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CONTINUES SCHOOL WORK K. C. LEARN OF CATHOLIC PRESS

NEW HAVEN (N.C.)—Urge all Councils to take an especially active part in the promotion of Catholic Press activities during February. Catholic Press Month, the current issue of *Kings of the Mountains* asks the various Councils to start their movements now and to have them ready for the coming month.

The *Kings of the Mountains* says, "It is really a continuation of our school work and we hope the Catholic Press sense that Catholic Press is the only vehicle that brings us the position of the Church in the world as it really fronts us in our daily lives. It is in heavy reliance which is ready to combat the enemies of our Church."

Kings of the Mountains Councils have supported the Catholic Press in all its programs and we look forward to greater activity in this respect this year. Councils should promote the reading of Catholic papers and urge their friends to subscribe to those papers. Every Council Library should have these papers available for members and should furnish the donors paper with an account of the activities sponsored by the Council.

Magician Moves Egg Without Touching It In This Clever Trick

By Thomas the Magician

Do you like to watch the grown-ups play golf? If you do the trick which I have chosen to describe this week will interest you a great deal.

EFFECT: The performer places two eggs upon a table upon the table into one of these cups he places an ordinary egg. He then asks if there is anyone present who can transfer the egg from the one cup to the other without touching it.

Needless to say there will be no one who can perform the seemingly impossible feat. The magician proceeds to show the trick and it can be done by doing it.

EXPLANATION: This trick is performed by blowing sharply upon the rim of the cup containing the egg. The air goes in inside and under the egg, it makes it jump up into the other cup and right into the other cup.

If you are interested in blowing on the rim of the cup, you will find it a little bit tricky. In this way it is a little bit tricky. In this way it is a little bit tricky.



It is a Saturday and Helen and Betty with fresh impressions were ready for an afternoon of shopping.

"My mother has a special for you," said Mother. "There isn't anything so good for you as the rubber."

Apple sauce is a special idea. Mother Hubbard's Special Apple Sauce is a special idea. You get a whole lot of grape juice.

The little book that the rubber which Mother Hubbard showed them.

"That does sound good," said Helen. "Being in the apple market, it is a special idea. There is a whole lot of grape juice in the cupboard."

For the next few minutes the girls were busy peeling apples. They made a game of it trying to see which one could peel the thinnest apple. Mother Hubbard had brought them that to peel thick skins was easier. And they didn't want to be wasteful!

Special Apple Sauce
4 cups of sliced peeled apples
1 cup of grape juice
1 cup water
1 cup sugar
Boil sugar and water for three minutes.

Add apples and simmer until they are soft. Then add the grape juice and finish cooking. Mash well and serve warm. If the apples are very sour add more sugar. Sprinkle each dish of sauce with ground nutmeg.

Sometimes Mother Hubbard served warm apple sauce with whipped cream for extra-special occasions.

Train for Chaplains
MANILA, P. I.—Three Catholic priests from the Diocese of Nueva Segovia have just been chosen to undergo training in the Philippine military camps for three months in the city. The post of President Quezon's proposal to establish a chaplains' corps in the Commonwealth Army under Field Marshal Douglas MacArthur, former Chief of Staff of the United States Army.

Catholic Papers Give True Facts Of World Happenings Says Bishop In Press Month Keynote

Editors Gain Commendation of Bishop Gannon For Work of Year

Lauds Coverage

Hails the Catholic Press Achievements in Constructive Journalism

By MONTREY JOHN MARK GANNON
Episcopal Chairman, Press Department, National Catholic Welfare Conference

A year ago, in a message to you took the form of a sharp cry of alarm. It was a warning that a European "Continuum" my message had seeped into American and threatened a war against our country. We must organize, encourage and strengthen our Catholic Press. The Catholic Press supported a resolution in the Catholic press, forming the most powerful organ at the disposal of the Church.

During the year just passed what a wealth of information has been accumulated. What a flood-light has been turned on the economic and social conditions of the nation. What an unrelenting and pitiless exposure of the perverted motives, false promises and dishonorable practices of those who would subvert American Democracy and destroy Christianity.

In this picture, no single agent has contributed more intelligently to our enlightenment than the Catholic Press. They have developed a form of Apologetics and found in any other field of the newspaper and magazine world. They have analyzed its component parts, reduced to ridicule its Utopian promises, and exposed its dishonorable and unscrupulous propaganda to the American public.

And changes in current events American democracy was threatened by an imported false philosophy a philosophy which in practice would kill that same freedom of the press which gave it its name. Not in the history of the Catholic Press have its editors and publishers accepted a challenge more spontaneously. Never have they risen to so high a level of journalistic ability, patriotism, wisdom and courage in promoting the Christian life.

I extend to these gentlemen of the Catholic Press my warm congratulations and best wishes. I am proud to be a part of a group.

Catholic Press Achievements
Let us examine some outstanding achievements of the past year. In the Spanish struggle the Leftist wing now on the pages of history a real and never in battle of Communists and Anarchists it brought war and chaos to our people, and seeking to blot out our American sympathy it won a vast propaganda victory. It is a real and never in battle of Communists and Anarchists it brought war and chaos to our people, and seeking to blot out our American sympathy it won a vast propaganda victory.

As the shreds developed without any aid from the secular press the New World Service, with its world wide reach, for collecting and disseminating news, and its editorial independence, to assure the facts and truth of the situation. Then followed the American field and a fact the world with its strength of the Spanish struggle. It is a real and never in battle of Communists and Anarchists it brought war and chaos to our people, and seeking to blot out our American sympathy it won a vast propaganda victory.

