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Pope Benedict XV.

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The Catholic World Over

Two Sisters of Holy Cross, Sr M Monavita and Sr Helen Xavier, are on their way to India to labor in the diocese of Dacca.

Rev. Romuald Hayes of the Society of St. Columban for Chinese Missions has been named Bishop of Rockhampton, Australia, by a decree of Propaganda, January 12, 1932

Priests of the Society of the Divine Word, Techny, Ill., recently appointed to foreign posts are: Rev. Urban Bronder, and Rev Leo Grude to the Philippine Islands; Rev. William Lenzen and Rev Herman Westermann to Indore, the new mission field of the S. V. D. Society in India; and, Rev Bernard Kowalski to Honan, China. Departure ceremony is scheduled for Memorial Day.

The Most Rev. Patrick A. McGovern, Bishop of Cheyenne, recently observed the twentieth anniversary of his episcopal consecration.

During the year 1931, 24 high Masses, one Requiem and 21 low Masses at which hymns were sung in German were celebrated in the chapel of the Europa while the vessel was on the high seas 626 Masses. 1,002 Holy Communions were distributed An average of 24 passengers attended the services.

Coercion in forcing people to "go to church" by making all amusements and recreations impossible on Sunday was recently deemed "unwise" by Dr. Lloyd C. Douglas, minister of St. James United Church of Canada, in Montreal.

Eighteen Catholic chiefs came together at Cawaei, Fiji Islands, last January, to study the organization of a strong Catholic Action in the Fiji Islands. There has been already for several years an active lay element in the movement represented by 250 voluntary catechists, but this is reported as the first time that the chiefs have taken part.

The Most Rev. Lawrence Pereira, Bishop of Kottar in South India, reports that several thousand pagans are under instruction in the six mission centers opened for this purpose. Recently 500 Nadars were baptized in one center.

The Rev. Peter Bennett, rector of the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament, Sacramento, has been selected as chaplain of the pilgrimage of the Ancient Order of Hibernians to the International Eucharistic Congress at Dublin, Ireland.

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Says Tolerance Being Developed By Catholic Hour

Washington, April 29 A [illegible] number of Protestants and persons of no faith at all listen in regularly to the "Catholic Hour" and are favorably impressed by this presentation of Catholic teachings and doctrines, "which they never imagined were so praiseworthy," the Rev. H. J. Schafers, pastor of SS. Peter and Paul Church, Cushing, Okla. has written to the headquarters of the National Council of Catholic Men here, sponsors of the broadcast

He has learned this fact, Father Schafers states, through his own observations and from the statements of Catholic workers in the vicinity.

The broadcast does incalculable good in far-away, sparsely settled communities, the priest says, adding that it makes its hearers less intolerant and "that it is accomplishing a lot."

Stating that it "makes us humble missionaries in these out of the way places feel that our work is greatly aided by your sponsoring of this splendid program," Father Schafers adds that "we can offer you little but our encouragement, appreciation and prayers for its continued success."

"We might offer it as a suggestion," he continues, "that all interested hearers like us who cannot help financially, and even all religious Orders, particularly the contemplative, be asked and urged to spend an hour in prayer for the spiritual benefit and success of this great work as well as financial."

CO-OPERATION Must Be More Than a Word

CATHOLIC people throughout the Rochester Diocese are anxious to be represented before the community by a publication that properly reflects their aims and ideals.

FEW REALIZE, however, that our diocesan newspaper cannot rise unaided to high levels. The co-operation of EVERY Catholic is needed if the worthwhile goal is to be achieved.

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Cardinal Dead

His Eminence Gustave Cardinal Piffl, Archbishop of Vienna, who died a few days ago in his See city He was in his sixty-eighth year Cardinal Piffl visited the United States at the time of the International Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, and declared himself impressed by the country's spiritual vigor and great material development (International Photo.)

Distinguished Cardinal In Vienna Dead

Cardinal Archbishop Piffl Succumbs at Age 67 Years Following Career of Outstanding Achievements in Native Country

Vienna April 29 Frederick Gustav Cardinal Piffl, Canon Regular of the Lateran, and Archbishop of Vienna, died on Wednesday morning last week at the age of 67 years [illegible] the [illegible] child of a book [illegible] of Landskron, Bohemia, and [illegible] that he should fol[illegible] trade But he studied for the Church instead and [illegible] to the highest ecclesiastical dignity in his country He [illegible] patron of [illegible] and [illegible] in this [illegible] of art at the Vienna Academy of Music.

