Rochester's Pioneer Trust Company. Established 1888

When Rochester Trust Makes A Loan

the institution invests the funds of its depositors and must make sure that principal and interest will be paid promptly when due.

Because responsible borrowers keep loan costs down, they obtain credit here on particularly favorable terms.

Always, Rochester Trust is prepared to go as far with any customer as sound banking practices will permit.

For more than half a century, this institution has shaped its lending policies on the convictions that a loan that is good for Rochester is good for Rochester Trust.

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

ROCHESTER TRUST and Safe Deposit COMPANY
Main Street West and Exchange

Our Fifty Years' Experience in Handling of Estates and Trust Funds

Forman's Spring Suit Variety

. . . sings a triumphant song of versatility! Soft in line, soft in detail, it whispers of boleros and windbreakers, abbreviated hiplines and long torsos, flippant pockets and military mannerisms . . . all of which means that there is a wholesome regard for YOU and your personal desires! . . . Here is a Forman quartet, synonomous with Forman tradition, that pays its respects to fashion budgets of all dimensional They are a smart part of the collection which is now ready on the Second Floor.

Steel for misses and women

This new "sandy" woolen lends itself perfectly to the development of the longer jacket. 49.75

This "double twill" is enhanced by the use of braid binding. (left) 39.75

B. FORMAN CO.
CLINTON AVE. SOUTH

INTERNATIONAL

Pope Speaks To New Zealand — Mexican Schools — Australias Growth

New Zealand Catholics Hear Pope Via Radio

By MSGR. ENRICO PUCCI

VATICAN CITY—(N. C.)—Praying God to protect them from the horrors of war, His Holiness Pope Pius XII told the people of New Zealand Thursday that they can contribute to the social life of their country in no better way than by continuing to live as "God-fearing and earnest Catholics."

His Holiness was speaking by radio to those assembled in Wellington for the closing of a National Eucharistic Congress which marked the centenary of the Catholic Church in New Zealand. The Sovereign Pontiff said that "if there be any among you to whom the love of your Common Father goes out in a special way they are Our sons and daughters of the Maori people," and it was his prayer that, in the second centenary of the Catholic Church in New Zealand, they will grow "into a great family of God."

The Holy Father spoke for ten minutes from his private library. While he spoke, the Sovereign Pontiff's words were recorded. He afterwards listened to a reproduction of the broadcast.

Voice Heard Perfectly

The Pope's message was directed to the assemblage at St. Patrick's College in Wellington, where there were gathered together His Excellency the Most Rev. Giovanni Panico, Apostolic Delegate to Australia and Papal Legate to the Congress; the full New Zealand Hierarchy, and a great outpouring of pilgrims. The Vatican City radio station was advised that the Holy Father's voice was heard perfectly in New Zealand and at other points.

Pope Pius spoke in English, the second time he has broadcast in this language since ascending the throne of St. Peter. The other occasion was his discourse broadcast direct to the semi-centennial celebrations of the Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C., last November. There are ten and a half hours difference in time between Rome and Wellington. His Holiness spoke here at 10 o'clock in the morning. It was then 8.30 P. M. that same evening in New Zealand. The text was later broadcast to the United States by the National Broadcasting Company representative in Rome.

Pope Pius XII spoke in part as follows:

"In this hour, Beloved Sons and Daughters, when you are celebrating with the Eucharistic Congress the end of the first and the beginning of the second centenary of Catholic life in New Zealand, We, the Father of the great Catholic family, feel a need in Our heart of dwelling in spirit in your midst, of sharing your joy and of raising Our voice with yours in thanksgiving to Almighty God.

"Grateful and joyful thanks to God must fill Our heart as it fills yours when We see, before the edifice of your external Catholic life your dioceses and parishes, churches and schools, religious houses, organizations and works of charity, which have unfolded since the day when the venerable Bishop Pompulaire of the young Marist Society, which in the future was to deserve so well of you, landed with his companions. And when We consider further how much faith and prayer, sacrifice and personal holiness, how much patience and love, how many social blessings and concentrated work, how much temporal and above all how much eternal happiness, how much honoring of God is represented in that immeasurable Catholic group, then We desire to proclaim with you the praise of God.

Protection from War

"We rejoice that you are celebrating the first centenary of the Catholic Church in New Zealand with a Eucharistic Congress. In so doing, you announce your intense longing and your hope that Christ may rule over the whole life of your nation, over the life of each one, as over social life, that His spirit, His will, His word, may fill those who guide your destiny and make your laws, that His love may smooth out difficulties among you and heal the wounds of the past, that His peace may descend upon your common life and mercifully protect you from the horrors of the war.

