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## INTERNATIONAL UNION HONORS MISS HAWKS

Former N. C. W. Head Renamed By International Association of Women

Rome. — (NCWC). — Miss Mary G. Hawks, past president of the National Council of Catholic Women, has been elected for a four-year term as a member of the Bureau of the International Union of Catholic Women's Leagues, receiving the second largest number of votes.

The organization continues to have as its president Madame Steenberghe-Eugeningh of Holland. Mile. de Hemphine of Belgium has been elected president of the young women's group.

The election of officers to head this important international association of Catholic women's organizations followed a series of conferences and religious services which made up the program of the Congress.

About 500 delegates, representing 30 nationalities, were in attendance.

The delegates arrived in Rome in time for participation in the Holy Week services and the official closing of the Holy Year.

In preliminary sessions the various committees discussed in detail the matter to be brought before the Congress. The Congress was officially opened by His Eminence Angelo Cardinal Dolci, recently named Cardinal Protector of the Union. Monsignor Hoogveld, chaplain of the Union, spoke on the Encyclical on the Christian Education of Youth, the theme of the sessions of study.

Other subjects dealt with by the Congress were the Catholic Press, leisure-time activities, especially the radio and motion pictures, and the need for some sort of moral censorship or control over these two forms of entertainment so widely patronized by youth.

When the delegates were presented to His Holiness Pope Pius XI by the Union's Cardinal Protector, the Holy Father addressed them in true words of the first Christian women whom St. Paul praised because they worked with him in spreading the Gospel. His Holiness commended the work of the Congress, especially its study of the Encyclical on the Christian Education of Youth and, in general, all the previous activities of the Catholic Women's Leagues from becoming political organizations. His Holiness remarked that because their aim is the highest religious, moral and civil betterment of society, they are fully awake to their responsibilities when any matter arises concerning the religious or moral welfare of society.

## THE CATHOLIC WORLD OVER

**France**  
A series of ceremonies in honor of the Beatitude of Catherine Labouré will close with a solemn triumph in the parish of Montreuil-Saint-Jean on May 3 to 5, and on Sunday, May 6, in the neighboring hamlet of Fainles-Moutiers, where Blessed Catherine was born.

**Italy**  
The procession held here in honor of the new Saint, Don Bosco, was more than a mile long. About 100,000 persons followed the casket of the Saint as it was borne through the streets of the city.

**India**  
The Most Rev. Victor R. Fernandes, Bishop of Mangalore, has obtained permission from the Holy See for the canonical erection of two religious congregations with native personnel, one a congregation of Brothers to be known as "Brothers of Mount Olivet" and the other a congregation of Sisters, known as "Ursulines," the re-establishment of an Order existing for some time in Mangalore.

**Belgium**  
King Leopold, III, and Queen Astrid, of Belgium, and the Queen Mother will donate royal jewels for the adornment of a centuries-old statue of the Blessed Virgin which was given to the church at Aarschot by Sophia, the daughter of St. Elizabeth of Hungary, when she was consort of the Duke of Brabant.

**Wales**  
The Welsh National Party has passed a vote of complete confidence in Saunders Lewis who resigned.

## Rifle Fire, Shells, Peril Life of N. C. W. C Writer In Vienna

Vienna Correspondent Now Reveals His Experiences During Revolt

By DR. FREDERIC FUNDER  
(Vienna Correspondent, N.C.W.C. News Service)

Vienna. — (NCWC). — Now, when the rolling of the waves agitated by the socialist revolt in Vienna have ceased and peace has returned to the population after the breakdown of socialist rule, the writer may recall his personal experiences in those exciting days.

On the third day of the revolt I made a tour of those districts of Vienna on the left bank of the Danube where the revolt was strongest. Reports of great devastation and loss of life had been spread at home and abroad, and it was the duty of a news reporter to form his judgment by personal observation.

Accompanied by two members of my staff I went in a motor car across one of the bridges over the Danube. We were halted on the bridge by armed police guards who examined our document before we were permitted to pass. We found that the district on the left bank of the river was still occupied by strong detachments of troops, but were pleased to see that order apparently had been restored, and the damage done to the municipal dwelling houses was not nearly so serious as had been reported.