Cardinal Piffl was born in Landskron, Oct 15 1864. He was created a Cardinal on May 25 1914 [illegible] by the [illegible] Seipel, former Chancellor of Austria. Cardinal Piffl attended the Eucharistic Congress in Chicago 1926 and attracted great [illegible] attention Unable to [illegible] he made several addresses in [illegible] and [illegible] still remembered with pleasure by all who heard him He stopped in Rochester on the way to Chicago at the time

Throughout the trying [illegible] own country that followed [illegible] his election to the College of Cardinals, Cardinal Piffl displayed conspicuous ability and [illegible] It has been said that far greater disorders than actually occurred would have followed the revolution of November, 1918, had it not been for his influence. In the task of reconstruction Cardinal Piffl worked with Msgr. Seipel, who was later chosen Chancellor and Premier

Four years ago the Cardinal urged Austrians to keep the control of the radio out of the hands of those who would use it for the broadcasting of jazz"

Will Assist Archbishop of San Francisco

Archbishop Mitty Has Arrived in San Francisco to Take Up Duties as Coadjutor to Archbishop Hanna

San Francisco April 29—The State [illegible] the Church with flowers and felicitations Tuesday, April 12, as the Most Rev John J. Mitty arrived here to take over his high office as Coadjutor Archbishop of San Francisco Governor [illegible] Jr., and Mayor Angelo Rossi headed the throng of dignitaries greeting the new prelate as he arrived at the Ferry Building

Archbishop Mitty expressed pleasure at his appointment to San Francisco. "My principal task is to help Archbishop Hanna with some of the tasks now overburdening him" he said.

"His reluctance to refuse any task that may further the common good, has caused him to be overworked. This is a large archdiocese

"What with his work on housing and unemployment commissions, the State of California has been taking a great deal of his time."

Praised by Archbishop Hanna

"This archdiocese is fortunate in getting a man of Archbishop Mitty's capabilities," Archbishop Hanna declared. "His presence here will make my own work lighter and no part of the Church's work will be neglected."

The Very Rev. Thomas F. Burke, C.S.P., pastor of Old St. Mary's Church, headed the welcoming clergy. He was accompanied by the Rev. R. A. McGowan, Assistant Director of the Department of Social Action, National Catholic Welfare Conference, Washington, D. C.

Archbishop Hanna and Bishop Patrick A. McGovern, of Cheyenne, with a group of priests from the Diocese of Salt Lake City, accompanied Archbishop Mitty here. Miss Barbara Deneby, representing local Catholic women's organizations, presented Archbishop Mitty with flowers.

The new Archbishop is 48 years old. He was born in New York and was ordained to the priesthood there. For several years he represented His Eminence Patrick Cardinal Hayes on committees studying labor problems. During the war he saw action at the front as a chaplain of the 26th Division. He was appointed Bishop of Salt Lake diocese in 1926. His new office carries the right of automatic succession to Archbishop Hanna.

Salt Lake City, April 29—The Cathedral of the Madeline was thronged Sunday evening, April 10, when members of the clergy, the religious and the laity of the Diocese gathered to say farewell to the Most

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Sister of Charity, Sixty-One Years Old, Dies at Nanuet, N. Y.

Nanuet N. Y., April 29.—Sister Stanislaus Kostka, a member of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, Mount St Vincent, this city, for sixty-one years died on Wednesday last week in St Agatha's Convent, Nanuet, N.Y. Her name in the world was Miss Mary Louise Shea. She was a niece of John G. Shea, famous Catholic historian Sister Stanislaus had taught for many years in Manhattan, St. Augustine's in the Bronx, St. John's in Goshen, N. Y.

Archbishop and Coadjutor

The Most Rev. Edward J. Hanna, Archbishop of San Francisco, left, and the Most Rev. John J. Mitty, Coadjutor Archbishop of San Francisco with right to succession. This picture was made following the recent arrival of Archbishop Mitty in San Francisco to take up his duties in that archdiocese. Archbishop Mitty was formerly Bishop of Salt Lake, and was an overseas chaplain during the World War. (Acme Photo.)

