

Jasper—We had to kill our dog this morning.  
Lester—Was he mad?  
Jasper—Well, he wasn't any too well pleased.

## H. E. ROGERS

### Easter Plants

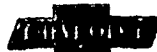
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Six and Eight

## 'Fellowship Forum' Is Now 'Nation's Forum'

WASHINGTON—The name The Fellowship Forum, which to many had become synonymous with "bigotry," seems about to disappear from the ranks of periodicals published in the United States. With its next issue, expected later this month, the name of the publication will become The Nation's Forum. It has just been announced. It is stated that the "general scope" of the paper will be broadened. While this may mean the abandonment of the policy of rehashing attacks upon the Catholic Church, the issue which announces the forthcoming change of name carries a considerable volume of anti-Catholic material.

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## OUR Boys and Girls

(All school news and other correspondence for this column should reach this office not later than Saturday of the week preceding publication. Address all communications to BOYS AND GIRLS column, CATHOLIC COURIER, 59 Chestnut Street, Rochester.)

HE IS RISEN

They nailed Him on a cross of wood

And hung Him o'er the city;

And no one but His friends

Would show Him any pity.

But three days later He did rise

And proved to all mankind

That if they'd only turn to Him,

His love and grace they'd find

Let all rejoice, let all men sing,

Let all men kneel and pray,

Let all the lowering Church bells ring.

For Christ is risen today.

PETER DU PREE,

Eighth Grade,  
(Good Counsel School).

With a crisp, new \$5 bill comes

the following letter from Marian

Coyne Sixth Grade, St. Andrew's

School.

"Our Sixth Grade has been reading

The Holy Childhood. Material for

Weekly Mission Meetings in the

Classroom.

"The many stories in this little

booklet telling of suffering children

in China has encouraged us to

make sacrifices for the little chil-

dren in foreign lands.

"We have challenged Sister M.

Dorothea's eighth grade to see

us in our Mission activities. This

is the sixth baby that we have

adopted this year and we are very

proud of it.

"We had great fun in choosing

a name for our Chinese baby. It

was decided on Margaret Agnes.

Klem (Isn't it a pretty name?)

We think so.

"Best wishes for a Happy Easter

from all the boys and girls of St.

Andrews School.

REES

I think that I shall never be

As busy as a bumble bee

A bee whose hungry mouth is

pressed

Against a flower's scented

crest.

A bee who works throughout

the day

And gathers sweets to store

away

A bee who fits from flower to

flower

Nestling in every tiny bower

Upon whose body we impose

For honey which it will dis-

close

Honey is made for us you see

But only God can make a bee

RITA FOSS,

Good Counsel School,  
Eighth Grade.

Last Wednesday the Debating

Teams of the Seventh and Eighth

Grades of St. Margaret Mary

School met in the School Auditor-

ium for a debate. The topic at

issue was Resolved: Capital Pun-

ishment should not be abolished.

The Eighth Grade Team had the

affirmative side and the Seventh

Grade Team had the negative

debate.

Both sides had done considerable

research work in the local libraries

and had also written to Mr. Lawes,

the Warden of Sing Sing Prison to

Miss Vivian Pierce the Executive

Secretary of the Society for the

Abolishment of Capital Pun-

ishment, and to a most respected

citizen of Rochester, Supreme

Court Justice William Love.

The Debating Teams expect to

meet again in the near future.

ROBERT HURDIE,

Eighth Grade,  
St. Margaret Mary School.

## Easter Liturgy Mother Of Our Modern Drama

(Continued from Page 1)

The Third Stage. The added ele-

ment here is the appearance of the

Risen Christ.

Other Plays

The Quem Queritis Trope, or the

Visitation Sepulchral (as it was

known as being shifted from Mass

to Matins) was not the only play

of the Easter season. There was

the Peregrinus (The Traveller)

which set forth the story of the

travellers on the way to Emmaus

as told by St. Luke (xvii 12-25).

The Ascension play, depicting the

last incidents of the Saviour's life

on earth, and the Pentecost play

which dramatized the descent of

the Holy Ghost upon the Apostles.

The people of the Middle Ages

must have been greatly instructed

and impressed by seeing these

stories of the Bible enacted in their

churches. These plays were fully

developed by the middle of the

thirteenth century and from there

they underwent changes which

robbed them of their liturgical

character.

They passed from the hands of

the clergy into the hands of the

laity, became more secular in

spirit, were taken over by the

Guilds, and were eventually re-

placed entirely by the secular

drama of the different countries.

Hence it is correct to say that the

drama we witness today had its

origin in the drama of the Medieval

Church.

## A Story Corner For Children

By  
'Cousin Ken'



### THE NIGHTINGALE AND THE HEDGE SPARROW

On a hedge a Nightingale was

singing its Evening Prayer, and

very beautiful too. Liquid note fol-

lowed lovely, still, and the country

side rang with melody. But after a

little while the Nightingale felt

that it was something amiss. At the

end of each trail a most unusual

sound came in as though a small

wheel, which needed oiling was

squeaking.

"Cheep-CHEEP, cheep-CHEEP,"

very annoying to a fine singer

So the Nightingale looked about

to see what was disturbing things,

and at last caught the eye of a

Hedge Sparrow who sat on a near-

by branch.

"Hey!" stormed the Nightingale,

"was that you spoiling my song

with your unlovely noise?"

"Noise!" exclaimed the Hedge

Sparrow, "that was me singing."

"And if that's your idea of sing-

ing," loudly remarked the Night-

ingale, "might I ask what you

imagine your song is about?"

"Oh," said the Hedge Sparrow,

"I was just singing my evening

prayer. This is how it goes, Cheep-

"CHEEP, cheep-CHEEP." You come

out loud on the second cheep, you

know."

"But you don't call that pitiful

noise praying, do you?" asked the

Nightingale in a very sneering

tone.

"Well," replied the Hedge Spar-

row cheerfully, "is the best I can

do, and when we do our best, and

pray as well as we can, God al-

ways hears our prayers."

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### SCHEDULE FIELD MASS

AT SCOUT JAMBOREE

WASHINGTON—A Solemn Pon-

tifical Field Mass will be celebrated

on the Washington Monument

grounds on July 4. The Mass will

be in connection with the Boy

Scouts Jamboree to be held here

June 30 to July 9.

A meeting held this week in

the rectory of the Church of Our

Lady of Victory, plans were made

for Catholic participation in the

Scout convention. Arrangements

were made for the religious care

of the Catholic Scouts who will

attend the jamboree. There will

be a Catholic headquarters tent

at the Monument grounds and

arrangements are being made for

tours to Catholic places of interest

about the Capital.

The world belongs to him who

loves it best, and does much to

prove his love. L'Abbe Mullins.

