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membership in God's Church brought solace to the closing years of life, when physical infirmity was fast weaning him away from the intense activities of his coaching career.

All Saints and All Souls
Friday and Saturday of the coming week bring to us two days of deep meaning in our religious lives. All Saints Day comes on Friday to enable us to commemorate and honor the countless Saints of God who have never been forgotten.

New Nazareth
The Sisters of St. Joseph have written many glorious and heroic chapters in the history of the Rochester Diocese. For 86 years these nuns have prayed and toiled their way through a mass of difficulties which surely would have discouraged the less resolute.

Christ The King
It was Pontius Pilate, the Roman Governor, that asked Jesus, "Art Thou a King?" It was a natural question. Jesus had been preaching the Gospel of the Kingdom, had called all men to follow Him, had invited all that were of the truth to hear His voice.

Five Years Ago
From Oct. 24, 1935, Edition
The diocese and the city generally were preparing to welcome for their first sessions ever held here, the National Catholic Rural Life Conference and the National Catechetical Conference.

THE WITCHES RIDE



WILD WISDOM

by the Right Rev. Msgr. Peter M.H. Wynhoven, Editor-in-Chief, Catholic Action of the South

The Birth of a Baby
To be sure, there is nothing innocent in child-birth. Neither is there anything indecent in taking a bath. But the personal nature of both birth and bath requires a degree of privacy if caught in the act of indulging in a rubdown on a thoroughfare, one would certainly be arrested.

Diocesan Recordings

THINK BACK!
A questioning of the memory comes, this week, with events in the news. For this Recorder the good Sisters of St. Joseph and the announcement of the coming of the Knute Rockne film to the Palace Theatre seem to tumble one upon another in rapid succession.

These two events, the Nazareth College campaign, and the showing of a motion picture in which the history of the days happily spent in a college atmosphere, bring to mind the countless opportunities presented in Catholic training and those that were missed or regretted.

The picture is far from indelicately presented, and that it should be presented at all may seem to many indelicate enough. Why does life's most sacred moment need to be turned into a kind of disinfected pep show?

Feast Days

Sunday, October 27 - ST. FRUENTIS
Monday, October 28 - SS. SIMON AND JUDE
Tuesday, October 29 - ST. MARK'S BIRTHDAY
Wednesday, October 30 - ST. MARCELLUS
Thursday, October 31 - ST. QUINTIN, MARTYR
Friday, November 1 - ALL SAINTS
Saturday, November 2 - ALL SOULS

Work Minutes

One of our non-workers figured that at the time of the outbreak of the war, the American worker labored eighteen minutes for a pound of bacon, the Englishman 48 minutes, the German 118 minutes, and the Belgian 118 minutes. They are still adding up the statistics for that haven known as Soviet Russia.

Savor Of Life

By REV. BENEDICT EHMANN

MRS. MINIVER, by Jan Struther
Some people might think this book is a bubble, hardly worth its two dollar purchase. The same might be said, in a certain mood, of Pride and Prejudice. But a flimsy plot about inconsequential people need not mean a flimsy book.

Do They Know Dante?

By REV. JAMES M. GILLIS, C.S.P., Editor, The Catholic World

I have always been suspicious of persons of her than Italians or Latins who go into spasms of enthusiasm over Dante. I do not say that Dante is not a great poet and perhaps a still greater philosopher.

Mother Angela

By REV. DANIEL A. LORD, S.J.

I always called her The Lady Abbess. I mean that was always her rightful title. She had a queenly grace about her, a dominant way of meeting people, a womanly charm combined with a masculine executive ability.

The Way Along

The young Catholic girl reports Mary Kennedy found herself engaged to the non-Catholic boy and because she was something of an idiot, she decided she would give up her Faith.

Selected

"My little nephew" said Marie Sullivan, "came home one day after a most unsuccessful fight. He'd been walloped and he was all right."

This book is not so much a novel, as a series of mental snapshots, a few of them measurable, some of them not. The author's favorites are Guy de Maupassant, Chekhov, Tolstoy, and the Russians.

Quote-End Quote

"A book is not good because it is well written, or bad because it is badly written. A book is good because it is true. A book is bad, if it is false, or fallacious, or unwise, or destructive of eternal values."