Bishop O'Hern Will Confer Papal Cross

Formal Presentation to Mrs. Cora McParlin to Take Place in Columbus Civic Center Auditorium

The first of the formal presentations of the Papal Crosses, "Pro Ecclesia et Pontifice" recently conferred by the Holy Father on five Catholic laywomen, will be that of Mrs. Cora McParlin, supreme trustee of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association, who will receive the Papal honor from Most Rev John Francis O'Hern, D.D., Bishop of Rochester at a reception to be held in Columbus Civic Center ballroom, Monday evening, May 9

Mrs. McParlin with Miss Cecelia M. Yawman, Miss Alice Kirk, Mrs. Teresa Ganster and Miss Elizabeth Harmon received notice of the conferring of the crosses in March. Ceremonies for the presentation to the other four Catholic women will be announced later

At the time of the announcement of the honors conferred on these outstanding Catholic women of the diocese, it was brought out that Mrs. McParlin of St. John the Evangelist Church has been a leading figure in the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association for more than forty years. Besides the supreme post Mrs. McParlin holds in an organization numbering more than 500,000 Catholic women, she is president of the Rochester Advisory Senate, the governing body of the local branches. She has always been active in Catholic and community affairs and at Christmas time directs the distribution of Christmas baskets through the L. C. B. A. to the poor.

Miss Kate Mahoney of Troy, N. Y., supreme president of the L. C. B. A., is coming for the reception for Mrs. McParlin and many out of town as well as local friends and members of

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Catholic Women To Be Awarded Papal Honors

Bishop O'Hern Will Confer Papal Crosses at Catholic Women's Club Dinner In Columbus Center, May 25

Distinctive honor has been conferred by Most Reverend John Francis O'Hern, D.D., upon the Catholic Women's Club of Rochester by the announcement that the investiture of the medal "Pro Ecclesia at Pontifice" recently bestowed upon five Catholic women of the Diocese by the Holy Father will be made upon four of the group by Bishop O'Hern at the honorary dinner to be tendered by the Club to him and the five women at Columbus Civic Center on Wednesday evening, May 25, at 7 P. M.

As this will be the second public vesting of any woman within the Diocese of Rochester with a decoration by the Pope, it is anticipated that there will be a great deal of interest in the ceremony and the Club extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend the dinner.

Committees from the organizations [illegible] the recipients of the medals are officers and heads have been invited to serve, and it is expected that there will be a number of guests from out of town.

Mrs. Leo F. Simpson is general chairman for the dinner and Mrs. Simpson has called a meeting of the committees for next Tuesday evening May 3, at the Club House, 215 Alexander Street, at 8:00 P. M.

At the Club House this week:

The Poetry Group will meet Sunday, May 1st, at 3.30 P. M. The poets Katherine Tynan Hinkson and Edwin Robinson will be discussed.

Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock the Business Women's Group will meet and hold their annual election of officers to be followed by cards.

On Friday evening the Board of Directors will come together for their monthly meeting.

New Low Rates Announced for Eucharistic Congress Trip

Fare of $163.50 to Congress And Return Set for Pilgrimage to Be Directed by Father Mooney.

Announcement was made by Rev Leo. C. Mooney, diocesan director, Society for the Propagation of the Faith, who is directing a pilgrimage to the thirty-first International Eucharistic Congress to be held in Dublin, June 22 to June 26, this year that new low rates for the Pilgrimage have been announced.

These new rates were made possible by the recent reduction granted by the French Line to those participating in the Pilgrimage and direct return can be made for $163.50, steamship and taxes included. The price of $213, however, covers transportation to Dublin on the magnificent liner S.S. De Grasse of the French Line and the use of the ship as a hotel during the Congress.

The direct return passengers who desire to return immediately following the Congress, will leave Dublin on the "De Grasse" June 27th and proceed to Havre, arriving on the 28 Accommodations will be furnished for two nights. They will then sail on the "Rochambeau" June 20, due in New York July 11.

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Diocesan Holy Name Union Formed Under Direction of Father Stauder

Old-timers and many who are not yet old-timers still recall with a thrill the great Holy Name Parades of a decade or more ago, with the bands, the banners, the thousands of marching men giving testimony to the Sacred Name of Jesus!

While the custom of annual parades gradually lapsed, the great work of the Holy Name Societies went on In many parishes, and in all the parishes which marched ten or fifteen years ago, the Holy Name Society has remained the peculiarly parish-wide organization of their men

Desirous of bringing the several individual Holy Name Societies of the city and diocese into a united body and of spreading this great work, Bishop O'Hern very recently appointed the Rev. William F Stauder, M R pastor of Holy Redeemer, Diocesan Spiritual Director of the Holy Name and gave his sanction and approval to the formation of a Diocesan Holy Name Union.