"By your public worship of the Eucharistic God, you announce, beside, that you yourselves, drawing from the fountains of grace within the Eucharistic mysteries, desire to put on Christ, and to form yourselves in Christ, and, in fact, apart altogether from the internal treasures which you thus draw into yourselves and into your nation. You could in no better way contribute to the social life of your people than as you have done. We say it with gratitude and with pride in the past, and as you will do in the future, by living as God-fearing and earnest Catholics.

"Upon the whole Maori people We call down the blessings of God. May they increase in number. May they enjoy a quiet well-being. May they attain to full knowledge of the true faith and with that faith draw happiness, love and true peace into their hearts and homes."

Mr. Stiles: "Why, darling! What ails your eye? Why the bandage?"

Mrs. Stiles: "Don't be ridiculous! This is my new hat."

Dispenser of true news—the CATHOLIC COURIER.

Reports Growth Of Church In Australia

MELBOURNE. — (NC) — Australian Catholic statistics, published at the opening of 1940, show sustained progress in all departments.

In Australia there are six Archdioceses, 18 Dioceses, two Vicariates Apostolic and one Abbey Nullius.

Clergy now number 2,069, an increase of 84 over last year's figures. Nuns, lay Brothers and teaching Brothers number 11,216, an increase of 158. Charitable institutions under Catholic control number 142, and several hospitals are in course of erection.

Figures on Education

The most striking figures of all are connected with education. In the past year high schools, commercial and technical schools, and parochial schools have increased 1,477 to 1,539, and the number of students from 194,944 to 203,650.

This growth of 62 schools and 8,706 pupils is the more remarkable when the decreasing number of children of school-age in the community is taken into account.

Students for the priesthood exceed 600, and the foundation-stone of a new regional seminary for the Archdiocese of Brisbane and its three suffragan dioceses has just been laid. This was decided upon by the Bishops sitting in conference on the day of the election of the present Pope, and by his special permission it will bear the name of the Pius XII Regional Seminary. The Very Rev. Vincent Cleary, who studied at the Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C., from 1932 to 1934, has been appointed its first rector.

It is not the practice in Australia, as in some other countries, to publish official figures of conversions, but an unofficial computation of three adult baptisms to each priest, which is actually the average number in one diocese where returns are published annually, the total would be about 6,000 per year. The total number of Catholics in Australia is approximately 1,500,000.

The year 1940 will have its special problems arising from the War. About a dozen priests will accompany the expeditionary force overseas, and an organization of the laity has been set up to provide for the spiritual, material and social requirements of men in training camps. Catholic feeling is strongly opposed to the paganism which has been shown by German and Russian leaders, and intellectually Catholics lead their fellow-citizens in identifying this spiritual perversion as the foundation of world unrest.

Archbishop Collapses, Woman Dies At Canada Prelate's Consecration

OTTAWA. — Death and illness marred the consecration of the Most Rev. Alexandre Vachon as Coadjutor Archbishop of Ottawa in the Cathedral here Friday.

The Most Rev. Guillaume Forbes, Archbishop of Ottawa and the consecrating prelate, collapsed at the altar toward the end of the ceremonies and a woman in the congregation dropped dead while the Archbishop was being carried into the sacristy.

Archbishop Forbes soon revived, but Miss Alma Labroche, 55 years old, who also collapsed in her pew, died without regaining consciousness.

PHILIPPINE PRIEST PLANS 'ONE-DOLLAR CHURCH'

MANILA.—A modest "one-dollar Church" may soon be constructed in Pinamalayan, a mission parish in the prefecture apostolic of Mindoro, if Father Benito Rixner's appeal meets with the expected response. Father Rixner, a Society of the Divine Word missionary, is confident he can raise enough funds to replace his old palm-leaf chapel, which was destroyed by a typhoon in 1937.

Since that year, Pinamalayan, a town of 18,000 inhabitants, has been without a church. Father Rixner stresses this fact in his letter asking aid in the form of one dollar contributions.

Cree Indians People New Canada Vicariate

MONTREAL — (N.C.W.C.-Fides). Cree Indians compose the population of the recently erected vicariate covering both shores of James Bay. The Most Rev. Henry Belleau, O.M.I., a native of Ottawa, is the new icar Apostolic.

A group of Catholic Algonquins live just outside his territory, but have their hunting grounds within its boundaries. Owing to the nomadic habits of these people the missionaries are obliged to travel constantly up and down the district. The mission personnel consists of seven Oblate priests and 12 lay Brothers. They are assisted by 17 Grey Sisters, in charge of two schools and two hospitals. Out of a total population of about 7,750 Indians some 2,500 are Catholics.

Translator Seriously Ill

London. — Msgr. Joseph Dean, translator of the Synoptic Gospels, SS. Matthew, Mark and Luke, in the Westminster Version, is seriously ill and has been anointed.

