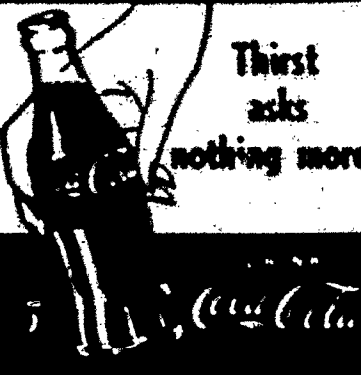


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Navy Increases Age Limit For Chaplains

WASHINGTON.—"Typical need" for more chaplains has led to a change in the requirements for United States Navy Chaplains Corps candidates to permit commissioning of clergymen up to 35 years of age, the Navy Department announced today.

Only clergymen less than 44 years of age were eligible for commissions under the Navy's present rule and a half age for 500 new chaplains of eleven denominations, including Catholic priests. Raising the age limit six years in order that procurement of chaplains may be "materially increased," the Navy has now announced also that candidates more than 35 years of age with previous naval service may be considered for commissions.

Another change in requirements provides candidates with vision below the previous requirement of 12/20 may be considered for waivers if their vision is correctable to 20/20 in each eye with glasses.

Alumni Cited

COLLEGEVILLE, Minn.—Two alumni of St. John's College here, both of them lieutenants in the flying corps of the United States Navy, have been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for meritorious service. They are Lieut. Duncan A. Campbell, of Grand Rapids, and Lieut. John J. Van Buren, of Mukwonago, Wis.

The man who learns something from each of his mistakes never completes his education.

WEDDINGS IN ELMIRA

Langstine—Berry

Miss Evelyn Ruth Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Berry, 415 Broadway, was married to Francis W. Langstine, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Langstine, 914 Walnut St., Saturday, Sept. 5, 1942, at 8 a. m. in St. Patrick's Church. The Rev. Hubert A. Bisky performed the ceremony. The altar was decorated with palms and gladioli. Mrs. Charles P. Lynch played the wedding music.

Miss Norma Berry was her sister's bridesmaid, and John Peel was the best man. Ushers were Robert Skebey and Thomas Langstine.

A wedding breakfast for 40 was given at the Hotel Langwell and was followed by a reception at the Langstine home. The couple left on a trip through Canada and the Thousand Islands. They will live at 215 Elm Ave., Buffalo.

The bride attended South Side High School, and Mr. Langstine attended the Academy and the Elmira Aviation Ground School. He is an employe of the Curtiss Wright plant, Buffalo.

Kennedy—Colgan

Miss Nancy Helen Colgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Colgan of New York City, and Lt. Daniel Gerald Kennedy, of Camp Croft, S. C., son of Mrs. William F. Love of Rochester, and the late Daniel J. Kennedy of Elmira, were married Saturday, Sept. 5, 1942, at 11 a. m. in St. Ignace Loyola Church, New York, by the Rev. Francis McQuade, S. J.

After the ceremony a reception was given at Sherry's, New York, for the families of the couple.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and her sister, Miss Betty J. Colgan of New York, was maid of honor. The best man was J. Lawrence Kennedy, brother of the bridegroom.

They will reside at 361 North Park Dr., Spartanburg, S. C.

The bride is a graduate of St. Francis Xavier Academy in Brooklyn and attended the University of Rochester. Lt. Kennedy attended LaSalle Military School, Hamilton College and Harvard Law School. He is a member of Theta Delta Chi fraternity and Lincoln's Inn Society, legal fraternity. Before entering the army, he was associated with the law firm of Goodwin, Nixon and Harraves, Rochester.

McCannell—Hawkins

Miss Frances Ann Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David M. Hawkins of Nutley, N. J., became the bride of Thomas Edward McCannell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent D. P. McCannell, 423 E. Washington Ave., Saturday, Sept. 5, 1942, at 11 a. m. in St. Mary's Church. The nuptial ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas M.

