

550-Of 3 Faiths Warn Of Racial Hate

NEW YORK.—Warning against "hatred deliberately fomented against cultural groups by unscrupulous or misled individuals," over 500 Catholic, Protestant and Jewish lay and clerical leaders joined this week in a plea to Americans to repudiate doctrines which "place class against class, promote racial and religious hatred and aim to destroy liberty."

The churchmen, asserting that "there is no place in the American democracy for prejudice or bitterness, whether racial or religious," called upon "the different races, religions and creeds in our American democracy" to "emphasize anew a mutual respect and hold fast to the ties of goodwill which bind us together."

"We summon every American," the pronouncement said, "to dedicate himself to America's ideals of political liberty, religious freedom and equality under God. We call on every American to seek out his brother and join with him in common tasks of building a society based on goodwill, justice and peace, so that we may stand with a bulwark of defense against doctrines which deny the validity of these ideals."

Radicals Demounced The pronouncement, circulated under the auspices of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, and headed by Enoch Powell, C. M. Clyrich, Director, was jointly drafted by the organization's three co-chairmen: Prof. Arthur H. Compton of the University of Chicago, Prof. C. Vann Denerly of Columbia University and Roger W. Straus.

It specifically condemned atheistic communism, Fascism and Nazism, and persecution of Catholics, Jews and Protestants "wherever such persecution may take place. It further asked Americans not to permit legitimate differences of opinion as to political situations abroad to create mutual suspicions or issue in unfriendly relations among the groups that compose our common citizenship. Then, warning against propaganda which seeks to turn any class or race or religious group against another," the pronouncement said:

"Events abroad have shown us the tragic consequences of a propaganda of hatred, the murder of priests and nuns in Spain, the persecution and dispossession of Jews in Italy, Germany and its protectorates, the suppression of Protestants and Catholics in Germany and the alienation of church property, the creation of a huge class of refugees, the forcible removal of their homeland and very often, from their loved ones. Such are the ultimate consequences of propaganda which advocates hatred against classes, races and religious groups. It is important that Americans understand the final consequences of such propaganda. The fires of prejudice burn quickly and disastrously. What may begin as polemics against a class or group may end with persecution, murder, pillage and dispossession of that group."

STUDY OF PHILOSOPHY LEADS PAIR TO CHURCH

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (NC)—In the Church of the Holy Comforter here on June 18, the Rev. Louis A. Rowen, pastor, will receive into the church Leonard Esslick and his wife, Mr. Esslick will get his Ph. D. degree at the University of Virginia on June 12. His studies of philosophy in its scholastic value led Mr. Esslick and his wife to investigate the teachings of Catholicism and their conversion is to be the result. Mr. Esslick will continue his studies under Jacques Maritain at the French School of Philosophy in Paris.

SPAIN HONOR TO CHURCH Foe Causes Surprise

AMSTERDAM.—(NC)—Surprise has been caused among German Catholics by the report from Burgos, Spain, that General Francisco Franco has granted the same high decoration to Heinrich Himmler, chief of Nazi police, which was given to President Salazar of Portugal, a practicing Catholic, and to General Boechini, chief of the Italian police. It is pointed out that Herr Himmler is one of the bitter enemies of the Church and one of the worst persecutors of all things Catholic in Germany. Also he is in charge of the infamous concentration camps where so many priests have languished and still are confined under atrocious conditions.

Three Are Convicted

(Continued from Page 1) time until the United States mails are rid of this type of objectionable matter. Another means of stamping out this type of business, Mr. Farley said, is the withholding of the second class mail privilege to publications which are known before hand to plan the dissemination of obscene matter, while those already enjoying the second class privilege are scrutinized carefully for possible violations, and if after sufficient warning the publishers continue to carry articles their second class privilege is revoked. The penalty for conviction on a charge of transmitting obscene matter through the mails provides for a \$5,000 fine, or five years in jail or both. Sentences in the Federal Press cases are to be meted out on June 11.