**Laborers' Home Damaged**  
In long columns the captured rioters marched along. One building, the Socialistic Home of Laborers in Floridsdorf, had been badly damaged by fire. The railway station, which was reported in ruins, had only a few broken windows, and traces of machine gun shots. It was growing dark when we started on our return journey from the district



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of Kagran to the bridge of Floridsdorf. Here, small dwellings, once farm houses, alternate with big buildings and there are many allotment gardens. The fire of the field guns that had lasted all day long had ceased, but now and again a rifle shot could be heard. From the main square of Kagran a straight road leads to the bridge of Floridsdorf. Before it is reached one must traverse a section of land in which there are a number of lake-like pools formed by what is called the old Danube, a remnant of the former course of the river. In this section there are some isolated factories and some farm houses and gardens. When our car entered the lane I noted that it was

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## HIERARCHY OF FRANCE ISSUE LABOR VIEWS

By M. MASSIANI  
(Paris Correspondent, N. C. W. C. News Service)

Paris. — The Cardinals and Archbishops of France have just issued a joint statement on the social question in which they stress the teaching of the Church on the subject of professional organization. They affirm the right of employers and employees to organize.

"The Church," the statement declares, "asks of these associations mutual discussion of human relations with a view to the common good of the industry in which they are interested, one as well as the other. She suggests to this end the institution of joint committees and the practice of collective bargaining."

"In case of conflict between these associations, she desires that qualified boards of arbitration intervene to avoid, as far as possible, recourse to lock-out or strike which are social disorders. She sees in these institutions the first elements of the organized profession, having sprung, not without pain, from the chaos of individualism and competition. She desires, for the good of social order, that these efforts unite to form a guild under a new and better adapted form, with its membership, its officers, its regulatory power, its jurisdiction and its rights of representation before the public authorities."

"But the best of institutions are worth only so much as the spirit that animates them. For this reason the Church does not wish that the industries be animated by the spirit of class struggle but rather by a spirit of justice and charity. Justice should permeate these institutions. The possibility of their being effective is evinced in the legal guarantees which each person and such association possesses. They do not, however, obtain by their own strength the reconciliation of wills and the union of hearts. That is why charity which unites the members of society by a spiritual bond is the very soul of social order."

## PROTESTANT WEEKLY NOTES CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN ON INDECENCY IN FILMS

Chicago. (NCWC). — The widespread drive against indecent motion pictures undertaken by Catholics in the United States receives notice in one of the leading editorials appearing in the current issue of The Christian Century, "an undenominational journal of religion," published here. The editorial says, "It is clear that the Roman Catholic Church in this country is about to go into action against the movies as at present produced," and that "an entirely new

## FR. PETTER TO PRESIDE AT CONVENTION

Washington. — (NCWC). — The Society of St. Gregory will meet in convention at the Catholic University of America May 14 to 16. Announcement of the convention was made by the publicity committee, the members of which are George Fischer, chairman; Nicola A. Montani and James A. McDavitt.

The society, founded in England in 1923, is composed of persons interested in ecclesiastical music. Its principal aim is to maintain the dignity of the Sacred Liturgy as an instrument of congregational worship by fulfilling the wishes of Pope Pius X, as expressed in his Motu Proprio, and of Pope Pius XI in his Apostolic Constitution of December 28, 1928.

The Rev. John M. Petter, professor of Church Music at St. Bernard's Seminary, president of the society, will head a delegation from Rochester Diocese going to the Convention.

## Colored Seminarians of Society of Divine Word To Be Ordained

Bay St. Louis, Miss. (NCWC). — A program is being arranged for the celebration of the ordination to the priesthood of four colored seminarians of St. Augustine's Seminary, which will be held on the Seminary campus, here on May 28. The Most Rev. Richard O. Gerow, Bishop of Natchez, will officiate at the ordinations.

The new priests will be sent out to labor among the colored people.

## NAMED LAW SCHOOL DEAN

Washington. — (NCWC). — Dr. Lewis C. Cassidy, professor at the Georgetown University Law School since 1930, has been appointed head of the University of San Francisco Law School.

## 50 BISHOPS AT ELEVATION OF N. Y. BISHOP

Archbishop Mooney Assists Cardinal At Consecration of Bishop Donahue

New York. — Amid ecclesiastical splendor, deeply impressive and before a throng of 5,000 filling St. Patrick's Cathedral to overflowing, the Most Rev. Stephen J. Donahue, was consecrated titular Bishop of Medes and Auxiliary Bishop of New York in a colorful ceremony, Tuesday morning, lasting three hours.

