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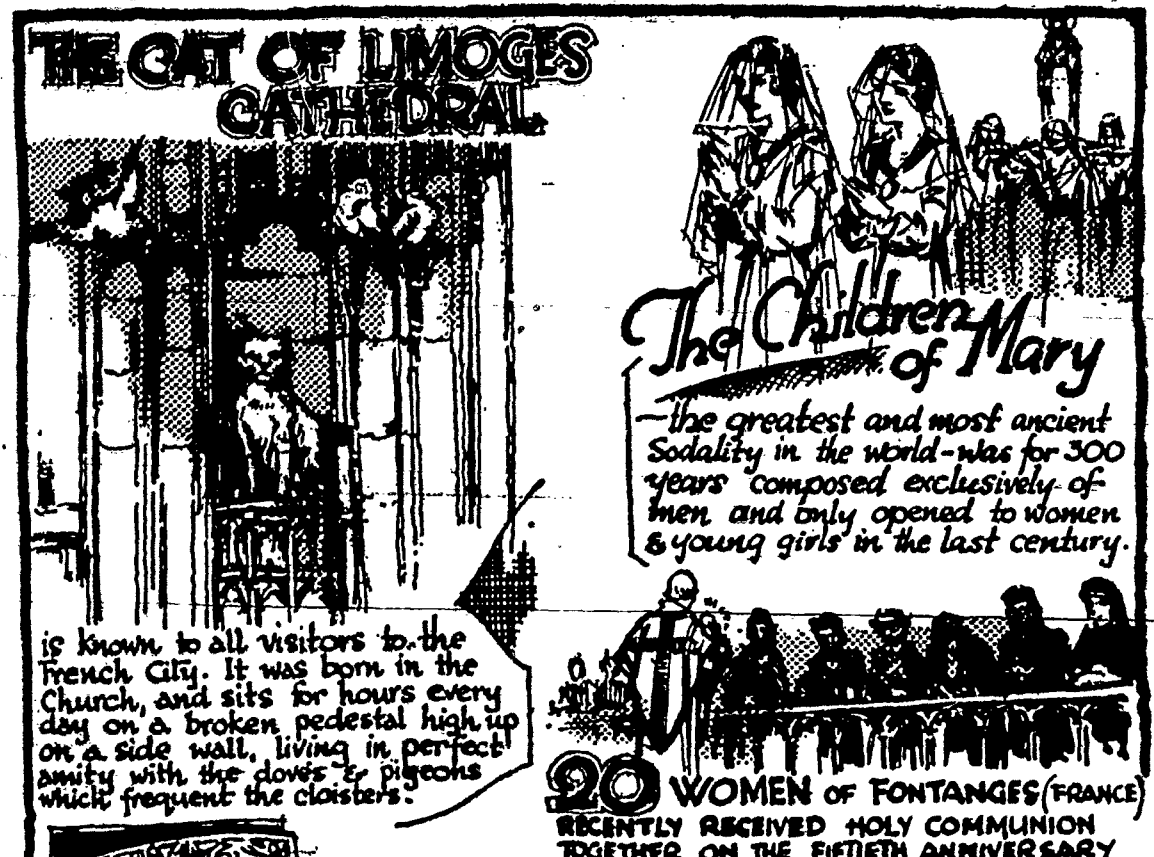
Death, Subject Of Controversy

Hippolytus says 206 years have passed from the 13th year of the Emperor Severus and the death of Christ. This again brings us to A.D. 206. Lastly, the Feast of the Circumcision of Christ in the year 732 of the building of the city, which is our year A.D. 29.

See Significance of Event. Knowing the relevant theories and speculations, and referring to the one or the other, the Holy Father, in designating April 2, 1933, to April 2, 1934, as a Holy Year in observance of the centenary of the Savior's death, gives them scant heed in view of the vastly greater importance of the events themselves.

