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## Among Their Own

This week we ask you to send us Five dollars for the support and education of the students who are in the Major Seminary. These young men will soon be priests. They will work among their own people.

### CATHOLICS RIDICULED BY NEIGHBORS

*Insulting Remarks Are Made About Church*

Father Armean, the Pastor of the village of Pricaz in Roumania writes:

This mission has only one hundred and fifty Catholics. The rest of the people belong to the Orthodox church. My parishioners are poor, many of them are converts.

The Roumanian government helps the Orthodox church. It is very generous in giving funds for the building of churches. That is the reason why this village has an Orthodox church that is beautiful.

"Our little church looks like a shack in comparison to the other. About a year ago, we commenced repairs but we had to stop. The poor people have no funds. We are at the end of our resources.

"What angers me as pastor is the haughty attitude of the separated people. My parishioners tell me that whenever there is a dispute or argument some reference is made to our little church. This hurts and prevents us making converts.

"I can repair the church and improve the outside. I can erect a new Altar and decorate the interior. The entrance must be enlarged and the approach levelled. All this can be done for Two Hundred Dollars. If you help us, you will make life more pleasant for my poor Catholics and I will have a chance to make converts."

Can anybody resist this appeal? Here is a plea from a priest who is desperate. If you can't send Two Hundred Dollars, then send Five Dollars.

### STATUE OF OUR LADY

Before May is over, send us an offering for a Statue of Our Blessed Mother. Your gift would be placed in a mission chapel.

### A CHALICE

Ten Dollars will purchase a Chalice for a Near East mission chapel. Send use Ten Dollars.

### PENTECOST SUNDAY

Next Sunday is the Feast of Pentecost. The Church commemorates the Descent of the Holy Ghost upon the Apostles Pentecost has been called the Birthday of the Church for on that day the Apostles commenced their work of preaching and baptizing.

### INTERESTING PAMPHLET

Our pamphlet on Gregorian Masses is very interesting. It answers many questions. It explains the old custom of offering a Mass every day for thirty days for one who is deceased. Write for a copy. It is free.

### ALTAR LINENS

The linens used on the Altar and during Mass must be spotless. They should not be torn or patched. Five Dollars will purchase enough linen for a mission chapel Altar. Make this gift in honor of the Blessed Sacrament.

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# INTERNATIONAL

TRUTH ON SPAIN WAR — WORLD EVENTS
KING AND QUEEN GUARDS AT MASS

## Reds Wrecked Loyalist Spain

### Says Ex-Loyalist Envoy To France

*The following is further substantiation of the fact, revealed many times by the Catholic Press, that the Spanish Leftist Government was a creature of Soviet Russia.*

NEW YORK.—(NC)—The true story of what happened in Spain was further clarified when the North American Newspaper Alliance released for publication an article by Luis Araquistain, former Spanish Leftist Ambassador to France, charging that Soviet Russia not only controlled but also wrecked the Spanish Leftist Government.

Mr. Araquistain's testimony is of particular importance at this time, because it follows closely on the recent publication by the Saturday Evening Post of an article making the same charges by the former Soviet General, W. G. Krevitsky

Communist and other propagandists in the United States and other countries have made determined and well-financed efforts to disguise the Soviet domination of the Spanish Leftist Government. Their efforts met with unbelievable success until recently, when many persons started belatedly to realize that Soviet Russia did control the Spanish Leftist Government after all.

**Communist Control**

Mr. Araquistain, in his article, made the flat statement that the day Dr. Juan Negrin, now in the United States on a propaganda lecture tour, replaced Largo Caballero as Premier of the Spanish Leftist Government, "it meant the triumph of the Communist policy in Spain."

Alvarez del Vayo, former Spanish Leftist Foreign Minister, was characterized by Mr. Araquistain as a Communist disguised as a Socialist and the "instrument of the Communist Party." Del Vayo is in the United States at present with Dr. Negrin.

After the Spanish War started, Mr. Araquistain wrote, "the Communists needed a figure head with prestige in Spain." They had no outstanding intellectual, political or labor personality, he said.