Fourth Malabar Prelate

The reconciliation to the Holy See of a fourth schismatic Jacobite bishop, Mar Thoma Dioscoros, once again focusses the attention of the Catholic world on the Reunion Movement in Malabar. The convert bishop Mar Ivanios started the movement ten years ago. Mar Theophilos and Mar Severios (who is pictured with his mother), soon followed. He is now Apostolic Administrator of the Catholic diocese of Tiruvalla. (NC-Fides photo.)

Mexico's Schools Jammed, But Teachers Go Jobless

MEXICO CITY (NC) Registration in the government schools opened last week and already the newspapers have begun to write their annual editorials denouncing the lack of schools. Parents have prepared appeals to the President, pleading that their children be not left in the streets. On the other hand, more than a thousand school teachers who finished their normal training in the past few years also are appealing to the President to find them jobs.

It is a strange paradox that faces Mexican education. On one side, thousands of children are going to be left without schooling in 1940, on the other, hundreds of teachers, who are prepared to handle these children, are deprived of teaching posts.

There is no simple answer to the riddle. This year's budget allowance of almost 80,000,000 pesos, (about $16,000,000) is the largest ever given to education in the history of the country. But too much of that money has, in former years, gone into fantastic creations which cost huge sums and made no contributions to the betterment of the educational system. One example of such waste was the Council of Higher Education and Scientific Investigation, whose dozen members were paid 30 pesos a day supposedly to investigate the many things that were wrong with Mexican education. To date, no one in the country has the slightest idea of what findings, if any, the highly-paid "councillors" arrived at or published The council seems to have faded out of the picture without leaving a trace.

Signature Withheld

The lack of schools and the government's inability to employ its teachers focuses attention on the absurdity of the regulation of Article Three of the federal Constitution which has caused so much discussion and protest in the last three months. Although the amendments were approved by the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate with hardly any discussion of their origins or results, President Cardenas has not signed the project and so it is not yet law. Some informed persons say that it never will become law, while others are inclined to think that if it does, it will not be strictly enforced and will find its greatest use in the hands of inspectors who can use its penalties to extort "hush money" from schools which are not living up to the letter of the law.

The project which the President's office sent to the Chamber of Deputies last October was so long, so complicated, so vague and so all-inclusive that if it were to be enforced as written, no single school except governmental institutions would have been able to function.

On the religious side, the threats of confiscation of buildings and property were serious enough to prevent owners from allowing religious bodies to keep their schools functioning, and the imprisonment for two years and fines up to 10,000 pesos which were to be meted out to directors of such schools made everyone remember the bitter days of the Calles persecution.

Australian Priest To Speak In U. S.

SYDNEY The Rev Dr. L. Rumble, M.S.C., well-known radio speaker in Australia, has bade farewell to listeners at 2SM, Sydney, for a period of twelve months, during which time he will be in the United States as the guest of the Most Rev John Gregory Murray, Archbishop of St. Paul.

Dr. Rumble, a convert, studied under the Sacred Heart Fathers at Sydney and Rome He has conducted a weekly Questions and Answers radio session without intermission for ten years, and has an enormous following His answers, collected and edited, under the name of "Radio Replies," has a vogue comparable to Cardinal Gibbon's famous "Faith of Our Father." The current answers are re-printed in Catholic journals in all parts of Australia.

In America he will undertake a series of lectures.

2 PRIEST-SOLDIERS CITED FOR BRAVERY IN ACTION

PARIS.- Abbe Leviol, vicar at St Marc near Brest, and Abbe Denis Jourdan, pastor at Villeneuve-Gaguan in the Diocese of Aix-en-Provence, have been cited for bravery by General Gamelin.

Abbe Leviol non-commissioned officer, "particularly energetic," by his "quick decision and courage inflicted severe losses on an enemy patrol that attacked his post." Volunteering to go beyond the advance posts after the engagement, he brought back five prisoners.

Abbe Jourdan, an adjutant, who is described in the citation as "of very high morale," displayed fine courage "particularly on the night of November 14 when, by his personal action, he saved a group of his section from a grenade." Both of his hands were injured.

Flay School Fight

ASUNCION. — Leaders of the Catholic youth of Paraguay have made representations to the President of that Republic, General Estigarribia, warning him that anti-Catholic forces are planning an offensive against religious instruction in the schools. They point out that more than 90 per cent. of the population is Catholic and demand that their rights be respected.

Defender of the Faith — the CATHOLIC COURIER.

Holland Catholic Editor Honored

AMSTERDAM - The Netherlands Government has appointed William Asselberghs to be professor of Vondel literature at the State University of Leyden Mr Asselberghs, co-editor of De Tijd, Amsterdam Catholic daily, is 37 years old and is well known in Holland and Flemish Belgium for his books and essays.

