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Apostolic Delegate To Have Fine New Home In City of Washington

Work on Structure Will Be Commenced in Few Weeks, and it Will be Located in One of the Most Attractive Sections of Capital—Estimated Cost of Structure Has Been Fixed at \$400,000.

BEAUTIFUL CHAPEL, RICHLY DECORATED—WILL BE A FEATURE OF THE BUILDING

Washington, March 4.—Plans have been completed, and work will be started within the next few weeks, on a beautiful Italian villa which will house the residence and offices of Archbishop Pietro Pomasano Biondi, the Papal Delegate to Washington, and personal spokesman of Pope Pius XI in the United States. The building will be erected on the gently rising slope of Massachusetts Avenue, in one of the most attractive sections of this city and it will be a sightly structure. Dignified in its simplicity, the villa, which will conform in general to the architectural features of the Renaissance, will be constructed from plans drawn by Frederick V. Murphy, who holds the chair of architecture at Catholic University, and is also a Chevalier of the French Legion of Honor.

The estimated cost of the building and surrounding grounds, which will also be of rare dignity and beauty, is expected to exceed \$400,000, to meet which expense each Catholic diocese in the United States has been asked according to its resources.

In New Diplomatic Section. The site chosen for the Papal Delegate's new home—the home, in fact, which will represent in all but official recognition the Embassy of the Vatican—is in the section of the city which has recently become most popular as the location of the newer diplomatic mansions.

Across the avenue are the extensive buildings of the British Embassy, occupied within the past year, and adjoining to the ground and sover white marble palace of the Norwegian Legation. A short distance down the avenue, in the direction of the city, is the charmingly informal Japanese Embassy, hospitably inviting behind its little white picket fence, and nearby is the Austrian Legation.

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DeValera Will Give Ireland Best Efforts

Promises New Era for the Land of St. Patrick—Will Abolish the Oath of Loyalty to the King of England.

Dublin, Mar. 4.—Eamonn de Valera, stormy leader of many a fight for Ireland's liberty, tonight, from justice, with a price on his head, fixed by the British crown, and champion in the face of death of the bloody movement that brought her



WILLIAM T. COSGROVE

ter and happier days to Ireland, will head the new Irish Government. The recent elections gave him the power held for 10 years past by William T. Cosgrove, and he promises Ireland his best efforts and a new era of leadership. He will abolish the oath of allegiance to the British king, he says, and will attempt to have the treaty with England revised.

The recent election gives to each party the following representation in the new government that will be formed.

Fianna Fail, headed by Mr. de Valera, sixty-eight; President William T. Cosgrove's Governmental



EAMONN DE VALERA

party, forty-three; Labor, seven; Independent Labor, two; Independents and Farmers, fifteen. The Fianna Fail thus registered an increase of fourteen seats and a loss of one; Mr. Cosgrove, a gain of one and loss of nine; Independents, three and five, and Labor, two and five. The Fianna Fail will not have a clear majority over all other parties and consequently Mr. de Valera will be forced to rely on Labor, which has pledged itself to him.

Labor leaders have pledged the support of their party to DeValera, and this will give him a clear majority in the legislation he will champion from time to time for the country and its people.

Under the thousands of pilgrims to the International Eucharistic Congress in Dublin next June arrive in Ireland, they will be greeted by DeValera, who has myriads of friends and followers among the Irish in America and in other lands. Great interest will be taken throughout the world in his leadership in Ireland, and many prayers will be said that it may be fruitful for better and happier days for all the land and its people.

Divorce Cost In Spain Fixed At Sum of \$38.50

Madrid, March 4.—Spain's first divorce measure, a product of the revolution that set up the new republic, was approved in its final details by the National Assembly last week.

Under the monarchy couples could be legally separated in Spain, but they could not be divorced, hence they were unable to remarry. Now they may be divorced by mutual consent and may remarry.

This provision was one of the first articles written into the new Constitution. It will become effective after the formal reading of the entire measure and publication in the Official Gazette.

The maximum cost of divorce, as far as the courts are concerned, was fixed at \$38.50, the measure stipulating that the court fees should not exceed \$30 per

Dean Passes Away



Dean John J. McGrath

Mixed Marriage Decree Recently Approved by Pope Analyzed by Canon Law Expert

The Rev. Dr. Hubert L. Motry Explains Recent Decree, and Tells What Must Be Done by Contracting Parties of Such Marriages.

Washington, March 4.—The Rev. Dr. Hubert L. Motry, professor of Canon Law at the Catholic University here, has written the following explanation of the recent Vatican decree on mixed marriages:

The Holy Father, on January 14 of the present year, confirmed a Resolution of the Sacred Congregation of the Holy Office concerning the promises that are exacted of both Catholic and non-Catholic parties previous to the celebration of mixed marriages. The new regulation ordains that the assurances, given before a mixed marriage is contracted, be such that no one can hinder their execution.

