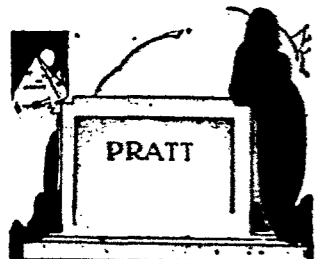


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Dr. Zwierlein Scores War Statements Made By President

Calling on patriotic men and women "to second those leaders in Congress who are fighting for the wise policy of neutrality which was laid down by the Father of our Country, George Washington, in his great Farewell Message," the Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Zwierlein, Professor Emeritus of Church History in St. Bernard's Seminary, was heard in two addresses last week. He spoke on President Roosevelt's identification of the United States with the next World War when it should break out.

Dr. Zwierlein addressed the women of the Altar Society of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in the school hall on April 12. Again he included his remarks in a sermon on "Christ's Greetings to His Apostles, 'Peace Be To You,'" in the Gospel, read at Holy Apostles Church, Sunday, April 16.

His address in part follows: "The President's Sunday, April 16, address, in which he called for a 'peace be to you' in Warm Springs, Georgia, when they gathered to see him off for Washington. He took occasion to make a very significant statement, saying 'I'll be back in the Fall, if we don't have war.'"

Last week Tuesday, April 11th, the Washington Post published the editorial on these words of the President entitling it, "The Collective Pronoun" and enlarging it on the President's identification of himself with the threatening World War in Europe if it should break out. The editorial therefore asked the question:

"Did he mean if the United States is itself engaged in hostilities or merely if a major conflict is raging overseas?"

The editorial answered its own question by making the President use the collective "we" to tell "Hitler and Mussolini far more impressively than he did when he said 'I'll be back in the Fall.'" It signed the following large interpretation of the President's few casual words as "a matter of national policy."

"The tremendous force of the United States must be a factor in their current thinking. He held the Axis powers that the Administration of the United States is far from indifferent to their plottings. He made it plain that a mere favoring of them would from the outset involve the destinies of a nation (i. e., the United States) which, as they fully realize, is potentially far stronger than Germany and Italy united."

The editorial claims that the realization of this as "incontrovertible" has stiffened French policy and finally moved the British to lay down a deadline as a limit to unrestricted aggression, that thus "President Roosevelt properly links the United States with the eleventh hour effort to avert a shattering disaster."

If all this is true, President Roosevelt has put the American frontier in Great Britain and France no matter how emphatically he has denied that he ever said such a thing in the past. He has done this in defense of two European nations that have built up both their World Empires by ruthless aggressive force which the United States is now asked to defend in the interest of so-called democracies in Europe.

It is the old war cry to make the world safe for democracy that was introduced to involve the United States in the last World War that cost us innumerable lives and billions of dollars that these same so-called democracies have steadily failed to repay though they are spending without stint money for arms, ammunition and implements of war for the next World War which no nations want but all are preparing for, into which we are again to be inveigled by hook or crook.

Under these circumstances what has President Roosevelt to say for himself? Last week Tuesday, at his press conference he termed the "inspired" Petrus Blair, Jr., who thus reported the matter by "Special to The New York Times" therefore concluded in Washington April 11, "President Roosevelt implied at his press conference today that he believed the involvement of the United States in any general European war was inevitable and that his nation should stand shoulder to shoulder with Great Britain and France against Nazi-Fascist machinations aimed at world domination by force."

This is not at present public opinion in the United States which is overwhelmingly against any participation in another World War overseas. There is every reason why now action should be taken by the Legion of World War Veterans in the United States and every other organization, to make President Roosevelt understand that he is

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A sorrowing throng of parishioners heard this said of their beloved pastor, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John P. Brophy, at the final solemn services held in the church he built, St. Monica's, last Friday morning.

The Solemn Pontifical Requiem Mass was celebrated by His Excellency the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester who imparted the last blessing.

Eulogy of Monsignor Brophy as a boy, student, professor and pastor was given by the Rev. Dr. Frederick J. Zwierlein, professor emeritus of St. Bernard's Seminary, who spoke of the departed pastor's unselfish zeal and constant concern for his flock.

Asks Prayers for Pastor

"I am sure that Monsignor Brophy's prayers have often brought you the grace of God and so as he remembered you in life at the altar of God, do you remember him in death for years to come," Dr. Zwierlein asked the mourning parishioners.

