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## ARCHBP. MARELLA ON WAY TO JAPAN BRINGS POPE'S SPECIAL BLESSING TO U. S.

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The following story is particularly timely in view of the fact that Archbishop Marella, formerly Auditor of the Apostolic Delegation in Washington, has just arrived in the United States from Rome on his journey to Japan, to which country he has been named Apostolic Delegate.

Vatican City.—At a farewell audience granted him by the Holy Father on the eve of his departure for Japan, to which country he has been named Apostolic Delegate, His Excellency the Most Rev. Paul Marella announced that he would journey by way of the United States and His Holiness gladly approved the plan and charged the new Delegate to carry his special greetings and blessing to the Cardinals and Bishops of the United States and to reiterate the profound sense of satisfaction that he cherishes for the Catholic life of that great country.

Archbishop Marella served for ten years in the United States as Auditor of the Apostolic Delegation in Washington and he expressed the wish once more to see the many friends that he has in that country before going to the Orient.

The conversation of the Apostolic Delegate with the Sovereign Pontiff was dedicated, naturally, almost entirely to Japan and the Pope extended the most cordial blessings and good wishes for the discharge of his mission. Pope Pius said he had always had, since his boyhood, a great interest in that country and its people and had studied with particular attention the history and customs of Japan always keeping himself informed concerning the admirable development of that people in every field of progress. The qualities of the Japanese, their intelligence and strong character, have always been appreciated and admired by him, the Holy Father said.

His Holiness spoke to Archbishop Marella also of Japanese art and its peculiar characteristics. To corroborate this opinion on the fitness, delicacy and force of expression the Pope at a certain point in the conversation took a Japanese picture which he kept on his desk and which had recently been brought him as a gift by the Apostolic Vicar of Hiroshima, and pointed out various details which fully confirmed his remarks.

The Pope's most benevolent words were, naturally, for the Japanese Catholics. The Holy Father, recognizing that their number is very restricted, said he was very glad not only at the eager faith and religious practices that they demonstrate on every occasion, but also at the dignity with which they bear the name of Christian in all the manifestations of life, in such a way as to do honor to their religion and at the same time to their country.

"Not always," said the Pope, "is the quantity that counts, but the quality; and in this respect we are most satisfied with the Catholics of Japan and we bless them all with all the affection of our paternal heart."

Rome.—(NCWC-Fides)—Roman circles have been favorably impressed in recent weeks by the unmistakable evidence of keen love for

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## MEXICAN STATE BANS ALL BUT SEVEN PRIESTS

By CHARLES BETICO,  
(Mexico City Correspondent, N. C. W. C. News Service)

Mexico City.—The new law promulgated by the Governor of the State of Queretaro limits the number of priests who will be authorized to officiate in that State to one for every 30,000 inhabitants. A previous law, promulgated June 20, 1928, had authorized 29 priests, or one for every 8,000 inhabitants. The new law will permit only seven priests to care for the spiritual needs of 233,695 people living in an area of 4,500 square miles.

Priests who are to officiate must advise their respective municipal president who will register the application in a book and then forward the application to the Governor. Any priest exercising his ministry without permission will be subject to a fine of 500 pesos or 15 days in jail.

The Mexican Government is using the students' strikes at Guadalajara and Durango as an excuse for increasing persecution of Catholics, charging them with having influenced the strikers; but the apparent reason for this increase of persecution is that the Government of Mexico surmises that the Confederation of Anti-Revolutionist Parties, which will oppose the present Government in the next presidential election, has the support of the Catholic clergy.

## FR. COUGHLIN IN DEFENSE OF MONEY POLICY

### New York Throng Cheers Priest-Orator Assailing Administration Critics

New York.—(NCWC)—Seven thousand persons jammed the Hippodrome here and 10,000 more milled about in the streets Monday night to hear the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, pastor of the Shrine of the Little Flower, Detroit, and noted radio orator, deliver an address in defense of the monetary policy of President Roosevelt.

Father Coughlin was wildly cheered when he warned the nation to "support Roosevelt or take your own road to ruin." He was applauded again when he launched an attack on those who have criticized the President's program.

"Silver," Father Coughlin told his audience, "is the money of 800,000,000 people; all the people of Asia and South America would like good roads like you have here; bath-tubs in their homes, shoes on their feet, and all the accessories of the Western World.

"The Lord Mayor of Bombay was in my home a short while ago. He said he would deliver India to America as a trading nation if their silver currency were recognized."

Declaring that the President's monetary policy is not inflation but "naturalization," Father Coughlin presented a resolution commending the gold-buying policy of President Roosevelt. It was carried unanimously.

