

Plan Highway Statue

San Salvador — A marble statue in honor of Christ the King, one of the principal highways lead-

ing into the Capital, will commemorate the National Eucharistic Congress to be held here in November. A committee of Catholic attorneys is studying its erection.

Colored Catholics Near NCCS Director

WASHINGTON—Need for a tabernacle and religious articles on the part of every American turned his fellow-countrymen was stressed by Dr. Franklin D. Dunham, Executive Director of the National Catholic Community Service, at a meeting of the Federated Colored Catholics here.

"We must take out all our prejudices one by one, and sentence them to oblivion," Dr. Dunham said. "For their dangerous ideas when at large, have the power to destroy us and everything in which we believe."

Dr. Dunham spoke before 400 Colored delegates to the convention, which was presided over by Dr. Thomas W. Turner of Hampton Institute, President of the Federation. Dr. Turner is also Chairman of the NCCS committee for Hampton, Va.

The National Catholic Community Service, as a member agency of ESO, now operates nine clubs for colored service men in communities adjacent to large colored troop concentrations.

Rationalism is the bane of modern times.

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Pilgrimages, in the "Shrine" decreased and finally stopped altogether. The present situation may be seen in what the head of a Catholic publishing house told me in New York last year: "There is no sale any more," he said, "for anything on the Little Flower." He mentioned several publishing houses who have such books in stock and cannot sell them. And then, mentioning the most prolific of these writers, he added with sorrowful emphasis: "C. Y. K. killed the Little Flower!" It is all for the better that these publications are lying idle in the publisher's stock. Apart from the wrong ideas of Sainthood which they were giving Catholics, one shudders to think of the impressions of our religion that would be formed in the minds of non-Catholics who might read them.

Let us return to where I began—the exaggeration of the opposition. These sentimentalists, as if they were acting the part of delicate young ladies or old women of both sexes—are distressed that anyone, even her Mother Superior, should have ever done anything to cause pain to their dear "little" child. They apparently think that Mother Gonzaga should have done to Therese Marlin what they have done to her themselves—put her in glass case, for the admiration of the Community, where she could smile on them all day long and keep them, too, smiling by offering them flowers without thorns—and the latest kind of French Bonbons. But it was not to be treated so that Therese Marlin chose to become a Carmelite. It is not so that a postulant—or novice—is trained to Sainthood.

SUPERIOR UPHOLD
Yet another reflection. Although I have never been a superior, my sympathy, even in the grammar school, has always been for the superiors, who are responsible for the discipline in school, college, seminary or religious community. It may well be that it caused more pain to Mother Gonzaga to test or reprimand Therese than it caused Therese to be tested or reprimanded.

Finally, it must never be forgotten, and it cannot be repeated too often, that men and women are canonized because they have been authentically proved to have been Christian heroes and heroines. That means that they had to fight a great battle and came out victorious. As children of Adam they had to wage war against the world, the flesh, and the devil; and they waged it to the end; for only he who preserves to the end can be saved. One purpose of canonization is to present them to us as models and examples to be imitated, to show us that it is possible for us to follow their example as they did the example of Christ; for we are men and women as they were, we have to wage the same warfare against the same enemies, and we have the same means to obtain the victory.

Saint Therese, now in glory, may well ask her Beloved: "Lord, save me from my friends! With thy grace I overcame my enemies; but save men from my friends."

Saint Therese has been in the Calendar of the Saints for 17 years. It is difficult for this old sinner to realize that he was a boy of 4, going to school in Ireland, on the day that Therese Marlin was born.

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ST. VLADIMIR'S EXAMPLE INSPIRES JESUIT WORK

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All this happened in the Tenth Century while Constantinople was still Catholic. Later, following its lead, the Russian Church separated from Rome. From that day Russian Catholics have been very few.

However, there are now several groups of Byzantine Russian Catholics—mostly in exile from their own land. One of the largest is in Shanghai. There Father Willcock, S.J., an English priest of the Oriental Rite, has labored among them very successfully. Aided by American and Irish Sisters, he has built a church and schools for boys and girls.

Father Willcock asks help for his boys' school. He feels certain that among these Russian boys are many vocations to the priesthood—boys who may become missionaries among their own people, to bring them back to the Faith of their great saints—Olga and Vladimir.

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