Let us look at Mexico. Here we find an aged Catholic people subjected to a long and bitter struggle. Represented of the rights due them by the natural law and of times punished by bitter persecution, these Mexican Catholics have appealed to the free institutions of America to hear their cause and restore to them the rights of men. Represented of the rights due them by the natural law and of times punished by bitter persecution, these Mexican Catholics have appealed to the free institutions of America to hear their cause and restore to them the rights of men.

Let us look at Germany. Here we see twenty-three millions of German Catholics caught in the vice of Nazi Absolutism and suffering a subtle persecution as degrading and bitter as any in his-

SOUNDS CATHOLIC PRESS CALL



The Most Rev. John Mark Gannon, Bishop of Erie and Episcopal Chairman of the Press Department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, who in an inspiring call to the observance of February as Catholic Press Month, lauds the work of the Catholic Press, proclaims its importance to the Church and to Catholics generally, and extolls it as the defender and disseminator of truth.

Their true Catholic Press has been destroyed. Their Catholicism with its faithful worshippers, more courageous leaders either imprisoned or silenced. Outside the Holy Father, the strongest voice left to plead their cause before the human race is the N.C.W.C. News Service with its 400 journals and the million subscribers throughout the world. This we propose to continue until the scorn of an enlightened world will be turned on the powerful dictators of Germany and the iron fist of Nazism will relax its unjust persecution of a dignified and a virtuous German Catholic, Protestant and Jewish people. Should this day happily arrive the N.C.W.C. News Service and the Catholic Press Association will star largely in the victory.

Light of Truth
With what pride one calls to mind the manner in which the Catholic Press thwarted the shameless plan of the Red Spies to exploit the European children in supporting them in the United States for propaganda purposes. The bare attempt to identify the Holy Father and the Church with Fascism in the exposure of its untrue messages suddenly related to the world from Rome during the Holy Father on the side of Japan against China.

In the constructive side what a wealth of light and wisdom has the Catholic Press contributed to the social problems of America by exposing the exploitation of the Holy Father and the Church with Fascism in the exposure of its untrue messages suddenly related to the world from Rome during the Holy Father on the side of Japan against China.

In the **Local News Message** section of the Catholic Press, you will find a message that is your message. For some time, the human race has unhelpfully strayed from God. It is now somewhat abandoned by God and in great confusion. In "sitting in the darkness and the shadow of death," we are being prepared by God to receive a simple, fundamental truth of Christianity and eternal salvation. In such an hour of history the grace of God will flow abundantly like a deluge.

Centenarians of the Catholic Press, dip your pens in the Truth of God and write so that the love of God for human souls and especially for the young of our country, may be the great joy of our lives. In the coming of the return or conversion of Americans to the beautiful simplicity and goodness and virtue of the lowly Nazarene!

Set Youth and Press As Topic Of Action Program Service

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Catholic Press Month, the Department of Social Action National Catholic Welfare Conference has made Youth and the Catholic Action program service. This service goes out to 216 Catholic colleges, seminaries, high schools and academies and Newman Clubs each month.

Included among the general suggestions are a meeting of all students on "The Apostolate of the Catholic Press" presentation by students of their views on "Today's Apostolate of the Catholic Press" based on the Study Topic in the January issue of *Catholic Action* review of the N.C.W.C. survey of Catholic publications made by the students, addresses to the students by faculty members or prominent leaders on "Our Creation and Need of Catholic Writers Today" and lectures, surveys and symposium studies covering a variety of subjects related to the Catholic Press.

Catholic School Girl Wins Safety Contest

CHICAGO (The "Who Who" List) "Let's Have Safety in '38" This slogan written by Loreta Peterson, 13-year-old pupil of Holy Cross School here, won the nationwide contest sponsored by the Safety Club of America.

In addition to the honor of writing the winning slogan, she was presented with a bicycle. Safety club officers and the Rev. D. F. Cunningham, Archdiocesan Superintendent of Schools in the Chicago Archdiocese, were among the first to congratulate her.

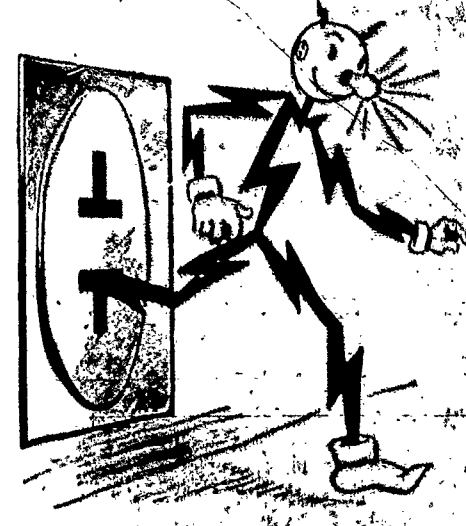
Priestly Vocational Club Is Planned

NEW YORK (N.C.) A Junior Vocational Club for high school boys of the metropolitan area who believe they have a vocation to the priesthood will be started February 6 by the St. Patrick's Clerical Students' Club for "related vocations."

Students who join the Junior Vocational Club will be expected to receive Holy Communion weekly, to study Latin, and to attend the meetings of the club on the first Sunday of the month, states the Rev. John Corbett, S.J., the Spiritual Director.

Priest Gives His Blood To Save Child's Life

ALBANY, N.Y.—A priest and a child were central figures in a drama of life and death enacted at the Memorial Hospital here, when the Rev. James Shaughnessy, of St. Joseph's Church, Albany, underwent a blood transfusion in an effort to save the life of a 13-year-old boy, badly injured in a skating accident. The child probably will live.



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