His Eminence, Cardinal Hayes was consecrator for his new assistant. The Cardinal was assisted by the Most Rev. Archbishop Edward Mooney, Bishop of Rochester and the Most Rev. John J. Mitty, Coadjutor Archbishop of San Francisco. Bishop Donahue, who is just 40 years old, was elevated to his holy office in the presence of forty-eight bishops with assisting deacons, thirty-seven monsignors, papal knights including George MacDonald, Papal Marquis in resplendent uniforms, prominent Catholic laymen, relatives and friends.

In places of honor in the Cathedral were: Former Governor Alfred E. Smith, Postmaster General James A. Farley, Lieut. Gov. M. William Bray, and former Mayor John P. O'Brien. The first blessing of the new bishop was imparted to his three brothers and five sisters in the first pew. They are Mrs. Walter Lee and Philip, John, Joseph, Cathryn, Florence, Dorothy and Madeline Donahue.

As the close of the ceremony, Bishop Donahue was hailed to 1,000 members of the hierarchy and clergy. Cardinal Hayes, at the luncheon, revealed that the name of Bishop Donahue was only one of three he had suggested to the Pope for elevation. "Bishop Donahue was the Holy Father's own choice," he said.

The St. Rev. Most Rev. Michael J. LaVelle, venerable vicar general of New York, presented the new bishop with a purse in the name of the clergy, paying a tribute to the unselfishness, humility and efficiency with which Bishop Donahue had performed his duties in the past, including his long service as secretary to Cardinal Hayes.

## Church Yields More Than 1000 Readers For Catholic Paper

Chicago. (NCWC). — For the third consecutive time a "Catholic Press Day" at Our Lady of Sorrows Church on the west side has netted more than 1,000 new readers for The New Catholic, a weekly official archdiocesan newspaper. It was announced following a tabulation of Sunday's program. The "day" was under the direction of the Rev. Timothy Rowan, news editor, of The New World, who, with another priest, spoke at 12 Masses and obtained 978 signatures to subscription blanks. Another 100 subscriptions came from listeners of Station WGES which broadcast the final talk on the Catholic Press given by Father Rowan at the High Mass at noon. Several years ago Our Lady of Sorrows parishioners signed 1,700 subscription blanks and more recently they turned in 1,300 subscriptions at a "Catholic Press Day."

## Catholic Truth Group Raises Wages To Meet Encyclical Teachings

London. (NCWC). — When the Catholic Truth Society here decided to publish the Holy Father's Encyclical Quadragesimo Anno it occurred to the committee to review the conditions among the staff in the light of the Encyclical. As a result salaries of employees have been increased, and further increases are in contemplation. Headquarters wages and salaries during last year amounted to about \$21,500.

## New Catholic Review Is Published In Paris

Paris. (NCWC). — Sept. the new Catholic periodical of Paris, is published under the auspices of the Dominicans and appears once a week; hence, its name, "Seven." It is more of a review than a news organ.

## 'Godless' Dismantle Cathedral In Siberia

Berlin. (NCWC). — The Cathedral in Barnaul, in the southwestern part of Siberia, has been closed and dismantled by the Godless, according to a report from Moscow, "because it impeded traffic."

## NEW AUXILIARY



MOST REV. W. D. O'BRIEN

## DIGNITARIES AT BISHOP O'BRIEN CONSECRATION

Prelate Noted for American Missionary Work in New Chicago Auxiliary

Chicago. (NCWC). — Members of the hierarchy from Alaska to Panama, presidents of Catholic universities and colleges, Abbots, Diocesan Administrators, representatives of religious Orders and widely-known laymen attended the consecration April 25 of the Most Rev. William D. O'Brien, Pres. of Catholic Church Extension Society, as titular Bishop of Calinda and Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago. Canada and Panama were among the foreign countries represented, while prelates from such widely-separated United States possessions as Alaska and Puerto Rico came to tell of the noted supporter of American missionary activity. More than half of the seating capacity of the Cathedral was reserved for the clergy, in addition to the large assembly.

