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St. Mary Magdalen's Parish At Wolcott

The solemn dedication of the new parish church of St. Mary Magdalen at Wolcott last Sunday was a significant event for the community...

Bishop Kearney in his dedicatory sermon referred to the new church as a center from which would go forth inspiration for all the community, Catholic and non-Catholic...

The large congregation that filled to overflowing the new edifice last Sunday, was made up of Catholics and non-Catholics...

To Father Marrett it is due much credit for seeking out this part of his parish for the erection of a new parish and the building of a new church...

For National Unity

The election is now over, and the storm and strife of campaigning have come to an end. That the energy and determination of party strife may now be turned into the channels of co-operation with the government...

The meeting in New York City, scheduled for the day after election of leaders of both political parties with speakers of national fame who were heard during the campaign...

With the true patriot, no resentment should be shown that the people have made a choice of a party...

Nazareth College Calling

The Nazareth College Building Campaign for \$250,000.00 has only a few days more to go, before it closes on November 11...

Great credit is due the army of priests and lay people, workers on the Citizens' Committee, the Parents' Committee, the Alumnae Committee...

This Campaign for a new Women's College is, indeed, a work of the Church! Every member of the Church will naturally be interested in it...

An Enemy Hath Done This

The problem of evil in the world has baffled many minds. Why should there be evil in a world made by the God of all goodness?

The parable of the man who sowed good seed in his field, gives us Christ's own explanation of the matter. "An enemy hath done this..."

Selected

The Canadiana has gone in for "There'll Always Be an England" in a big way. They sing it like a rousing marching song...

Five Years Ago--

From Nov. 7, 1935 Edition: Press reports in the United States that His Holiness, Pope Pius XI had asked for Italian rule of Ethiopia were denied at the Vatican...

A "Green Revolution" of small, independent farmers cooperating on a beautiful spiritual and economic basis will preserve, as nothing else can, the soundness of social structure...

A religious retreat believed to be the first of its kind held in Rochester diocese was conducted at the G. C. Camp at Hamlin Beach by the Rev. William F. Murray, CSSR...

ARMISTICE DAY THOUGHT



Movie Curb Needed Again

George L. David motion picture and drama critic of the Democrat and Chronicle in Sunday's issue, Nov. 3, declares that since the coming back in the film industry...

At the convention of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae in Richmond, Va., the Rev. John J. McCaffrey, executive secretary of the Legion of Decency, said the other day that there was a noticeable tendency in moving pictures to return to objectionable material and treatment...

It has seemed almost as if some Hollywood producers have felt impelled to carry on where the now inactive Continental studios left off...

When studios employ this kind of material and treatment, it is further admission that they are short on legitimate ideas to make pictures of worth with which to meet the public demand...

Spiritual Thoughts

The first word spoken by Our Lord to His Apostles after His Resurrection from the dead must ever have for Catholics an absorbing interest. It was "peace."

To many people God is like their dentist: they think of Him only when they have a toothache—with this difference: they blame God for the toothache—Monstrum Sheen.

Why do people "kill themselves"? Do they not know that their own salvation depends on the effort they make to save the souls of their children?—The Monitor.

St. Augustine's Writings

By REV. BENEDICT EHLMANN

Beginning this Sunday, the Paulist Father Giles inaugurates what is quite likely the most unique series of talks in the history of American radio...

It will be well worth your while to postpone supper or arrange your engagements to allow you to hear this series. For in this neighborhood it will come in that over the radio dial band...

Urbi et Orbi

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

That phrase "Urbi et Orbi" may be translated "To Rome and to the World, or For Rome and for the World." It has been used for many centuries to designate the Papal blessing delivered from the balcony of the basilica of Rome upon great feast days...

Who was it that sent the first message per telegraph wire? "What time will you be here?" "I am here." "What time will you be here?" "I am here."

When they see the sunrise, are thrilled as if it had never risen before, or seeing a blade of grass peep up from the earth, marvel at it as if no such prodigious event had ever taken place...

War in the Making

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

One can watch another country making war with more objectivity than he feels toward his own under the same circumstances... and perhaps cost less and foresee consequences more impersonally.

Canada is very serious about the war, but in no sense taking it out in flag waving. Plenty of young men in uniform, officers' training units in the colleges are splendid ones, for instance, in Loyola College, Montreal...

Blame yourself as you blame others; forgive others as you forgive yourself.—Chinese Proverb.