The President, he said, proposes a process of restoring the economic ratio of one unit of gold to 2 1/2 units of currency to 12 units of credit, the latter consisting of loans, bonds, mortgages, etc. The present ratio, he declared, is 1 1/2 units of gold to one unit of currency to 50 units of credit. As a consequence, he declared:

"We have a famine of currency and a disease of debt money. What is the cure? The answer is to get more currency money into circulation until the normal currency ratio of 2 1/2 units to a unit of money is achieved. And we must reduce our debt money.

"We are raising gold to \$41.34 an ounce. This means we can issue twice as much currency. It will be twice as plentiful, twice as easy to obtain, and twice as easy to pay."

## Bishop Turquetil Sails for Rome

Montreal.—(NCWC)—The Most Rev. Arsene Turquetil, O.M.I., Vicar Apostolic of Hudson Bay, left here Monday evening of last week for New York. Sunday he embarked on the Ile-de-France on his way to Rome to be present at the canonization of Blessed Bernadette Soubirous.

## Priest, Minister, Rabbi, Tour Country Appealing For Amity Understanding

New York.—(NCWC)—The pilgrimage across the country of a Catholic priest, a Jewish rabbi and a Protestant minister in the interests of justice, amity and understanding among the three major religious groups in the United States in which the National Conference of Jews and Christians has been engaging, is meeting with wide publicity and hearty response in every community that has been visited. The clergy men are the Rev. Everett R. Clinchy, director of the National Conference and a Presbyterian minister, Rabbi Morris S. Lazarov, of Baltimore, and Father John Elliot Ross, of Charlottesville, Va. They are speaking

## FATHER JUDGE MISSION ORDER FOUNDER DIES

### Vincenian Priest, Superior of Trinitarians, Buried in Philadelphia

Philadelphia.—With His Eminence, Dennis Cardinal Dougherty, Archbishop of Philadelphia presiding, a Requiem Mass was celebrated today at St. Vincent's Seminary, Germantown, for the Very Rev. Thomas Augustine Judge, C.M., founder of two religious Orders whose remains were brought here following his death Thursday of last week to the Mother House of the Missionary Servants of the Most Blessed Trinity.

Representatives of the two Cenacles in Rochester, one in Lyons and one in Auburn, N. Y., of the Missionary Servants of the Most Blessed Trinity were present for the funeral services of the beloved founder of the order.

Washington.—(NCWC)—The Very Rev. Thomas Augustine Judge, C.M. died last Thursday at Providence Hospital, here, after an illness of several months.

Father Judge was born in St. Augustine's parish, Boston, August 23, 1868. Following an elementary education there, he entered the Vincenian Order and was ordained priest on May 27, 1899. During the early years of his priesthood, Father Judge taught at St. John's College, Brooklyn, and at Niagara University. For a few years he was a member of the New England Mission Band of the Vincenians and while engaged in

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## BOYS' WORK LEADERS WILL MEET IN N. Y.

New Haven, Conn.—(NCWC)—The fourth annual Eastern Regional Conference of Columbian Squires' leaders and Knights of Columbus members participating in Boys' Work programs will be held at the Knights of Columbus Club-Hotel, New York City, on Sunday, December 3.

Delegates from New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut will attend the sessions.

Inaugurated in 1930, the Eastern Regional Conference has developed into one of the outstanding events in Catholic boys' work. Prominent figures in the field of boys' work have addressed the delegates at these conferences and the speakers listed for this year's program include many names prominent in Catholic boys' work.

At the opening session John J. Contway, Director of the Knights of Columbus Boy Life Bureau, will preside. Following the morning session there will be a Conference Luncheon with the sessions continuing throughout the afternoon. Among the speakers who will discuss the various aspects of boys' work are: Rev. Vincent Mooney, C.S.C., Director of the Catholic Youth Bureau of the National Council of Catholic Men; Adam Muller, Chairman of the Social Welfare Committee for New York State Council, Knights of Columbus; C. J. Atkinson, honorary secretary, Boys' Clubs of America; Mr. Charles J. Ducey, of the Knights of Columbus Boy Life Bureau; Jerome J. Higgins, principal of the Derby, Conn., High School; Eugene F. McVeigh, Field Director, Columbus Cadets of New Jersey; Eugene Connelly, Senior Counselor of New York City Columbian Squires and John D. Wilkinson, Senior Counselor, South Portland, Me., Columbian Squires.