OUR HIERARCHY

This is one of a series presenting American members of the Hierarchy.



No. 118—Bishop Whiting

Most Rev. Joseph C. Whiting, Bishop of Pueblo, Colo., Dubuque, Sept. 6, 1884. Ordained, June 29, 1908, at Dubuque. On faculty, St. Charles College (Carroll College), Helena, Mont. Secretary to Bishop Carroll, 1912-18. Chancellor, Diocese of Helena, 1918-20. Pastoral work, Cathedral parish, Helena; Immaculate Conception Church, Butte. Named a Papal Chamberlain, 1921; Domestic Prelate, 1940. Vicar General, Diocese of Helena, 1939. Named first Bishop of Pueblo, Colo., Dec. 9, 1941. Consecrated by Papal Delegate, at Helena, Feb. 24, 1942. Installed, Mar. 12, 1942. (M.C.W.C.)

NEW CHURCH FINISHED THROUGH ACTIVE AID OF 2 LITTLE CHINESE GIRLS

NEW YORK.—Although the St. Columban mission to Hsinching, China, has a new and beautiful church—the gift of a generous American woman—the Rev. Joseph Hogan didn't have the heart to ask the Catholics, many of whom haven't had a church since 1924, to contribute to its furnishings, according to the story for the Propagation of the Faith here.

Two little Chinese girls, though, saddened by their poverty and eager to contribute something to the new church, decided to make a house-to-house collection so that they would have something to offer, no matter how small.

After many days of tireless plodding under a scorching sun the youngsters accumulated 100 Chi-

ren dollars and lovingly asked Father Hogan if their meager offering would buy a gold chalice. Father Hogan realized that their modest gift would not purchase the purchase of such a chalice for the church, but he had an idea of a chalice to buy. He had been very much surprised because his church had no chalice of the Cross. This was all that his parishioners gave for their church, and when he asked them that he would have pleasure made feeling that it was the collection of Sacred Heart parish who had given the first chalice, which the blessed God saw would say, the girls were sad.

As it developed, Father Hogan's idea about the chalice turned out to be a blessing, for when the money collectors heard about it a woman developed by one which would supply the most chalice. The result was enough money for a complete set of stations, two large statues of Our Lady and St. Joseph for the side altar, and a large crucifix for the high altar.

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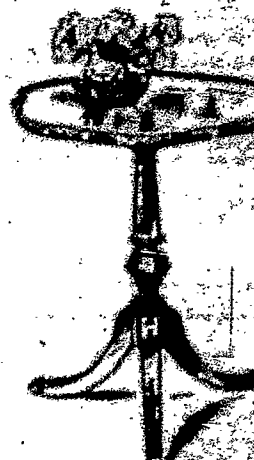
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AUSTRIAN NOBLEWOMAN HEADS NEW CONGREGATION OF WOMEN IN BRAZIL

SAO PAULO, Brazil.—An Austrian noblewoman is Superior of a new congregation for women just founded by Dom Pedro Rober, Abbot of the Benedictine Abbey of Jundiai, State of Sao Paulo.

The new congregation, which is called the Oblates Regular of St. Ursula, will undertake missionary work in rural areas, which include large fazendas (farms) and small industrial centers. These places are at such great distances that priests can visit them infrequently.

The Oblates of St. Ursula go in groups to a particular place assigned to them and remain there for a month, ministering to the spiritual and even physical needs of the people, instructing the children and generally preparing them for the priest against the day of his coming.

After a month thus spent in a distant rural place, the Sisters return to their headquarters for a short stay during which they renew physical and spiritual strength.

HISTORIC STATUE

Mexico City.—The 210th anniversary of the installation of the Blessed Virgin's image known as Santissima Madre de la Luz, at Leon in the State of Guanajuato, was observed with a great public manifestation in which 50 per cent of the citizens participated. All places of business were closed and as the venerated image was carried past the faithful covered it with flowers.

Essential Part

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