Catholic and Labor Catholic Groups Hit Health Bill



Rev. Albert LeRoy, S. J., of the International Labor Organization in Geneva, where he is in charge of relations with all Catholic institutions interested in social questions. Father LeRoy's booklet, "Catholicism and the International Labor Organization," has been translated and published by the Social Action Department, N.C.W.C.

WASHINGTON.—(NC)—Marshaling an impressive body of arguments, the National Catholic Welfare Conference, the National Conference of Catholic Charities, the Catholic Hospital Association of the United States, the American Hospital Association, and the American Protestant Hospital Association told a Senate subcommittee of their opposition to the Wagner National Health Bill, this week. In statements presented at hearings being held by a subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Education and Labor, the witnesses informed the Senators of their belief that the Wagner Bill would make impossible co-operation between governmental and non-governmental agencies for the care of the sick; their grave fear that the measure actually threatens the continued existence of the non-governmental agencies, and their amazement and concern that, despite assurance previously given by high Government officials, the bill as drawn ignores the voluntary and church hospitals of the United States. Speak for Catholics William F. Montavon, Director of the Legal Department of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, presented the views of the N.C.W.C. The Rt. Rev. Mgr. John O'Grady, Executive Secretary of the National Conference of Catholic Charities, represented that body, and the Rev. Alphonsus M. Schuttella, S. J., of St. Louis University, spoke for the Catholic Hospital Association of the United States, of which he is President. Bryce Twitty spoke as President of the American Protestant Hospital Association. He is Superintendent of Baylor University Hospital, Dallas, Tex. Dr. Claude Munger, Superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital, New York, and Past President of the American Hospital Association, appeared as the representative of the A.H.A. Superintendent of Charity. Mr. Montavon told the Senate subcommittee that "our present standards of culture and particularly in the field of medical care, are the product not of Government alone, but rather of society, as distinct from Government, working through a co-operative partnership of governmental and non-governmental agencies to meet the social need." He added that "in this characteristic of American culture (the Church has found an opportunity for the expression of her supernatural charity) applied in the relief of human needs through the exercise of the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. To this end she has been encouraged to found agencies varied in character and in numbers to carry out her mission of service."

Organize To Balk 'isms—Fr. Coughlin

DETROIT. We must act now if we are to prevent Communism, or some other "ism," averting the last vestige of organized Christianity in our midst, the Rev. Charles E. Coughlin, pastor of the Shrine of the Little Flower at Royal Oak, Mich., declared in his radio broadcast Sunday. "Let us cast aside our indifference, our false intolerance, our criminal prudence, and organize thoroughly to re-establish the original order of Jesus Christ for the protection of our nation against the incursions of a diabolical philosophy of internationalism which is well-organized amongst us," he urged.

"My friends," said Father Coughlin, "social justice is primarily interested in the eternal salvation of the souls of men. We recognize, however, that it is most difficult for a man to save his immortal soul when he is unjustly denied the goods of this world. Therefore, social justice is likewise interested in the production and the just distribution of the goods of this world. Not distribution which is measured out by the yardstick of scarcity, but a just distribution based upon our ability to produce an ability which in America means plenty for all." "It is true that in one sense a priest's place is in the pulpit," Father Coughlin continued. "But it is likewise true that when the subjects to which I have referred are intimately concerned with the salvation of souls, their place likewise is in the pulpit."

In an earlier and separate part of his remarks, Fr. Coughlin took occasion vigorously to deny charges which he said are being made against him in "a planned, energetic campaign."

Georgetown Marks 150th Birthday

WASHINGTON (NC) A letter from His Holiness Pope Pius XII lauding Georgetown University for "150 years of honorable service to God and country" was the highlight of an impressive convocation, here, Saturday afternoon. The convocation was a fitting climax to a series of brilliant academic ceremonies extending over a week, marking Georgetown's Sesquicentennial. The letter from the Holy Father was read to the large and distinguished audience by His Excellency, the Most Rev. Amato Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States. It was announced that the letter had been brought to this country by the Very Rev. Vincent A. McCormick, S. J., an American Jesuit, who is Rector of the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome.