"The mental or moral level of its own best-known men and women, Jose Diaz, Jesus Hernandez, Vicente Uribe, 'La Pasionaria' (Dolores Ibarruri), Margarita Nelken was too low. They aspired to be directors of the Spanish tragedy on the Republican (Leftist) side, while other men, of other parties, would be the visible actors," he said.

**'Spanish Stalin'**

This being so he added, the Communists then assigned "the chief role in the case" to Largo Caballero, giving him the title of "the Spanish Lenin" the greatest honor they could bestow on a non-Communist Caballero suited their purposes until the beginning of 1937, when they started to destroy him, he continued.

"The May, 1939, crisis in which Dr Juan Negrin replaced Senor Largo Caballero in the Premiership," he said, "meant the triumph of the Communist policy in Spain But the day of that crisis was the day the war was lost for the republic."

Mr. Araquistain then wrote that Caballero and the Communists had their first conflict over the appointment of political commissars in the Spanish Leftist Army

"One day," he added, "Premier Largo Caballero learned that without consulting him, though he was also Minister of War, the commissar-general Julio Alvarez del Vayo, who was also Foreign Minister, had appointed hundreds of political commissars in the Republican (Leftist) Army. The majority were Communists The idea of the political commissars had also been imported from Soviet Russia

"The Communists wanted to have a monopoly on commissars, not to educate and inflame the soldiers, but to compel them to enroll in the party, offering them advantages and promotions if they did and persecuting them by every means—including attempts against their lives—if they refused. From the first moment the Communists were the most privileged part, the aristocracy of the Republican Army. For that they made use of the political commissars and for that Senor Alvarez del Vayo appointed them.

**Wanted Real 'Lenin'**

"Senor Largo Caballero canceled those appointments, which had been made behind his back and in favor almost exclusively of the Communist party—that is to say, of Soviet policy in Spain. On that day the Socialist leader signed his death warrant as head of the government. The Communists wanted a 'Spanish Lenin' not of flesh and blood but of straw."

Since before the war, Mr. Araquistain wrote, del Vayo "was a Communist without having ceased to belong to the Socialist Party."

"His body belonged to this party," he continued, but "his heart to Communism. The Soviet witches found in him an easy Macbeth."

Del Vayo, he charged, "would sacrifice his own party and the Spanish people, if necessary, to serve Soviet Russia"

"He would be the king of revolutionary Spain, the political and labor heir of Senor Largo Caballero, the supreme leader of the Spanish workers united in a single labor party controlled by the Communists, he said.

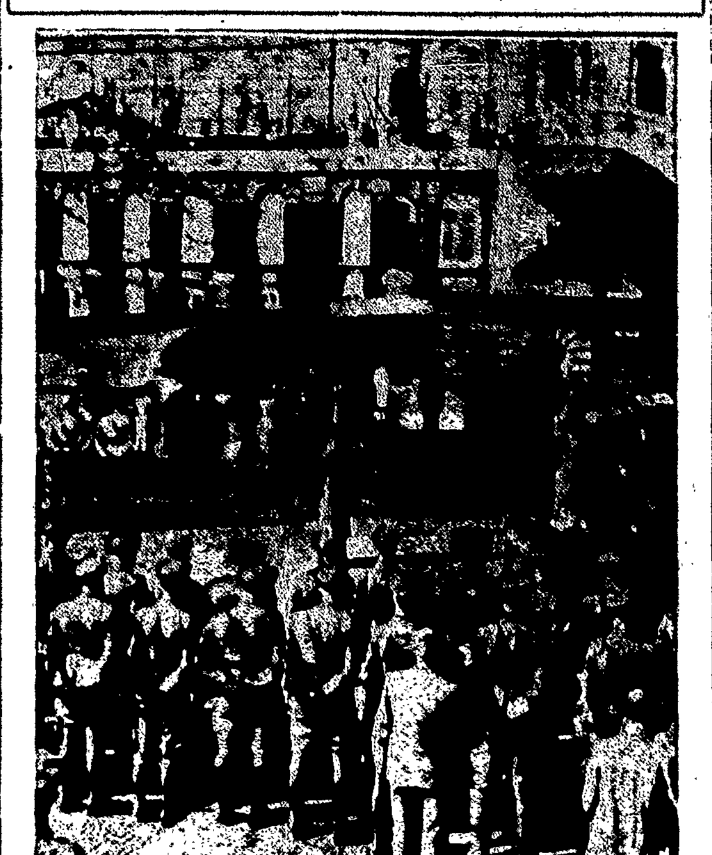
"This labor of unification—that is to say, of absorption of the Socialist proletariat by Communism—had its start in the youth groups. One had to unify the Socialist and the Communist youth."