A preliminary meeting of the various parishes of the city was called some weeks ago and last Monday night in the Columbus Civic Center, representatives of fourteen different parishes met and effected formation of a permanent Diocesan Union. B. E. Shlesinger of St. Ambrose parish was elected President. William G. Wynn of Immaculate Conception, Peter J. Connelly of Corpus Christi, William Crissy of St. John the Evangelist, and Charles J. Knapp of St. Andrews were elected Vice-presidents. Andrew Wuest of Holy Family, Secretary and Joseph Antolina of Our Lady of Sorrows, Treasurer.

Tentative plans have already been formulated for a diocesan Holy Name Rally in June. It is planned to have an open air service with a sermon by a nationally prominent member of clergy and a talk by a nationally prominent layman on Holy Name topics followed by solemn benediction. The Executive Committee comprising the Spiritual Director, the Officers above named and John W. Diringer who has been appointed Marshall are now working on plans of this rally and it is expected that complete details will be announced very shortly.

Miss Rossenbach Has Exhibition Of Her Art Work

Miss Eileen M. Rossenbach, who is a student in Grand Central Art School, New York City, has been highly honored by having nine of her productions in Oil, Costume Designing and Commercial Art, chosen and placed at the Annual Exhibition of this Art School, which exhibition is now taking place, having started April 19th. Miss Rossenbach is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Rossenbach, Main Street West.

Discussion of Crime by Warden Brophy Will Feature K. of C. Mass Meeting

An event that will be of prime importance to Catholic fathers and mothers of Rochester will be a mass meeting to be held in Clumbus Civic Center Auditorium on Friday evening, May 6, at 8:30 p. m., to be sponsored by the Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus and at which Warden Joseph H. Brophy of Auburn State Prison will address the assemblage on the subject "Does Crime Pay?"

Because of conditions as they exist today, Grand Knight John A. Doyle considered this affair, one of vital interest to the parents of the children of Rochester, and one in which they will be most willing to participate. He persuaded his personal friend, Warden Brophy to come to Columbus Civic Center to give first hand information on what he has seen in his position as the head of the State's great penal institution.

In his experience as Warden of the prison and as a Chief of Police in Rome, N. Y., Mr. Brophy has been able to witness the results of the breaking down of the moral fibre of the American youth. Under his care have come young men and young women whose disregard for law and authority has ruined their lives and has made them a menace to society. Actual facts presented by him will be most beneficial to all who will hear him, Grand Knight Doyle said this week.

Arrangements for the lecture are being made by Lecturer George J. Law. In addition to the address to be given by Warden Brophy, a program of entertainment that will please all will be presented.

Letters to the parochial schools of the city are being sent out to invite the children of the eighth grades to attend the affair with their fathers. There will be no charge for the meeting, the whole program being handled by the Rochester Knights of Columbus.

Catholic Daughters Meeting

Court Rochester No. 1139, Catholic Daughters of America will hold the monthly business meeting at Columbus Civic Center, Thursday evening, May 5. All members of the Court are requested to be present.

First Diocesan Convention National Council Catholic Men To Be Held In Geneva

Representatives of All Affiliated Societies to Discuss Questions of Vital Importance in Catholic Life; All Catholic Laymen Invited to Participate

BISHOP O'HERN EXPECTED TO ATTEND AT LEAST ONE SESSION OF CONVENTION

Nocturnal Adoration Societies, the Catholic Press, Parish Organization, and other subjects of timely interest to Catholic laymen will be discussed at the first convention of Rochester Diocesan Council, National Council of Catholic Men to be held at Geneva, N. Y., Sunday, May 15, at 3 P. M. The convention sessions will be held in the school auditorium of St. Francis de Sales Church.

More than one hundred [illegible] lay societies, such as the [illegible] Columbus, [illegible] Name Societies, [illegible] bernians, and other [illegible] ish societies will be [illegible] representation in the convention. All Catholic laymen of the diocese are invited to attend [illegible] in the discussions.

Honorary chairman of the convention will be the Very Rev. [illegible] V.F. dean of the [illegible] and pastor of [illegible] Church. [illegible] of Rochester, [illegible] Diocesan Council will [illegible] dents of all the [illegible] will report on [illegible] five [illegible] Rochester, [illegible] given by Rev. [illegible] and Charles A. [illegible] the diocesan council. [illegible] Most Rev. [illegible] O'Hern [illegible]

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U. S. Priest Is Appointed To Far East Post

Msgr. R. A. Lane, Pioneer Maryknoll Missioner, Sent to Head Important Mission Field of His Order

Maryknoll, N. Y., April 29—Word from Rome has been received here at the headquarters of the Catholic Foreign Mission Society of America of the appointment of the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Raymond A. Lane, M.M., of Lawrence, Mass., as Prefect Apostolic of the Maryknoll Fushun field in southeastern Manchuria.

