

# REDS INFLUENCED WPA, CONGRESS PROBERS TOLD

## Around The World

### SEES FASCISM MENACE

Mexico City—Warning that there is definite danger of fascism gaining control in the United States was voiced by John L. Lewis, chairman of the Committee for Industrial Organization in addressing 50,000 persons here. The meeting, held in the Municipal Ball Ring, was of the International Congress Against War and Fascism. Denouncing by name the "Silver Shirts," the Ku Klux Klan, the Black Legion and the German-American Bund, Mr. Lewis charged that fascist tendencies have been evident in the United States even in rural areas.

### NUNS CONDUCT NURSERY

Honolulu. The Sisters of the Third Order of St. Francis will take over the maintenance of the nursery school to be conducted by the Hawaiian Homes Commission at Kawananakoa Hall, in Hilo, in the near future. The school has been under the management of the Hawaiian Homes Commission, but Princess David Kawananakoa, prominent Catholic and last authentic Hawaiian princess is a member.

### SOCIETY'S FOUNDATION

Shefford, Vt., Aug. 26—Addressing 200 delegates to the 17th annual convention of the Confederation of Catholic Workers of Canada, His Eminence Rodrigue Cardinal, Archbishop of Quebec, and Norman McLeod Rogers, Federal Minister of Labor, emphasized that the foundation of all society rested on charity and justice, which should be the concern of the Church, the State and all persons.

### MEMORIAL PLANNED

Buenos Aires. His Eminence Luis Cardinal Copello, Archbishop of Buenos Aires, has authorized the Rev. Daniel Figuera, President of the Thirty-second International Eucharistic Congress, to form a committee to raise funds for a cross to perpetuate the memory of the Congress. The Cardinal reminds the faithful that the country's vow to erect such a memorial is unfulfilled. The Government has already ceded the land for such a purpose.

### PROTECTED FARM REEDS

Bogota. The Government aided the Jociet group here in holding its first congress without serious molestation. Some 4,000 Jocietists attended this congress a feature of which was a procession in which the young Christian workers carried torches and sang hymns. The Communists attacked the march as they marched, but the next day when a second procession was held the Government sent mounted police to safeguard the marchers and the event took place without disorder.

### MARK 5TH CENTENARY

Louvain. The fifth centenary of the establishment of a convent here by the Black Sisters of Louvain has been celebrated in the presence of His Eminence Joseph Cardinal Van Roy. While in other Flemish cities the Black Sisters are devoted entirely to nursing the sick in their homes, at Louvain they conduct also a school for the insane poor. This asylum is under State supervision.

### TALK RURAL TOPICS

Deblin. A particularly interesting feature of the International Day when speakers from various countries addressed the meeting, Belgium, Britain, France and Italy were all represented. His Eminence Joseph Cardinal Van Roy, who presided, submitted a paper which was read for him. He said that the philosophy and aims of Mounier's "The Worker" should be closely akin to the Catholic Land Movement in England.

### RIVOTES ABSURD

Amsterdam. All rumors given credit by the secular press with regard to an alleged schism of the Austrian from the German Church of dissensions among the Austrian Bishops and of the forthcoming establishment of a "national Catholic Church" in the Reich are completely unfounded, according to all information available here.

### BISHOP IN HOSPITAL

Honolulu. The Most Rev. Stephen P. Alencaster, S.S.C., Vicar Apostolic to Hawaii, is confined to St. Francis Hospital in Honolulu, having been advised by his physicians to take a complete rest. His recovery toward preparation of testimonies in the cause of Father Damien's beatification, along with his other apostolic duties, resulted in his disability.

### SAIL FOR CHINA

Ran Francisco. Fathers Bruce Moran and Adrian Erlenheim, young Franciscans and natives of this archdiocese have sailed for the Chinese mission of Tungshang, conducted by the California Franciscans. They will proceed to Peking where they will prepare for their work at the Catholic University of Peking. The mission of Tungshang is in north China.

### POPE THANKS PAPER

Buenos Aires. A special message to the Holy Father was sent through His Excellency the Most Rev. Joseph Flotta, Apost. Nuncio to Argentina, to El Pueblo Catholic newspaper here, thanks the publication for the special number which it issued on the Feast of St. Peter and Paul. The Holy Father also commends the paper's efforts to maintain an unwavering Catholic attitude and tone.