The introductory paragraph of the Decree deplors the fact that in some regions, because of adverse legislation, the observance of the promises, especially concerning the Catholic education of the children,

cannot be insisted upon, and what is worse, that local authorities or non-Catholic influences can hinder the execution of the promises, sometimes against the will of the parents.

Decree Text Quoted. The dispositive part of the law reads as follows: "In all dispensations, i. e., from the impediments of mixed religion, and disparity of worship, must never be granted, unless the parties intending to marry have previously made the (required) assurances, the faithful execution of which no one shall be permitted to impede, with the exception of Civil Laws, to which one or the other is subject, in force in the place of their present or future sojourn (if it be foreseen that they will probably go elsewhere); otherwise the dispensation is null and invalid."

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Very Rev. Dean McGrath Of St. Mary's Auburn Is Buried on Tuesday

Impressive Funeral Services Are Held. He Served Many Years as Pastor and Was Greatly Beloved by His People. Burial on Tuesday Morning—Many Present.

ARCHBISHOP HICKEY PREACHED AND PAYS ELOQUENT TRIBUTE

Auburn, March 4.—The Very Rev. Dean John J. McGrath, who was known and beloved all over the Diocese, died on Friday last week, and his funeral services were held in St. Mary's Church here on Tuesday morning. The pastor for so many years, and who was greatly beloved by his people, and the tears and prayers were tendered for his life, his work and his sacrifice, has been celebrated by the Rt. Rev. Archbishop of Rochester, but Bishop O'Brien was with a severe cold and his presence was a complete rest at his home.

Officers of the Mass. The Mass was celebrated by Rev. John A. Gossoway of Auburn; Deacon, Monsignor Brophy; D.D. of Rochester; Rev. William E. O'Connell, D.D. of Rochester; Rev. William F. Murphy of Auburn; assistant master of ceremonies, Rev. Francis Burns of Rochester; Alexander, Rev. Michael Murphy of Seneca Falls and Rev. Joseph O'Neil of Clyde; pastor, Rev. John C. O'Donnell of Rochester.

Other priests in attendance were: Rev. John Newcomb; William A. Doran; Rochester; C. A. Silke of Newville; Paul J. Conroy of Indian River; Earl C. Jett, Leo E. Hastings, Auburn; John J. Lee, Elmira; Alexander, Rev. Joseph J. Jones, W. O'Brien, Clifton Springs; D. J. O'Brien, Seneca Falls; Francis J. Lavin, Elmira; John J. McLaughlin, Rochester; John Francis Murphy, Monticello; V. Curtis, Clyde; Thomas A. Gray, Rochester; J. F. O'Connell, Seneca Falls; J. F. O'Connell, Seneca Falls; J. F. O'Connell, Seneca Falls.

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Ireland to Publish Life of St. Patrick, Written by Noted Scholars

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Dublin, Mar. 4.—Many preparations are being made all over Ireland for the celebration this year of the fifteenth centenary of the landing of St. Patrick.

One very important item in the publication, fixed for St. Patrick's Day, of an authoritative book on the great Apostle. The contributors to the volume are Irish historians of acknowledged pre-eminence and authority. They include Professor Eoin MacNeill, noted for his researches in early Irish history, and the Rev. Myles V. Roman, a Catholic in Dun Laoghaire, who has published important contributions to the history of the Protestant so-called Reformation in Ireland, and particularly in Dublin. Other notable contributors are the Rev. Paul Walsh, Father MacFarlane, O.P., and Father John Ryan, S.J.

It is expected that this year the pilgrimage to the summit of St. Patrick's Mountain, Croagh Patrick, County Mayo, which takes place annually on the last Sunday of July, will be the largest ever.

Salvation Army Hospital Begun By Sisters of the Poor in the City

Greenville, N. C., March 4.—The Sisters of the Poor of St. Francis have bought the Emma Moss Booth Memorial Hospital, a 14-bed infirmary for some time conducted by the Salvation Army in this city, and after removing it are making a number of improvements, will reopen it.

The hospital was closed October 15 because of heavy indebtedness.

Brooklyn Man Is Named President K. C. Secretaries

New York, Mar. 4.—The K. of C. World War Secretaries, at a meeting just held here, elected James A. Lamb of Brooklyn as their president. Mr. Lamb, who has been secretary of the organization for the past six years, was attached to the 28th Division in the war and saw service at the front for seven months.

The organization decided to erect a war hut in Brooklyn during the summer here. The hut will be a replica of those used in the war and will serve as a memorial to the delegates to the convention.

