

COURIER POINTS TO NEW GOALS AS CIRCULATION DRIVE OPENS

CATHOLIC JOURNALISM FRANKLY DISCUSSED BY LEADING EDITORS

Outstanding Achievement, Greatest Need, Possibility Of Another Daily, Draw Varied and Caustic Comments in 'Queen's Work' Survey

Views on the position of Catholic journalism from prominent Catholic editors of the country appear in the February issue of "The Queen's Work," national publication of the Sodality of Our Lady issued by the Jesuit Fathers at St. Louis, Mo. Opinions and contentions varied in answering the three pertinent questions submitted. The article, a feature of "The Queen's Work" for Catholic Press Month follows.

WHAT HAS BEEN THE GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT OF CATHOLIC JOURNALISM? A number of Catholic editors answered this question for our readers. The Catholic Daily Tribune of Dubuque, Iowa, is the greatest achievement of Catholic journalism in the last quarter century, according to Joseph H. Meier of Chicago, perennial secretary of the Catholic Press Association, who began newspaper work in 1902.

\$1,000 PRIZES OFFERED BY CPA BUREAU

The contest covers the period from May 1, 1935, to May 1, 1936, and all entries must be submitted by the latest date. Each publication may submit two contributions in each of the first seven classifications. Contributions must be sent to the Chairman of the Literature Bureau who will submit them to a committee of judges. The decision of the judges will then be passed upon by the Literature Bureau for final determination.

Catholic Students To Become Aviators. Oakland, Cal. (NC) When Stanley Kasper, Saint Mary's College, Berkeley, Cal., became a navy aviator he started something new.

Herald of Our Faith: Bishops Call Press In India Dioceses. Madras (NC) In a most interesting and enlightening report...

Pope Pius XI on the Catholic Press. "Here is a field of apostolate worthy of all the solicitude and interest of good Catholics. They can never cultivate the Catholic press enough, and according to the care with which they prepare, so will the beneficent fruits be abundant."

PRESS GIVEN KEEN INTEREST BY POPE PIUS

Holy Father Encourages Plans for World Catholic Press Exhibition

Vatican City (NC) The real and personal interest which His Holiness Pope Pius XI has in the well-being and development of the Catholic Press was again manifest when he received in audience Count Giuseppe Della Torre, Director of Osservatore Romano and President of the International Union of the Catholic Press, who has just returned from Paris where a meeting was held to prepare for the International Congress of Catholic Journalists to be held in Rome May 18 to May 21, the Feast of the Ascension.

New York (NC) Announcement of a competition for eight prizes totaling \$1,000 has just been made by the Literature Bureau of the Catholic Press Association. Seven of the prizes are open to every publication in the C. P. A. and the eighth is open to Catholic colleges.

Students' National Tribute Will Honor St. Thomas Aquinas. New York (NC) Caricatures of the designs of Popes Leo XIII and Pius XI for the promotion of devotion to St. Thomas Aquinas...

Catholic Student Is In State Finals of Scholarship Test. Chicago (NC) John J. Hennessey, president of the senior class of the college of arts and sciences of Loyola University repeated his performance of last year when he again received the Binns State Scholarship...

India Moslem Official Lauds Mission Schools. Hyderabad, India (NC) As a prize distribution ceremony the Muslim Minister of Education of Hyderabad State, who presided at a tribute to the missionary agencies engaged in the spread of education in the country, and assured them that their labors will be better appreciated in the future.

Honor Priest. Washington (NC) The newly appointed pastor here of the Catholic War Veterans has been named by the late Father Francis J. Harney, former pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

20 RUSSIANS ENROLLED IN SHANGHAI. Twenty Russian young men, almost all members of the Orthodox Church, have enrolled at the Aurora University, an institution of higher studies conducted by the Jesuits at Shanghai. They belong to families of high social standing who have fled from their homelands in the recent years of religious persecution.

Famed Editors Talk Catholic Press Influence In World Today



Historically, sacramentally and sacramentally, the inaugural action of the Catholic Church was Eucharistic. The quietest reading of the New Testament text reveals this all important fact. It is true that Christ did not found His Church until after His death and resurrection. It is also true that one of the most important meetings of Christ and His apostles was in the little upper chamber of Jerusalem. There the Lamb of God bore the paschal lamb upon the table and dissolved it. There the masterful and magnificent mosaic of the First Mass and the First Communion replaced the mosaic of dispersion and ceremonial sacrifices of the Jews.

CATHOLIC VIEW AT ALL TIMES BEST POLICY

Universal Outlook to Promote Proper Action Purpose of Press. By Rev. James M. Gillis, C.S.P., Editor of the Catholic World, New York.

PRESS FOSTERS DEVOTION TO EUCHARIST

Needed to Preserve, Animate Faith; to Promote Eucharistic Fervor. By Rev. Dr. Edward Lodge Curran, President, International Catholic Truth Society, Editor of Light.

WIDE POWER IS AFFORDED CATHOLIC JOURNALIST

Social Revolution Dangers Can Be Met by Virile Catholic Press. By Rev. Charles J. Mullaly, S.J., National Director of the Apostleship of Prayer, Editor of The Messenger of the Sacred Heart.

PUBLIC RESPONSE TO CAMPAIGN TO GOVERN FUTURE PRESS POLICY

Policy of Official Diocesan Weekly Reviewed on Eve of Students' Catholic Press Crusade; Features Cited and Expansion Explained

In the forefront of the world-wide drive for Catholic Action, the CATHOLIC COURIER, typical of the Catholic press in the United States, is pointing toward new goals in progress, prestige and power. Shaped into a powerful force for good in the Community, the Courier today stands on the threshold of a new era with the response of the people of the diocese to the coming subscription campaign holding the ultimate answer as to how far the paper can go forward.

When the Catholic press movement was launched in this country years ago the news content of the papers of those days dealt mainly with the religious aspects of the current questions facing the communities. Legislation detrimental to the ideals of Catholicism was attacked, rank-intolerance was fought at every side, a rally call was sounded for Catholics to band together in a common defense of their religion.

Its appeal is not directed at one member of the family but every member. Each issue carries numerous features to supplement the weekly news dispatches furnished by the National Catholic Welfare Council and the local staff.

The most popular feature, as indicated by a recent survey is the Movie Guide, listing the current attractions at local theaters each week and the class in which the Legion of Decency has placed them.

The success of the coming drive will insure a continuance of this intensive effort to raise the standards of the official diocesan weekly higher than ever.

Bishop Sees Press Apostolate Leading Issue of Present Times

Peoria, Ill. (NC) "The frequent urgings of the Holy Father and your own experience and mine convince all of us that the Apostolate of the Catholic Press is a most important issue of our times," the Most Rev. Joseph H. Schlarman, Bishop of Peoria, declares in a letter with which he has accompanied an outline of sermons on the Catholic Press sent to every pastor in the diocese.

Plans In Making For England, Wales Plenary Council. London (NC Cable) The Catholic Times, here, in a story bearing a Rome date-line, announces that the Most Rev. Arthur Hinsley, Archbishop of Westminster, has authorized the making of preparations for holding within the next future a Plenary Council of the Synods of England and Wales.

Youth Commission Inaugurates Survey For Building Up Younger Generation

Washington (NC) The Youth Commission of the American Council on Education meeting in Washington has laid the groundwork for a survey of the conditions looking to the development of a systematic method of building up the younger generation. This is a non-governmental project financed by the Rockefeller Foundation and is not related to the official Youth Administration Newton D. Baker, former Secretary of War, and Owen D. Young, chairman of the General Electric Company, have been made chairman and vice-chairman of the Commission.