Mr. Araquistain then told of the preparatory operations for this unification being conducted in del Vayo's home at Madrid. He said he had lived one floor above del Vayo and had witnessed the young Socialist leaders interviewing the Comintern agent at del Vayo's apartment.

"There it was," he continued, "that a voyage to the Muscovite Mecca was organized for them, there it was arranged to deliver the Socialist youth, the new working generation of Spain, to Soviet communism.

"That happened during the first few months of 1936. Communism being the chief reason for the disaster of Republican Spain, the responsibility of Senor Alvarez del Vayo, instrument of the Communist Party, is one of the greatest."

AT MASS FOR THE ROYAL GUARDS



The Rev. Henry Gaboury celebrates a special Mass, on the grounds of the Parliament Building, in Quebec, for the picked force of provincial police and guards who will protect the British King and Queen during their stay in Quebec.

## Archbishop Spellman Installed At N. Y.

(Continued from Page 1)

Papal Bull announcing the new Archbishop's appointment to head the Archiepiscopal See of New York then was read by Monsignor Lavelle

Archbishop Spellman, with his ministers, then proceeded to the faldstool placed in the center of the sanctuary The ceremony of installation was completed when Archbishop Cicognani escorted Archbishop Spellman to the throne on the Gospel side of the sanctuary The clergy of the archdiocese, headed by Bishop Donahue, then came to the throne to kiss their new Archbishop's ring in token of obedience. Afterwards, Bishop Donahue, speaking for the clergy and laity of the archdiocese warmly welcomed Archbishop Spellman to his new office

Bishop Donahue from the pulpit, welcomed the new shepherd of the Church in New York, pledged the zealous fealty of the clergy and religious, then read a cablegram in which Pope Pius XII bestowed his Apostolic Blessing upon the new Archbishop, the clergy, Religious and faithful.

In his response, Archbishop Spellman said that it was not without significance to him that he began his association with the Archdiocese of New York in the springtime of the year

"The Spring is the time for planting" he added "I come to sow the seed of the gospel The ground is good because those who tilled it before me have left it so The soil is active and my helpers the zealous clergy the self-sacrificing Religious, and the devoted faithful of the laity are good

**Compelling Example**

"From the hand of him whom God has called to eternal rest, the former great-hearted of this Archdiocese, Cardinal Hayes, I take up the work before me To this work I have been assigned by the Supreme Pastor of Christendom, nor do I make any other account of my life than to affirm that with all its faculties and energies, it will be spent until it can be spent no more for the gaining of souls for Christ

"In the discharge of my office I have an example that is near and compelling It is impossible that I should not be profoundly influenced by the life and virtues of my revered predecessor, Cardinal Hayes"

Archbishop Spellman also paid tribute to His Holiness, Pope Pius XII adding that the Pope "fulfills the desires and needs of all of us."

Speaking of the Supreme Pontiff's visit as Cardinal Pacelli, to New York in 1936 Archbishop Spellman said that this visit "ratified between the Holy Father and all of us a deep and solemn pact of mutual understanding and of friendship."

**Knows All of Us**

Occupying a front pew for the installation ceremonies were members of the new Archbishop's immediate family. They included his father, William J. Spellman, a retired business man of Whitman, Mass., where Archbishop Spellman was born 50 years ago, two sisters, Mrs Arthur Pegnam, of Whitman, and Mrs George Garrity, wife of an Assistant United States Attorney at Boston, and two brothers, Dr Martin H Spellman and Dr John W. Spellman, Boston physicians.