Father Meets To Give Lectures In Buffalo

BUFFALO, N. Y. The Rev. Charles Meess, Belgium-born priest, who is a citizen of China and chaplain of the Boy Scouts of China, is coming here for a series of lectures which will cover approximately one month. Father Meess' lectures, illustrated by motion pictures, are being given in aid of Chinese refugees. He is assisting the Most Rev. Paul Y-Lin, Vicar Apostolic of Nanking, who is in this country as a special envoy of the Chinese National Government Relief Commission.

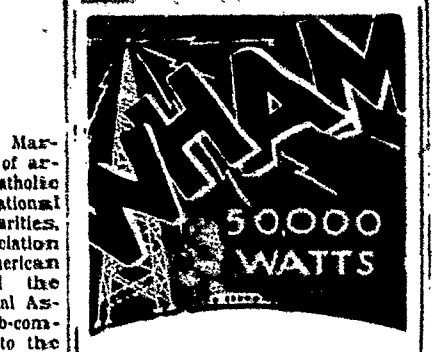
Bishop Blesses Hospitality House

The need for looking after those who are not reached by organized charitable agencies was emphasized by His Excellency, the Most Rev. James E. Kearney, Bishop of Rochester, when he blessed the St. Joseph House of Hospitality, 376 Clinton Avenue North, Friday night. Situated in a small store, the house was established two months ago by the Catholic Workers, a group of young Catholic men and women who espouse the cause of the poor and unfortunate. Each day they serve meals to more than 50 transient and homeless men and provide clothing for men, women and children in the neighborhood.

Accompanying the Bishop was the Rev. Lawrence Casey, diocesan vicar-general. The Rev. Gerald C. Lambert, director of the Rochester Catholic Charities, also inspected the building. In charge of the Catholic Workers is the Rev. George C. Vogt, who explained that all food and clothing given out is donated by friends of the movement. The workers will appreciate any donations at any time.

Official delegates from some 375 universities, colleges, learned societies and educational groups attended the convocation, at which honorary degrees were conferred upon 17 distinguished personages. Notable Speakers: The Most Rev. John M. McNamara, Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore and one of those receiving an honorary degree, brought to the exercises the greetings and best wishes of the Most Rev. Michael J. Curley, Archbishop of Baltimore, who had sailed for Europe. "This institution has been connected in a very special way with the Archdiocese of Baltimore and the Commonwealth both by reason of its Founder and because of the location of Georgetown within what was then the State of Maryland," Bishop McNamara said. Archbishop on Confraternity: Washington.—The National Center of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine has just issued a pamphlet by the Most Rev. Samuel A. Stritch, Archbishop of Milwaukee, entitled "Why a Confraternity of Christian Doctrine in Every Parish?"

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DRAMA YOU, THE UNSEEN JURY - Sundays - 7:30 P. M. HOLLYWOOD PLAYHOUSE - Sundays - 8:00 P. M. ORPHANS OF DIVORCE - Mondays - 7:00 P. M. ONE MAN'S FAMILY - Wednesdays - 8:00 P. M. THE TROOPERS DRAMA - Thursdays - 7:30 P. M.

COMMENTARY FATHER COUGHLIN - Sundays - 5:00 P. M. WALTER WINCHELL - Sundays - 8:30 P. M. FRITZ BROWNELL - Tuesdays, 7:30 P. M., and Fridays, 7:45 P. M. LOWELL THOMAS - Mondays through Fridays - 1:15 P. M. WM. ROBERTS - Mondays through Saturdays - 5:20 P. M. AL SIGL - Mondays through Fridays - 1:30 P. M. THE NATIONAL RADIO FORUM - Mondays - 9:30 P. M.



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