### Veteran Missioner Dies

Tiensen. Veteran of the Siemsen Mission, the Rev. Raphael Gandisart has died here. He was a native of France. He entered the Society of Jesus 62 years ago. He taught in his homeland for years and then came to China 40 years ago.

## GETS HOLY ORDERS



Rev. Joseph J. Sullivan

## LIT ORDINATION Of Young Priest For September 25

The Rev. Joseph J. Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Sullivan of 79 Kron Street will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood by the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester on Saturday morning, September 24 in the Sacred Heart Pro-Cathedral. At St. Monica's Church on Sunday morning the young priest will celebrate his first Solemn High Mass at 10 o'clock. Assisting will be Assistant Priest, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John P. Brophy, pastor of St. Monica's Church, Deacon, the Rev. George G. McCall, pastor, St. Mary's Church, Waterloo and Subdeacon, the Rev. Patrick J. Flynn of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church. The solemn will be delivered by the Rev. Joseph C. Fenton, S.T.D., of the Catholic University of America and formerly on the faculty of St. Bernard's Seminary. The new priest for the Diocese of Rochester after graduation from St. Monica's School attended St. Andrew's Seminary and has just completed his course at St. Bernard's Seminary.

## VATICAN PAPER CONCURS WITH CHAMBERLAIN EFFORT

VATICAN CITY. When Neville Chamberlain, England's Prime Minister, flew to Germany last week to confer with Hitler, the paper "L'Espresso" in Rome, a newspaper which is friendly to the Chamberlain government, said that the British Government was not only in a position to safeguard the marchers and the event took place without disorder.

## Sympathy Message Sent To Germans

LONDON (CNC). The Hierarchy of England and Wales has addressed a message to the Bishops of Germany and Italy expressing sympathy in the present crisis. "We sympathize with you," says the message, "praying to God for your people." The message is signed by His Eminence Arthur Hinsley, Archbishop of Westminster.

## THIS WEEK in the News

Members of St. Patrick's Church, Elmira are determined that children in their school will have free textbooks. They have worked out a plan. See Page 1.  
Removal of war is causing the administration at Washington much concern. The general opinion is to keep the United States out of any European entanglement. See Page 1.  
The Jehovah's Witnesses are being checked for their anti-religious and anti-American activities in many sections of the country. See Page 1.  
Teachers in our Catholic schools from all over the diocese assembled last Friday to hear His Excellency, Bishop Kearney's words of encouragement and advice. See Page 2.  
A high officer of the United

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## Three Radio Stations Cut Rutherford Off; Chicago Hall Denied Watch Tower Group

### How To Avoid War Absorbing Attention Of Administration

WASHINGTON (CNC)—Regardless of the distance that separates the United States from the scene of conflict, Washington is giving attention to the absorbing question of how to keep out of war. Government departments are weighing the possibilities of American involvement in European wars. Legislators are attempting to revise interest in the proposal to revise that a popular vote be taken before the United States goes to war. The question of further embargo legislation is under discussion. Foreign trade complications are under scrutiny.

### LEGION PONDERS OFFICIAL ACTION Following Offensive Broadcasts in West

Vigorous opposition to the "Judge" Rutherford broadcasts and to meetings of the Watch Tower Society reported on many fronts this week. Station WKY in Oklahoma City will forever ban "Judge" Rutherford and his Watchtower programs, Edgar T. Bell, station director and publisher, announced this week. WKY together with KJLZ in Denver and KFOR in Colorado Springs in which Mr. Bell have banned Rutherford programs in the future.

### Stations Apologize For Broadcasts

DENVER (CNC)—Three radio stations in the Rocky Mountain region cut the "Judge" Joseph Rutherford world wide broadcast from their air last Sunday. The stations are KJLZ in Denver, KFOR in Colorado Springs and WKY in Oklahoma City. The stations apologized for their part in the broadcast, according to The Register.

### Cardinal's Hat Placed in Cathedral

NEW YORK. The red hat of Cardinal Hayes has been hung from the ceiling of St. Patrick's Cathedral over the altar under which his body lies. The hat was worn by the Cardinal only once on the day on which he received it from Pope Pius XI in 1924, when he was raised to the rank of Cardinal. The hat of Cardinal Hayes will remain in the Cathedral permanently.