Harvard University Paper Criticizes Spanish Jesuits And Is Taken to Task

The Rev. M. J. Ahern, S.J., Asks for Facts to Prove Statements Printed, and Receives Wandering and Evasive Reply to His Request

Boston, March 4.—A little over two weeks ago I received by mail a marked copy of the issue for Thursday, January 21, 1932, of "The Harvard Crimson," which is the undergraduate daily newspaper of the University. I understand that the responsibility for the publication of this newspaper rests wholly with the board of student editors and managers who conduct it. The marking on the paper was in reference to an editorial entitled "The Church and the State," which dealt exclusively with the laws against the Jesuits in Spain. The second paragraph of this editorial reads as follows: "The Spanish revolution is to be successful the state must establish its authority independent of that of the Church. It was inevitable that the Jesuits would come in for a share of the attack. They have maintained a power in Spain which the state could not stand to allow them. They have controlled much of the

development of the state and private enterprises, and have exercised a great influence in the nation through their far-flung system of schools. In addition to whatever interference in political affairs can be traced to the Society, their position has been burdensome. No longer an incorruptible organization conducting a holy war against indifference and heresy, the Jesuits have lost their original justification while retaining their privileges."

Writes to Editor. I wrote immediately the following letter to the Editorial Chairman of the "Crimson": "My dear Sir:—I am just in receipt of a marked copy of the Harvard Crimson for January 21. "Being a Jesuit of nearly 36 years membership in the Order, and being personally acquainted with several hundred Spanish Jesuits, I am nat-

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Thirty-two Countries Will Send Delegations to Irish Congress

Dublin, Mar. 4.—One hundred and sixty-seven Bishops, representing the Catholic people of 32 countries, have accepted the invitation of His Grace, the Archbishop of Dublin, to attend the 31st International Eucharistic Congress here next June. The attendances will include the following: Ireland—His Eminence the Cardinal Primate of all Ireland; His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin, sponsor of the Congress; three Archbishops and 23 Bishops.

The Bishops of America—Their Eminences, the Cardinal-Archbishops of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago, seven Archbishops and 17 Bishops. Great Britain, England, Scotland and Wales—His Eminence the Cardinal-Archbishop of Westminster, four Archbishops and 19 Bishops. Italy—His Eminence the Cardinal-Archbishop of Palermo, three Archbishops and seven Bishops.

Canada—Two Archbishops and nine Bishops. Africa, Egypt, South Africa, Nigeria, Zanzibar—Eleven Bishops. France—His Eminence the Cardinal-Archbishop of Paris and nine Bishops. Spain—Eight Bishops. Belgium—His Eminence the Cardinal-Archbishop of Malines and His Excellency, Magr. Keylen, President of the Permanent Committee of the Eucharistic Congresses and two

Bishops. Czechoslovakia—Three Bishops. Australia—One Archbishop and two Bishops. India—One Archbishop and three Bishops. Hungary—Three Bishops. Malta—One Archbishop and one Bishop. Trinidad and Mexico—One Archbishop each. Serbia—His Excellency the Primate of Serbia. One Bishop from each of the following places: Germany, Costa Rica, China, Yugo-Slavia, Gibraltar, the city of Danzig, Philippine Islands, Fiji Islands, Newfoundland, Holland, Lithuania.

It is anticipated that the number of acceptances from some of the countries indicated above, notably Italy, Holland, Germany, Australia, Belgium, France and Poland will be increased within the next couple of months.

Some of the countries not yet represented in the acceptances are Austria, Bulgaria, Denmark, Portugal, Roumania, Switzerland, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Columbia, Venezuela, New Zealand. From press reports in some of the countries named the Congress Committee has learned that Bishops to attend the Congress, by which notification has not yet been received.

Knights Book Tunney For Jubilee Meeting Here on 29th of March

Former Heavyweight Champion of the World Will be Notable Attraction at Celebration of Fiftieth Anniversary of Founding of the Order—Frederick M. Tobin General Chairman of the Meeting.

Gene Tunney, retired heavyweight boxing champion of the world, will come to Rochester on March 29th and will be the principal speaker at a mass meeting of the Rochester Knights of Columbus, to be held in the evening in commemoration of the golden jubilee of the founding of the Order in New Haven, Conn., 50 years ago. Tunney's acceptance for this notable event was obtained through the efforts of John A. Doyle, Grand Knight of the Rochester K. of C., and Jake Carey, who booked Tunney for several notable bouts in the A. E. F. in France during the World War, when Jake was director of boxing for the Knights of Columbus. Tunney's presence in Rochester will be one of the outstanding events in sporting and fraternal circles for the year, and a great crowd is sure to hear him.

Frederick M. Tobin, head of the Rochester Packing Co., will be general chairman of the celebration at which Tunney will appear, and will introduce the former champion to the audience. Jake Carey will be chairman of speakers and of entertainment for the meeting, and a program of surprising merit will be arranged by him.

Tunney will give an interesting lecture on the ring sport, and will show a picture called "Kings of the Ring." This picture depicts tense and dramatic moments in practically all of the heavyweight championship bouts in the past decade. Tunney will speak on and after the picture, and will answer questions concerning it or his career as a heavyweight boxer.

He will also give his own version of the much-discussed "long count" that occurred in his bout with Jack Dempsey in Chicago in 1927. There have been all sorts of comment about that count, but Tunney's account should prove most authentic as well as interesting.