The scores of distinguished persons who attended the installation included United States Senators Robert F Wagner and James M. Mead of New York, United States Senators David I. Walsh and Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts where Archbishop Spellman was formerly Auxiliary Bishop to William Cardinal O'Connell, and Governor Herbert H Lehman of New York State, Mayor Fiorello H LaGuardia of New York City, and their staffs

Music for the Mass was furnished by the combined Cathedral, St Joseph's Seminary and Cathedral College Choirs, directed by Pietro Yon, director of the Cathedral Choir, and the Rev Daniel F. O'Sullivan, director of the Seminarians' Choir

The installation ceremonies also were broadcast nationally by the National Broadcasting Company and the Mutual Broadcasting System

## Catholic Press Leaders Attend N. Y. Installation

NEW YORK As a mark of esteem for a former associate in the Catholic Press Charles H Ridder publisher of the Catholic News and President of the Catholic Press Association, and other officers of the association attended the installation of the Most Rev. Francis J Spellman as Archbishop of New York in St Patrick's Cathedral, today.

Archbishop Spellman served in two departments of the Boston Pilot, official organ of the Archdiocese of Boston, namely the circulation and editorial departments.

Besides Mr Ridder, officers of the association present were: the Rt Rev Msgr. Peter M H. Wynhoven, of New Orleans, Vice-President of the Association and Editor of Catholic Action of the South; the Rev. Charles J. Mulally, S.J., Editor of The Messenger of the Sacred Heart and Treasurer of the Association; the Rev Dr Edward Lodge Curran, President of the Catholic Truth Society, Editor of Light and member of the executive board and Vincent de Paul Fitzpatrick, Editor of the Catholic Review, Baltimore, member of the executive board and past President of the C. P. A Frank A. Hall, Director of the N.C.W.C. News Service, also was present.

## Fr. Coughlin Recalls Easy Raising of Money in U. S. for World War

DETROIT (NC) Although in the World War the United States did not find it difficult "to raise sufficient money within the confines of our shores to procure destruction," yet Americans "are niggardly with our dollars for construction simply because money is held and controlled in the hands of a few to the detriment of the masses in America," the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, Pastor of the Shrine of the Little Flower, Royal Oak, said Sunday in his weekly radio broadcast.

Speaking on "The Policy of Social Justice Magazine," Father Coughlin asked: "What would $150,000,000,000 accomplish if money the receipt of wealth, were coined and regulated by the Congress of the United States for productive purposes?"

"It would build nearly 6,000,000 miles of paved roads," he said, "which is approximately nine times the mileage of all surface roads in America.

"It would construct 38,250,000 six-room houses—enough to house with a new home every family in this nation of ours.

"It would erect 48 hospitals costing $1,000,000 each in every one of the 3,075 counties of these United States.

"It would open up every factory, give jobs to more than 60,000,000 men and pay unemployment insurance premiums on all business and industry for more than 300 years to come."

## Around The World

**Mark Saint's Anniversary**

VATICAN CITY.—At the direction of His Holiness Pope Pius XII services according to the Byzantine Slavic Rite were held in the Vatican Basilica Sunday to commemorate the 950th anniversary of the baptism of St. Vladimir and his people.

The Holy Father had asked that this be done, "as if it were to render more visibly near Our person" the happy recollection of the glorious faith of "a very elect portion of the flock of which We are Pastor." The services were held at the Altar of the Chair of St. Peter, with the Most Rev. Alexander Evreinoff, Titular Bishop of Pionia and ordaining Bishop of the Byzantine Rite in Rome, officiating. The Bishop was assisted by a half-dozen priests of the same Rite.

**Missionary Slain**

PARIS.—A dispatch from Shanghai announcing the killing by Chinese bandits of the 67-year-old Father Hermand at the Jesuit mission at Hai-Tcheou, stated that two other priests were being held as hostages. It has been learned at Paris that Father de la Largere, 37, has been released, but there is no further news regarding the 72-year-old Fathr Le Bayon.

**Gives Famous Painting**

LONDON. — Lord Rothermere, noted newspaper owner, has presented a painting, attributed to Giovanni Bellini, to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. It hangs in the Slipper Chapel there.