The new Monsignor is one of the pioneers of the Maryknoll Society. He was born at Lawrence, Mass., January 2, 1894, and attended St. John's College, Danvers, Mass., after becoming, in 1913, the first student of Maryknoll's oldest Preparatory College, in the Diocese of Scranton. Ordained in 1920, Father Lane was for some years General Procurator of his Society.

Assigned to China

In 1923 he was assigned to China and was until 1925 in charge of the Maryknoll Mission Procure at Hongkong. In 1925, the Sacred Congregation of Propaganda, at the request of Bishop Blois of Mukden, designated for the Maryknoll Society a field in southeastern Manchuria. Father Lane and the Rev. Joseph P. McCormack, of New York City, were chosen to blaze the trail in this new field.

By 1929 considerable progress had been made in the Manchu Maryknoll, under Father Lane's guidance as Acting Superior. A Center House

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Official Organ Hails Catholic Hour's Success

Harrisburg, April 29—The astounding success of the Catholic Hour conducted by the National Council of Catholic Men on Sunday evenings at six o'clock, shows the deep and widespread interest which [illegible] the simple exposition of the Catholic doctrine and practice has stirred throughout the United States over fifty-three radio stations," it was asserted in the Register of the Diocese of Harrisburg, Pa. The "Official Register of Transactions."

"It is safe to say," the [illegible] continues, "that few, if [illegible] sages over the radio command attention comparable to that which the Catholic Hour received. The letters concerning the sermons, averaging more than one thousand a week, [illegible]

"Not less amazing than the success of the Catholic Hour has been the economy with which [illegible]

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Many Bequests Left to Churches And to Charities

New York, April 29.—The will of Charles H. Lundy, resident of Kings County, who died on April 13, was probated recently. It contained, among other bequests, the following to churches and to charities:

To Sisters of the Poor of St. Francis of St. Peter's Hospital, $3,000; St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Church, $2,000, and to the pastor of the church for educational purposes, $6,000; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, $3,000; Society of the Divine Saviour, Racine, Wis., $500; Home for the Aged, Little Sisters of the Poor, $3,000; Immaculate Conception Seminary, Huntington, L. I., $3,000; Brooklyn Catholic Big Sisters, $3,000; Servants of Relief for Incurable Cancer, $3,000; St. Vincent de Paul Council, $3,000; Roman Catholic Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, $3,000; Brooklyn Home for Blind, Crippled and Defective Children, $2,000; Mother House for the Sisters of St. Joseph, Brentwood, N. J., $2,000.

"Oldest Catholic Sweethearts" Are Parted by Death

London, April 29.—England's "oldest Catholic sweethearts," Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Neill, who were married a little over 72 years ago, have been parted. For death has taken Mrs. O'Neill at the age of 91. Patrick, who is 94, is disconsolate. "It will not be long," he says, "before we are together again."

On the seventy-second anniversary of their wedding last October they received the congratulations of the King and Queen.

The local council at Consett, Durham, where they lived all their lives, on that occasion presented an illuminated address and the whole town turned out for a triumphal procession through the streets when Patrick and his sweetheart drove to St. Mary's Church at Blackhill, nearby, to offer a thanksgiving at the altar at which they were married.

At that time the old couple were claimed to be "England's oldest sweethearts," but the glare of publicity discovered a couple in Lincolnshire who had shared each other's joy and sorrows for 74 years. The O'Neill's didn't mind. "I hope they have been as happy as we have," said Patrick.

Only one child was born to the O'Neill's, a little girl named Bridget who died when she was three years old.

Announcement of Commencement Date

Convent Station, N. J., April 29—Commencement [illegible] of the College of St. Elizabeth will take place between June 2 and June 6, according to a program announced by Sister Marie Jose, dean of the college.

The Rev. Charles T. Conroy [illegible] will preach the Baccalaureate sermon. The mothers of the graduates will be entertained at a tea on June 3. Miss Naomi [illegible] [illegible] in civic and club affairs in [illegible] burgh, will be the [illegible] at the commencement [illegible] held June 6.