Evangelization of Russia Hopeful Believes Writer Citing Faith of People

LISBON—An article published originally in the Orthodox magazine Pravo-Slavnaya Rusus of Shanghai, and signed by P. Perof, has attracted considerable attention because of suggestions made regarding the future eVangelization of Russia.

The author, who says his deductions are based on personal contacts with Soviet citizens and Russian prisoners of war in Germany, believes that Bolsherism has never succeeded in effacing the Russian national sentiment which is strongly stamped with orthodox conceptions of the world; and that the new Russia will be built only in the spirit of orthodoxy—an indispensable presupposition of civilization and the Russian State.

As to the current attitude of the Russian people towards religion, P. Perof divides the population into three principal groups of quite different numerical importance. Into the first group, those who have not lost the faith of their fathers, he puts the great mass of the people, particularly the peasants. Anti-religious propaganda, he contends, has never succeeded in penetrating the depths of the Russian national soul.

"The only thing that has been shaken," he writes, "is a naive and primitive faith in religious practices, and the conventional expression of religious sentiment which, too often, is confused with true piety.

"The religious foundation of Russia could not be destroyed because—if for no other reason—it is older than orthodoxy itself. Belief in opposing forces of good and evil and the final victory of good over evil; belief in punishment for all faults on earth itself and the recognition of a regulating power beyond human punishment — these have not changed. They formed the original soil on which fell the mustard-seed of orthodoxy."

Appeal For Catholic Paralysis Drive Aid

WASHINGTON.—An appeal for Catholic cooperation in the annual campaign for support of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has been made here.

One purpose of the campaign, which is carried out preceding observance of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's birthday on Jan. 30, is to acquaint the people with the continued, urgent necessity of the Foundation's work in behalf of the afflicted and the importance of carrying on important research work against infantile paralysis.

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The society, which was originated four years ago, at the time of the opening of St. John Bosco Chapel, recruits new members with surprising ease. The president of the organization is also, at present, clerk for the Rev. Francis J. Lane, chaplain. At the time when new men come for the regulation conference with Father Lane, the president speaks to them about entering the Holy Name Society.

"These lads, most of them, want to do what's right; they know they've made a mistake and are anxious to set themselves right," said Father Lane. When they are convinced that membership in the Holy Name is one step in that direction, they are glad to join.

When a man becomes a member he is given a certificate which he treasures even when he has left. The number is so large that Communion Sunday comes every Sunday in the month in order to take care of the four groups into which the society is divided. There is a leader for each group, with a president over all. Each Sunday a banner is displayed in the chapel representing the group which made the best showing on the previous Sunday and group competition is keen.

It is heartening to see such eager response in an institution where, of necessity, the society exists entirely in its spiritual significance.

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National Legion of Decency List

CLASS A—Section 1—Unobjectionable for General Patronage

American Empire
Andy Hardy's Double Life
Arizona Stagecoach
Army Surgeon
Armory, The
Avenging Rider
Bambi
Belle of Capistrano
Between Us Girls
Black Rider of Robin Hood Ranch
Border Round-Up
Boss of Big Town
Boston Blackie Goes Hollywood
Cairo
Chetniks
Cheyenne Roundup
Cinderella Swings It
Commandos Strike at Dawn
The Cyclone Kid
Daring Young Man
Desperate Journey
Devil With Hitler
Eyes in the Night
Falcon's Brother
Fighting Buckaroo
Fighting Frontier
Flying Fortress
For Me and My Gal
Foreign Agent
Gentleman Jim
George Washington Slept Here
Girl From Monsoon
Great Gildersleeve
Health of the Golden West
Henry Aldrich, Editor
Henry Aldrich Gets Glamour
Here We Go Again
Hi, Buddy
Hi-Ya Chum
Holiday Inn
Iceo-Capades
In Old California
It Comes Up Love
Jacare
Junior Army
Keep 'Em Slugging
Kid Rides Again
Laugh Your Blues Away
Lone Prairie
Lone Star Trail
The Magnificent Dope
Man in the Trunk
Mountain Rhythm
Mrs. Miniver
Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch
Mug Town
Navy Comes Through
Night Plane from Chungking
Night To Remember
Northwest Rangers
Old Chisholm Trail
Old Homestead
Omaha Trail, The
One of Our Aircraft Is Missing
Outlaw of Rattler Pass
Outlaw of Pine Ridge
Overland Stage Coach
Pardie Blackout
Pardon My Gun
Pardon My Stripes
Phantom Plainsman
Pied Piper, The
Pirates of the Prairies
Pride of the Yankees
Raiders of San Joaquin
Rangers Take Over
Red River Robin
Riders Down the Canyon
Ride Through Nevada
Shootin' Pistol
Sioux Beach Law
Saint's Antics
Spotlight Survives a Murder
Seven Days Leave
Secrets of the Underground
Shadows on the Sage
Sheriff of Sage Valley
Sherlock Holmes in Smith of Minnesota
Southern Kid
Spirit of Stanford
Springtime in the Rockies
Stand By, All Networks
Stardust of the Sage
Strictly in the Grove
Submarine Raider
Sunset Serenade
Washington Sundown Kid
Tarzan Triumphs
Tennessee Johnson
Texas Tonight on the Old Camp Ground
Texas To Bataan
Thunder Birds
Tricksters
Tornado in the Saddle
Undercover Man
Underground Agent
Valley of Hunted Men
War Against Mrs. Hadley
We Are The Marines
West of the Law
When Johnny Comes Marching Home
Whistling In Dixie
Who Done It?
World At War
Yankee Doodle Dandy
Yanks Are Coming

