

Society for Propagation of the Faith

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THEY WIND UP THE YEAR. The few remaining days make the Advent period very short for preparation for the great feast which is approaching. At this time, therefore, it might be well to take stock in order to decide just what we intend to do, what gift we plan to offer to the Child Whose Birthday we celebrate on Dec. 25. For the past year, and for the years before it, we have been blessed with the illness of His love and mercy upon us. Each morning we have hurriedly uttered the prayerful hope, "Oh King, send us a sign that we have been filled with other matters, which would be more important than the fulfillment of that hope."

It is in the present situation that we have been particularly blessed. We have been particularly blessed in that we have been able to see the fulfillment of that hope. We have been able to see the fulfillment of that hope in that we have been able to see the fulfillment of that hope. We have been able to see the fulfillment of that hope in that we have been able to see the fulfillment of that hope.

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Christmas. We made some mission posters. We want to buy a lot of mission posters. We want to buy a lot of mission posters. We want to buy a lot of mission posters. We want to buy a lot of mission posters.

So, I am forced to leave it to Sister to tell you more about what I mean by saying the per capita gift of the boys and girls of St. Joseph's is really the highest in the diocese. I remember, correctly, that I got back on the right track again. This week the third and fourth grades of St. Joseph's have together adopted a little Chinese baby named Jimmie.

And here is another fifth grade. This time it is the fifth grade of St. Mary's Home. They too seem to have a special interest in the Chinese children. Therefore, they decided to adopt a little Chinese baby named Jimmie.

It is always a pleasure to wind up the column with a record of the good work done during the week. During the past few days we have received \$32.00 from St. Margaret's for their dues. Three grades from St. Salome's reported \$3.00. Fourth grade girls, St. Andrew's, reported \$1.00. And there you have it. How about your dues next week?

GREET'S DRAMATIZERS OF HIS LIFE



George M. Cohan, eminent theater personality, pictured with members of the cast which will bring to life on the stage, his colorful dramatic career. Shown with Mr. Cohan are students of the Catholic University Speech and Drama School, which is presenting the world premiere of "Yankee Doodle Boy," new play based on the noted Catholic actor's life before the footlights. Co-authors of the play are an instructor and a student at the University. (C.N.C.W.C. photo.)

World Premiere Set Based On Cohan

WASHINGTON. — Bringing to life on the stage the colorful career of George M. Cohan, eminent figure in the American theater, is the subject of a play which has fallen to the dramatists, technicians, and actors of the Catholic University of America School of Speech and Drama.

"Yankee Doodle Boy," a play based on Cohan's life before the footlights from his first appearance as a babe in arms until the present day, will be staged, for the first time beginning December 15 for a four-day run.

Mr. Cohan himself will attend the December 17 performance, making a special trip from New York for the occasion. He has been not only the subject but the spirit of the venture, from the time when Walter F. Kerr, instructor in Speech and Drama at the university, and Leo Brady, student playwright, first approached him. Mr. Cohan not only approved, but gave permission to use 20 of his best known songs as a musical score.

It would be nice to divide our class of thirty pupils into five groups, each group having six pupils with a leader, and see which group could get their money first. We started collecting money last night, each pupil bringing their money to the leader of their group. Every group had a strong competitor as everyone was working very hard.

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Audiences, Hail Friars' Drama

"Shadow and Substance," the moving story of life in a small town parish in Ireland was given a skillful interpretation by Rochester's Blackfriars Guild in four performances this and last week.

Handling the native accent or brogue was not too overdrawn although it is evidently difficult for those not born in Ireland to acquire it with ease.

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Here's How... to give everyone

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

THE SECRET of successful gift-giving is very simple. In fact, it's no secret at all. Almost any name on your list could appropriately... pleasantly... thoughtfully... be taken care of with a choice bottle of the fine champagne or glorious still wines which bear the "Gold Seal" label.

New York State

"GOLD SEAL WINES"

For Instance... Or, Perhaps...

SHERRY

Its clear, golden amber intrigues the eye... its distinctive bouquet delights the sense of smell... its nutty flavor fills the keenest anticipation.



PORT

The rich, hearty goodness of this long-favorite wine is symbolized in its deep ruby color. Much-used for an after-dinner treat, it is unsurpassed with the demi-tasse, or the toasted crackers and cheese.



SAUTERNE

When seafoods are called for, the call is for sauterne. This delicately golden "dry" wine enhances the flavor of fish, oysters, and terrapin.



"GOLD SEAL" CHAMPAGNE

Those who are "in the know," know the superlative qualities of this famous, medal-winning champagne. This wine is not made... it is "created."

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German Priest, Cabinet Member Dies
AMSTERDAM.—The Rev. Dr. Heinrich Brauns, former member of the German Cabinet and a leader of the now defunct German Catholic Center Party died in Lindenberg, Bavaria, at the age of 71, after an appendicitis operation.