Catholic Writers Unite In Argentine

BUENOS AIRES.—Latest addition to the Catholic professional bodies existing in the country is the Association of Writers and Publicists, formed by a group of distinguished writers and novelists, with the object, in the words of their inaugural manifesto, of "co-ordinating the literary apostleship." Lectures over the radio are delivered weekly by members of the Association.

Monthly Benefits Given Widows And Children

Widows and children of wage earners whose death has occurred since January 1, 1940, are beginning to file claims in increasing numbers under the Old-Age and Survivors Insurance program of the Social Security Act, it was announced today by Mr. Kenneth Haxtun, Manager of the Rochester field office of the Social Security Board.

Monthly benefits will go to about 400,000 wives, widows and dependent children in the United States during the year 1940. Approximately 40,000 of this group will be in New York State.

"With the start of this program, Mr. Haxtun concluded, "a load of worry will be lifted from the shoulders of many a younger worker who gives thought to his family's future. Through his own work and wages, he is providing protection for his family."

Priest Is Envoy To Jungle Tribe

BARCELOS, Brazil.— (N.C.W.C.-Fides)—A lone missionary priest has set out into the wilds of Brazil on a mission of peace. But it is a perilous undertaking.

From his lonely mission in the upper reaches of the Amazon River, the Rev. James Achiardo, Salesian priest, has left as an envoy of peace to the savage Macu tribes dwelling along the banks of the Rio Caborys.

Driven to desperation by harsh treatment received at the hands of certain white gold seekers, these South American Indians took a fearful revenge for all they had suffered by murdering a number of peaceful folk living in the neighborhood. It will be no easy matter to pacify them, and Father Achiardo in accepting this task takes his life in his hands. If he is successful, however, it will mean the return of peace and tranquillity to the whoel district.

Classified

WANTED—Three women in each parish of Rochester and suburban to Rochester to do pleasant and profitable work among their friends. If interested in an easy increased income phone Glenwood 6823, Sunday 9.00 A. M. to 2.00 P. M.

See Right on Hildreth
EYE EXAMINED — GLASSES FITTED
L. E. HILDRETH
OPTOMETRIST
CLINTON AVE.
Easy Payments if desired

DE SCHINE THEATRES
SUNDAY
RIVIERA DIXIE
Mickey Rooney—Lewis Stone
JUDGE HARDY and SON
FRANK MORGAN
HENRY GOES TO ARIZONA
LIBERTY STATE
Bette Davis—Errol Flynn
PRIVATE LIVES OF ELIZABETH and ESSEX
JOAN BENNETT
HOUSEKEEPER'S DAUGHTER
MADISON-MONROE
CLAUDETTE COLBERT
HENRY FONDA
DRUMS ALONG THE MOHAWK
JED PROUTY
TOO BUSY TO WORK
CAMEO
J. Stewart—J. Arthur
MR. SMITH GOES TO WASHINGTON
Billy Halop
CALL A MESSENGER
WEST END
J. Stewart—J. Arthur
MR. SMITH GOES TO WASHINGTON
Charles Grapewin
HIRO FOR A DAY
GRAND
Marx Brothers
AT THE CIRCUS
Virginia Weidler
BAD LITTLE ANGEL
RIALTO
Lane Sisters
FOUR WIVES
Dead End Kids
ON DRESS PARADE
TEMPLE
E. Bergen—C. McCrathy
CHARLIE McCARTHY DETECTIVE
C. Autry—S. Burnette
SOUTH OF THE BORDER

PALACE
STARTS SAT., FEB. 10
MAE WEST
W. C. FIELDS
IN
My Little Chickadee
PLUS
THE MAN WHO WOULDN'T TALK
with LLOYD NOLAN

R. K. O. PALACE
COMING FEB. 22
THE MARCH OF TIME • VISITS • THE VATICAN

CENTURY
NOW PLAYING!
10,000 Red Devils on Warpath
GERONIMO
PRESTON FOSTER
ELLEN DREW
Honeymoon Deferred
EDMUND LOWE
MARGARET LINDSAY

REGENT
NOW PLAYING!
THE FIGHTING 69TH
JAMES CAGNEY
Pat O'Brien—Geo. Brent
Married and In Love
ALAN MARSHALL

TEMPLE
NOW PLAYING!
THE SAINT'S DOUBLE TROUBLE
GEORGE SANDERS
THOU SHALT NOT KILL
CHARLES BICKFORD

CAPITOL
NOW PLAYING!
James Stewart
Marlene Dietrich
Destry Rides Again
GULLIVER'S TRAVELS
IN TECHNICOLOR