### PREPARE FOR NUN'S BEATIFICATION



Monsignor Salvatore Natucci, Procurator General of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and head of a delegation from Vatican City, and two Sisters of the Institute of Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, assist at the coffin of their foundress, Mother Francis Xavier Cabrini, during the identification ceremonies held September 15, in the chapel of Mother Cabrini High School, New York City, where she is buried. The formal ceremonies which were attended by members of the delegation from the Vatican and high officials of the Archdiocese of New York, was the last step to be taken here in the long process of beatification which will take place in St. Peter's, Rome, on November 12.

## Free Textbooks Are Provided St. Patrick's Pupils, Elmira

ELMIRA—St. Patrick's Parish has undertaken a program of far-reaching importance in the cause of Catholic Education.

Beginning with the present term all the pupils in the parochial school are provided with free textbooks and school supplies on the same basis as the pupils in the public grammar schools. This extensive project was conceived during the early part of the year. During the summer months preparations were made for the undertaking and it was successfully carried out under the leadership of the pastor, the Rev. William J. Egan, with the cooperation of Sister M. Fidelis, principal, and the Sisters of the school, the Holy Name Society of the parish.

## LEFTIST SPAIN TO HAVE EXHIBIT AT FAIR; FRANCO REGIME IS NOT INVITED

NEW YORK. Officials of the New York World's Fair, in response to inquiry as to why the Leftist Government in Spain has been invited to have an exhibit at the exposition while the Nationalist Government has not, offer the explanation that the invitation was extended through the State Department and that, since the Franco Government has not been recognized by the United States, Nationalist Spain was not included. The matter was given publicity through the Managing Editor of the Brooklyn Tablet addressed a letter of inquiry to Grover Whalen, president of the World's Fair. The explanation was contained in a reply from J. C. Holmes, assistant to Mr. Whalen.

## Novel on Russia Catholic Book Choice

NEW YORK. "The Test of Heritage," by the Rev. Louis J. Gallagher, S. J., has been chosen as the Catholic Book Club's choice. St. Francis Cunningham, reviewing the volume in the Club's Newsletter, says the book, which is a novel, "is an answer to the vociferous cry which urges with glee at the de-struction of a cultured class headed by persons who exploit its privileges; but ignore its obligations."

## Communists So Powerful In 1936 Veterans Were Fired

Declares Victor F. Ridder, Former WPA Head, Testifying Vets Discriminated Against Because They Curbed Left-Wing Activities

NEW YORK (CNC)—Communist influence in the WPA was so powerful in 1936 that war veterans were discharged to give employment to members of the Communist Party, Victor F. Ridder, former WPA Administrator and prominent Catholic layman, told the Dies House subcommittee investigating un-American activities, Saturday.

## Red Fund Seeking In Labor Dept. Brings Protests

WASHINGTON.—As there began to pour into the Capital from various parts of the country protests against the attempt to create a Red fund to employ to contribute to the aid of Loyal Spanish, it was announced by the office of Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins that the objectionable slogan had been taken in few Departments "without her knowledge or consent."

The Communists aimed their attacks at the Veterans Bureau, Saturday, according to Mr. Ridder, seemed naturally to "gravitate away" from the Workers Alliance, a Communist affiliate. Veterans were kept off projects controlled by the Bureau because they interfered with the activities of the left-wingers.

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## PONTIFICAL REQUIEM Sung by Bishop For Cardinal Hayes

A large congregation filled the Cathedral of the Holy Spirit for the Pontifical Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of the late Cardinal Hayes, Archbishop of New York and Metropolitan of the Province of New York, by the Rev. William M. Ryan, Bishop of Rochester and Vicar General of the Archdiocese of New York, who presided at the Requiem. The Rev. Lawrence E. Conroy, vicar chancellor; Rev. Edward Lyons, rector of St. Andrew's Seminary; Monsignor Stephen Borczyk, pastor of St. Mary's; Rev. Joseph Donohue of New York City were among the prelates and priests assisting. A choir of St. Andrew's students under the direction of the Rev. Benedict Ruman sang the responses.

## ARCHBISHOP PRESIDES AT LEGION MASS

LOS ANGELES.—The Most Rev. John J. Cantwell, Archbishop of Los Angeles presided at the Legion Mass, which was among the religious ceremonies to inaugurate the national convention of the American Legion here Sunday. The Rev. Henry J. Walsh, S.J., chaplain of the California Department of the Legion, celebrated the Mass, and the sermon was preached by the Rev. Frank Lawrence, national chaplain. Monsignor Commander Duane J. Murphy led the procession from the cathedral to the Legion, which was represented by color which were presented at the high altar during the Holy Sacrifice.