

A New Housing Service

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Catholic Courier

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Opens Monday. This is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their neighbors. See Page 3.

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Bishops' Plan Is Re-Issued

10 of Proposals Now Law of Land

WASHINGTON (AP)—In the 20 years that have elapsed since the issuance of the Bishops' Program of Social Reconstruction...

This statement is contained in a foreword that accompanies a re-printing of the Bishops' Program...

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The text of the foreword follows: "A steady demand for the Bishops' Program of Social Reconstruction...

"Between February, 1918 and June 1919 more than 50 programs were drafted...

Two Notable Pronouncements: These programs of reconstruction were drawn up for the most part by religious bodies...

The greatest publicity were the Social Reconstruction Program of the British Labor Party...

The ending of the Great War has

WINS HELP TO RESCUE INFANTS FROM FLAMES

WATERVILLE, Me.—Nine nurses and three men removed 26 persons, including nine newborn babies, to safety early Friday morning when fire swept the St. Vincent's maternity wing of Sisters' Hospital here.

Course On Marriage Arranged by Lawyers

CHICAGO—The Catholic Lawyers Guild of Chicago is arranging a program of lectures on canonical procedure in marriage cases...

'America,' Jesuit Review Marks 30th Anniversary

NEW YORK (N. Y.)—On the cover of its Thirtieth Anniversary Edition this week, America, weekly review published by the Jesuit Fathers here, is carrying a message from His Eminence Luigi Cardinal Maglione, Papal Secretary of State...

The message expresses the Holy Father's "great appreciation of the valuable services" which the magazine "has rendered to the Church" throughout its 30 years of existence...

NEW YORK—America, Catholic review of the week edited here by the Jesuit Fathers, will mark its thirtieth anniversary April 15 in a special issue stating the principles and objectives for which the magazine has contended since its foundation...

Among the main messages of congratulation received at the New York offices of the magazine is a letter from the Apostolic Delegate to the United States...

Brother Who Nursed Pius XI Bequeaths Legacy To Hospital

ROME—The legacy which Brother Faustino received from Pius XI will be used for building an addition to the Hospital of the Brothers of St. John of God here...

Charges Reds Purging Catholics In SRA

LOS ANGELES—Charges that Communist leaders are purging the State Relief Administration of Catholics were made by Thomas W. McManus of Fresno on a radio address over Station KERN.

RED-BACKED OFFICIALS OUSTED BY AUTO UNION

Cleveland in the recommendations of the congress of Industrial Organization three Communist-supported vice-presidents of the United Automobile Workers of America were removed from office...

Fr. McCaffrey Named Lieutenant Colonel

NEW YORK (AP)—The Rev. Joseph A. McCaffrey, chaplain of the 165th Infantry (Old Fighting 68th), has been named to the rank of lieutenant colonel in the United States Army...

PLAN ON APOSTATES

Berlin.—The bi-monthly Die Sozialistische Zeitschrift in various sections of Germany of citizens who wish to leave the Church...

FLAYS TERRORISM

London.—Declaring that whenever terrorism appears in a civilized community it must be wiped out...

World Parley Need Stressed

C. A. I. P. Told Crises Demand It

WASHINGTON—Although the outlook for international peace at the present moment is disheartening and war seems inevitable, now is the time when an international conference to adjust differences is not only necessary but even desired by some of the nations...

Father Millner said "it seems the only alternative to the appeal of force is the appeal to reason."

"On this last conviction rests our hope of both the formation and the successful outcome of any international conference for justice and peace," he declared.

Report, Vatican Plans Air Defense, Colored

MILAN (AP)—The somewhat alarming rumors that the Vatican is exhibiting extraordinary activity to prepare against possibility of air raids in the event of war...

Although "all fear generated in these ways is not entirely groundless, and although the difficulties are not being met by Father Millner...

Plan Montreal Church For German Catholics

MONTREAL—Plans are being studied here for a new church for German-speaking Catholics. There are about 300 German Catholics in the city...

St. Peter's Model at World's Fair

Rome.—The celebrated model of the Vatican Basilica of St. Peter, which was shown 5 years ago at the World's Columbian Exposition...

FREEDOM OF RELIGION

New Orleans.—There is no country in which people enjoy a more complete freedom of belief than Japan...

HONOR ENGLISH NUN

LONDON.—Sister Pauline, superior of the Servants of the Sacred Heart who conduct the French Hospital here, was decorated by President Lebrun...

TWO PRIESTS DIE

LONDON.—Two priests who were former Anglican clergymen have died one at the age of 83 and the other aged 81.

POPE DIRECTS WORLD TO WAYS FOR PEACE

POPE PIUS XII ON HIS THRONE

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Text of Holy Father's Easter Sermon

(Here is the text of the Easter message delivered by His Holiness, Pope Pius XII, on Easter Sunday morning.)

Since the Easter solemnity affords us the joy of attending the Divine Redeemer, let us, in the Senate of the Church, to you, the indicated representatives of the episcopacy of the Roman clergy...

It is a greeting and augury of peace. For in the centuries before His coming as Prince of Peace, His birth was heralded by the angelic message: "Glory to God in Heaven" and "Peace on Earth to Men of Good Will."

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