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NATIONAL NEWS

Employer-Worker Relations Viewed At Industry Session

CAMDEN, N.J.—Speakers of national reputation turned spotlights of thought upon employer-employee relations in these extraordinary times at a regional meeting of the Catholic Conference on Industrial Problems held here under the patronage of the Most Rev. Dr. Thaddeus J. Eustace, Bishop of Camden.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. John A. Ryland, Director of the Department of Catholic public officials, particularly Action Committee Chairman of the Welfare Conference, Cardinal Francis J. Spellman, Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, U.S. Department of Labor, Walter D. Palmer, President of the Curtis Publishing Company and of the National Association of Manufacturers; Prof. David McCabe of Princeton University, Miss Mary Anderson, Director of the Women's Bureau, U.S. Department of Labor; Frank B. Fenton, Director of Organization, A. F. of L., and Rev. Msgr. C. G. Walsh, President of the United Clerical Association, Macmillan Workers of America, C. I. O., were among those who spoke.

Monsignor Ryan pointed to the history of meetings sponsored by the Catholic Conference on Industrial Problems as "another important indication of the attention received by the labor Encyclical" of Pope Leo XIII and Pope Pius XI in recent years. He said that this body, affiliated to the Department of Social Action, N.C.W.C., has organized and conducted more than 25 two-day meetings from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from St. Paul to New Orleans. "The dominant subject discussed at all of them has been the Encyclical," he added.

Dark Outlook

Lamenting the failure of many Catholics to heed the injunctions of the Papal Encyclical in their employer-employee relationship, Monsignor Ryan added:

"Both Leo and Pius have already done much to establish the establishment of social justice, still from college professors and editors have to be accomplished in large formal written measure by what is called 'wage.' Colonel Young, mentioned that 'structure of public authority.' If the 800,000 workers employed by the Encyclicals and their applicational man-hours of about a week each in the first quarter does not bring about a re-employment of the millions of defense workers and draftsmen who have served a year or more, some of this impetus will be lost. Future researches show new ideas and new products being developed and some of it must come from the ingenuity and incentive of both management and labor, aided by the constructive effort of Church and other interests, he said.

He declared that certainly the managers of industry in general

are sincere at the goal referred to in the Declaration of Independence and every State to be Pope Pius XI when he Constitution except those of New Mexico of securing to young people their God-given rights and the Divine Word to the priesthood and the members of the laity in six years at the seminary. The Very Rev. Joseph Eustace, S.V.D., assisted at the ordination. Those ordained were the Rev. Alexander Martin, Grand Catechist, the Rev. George Wilson, New York City, the Rev. Maxine Williams, Bay St. Louis, and the Rev. Richard Winters, Pleasantville, N. J. During the ceremony the Rev. Alexander Leedie, S.V.D., of Yonkers, N. Y., received the diaconate.

BISHOP GEROW ORDAINS 4 COLORED SEMINARIANS

BAY ST. LOUIS, Miss.—An impressive ceremony at St. Augustine's Seminary, Monday, the Most Rev. Richard O. Gerow, Bishop of Dacatur, ordained four young colored seminarians to the Society of the Divine Word to the priesthood. They are members of the fourth class in six years at the seminary.

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Nuns In Exile

Dublin.—Four Sisters of the Marist Order, forced to leave their convent in Kent, England, which was damaged in air raids, have arrived at their Order's house at Elverbury, Sligo County, where they are to remain indefinitely.

One of the Sisters said the wall surrounding the Kent convent was leveled and the roof of the building was badly damaged. None of the Sisters was injured.

JUBILEE NOTED



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ENCYCLICALS IN INDUSTRY SILVER JUBILEE

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CHARLESTON, W. Va.—Bishop Emmet M. Walsh, of one year ago to a Silver Jubilee, was honored at a Mass of the Ordination of the Most Rev. Edward M. Walsh.

He ringing and public ceremonies have been held here and in Wheeling, and the third observance will take place in Greenbrier next month.

Bishop Walsh is a member of the 1916 class of St. Bernard's Seminary, Rochester. His Silver Jubilee will be of wide interest to his many friends in the Diocese of Rochester. He was ordained Jan. 13, 1916.

Bishop Walsh was celebrant of the Solemn Pontifical Mass in the Cathedral at the observance here. The Mass was followed by a Latin Mass in the Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, in honor of the Bishop. The following evening the colored Children of Immaculate Conception School gave an entertainment for the Bishop after which another public gathering was held. Processions were given to the Bishop by priests and laymen.

In Columbia, Bishop Walsh also celebrated Pontifical Mass and in the evening gas powered at a reception at St. John's Hall. B. Owens, congratulated his Excellency on behalf of the city. Children of Columbia's Carmelite Schools honored the Bishop the following evening at a special entertainment.

GROUP DISTRIBUTES 90,000 LEAFLETS IN PAST YEAR

NEW YORK—The Catholic Information Society of New York distributed 90,000 pieces of literature in 1940 according to the organization's annual report.

Other figures showing the increasing activity of the movement are as follows:

A total of 576 articles of 400 words each explaining Catholic belief and practice, carried in the daily press, paid advertising run in eight newspapers and magazines. Catholic data supplied in a series of radio broadcasts, 16 regular newspapers and numerous individual publications regarding Catholic pamphlets and leaflets distributed in 41 States, 35 applications for conversion received, 25 Masses offered for general intention and needs of all members.

Working Girls Home Opened

SAN DIEGO—The Jean de Arc Club new home for working girls was formally opened and dedicated here by the Most Rev. Charles P. Buddy, Bishop of San Diego.

Frances Cunningham, 18, a member of the Archdiocese of New York, Manhattan College of the Sacred Heart, Novatoe of St. Ignatius Loyola, the city, 3296 47th St. The Rev. John G. Murray, Archibishop of St. Paul and the Materne Hospital and Infirmary, Albany, 3137 6th St., the Sisters of Mercy in the Diocese of Oregon, 108 824, the Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen, 368 42d St.

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