whose stories have been adapted for the screen.

While the degree was in progress, wives of the candidates and members were guests of Miss Nancy Carroll, Mrs. Mae McAvoy Cleary and other officers of the Catholic Women's Film Guild.

Tells How Mission Plane Crashed in Alaska, Killing Two Jesuit Missionaries

Brother George Feltes, S.J., Who Flew the Plane From New York to Alaska, Gives Story Of The Tragedy

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—The full story of the tragic crash of the Marquette mission plane, which killed two missionary priests, the Rev. Philip Delon, S.J., and the Rev. William P. Walsh, S.J., at Kotzebue, Alaska, a short time ago, has just been told by Brother George Feltes, S.J., the only licensed missionary aviation pilot in the world. He is the pilot who flew the plane from Roosevelt Field, N. Y. to Alaska after it had been donated to Bishop Crimont of Alaska by the Marquette Mission League of New York City, of which the Rev. William Flynn, S.J., of Mrs. James Flynn of 127 Seneca Parkway, Rochester, and brother of Dr. James M. Flynn of Alexander Street, is the Secretary. Brother Feltes was an eye-witness of the tragedy.

How It Happened
"I myself warmed up the motor of the plane and had it running about 40 minutes before Pilot Delon, whom Father Delon had hired to accompany us on our first round of the missions, to point out the landing fields, which are very hard to locate, took the plane up alone, as was usual. He flew around for about the minutes alone and then landed. I went up to the window near him and asked if everything was alright before allowing anyone to get into the plane. He said "everything is just fine." Then Father Delon and Father Walsh got in the plane and took their seats in the center of the cabin. Father Delon asked if I was going, and I told him "No," that three passengers were enough on such a small field with no wind blowing.

Fell in Spiral
"They then started off and made a good take-off. They flew in a large circle of over a mile and into a slight snow flurry about a mile and a half from the field. Most likely some of the snow stuck on the windshield in front, and when he decided to come in and land, he shut down his motor, to idling speed and glided in for a landing. When he approached the field, he saw he was much too high for a landing and, almost on a moment's notice, he cut the motor and fell in a spin. He shut his eyes and saw

Attempt Is Made To Assassinate Irish

Dublin, Nov. 28.—An attempt to have been made on the life of General Richard Airey at the Hotel Shelburne in Dublin.

The General was in the hotel when a man, who was identified as a member of the Irish Republican Army, entered the hotel and fired several shots at the General. The General was not injured but several people were wounded.