Washington.—(NCWC)—The "Catholic Hour," nation-wide radio broadcast sponsored by the National Council of Catholic Men is now being broadcast from one of the new studios of the National Broadcasting Company in Radio City. The new studio typifies the latest development in radio broadcasting. It is said, at least, that the necessary items direct to the studio are the most accurate ever published.

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## Diocese Lacks of Confidence

London.—(NCWC)—Lack of confidence in the maintenance of peace is a disease which has attacked the world and, if not cured within a short time, may well become chronic and incurable. Lord Howard of Penton, great English Catholic statesman declares in a pamphlet just issued. The pamphlet is entitled "The Prevention of War by Collective Action."

## CENTRE DRIVE OVER TOP WITH 2,487 MEMBERS

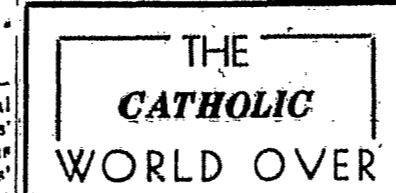
### Archbishop, Commending Workers, Indicates Much Interest in Centre

Having demonstrated their interest in and devotion to the Columbus Civic Centre and what it stands for by turning in 2,487 memberships of men, women and children, the 250 workers in the annual campaign had their efforts commended highly by representative speakers at the closing dinner of the drive, Monday evening, the climax of which was a special commendation from the Most Rev. Archbishop Edward Mooney, D.D., Bishop of Rochester. The goal set in the drive was 2,500 and the announcement of going over the top was greeted with prolonged applause.

"I am one entirely with the purpose of this building," Archbishop Mooney said in greeting the successful drive workers. "You are to be congratulated most heartily for this wonderful demonstration of team work, interest and devotion and for this Catholic contribution to the community life of Rochester. Many times since coming to Rochester I wanted to repeat the words of the psalmist, 'My lines have fallen in happy places.' Your splendid demonstration of enthusiasm and united effort confirms me in this.

"The reward of your efforts will be the continued success of this great enterprise. I want you to know that I appreciate the important part it plays in the heritage that has come to me. From the moment that I first saw this splendid building with its complete equipment and every facility for carrying on the work for which it was built, I felt it was due to the vision devotion and courage of the men who dreamed this dream and worked it out. Tribute must be paid to those men who carried on to keep this building for what it was

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Gather Yearbook Data  
Vatican City.—(NCWC)—The Papal Secretariat of State has sent letters to all the Ordinaries in the world asking them to inform the Vatican of changes that have occurred in their dioceses within the year affecting information contained in the annuario Pontificio. Compiling the Pontifical Yearbook is a gigantic task for it is one directory that covers the world, even the remote corners. This year, with each Ordinary supplying the necessary items direct to the Papal Secretariat of State it is hoped that the Annuario for 1934 will prove to be the most accurate ever published.

Active Among Colored  
Atchison, Kan.—(NCWC)—The local conference of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, which began its activities on the campus of St. Benedict's College and extended them throughout the city has made notable progress in its relief work among the colored residents of Atchison, among whom several recent conversions have been made.

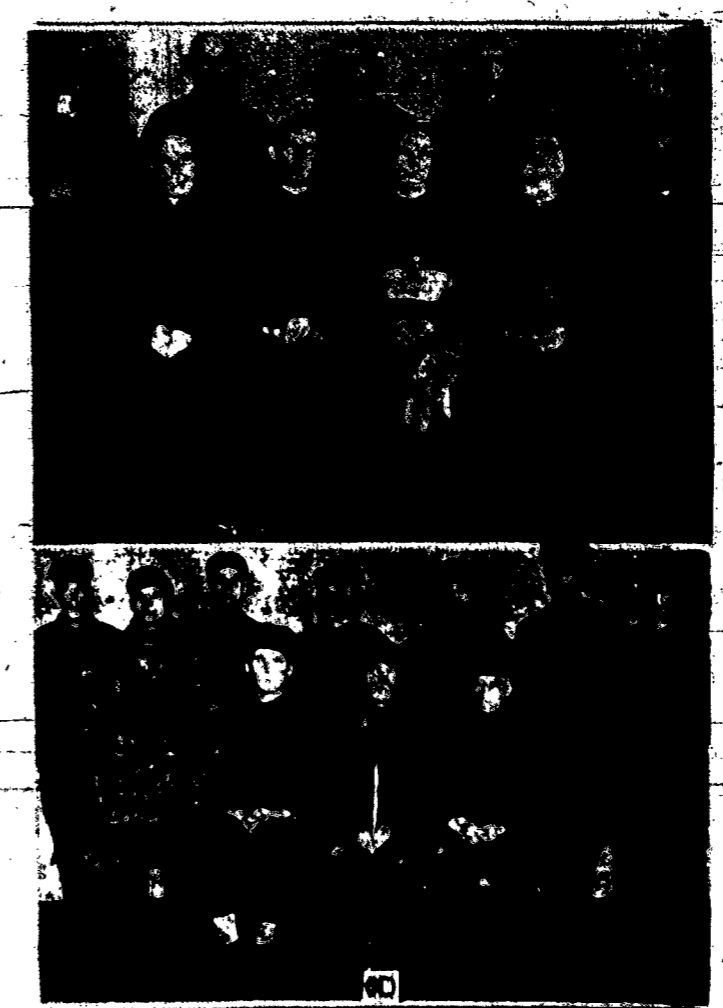
Gives Poor House Mission  
Dubuque, Ia.—(NCWC)—Probably for the first time in the history of the state, a mission has just been given in a county poor house. The Rev. Peter Crumby, O.F.M., well known missionary, conducted the mission for the Catholic inmates of the Dubuque County Home.