His Eminence George Cardinal Mundelein, Archbishop of Chicago, was consecrator, the co-consecrators being the Most Rev. Bernard J. Sheil, Auxiliary Bishop of Chicago, and the Most Rev. Joseph P. Lynch, Bishop of Dallas. Present in the sanctuary was His Excellency the Most Rev. Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States, and his brother, the Most Rev. Gaspare Cicognani, Papal Nuncio to Peru. The sermon was delivered by the Most Rev. John Joseph Mitty, Coadjutor Archbishop of San Francisco.

An unusual feature was the broadcasting of a portion of the ceremonies over the National Broadcasting Company chain, the Rev. Gregory M. Closs, D.D., assistant rector of the Cathedral, acting as announcer. The long line of prelates with their attendants formed an imposing procession as they circled Cathedral square, coming from the rectory to the church.

## CONVERT KIN OF KAISER LONG TIME INTERESTED IN CATHOLIC RELIGION

Munich. — (NCWC). — Prince Friedrich Leopold of Prussia, the relative of the former Kaiser of Germany who recently became a convert to Catholicism had been interested in the Church for quite some time, according to reports current here. He had visited with the Siegl Fathers in their Mission House of St. Ruprecht in Bischofsheim near Bamberg, Austria, and received his instructions in the Catholic Faith by the rector of that religious institution. At his own request he was then received into the Church in the study house of the Order. In Rome on Holy Saturday this year. On Easter Sunday, he received Holy Communion for the first time in the chapel of this house of missionaries. The Prince is 38 years old and is known as a scholar.

## VIGOROUS OPPOSITION TO BAD FILMS URGED AT ROCHESTER DIOCESAN GROUP SESSION

N. C. C. W. At Cornish and High School Bldg. Geneva Hear Speakers, Exchange Views on Intelligent and Moral Action

## FR. LORD, NOTED JESUIT SPEAKER, WRITER, OUTLINES PLAN FOR MOVIES

Motion pictures as at present produced and given major attention by two diocesan groups when the Rochester Diocesan Council of Catholic Women met for the quarterly meeting at Cornish and the Diocesan High School Bldg. for its semi-annual convention of members for the meetings called upon these speakers to eliminate by proper action the bad pictures.

**FATHER MOONEY ADVOCATES CATHOLIC WOMEN AT CONVENTION**  
Cornish. — Dealing with the problem of public entertainment, Father Mooney was urged by members of the National Council of Catholic Women at the quarterly meeting of the Rochester Diocesan Council of Catholic Women last Saturday, in the Crystal Room at the High School Bldg.

Members attended High School Bldg. at 8 o'clock at St. Mary's Church by the Rev. Fr. Mooney, James Griffin, V. P. Diocese, and some visiting followed immediately after the Mass.

Over 140 were present at the luncheon at which the Rev. Fr. Mooney, managing editor of the CATHOLIC COURIER, outlined the keynote address of the meeting. With a warning that "the Church is in a perilous position," he stressed the religious and spiritual nature of the cinema as an alarming and Father Mooney said:

"The result of this annual convention is a growing realization which is bound to be more fully realized than ever before. It is a large minority group. Unfortunately, the Catholic Church is working almost alone in a systematic manner toward the promotion of spiritual and religious literacy. This is the persistent teaching of the fundamental teachings of Christianity before the entire world. She alone refuses to recede from the position that it is her duty to guard the integrity of the moral law, the aggressively combats social trends which assault that law. She heartily believes with the father of our country that morality cannot exist apart from religious principles."

Calling for a "Christianity" re-emphasized at the fundamental of the Christian faith, Father Mooney

## HOLY NAME SET ELMIRA RALLY FOR JUNE 17TH

Elmira. — Announcement is made this week that Sunday, June 17, has been set as the date for the Holy Name rally to be held beginning at 7 p. m. at the Chemung County Fair Grounds.

Preparations are being made to handle a crowd of 5,000 at the event. Negotiations are being made to obtain a prominent clergyman and an outstanding layman from outside the diocese to address the rally. Members of Holy Name societies from all parishes in the Diocese of Rochester will attend.

## Spelling Contest in Lima Won By Pupils of St. Rose's School

Lima. — Two members of the eighth grade pupils of St. Rose's School, recently by means of a spelling contest won the Lima Spelling Contest in the city of Lima. The contest was held in the city of Lima, Peru, on May 10.

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