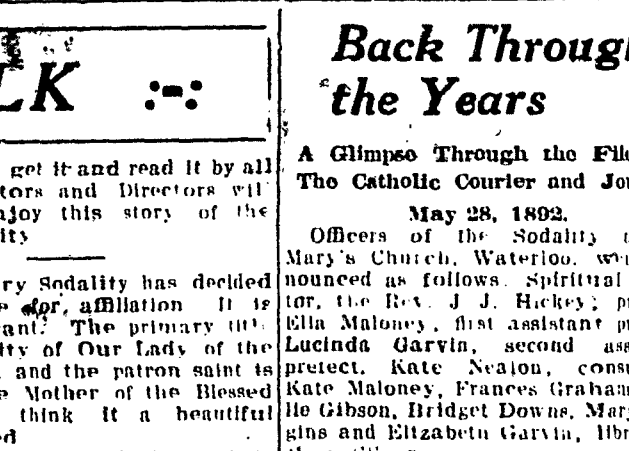
STRANGE BUT TRUE Catholic Facts But Little Known

By M. J. MURRAY



It is known to all visitors to the French City. It was born in the Church, and sits for hours every day on a broken pedestal high up on a side wall, living in perfect safety with the doves and pigeons which frequent the cloisters.

20 WOMEN OF FONTANGES (FRANCE) RECENTLY RECEIVED HOLY COMMUNION TOGETHER ON THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THEIR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. THEY HAD COMED FROM DIFFERENT PARTS TO COMMEMORATE THEIR COMMON JOY.



The Diocese of Port Augusta in South Australia is ten times as large as England and has only 20 secular priests.

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China Clergy Take Charge of Seminary

Suanhwafu, China. A new regional seminary, which will serve the three territories of Suanhwafu, Peking and Yihon, has been inaugurated here. It will be the first directed entirely by Chinese clergy.

Belated Appeal

The following letter, received too late for Christmas giving, is still a strong appeal. Any donations may be made through the Local Diocesan Office, Columbus Civic Center, 50 Chestnut Street.

Gets Results

New York. An unusually quick result of the Catholic Medical Mission Board's recent medical course for missionaries is reported in a letter just received by the Rev. Edward J. Kammer, C.M., secretary of the Vincentian Foreign Mission Society.

Vital Forces

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SODALTALK

This week I am presenting you with a potpourri, a scrapbook of what have you. If you don't mind the hodge-podge, we shall jump from one topic to another.

Review, get it and read it by all means. Pastors and Directors will especially enjoy this story of the Parish Sodality.

Holy Rosary Sodality has decided on these goals for affiliation. It is truly significant. The primary title is the Sodality of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary.

Preparations were being made for the unveiling of the soldiers' and sailors' monument in Washington Park on Memorial Day.

Did you read the editorial in a recent issue of 'The Times Union' on 'The Shrine's Responsibility'?

Rev. George J. Elser, pastor of St. Columba's Church, called for Europe (or a three months' tour).

Everyone loves to ask questions. This inclination and in fact, to begin as soon as we can talk and even when we leave this world we are still questioning.

Members of the Roman Catholic Uniformed Union were planning to attend the Knights of St. John convention in Toronto, June 23, 1937.

Speaking of Catholic literature, you know, considering the wealth of material there is very little 'good' Catholic literature.

At a meeting of the children of Mary of St. Patrick's Church, Danville, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

We're tremendously interested in the "Friendship Talks" given by Father William Connell to the Sodality of Holy Apostles Church.

Burglars entered the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Ithaca, and ransacked the vestry, throwing the vestments out of the window.

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Chicago—Priests of the Archdiocese of Chicago have been warned from the Chancery Office to be on guard against men who offer to have candlesticks replated free or at a nominal sum.

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It is good people were kinder, the number of sinners would grow less. The magic touch of kindness will soften the heart of the hardest sinner.

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Be confirmed in patience, that when you enter the holy city of Jerusalem you may see the vision of peace; receive all that you have sown in this time of sowing.

And the way, if you haven't read it, is to be found in the work of the Holy Spirit.

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