## Diocesan Newspaper Readers Pledge By Ballot To Buy From Advertisers

Visalia, Calif.—(NCWC)—With the inauguration here of a plan of balloting whereby readers of the Central California Register promise to patronize merchants advertising in the columns of that publication, the official paper of the Diocese of Monterey-Fresno, it has been announced that in the City of Fresno alone more than 1,000 Catholic families have already promised to support firms advertising in the Register for the next six months.

The new ballot plan to improve the position of the paper by obtaining the patronage of its readers for

## SOVIETS RELEASE EXILED PRIESTS



Above: Bishop Theophilus Matulionis (center) and nine priests photographed in Kaunas, Lithuania, following their release from Soviet prisons. Their freedom was the result of an exchange of prisoners effected by the Lithuanian Government. Two of the priests are Vicars General of dioceses. Below: The exiled priests are shown in the garb of wood-cutters worn in North Russia to which they were exiled to live a life of hard labor. They are now resting and recuperating under the care of the Metropolitan Archbishop of Kaunas.

## Bishop Freed by Soviet Reveals Secret Consecration in Russia

London.—(NCWC)—When the Most Rev. Theophilus Matulionis arrived in Latvia following his release from a Soviet prison, he revealed to ten priests and three laymen who had been imprisoned with him that he had been secretly consecrated a Bishop.

## 9 Nations Represented At Ordination of 22 Young Jesuits in India

Calcutta.—(N.C.W.C.-Fides)—Nine different nations were represented at the ordination today at the Jesuit scholasticate in Kurseong, when the Archbishop of Calcutta, the Most Rev. Ferdinand Perier, ordained 22 young men to the priesthood. England, Ireland, the United States, Italy, Spain, France, Belgium, Malta and Finland claim these men who now go to six different mission territories in India and Ceylon.

Two of the men were radio operators before their entry into the religious life, one in the British Merchant Marine and the other in America. One of the group was in the British Army, while still another had already begun his studies in medicine at Rome when he joined the society.

## PONSOR FORUM

Houston, Tex.—(NCWC)—A Catholic Forum sponsored by the local unit of the National Council of Catholic Women will open here next Monday. The action was decided upon at the recent convention of the Galveston Diocesan Council of the N. C. W.

## JOURNALIST ADMITTED

Washington.—(NCWC)—Thomas E. Kissing, member of the staff of the N. C. W. C. News Service, has been admitted to the local bar. Mr. Kissing is a staff research worker and pictorial editor.

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## CATHOLIC U. DAY WILL BE KEPT SUNDAY

### Special Collection To Be Taken Up in Churches of 84 Dioceses

Washington.—(NCWC)—The four dioceses will observe U. S. Catholic Day on Sunday, December 3, an observance of American Day. This year it will be observed with the participation of all the dioceses of the United States. Pope Pius XII has granted a special indulgence to all who observe the day. The observance will be held on Sunday, December 3, and the special collection taken up in churches of 84 dioceses.

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## President Extols Calverts for U. S. Contributions

Warm Springs, Ga.—(NCWC)—Calling religious freedom the nation's "greatest contribution to America," from American President Roosevelt, in an address which featured a radio program marking the inauguration of the new Georgia Calverts' right for tolerance, the president extolled the Calverts' "great contribution to America." The president said that the Calverts' "great contribution to America" was their "great contribution to America." The president said that the Calverts' "great contribution to America" was their "great contribution to America."

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