

# NATIONAL NEWS

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## 44 Catholic Laymen Oppose Hoover Plan To Feed Europe's Needy

**NEW YORK**—The plan of former President Hoover to send food through the British blockade to people in countries occupied by Germany was opposed in a statement released here signed by 44 prominent Catholic laymen, who declared it contrary to the best interests of Christianity and of America.

The statement contended that if some of the supplies did reach those for whom it was intended other supplies would be released for the German army. It need scarcely be added, it was stated, that any supplies reaching Europe will be used by the Axis powers as they see fit.

Declaring that this result would be to strengthen Hitler's grip on Europe by increasing his capacity to resist the overtures aimed at this which our consciences forbid us to permit.

"The Nazi dominated peoples of Germany and of the conquered territories are systematically deprived of every opportunity to reach their faith to their children," the statement said "Already German youth as imprinted of all belief in Christ and has learned to blaspheme God."

Signers of the statement were: Michael Wilmarz, Francis D. White, James J. Walsh, Martin Wagner, Reginald T. Townsend, William Franklin Sands, L. C. C. Decker, Dr. Frederick W. Rice, J. H. Redding, Mr. P. R. Lanes, Henry Rigo, Mrs. Edward M. P. Gibson, Dr. John P. Dick, Dr. Francis J. Malley, Dr. Charles O'Donnell, Edmund O'Brien, Dr. Francis E. McWhorter.

## Legionnaires in Act of Mercy



Sister Rosa, superintendent of Providence Hospital, Washington, D. C., is shown here with a patient in the "Iron Lung" respirator, purchased with funds raised by 29 American Legion Posts and their Auxiliaries in the District of Columbia. (N.C.W.C.)

## Christmas Peace Messages Scheduled By Radio Chains

**NEW YORK**—Over nineteen centuries since the air of the Holy Land was filled with the celestial voices and sounds that announced and marked the Birth of the Saviour in a humble hillside cave, the atmosphere of the world will be permeated with other voices and other music to herald the birth of modern nations out by angels out by the new miracle of radio.

For a few days prior to and during the great Christmas Season of Christmas the airwaves will be re-echoed with the joyful and burdensome tidings of international peace and slaughter as the three major American broadcasting chains will again open their channels of communication to make way for the Christmas Message of Love and Peace to men of good will.

Despite the current international difficulties, the radio programs appropriate to Christmas again will be featured by broadcasts from Rome, the heart of Christendom, and from Vatican City, center of Christ's Church on earth. The Sixtine Choir, which will render a special program of Gregorian music dates its beginning with the building of the Sixtine Chapel by Pope Sixtus IV between the years 1478-81. Through the centuries it has been the outstanding model in the performance of liturgical music. The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Lorenzo Perosi, former Director of the Choir and acknowledged for his religious compositions, will brook his retirement to lead the choir in this special program.

Over the Red Network of the National Broadcasting Company on Christmas Day American listeners will hear a special broadcast from the Vatican City originating at the Basilica of St. Mary Major. Under the direction of Maestro Virginia Ratta the Choir of St. Mary Major will offer a program of sacred music. The program will be heard from 10:00 to 1:30 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.

An American abbey and seminary will contribute to the radio observance of Christmas over both the CBS and NBC systems. On Tuesday, Dec. 24, there will be a special broadcast over the Columbia Broadcasting System from the Monastery of St. Meinrad, St. Meinrad, Ind. Monks and seminarians of the Benedictine abbey will chant the office and the music will be made up of Gregorian chants. The Rev. Stephen Thum, O.S.B., will be the organist. The program will be heard from 11:30 P. M. to midnight.

On Saturday, Dec. 21, the Choir of St. Cyril and Methodius Seminary in Detroit, will broadcast from that city over the Columbia Broadcasting System from 2:00 to 2:30 P. M. Eastern Standard Time. Polish carols, giving a picture of Christmas among the Polish people will feature the program which will include also a Gregorian Chant and other sacred music.

The Parallel Choirs of Chicago will be special Christmas Week guests of Ider Solomon and the Chicago Woman's Symphony on Columbia's "Design for Happiness" period 3:00 to 3:30 P. M. Eastern Standard Time, Sunday, Dec. 22. The Choirs will do several selections of Christmas compositions, capped by "Adeste Fideles."

The National Broadcasting Company will have its traditional radio observance of these festive moments when Christmas Eve slips into Christmas Day—the singing of the beautiful "Silent Night, Holy Night." It will be broadcast over NBC's combined networks with Greg's Symphony, celebrated Metropolitan Opera Contralto as the soloist. Miss Swarthout will be heard at 11:55 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.

**Religious Leaders To Speak**  
Addresses on the Feast of Nativity will feature other offerings in a program to be sponsored by

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## COUNTY BOARD ADOPTS RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

**ROCKWILLER, Mo.**—The Montgomery County Board of Education this week adopted a program of religious instruction for the county's public schools as part of the national defense program.

## CLUB PICKS BIOGRAPHY OF FATHER DE SMET

**NEW YORK**—Father de Smet, Pioneer Preceptor of the Rockies, by Helene Margaret, is the December selection of the Catholic Book Club. It is published by Fourard and Lunnard of this city and Toronto.

## CATHOLIC COLLEGES TAKING PART IN DEFENSE PROGRAM

**WASHINGTON**—Three Catholic colleges of the University of Notre Dame, Marquette University and Marquette University are among the institutions of higher learning selected by U. S. Commissioner of Education John W. Stobeaker as participating in the national defense program by conducting courses designed to train industry technicians.

## Oklahoma Convicts Young Communist

**OKLAHOMA CITY**—Convicted of criminal syndicism under a law enacted when he was one year old, Alan Shaw 22, Oklahoma City secretary of the Oklahoma Communist Party, faces a sentence of ten years in prison and a fine of \$5,000 for membership in the organization. A graduate of Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, N. Y., he is believed to be the first Communist convicted without collaborators of an overt act since world war days.

## MAYOR BACKS CATHOLIC COLLEGE GROUP'S DRIVE ON OBSCENE PUBLICATIONS

**NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y.**—(AP)—Mayor Ernest W. Merrington, Jr. of this city has expressed commendation of the drive mounted by members of Sigma Alpha Sigma, Niagara University honor fraternity, to rid local newsstands of indecent literature and pledges his support for the movement.

## MODERN ENGLISH VERSION OF 'IMITATION' PRINTED

**MILWAUKEE**—A modern English version of the world's second most widely read religious book, "The Imitation of Christ," generally credited to Thomas a Kempis, has just been released by the Bruce Publishing Company here.

## Mother Of Patna, India, Bishop, Dies In U. S.

**LOS ANGELES**—Mrs. Mary Ann Sullivan, mother of the Most Rev. Bernard J. Sullivan, SJ, Bishop of Patna, was buried here following requiem Mass in St. Joseph Church, Santa Ana, where she died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Ashen.