Entitled "The Virgin and Two Saints," the picture is stated to be valued at $50,000 dollars. Lord Rothermere, who is not a Catholic, has a country house about twelve miles from Walsingham and last summer he was among the crowd which watched the offering of Mass in the meadow of the Slipper Chapel.

**Countess Loses Life**

BRUSSELS. — The rocks of Marche-les-Dames, on which the late King Albert of the Belgians was dashed to death, have again exacted a toll of human life.

At the very spot where the former monarch was killed while mountain climbing, Countess Sybille de Liederke, niece of Count Xavier de Grunne, who found King Albert's body, died after a fall.

Climbing a high peak in company with her brother and two companions, Countess Sybille missed her footing as a projecting stone gave and she and her brother were dashed onto the rocks 60 feet below. She was killed instantly and her brother is seriously injured

**Hail Franco Victory**

MADRID. Felicitations for having "given the civilized world so marvelous a demonstration of the fortitude and faith of Catholic Spain now being celebrated in Madrid as well as everywhere in Spain" are contained in a letter to His Eminence Isidro Cardinal Goma y Tomas Primate of Spain, signed by prominent Catholic clergymen and laymen in the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

Stating that "the Catholics of North America remember with profound gratitude that it was from Spanish missionaries of the Catholic Church that our country received the precious gift of Christian faith," the letter says the signatories associate themselves in congratulations "when the Spanish nation celebrates its glorious victory over the evil forces of modern atheism, Communism, anarchy and paganism"

**Church Anniversary**

BRATISLAVA, Slovakia. — In the village of Hrvatski Grob, near here, where Croatians predominate and the population is almost entirely Catholic, the 350th anniversary of the erection of the village church will be celebrated this fall.

On this occasion, the Croatian Committee for the Holy Land at Zagreb will present to the villagers a statue of Blessed Nicholas Travelic, who suffered martyrdom in Palestine

**Study Re-election**

MEXICO CITY. Is there a possibility, one might even say a probability, that President Lazaro Cardenas will be re-elected President of Mexico? The simultaneous publication of articles dealing with this subject in Excelsior and La Prensa has aroused considerable speculation Was it a mere coincidence or a natural press reflection of popular opinion that these articles appeared in two dailies of the Capital on the same day? Or was it a deliberate and planned hint to the people that this may happen?

The editorial in Excelsior commented that the slogan adopted in 1917, Sufragio efectivo; no re-eleccion (True suffrage; no re-election) contains two contradictory principles since it is impossible to have "true suffrage" in the sense of freedom of choice of candidate if the present office-holder is eliminated. Furthermore, the editorial points out, the slogan has been more or less of a burlesque for, although re-election was prohibited, General Calles created "continuance in power" by means of interference in, or control of Government.

## EXERCISES WILL HONOR POPES LEO XIII, PIUS XI

NEW YORK.—Memorial exercises in honor of Popes Leo XIII and Pius XI and their great encyclicals "Rerum Novarum" and "Quadragesimo Anno" will be held here on Saturday, May 27.

In the morning a memorial Mass will be celebrated at the Spanish Church of Our Lady of Guadalupe and in the afternoon an open-air rally will be held in Union Square at which prominent speakers will discuss the encyclicals of the great Pontiffs.

## MASSES

**BLESSED SACRAMENT**
Oxford St. Rev. J. F. Conners. Masses, Sunday, 5:45, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. Holydays, 5:45, 7, 8, 9, 10. Daily 6:45, 8.

**HOLY ROSARY**
Lexington Ave. Msgr. Charles F. Shay. Masses, Sunday, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. Holydays, 5:30, 6, 7, 8 and 9. Daily, 7, 7:30 and 8.

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**
Plymouth Ave. So. Rt. Rev. Msgr. J. S. Cameron. Masses, Sunday, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. Holydays, 5:30, 6:30, 7:30 [illegible] 8:30.

**OLD ST. MARY'S**
South St. Rev. [illegible] Masses Sunday [illegible] 11. Holydays [illegible]

**OUR LADY OF [illegible]**
Joseph Ave. Rev. [illegible] Sunday, 6:30, 7:30 [illegible] Holydays, 5:30 [illegible] Daily, 7, 7:45.

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