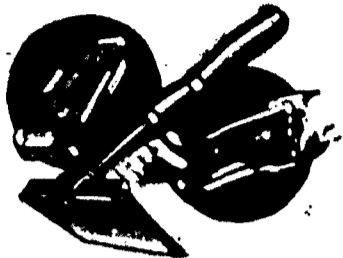


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Quebec Town Curbs Immoral Magazines

THREE RIVERS, Que. — The City Council here decided to take immediate action by amending municipal by-laws when 14 Catholic and national societies made a demand for a curb on the sale of immoral magazines.

The delegation asked that it be made an offense to produce, offer for sale, expose or have in one's possession for sale or distribution any publication of an obscene nature, or image, picture or model or other object which tended to corrupt morals.

Members of the delegation included representatives of the St. Jean Baptiste Society, Catholic Youth groups, Boy Scouts, the Nocturnal Adoration Society, Knights of Columbus, Catholic Labor Union groups, the Fraternity of the Third Order, Catholic temperance groups, and teachers' societies.

FORTY HOURS

The Devotion of the "Forty Hours" will be held in the churches of the Diocese of Rochester as follows:

Dec. 11—Blessed Sacrament.



CATHOLIC COURIER Staff Photo

LITURGY AND THE PRESS—as the theme brought outstanding leaders together at the Catholic Students Press Convention sponsored by Nazareth College and held at Nazareth Academy, Dec. 6. Upper Photo: (from left) the Rev. Leonard A. Kelly, His Excellency, Bishop Kearney; the Rev. Gerald Eppard, S.J., and Miss Patricia Barry; Lower Photo: (from left) the Rev. Francis X. Talbot, S.J., Sister Edith, St. Patrick's Home; Sister Margaret Joseph, Blessed Sacrament School and Sister Cordelia, St. Rose's School, Lyons.

1,100 Hear Press' Part In Spreading 'Christ-Life'

The Catholic School Press Convention, held on Saturday, December 6 at Nazareth College, Rochester, secured an audience of over eleven hundred people. The conference attracted representative professors and students from colleges through the state, and from the high schools of western New York. The fine interest and the marked enthusiasm throughout the day, and from the high schools of western New York. The fine interest and the marked enthusiasm throughout every session of the day were a high tribute to the intelligence and the background of the large audience.

The convention opened with a dialogue Mass, the whole audience participating in the great sacrifice. The setting of the auditorium-chapel was beautiful with artistic banners bearing Christian symbols and liturgical quotations. A wealth of this Christian symbolism in exquisite art was a most attractive feature of every exhibit.

The theme of the conference was the "spreading of the Christ-life" by study and the growing understanding of the liturgy of the Church and by participation in this her rich treasury. The Catholic Press featured in the conference as a powerful medium of spreading this Christ-life within us by showing opportunely the reasonableness, the strong appeal and the powerful influence of the Catholic liturgy for moulding the mind and the life of the individual according to the pattern of Christ living and acting in the life of the Church as portrayed in her entire liturgy, and especially in the stupendous action of the Mass.

Professional skill and meticulous care was evidenced in the numberless features that entered into the planning of the Press Convention by Rev. Leonard A. Kelly, head of the department of religion and the Verity Fair and Gleason staffs, college publications. The selection of speakers was of first importance and presented an imposing roster of national figures. The speakers of the day included the Rev. F. X. Talbot, J., Editor-in-chief of America; the Rev. Gerald Eppard, S.J., of St. Mary's College, St. Mary, Kansas; Rev. Paul Harley Furfey, Ph.D., of the Catholic University of America; Ade Bethune, of the Catholic Worker; Rev. Leo C. Mooney, managing editor CATHOLIC COURIER; the Rev. Benedict Ehmman of St. Bernard's Seminary; Sister Rose Marie, Ph.D., of Nazareth College and Miss Blanche Thompson, D.Litt., of Benjamin Franklin High School, Rochester. The roster was completed and honored by the Most Rev. James E. Keane, Bishop of Rochester, who read a paper on the "Inwardness of Christ and the Liturgy of the Church." He stressed in particular his appreciation of the whole liturgical movement. Father Talbot, in glimpsing the Catholic Press in the World of To-

tomorrow, showed it as contingent on the result of the present world conflict that the Catholic Press would probably not exist in case of an Axis victory, but in case of victory of the Allies, he foresees a great change in the pattern of our democracy, as preserving something of our present way of life but perhaps with a strong authoritarian government.

Dr. Furfey placed the Eucharist as the living source of an all-embracing charity which with a strong consciousness of the indwelling of Christ, must produce the fruits of brotherhood between classes and races and would remove all social, political, national and personal enmities with their resulting devastating evils.

Father Ehmman's address centered around the life of grace that is the result of the Word taking flesh and dwelling among us. Following this incorporation with the divine life, the resulting indwelling of Christ should break down such barriers as seem to exist between piety and the practical Sunday and weekday attitudes, and make our lives a continuing of the work of the Word made flesh in their mission of enlightenment as exemplified in the work of the Catholic Press.

The exhibits of Catholic Art, the Catholic Press, and projects touching "the coming of the Word made flesh" were most interesting and of a high quality. The day closed with Compline, sung by the Schola Cantorum of Nazareth Normal School, followed by Benediction given by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V.G., Editor-in-Chief of the CATHOLIC COURIER.

Use Classified Ad To Get Attendance At Parish Mission

GREENBURG, Pa. An unusual means was employed by a parishioner of the Church of Most Holy Sacrament here to invite attendance at a mission in his parish. He inserted the following classified advertisement in the "Personals" column of the Greensburg Morning Review, secular newspaper: "Would you like to have an intelligent insight into Christianity? Attend the Mission at the Most Holy Sacrament Catholic Church. It is conducted by priests of the Society of the Precious Blood. Nightly this week, 8 o'clock. Wilfred S. McKee."



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