Deacons were the Reverend Fathers Stanislaus Scaupis, Robert Henry Michael Lynch, John J. Burke, Leo A. Smith, Peter Janowski, Robert Fox and Edmund O'Brien.

There were large delegations of honorary bearers, prominent city officials, and representatives of Catholic lay organizations present.

Dignitaries attending included the Most Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, D. D. the Most Rev. Walter A. Poery, Bishop of Syracuse, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph F. Bopp, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Walter J. Lee of Geneva, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John P. Schellhorn, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Francis Sullivan of Albion, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. John F. Galvin of Rochester and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Charles P. Shay.

Officers of the Mass were Assistant Priest the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V. G. Deacons of Honor, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. George V. Burns and the Rev. J. Emil Geffel, Deacon, the Rev. Michael C. J. Wall, Subdeacon, the Rev. Edward Simpson, and Master of Ceremonies the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Francis Goggin.

The following funeral parishioners filed the minor offices: the Rev. Donald Lux and the Rev. Joseph Sullivan, assistant masters of ceremonies, the Rev. John S. Flannery, the Rev. Edward J. Healy, the Rev. John J. Healy, acolytes, the Rev. Gregory Dugan, mitre bearer, the Rev. Patrick Flynn, gremiale bearer, the Rev. John Ball, book bearer, and the Rev. Henry Doerbecker, candle bearer.

Bishop Kearney gave the final blessing at the grave in the priests' plot in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

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BURNS Herbert, died April 20 at the Pro-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart.

BUTLER Elsie, died April 18 at St. Andrew's Church.

CAMILLI Blessed Sacrament Church.

COLLINS Annabella, wife of Robert, died April 18 at St. Andrew's Church.

CONROY Michael, died April 18 at St. Andrew's Church.

CONYNGHE Civilis, died last week at St. Anthony's Church.

DAVIS Leta, wife of Frank, died April 18 at St. Andrew's Church.

DE SENNARD Salvestra, husband of Rose, died April 15 at Holy Apostles Church.

DE LIA Elizabeth, died April 16 at St. John the Evangelist Church.

DISENZA Charles, husband of Louise, died April 22 at Holy Rosary Church.

DONOHUE Mrs. Jennie, died April 22 at Immaculate Conception Church.

EISENHARTER Irene, wife of Alfred, died April 21 at St. Andrew's Church.

GRATTON Alice, wife of Peter, died April 16 at St. Andrew's Church.

GRIFFIN Mary A., wife of George, died April 21 at St. Anne's Church.

HOWARD Max, husband of Rose, died April 20 at Immaculate Conception Church.

INZANA Isabella, died April 21 at St. Peter and Paul's Church.

KIEFER Lena, died April 23 at St. Augustine's Church.

LAURIE Joseph, husband of Catherine, died April 18 at St. Andrew's Church.

LOOS Elizabeth, died April 21 at St. Andrew's Church.

MCLELLAN Ledy, husband of Mary, died April 23 at St. Andrew's Church.

PETER and Paul's Church.

MICHAEL Anne, died April 17 at St. Mary's Church in Holy Rosary.

MURPHY Thomas, husband of Florence, died April 17 at St. Andrew's Church.

OFFERSHAW Grace, wife of Vincent, died April 20 at St. Andrew's Church.

PASQUALE Loretta, died April 22 at St. Lucia's Church.

PERRY James, husband of Mary, died April 20 at Holy Rosary Church.

PRENNINGER Jessie, wife of George, died April 23 at St. Andrew's Church.

STANLEY Joseph, husband of Ethel, died April 22 at Holy Rosary Church.

SMITH Frank, husband of Mary, died April 22 at Holy Rosary Church.

STEINBERG George, died April 22 at St. Michael's Church.

SWENNY Lena, died April 17 at St. Andrew's Church.

TANCHE Joseph, died April 23 at St. Andrew's Church.

WELLS Michael, died April 20 at St. Joseph's Church.

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The Squares received one trophy for winning the Recreation Commission Basketball League and the other for winning in the playoffs. The first is permanent while the second must be won three times for final possession.

Avery E. Neagle, sports director, officiated as master of ceremonies and short talks were given by Rev. Frederick G. Straub, and George Syme, Jr. Various members of the teams were called on. Pete Vicarelli, coach, spoke in be-

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