CLASS A—Section 2—Unobjectionable for Adults

Along the Sundown Trail
Are Husbands Necessary?
Behind the Eight Ball
Beyond the Blue Horizon
Black Swan
Bombs Over Burma
Bowery at Night
Busses Roar
Calling Dr. Gillespie
Casablanca
China Girl
City Without Men
Criminal Investigator
Crossroads
Dead Men Walk
Destiny Unknown
Dr. Gillespie's New Assistant
Fantasia
Fighting Devil Dogs
Forest Rangers
Gorilla Man
He's My Guy
Hidden Hand
Hitler's Children
Iceland
I Live on Danger
In Which We Serve
Invisible Agent
Isle of Missing Men
Journey For Margaret
Jungle Siren
Just Off Broadway
Lady in a Jam
Lady from Chungking
Life Begins at 8:30
Lucky Legs
Lure of the Islands
Madame Spy
Major and the Minor, The
Men of Courage
Mexico Calling
Man's World
McGurrins From Brooklyn
Moment Man in the World
Mr. Wise Guy
Moonlight in Havana
Moonlight Masquerade
My Sister Eileen
Native Land
North Brooklyn Bridge
Night for Crime
Night in New Orleans
Night Monster
Nightmare
New Voyager
Over My Dead Body
Panama Hattie
Parachute Nurse
Payoff
Phantom Killer
Pittsburgh
Police Bullets
Prison Girls
Prisoner of Japan
Queen of Broadway
Quiet Please, Murder
Random Harvest
Ravaged Earth
Reunion
Road To Morocco
Rubber Racketeers
Secret Enemies
Secrets of a Co-ed
Seven Miles from Alcatraz
Shadow of a Doubt
She's In The Army
Silver Queen
Sunset Alonie
Spotlers, The
Spy Ship
Stand By for Action
Street of Chance
Sunday Punch
Suspicion
Syncopation
Take A Letter, Darling
Tales of Manhattan
Talk of the Town
That Other Woman
This Above All
This Was Paris
Three Different Men
Time To Kill
Today, I Hang
Tomorrow We Live
Undying Monster
Voice of Terror
Wrecking Crew
X Marks the Spot
Yank in Libya
You Can't Escape Forever
You Were Never Lovelier
Youth On Parade

CLASS B—Objectionable in Part

Affairs of Martha
Almost Married
Bahama Passage
Bedtime Story
Cat People
Dr. Renault's Secret
Desert Girl
Flying With Music
Gay Sisters
Gentleman After Dark, A
Gone With the Wind
Hard Way, The
Her Cardboard Lover
I Married a Witch
I'll Sell My Life
In This Our Life
Keeper of the Flame
Lady Has Plans, The
Lady In Distress
Lady Is Willing, The
Lucky Jordan
Mischievous Husbands
Moon and Sixpence
Mummy's Tomb
My Heart Belongs To Daddy
Navy Blues
Night Before the Divorce
Not A Ladies Man
Once Upon a Honeymoon
One Thrilling Night
Orchestra Wives
Palm Beach Story
Shanghai Gesture
Sin Town
Somewhere I'll Find You
Star Spangled Rhythm
Sullivan's Travels
Swamp Woman
They All Kissed the Bride
Three Girls About Town
Time to the Sun
Two-Faced Woman
Vengeance of the West
White Cargo
Wife Takes A Flyer, The

CLASS C—Condemned

It's All in the Mind
Damaged Goods
Daybreak
Fighting the White Slave Traffic
Human Wreckage
City of Sin
Girl from Maxim's
Lock of the Pentagon
Marriage Forbidden
Nine Nudelogs
No Greater Sin
Pepe le Moko
Sister Madonna
Sous Suisse
Tel, Le (French)
Social Pariahs
Stolen Paradise
Time to the Sun

Movie Guide

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Keep 'Em Slugging, A-1
Night Plane from Chungking, A-1
Bowery at Midnight, A-2
City Without Men, A-2
Gorilla Man, A-2
He's My Guy, A-2
Hitler's Children, A-2

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PALACE

Arabian Nights (Not classified)
Seven Miles from Alcatraz, A-2

LOEW'S ROCHESTER

Commandos Strike at Dawn, A-1
A Night To Remember, A-1

CENTURY

The Mummy's Tomb, B
Night Monster, A-2

REGENT

Black Swan, A-2
Johnny Doughboy (Not classified)

TEMPLE

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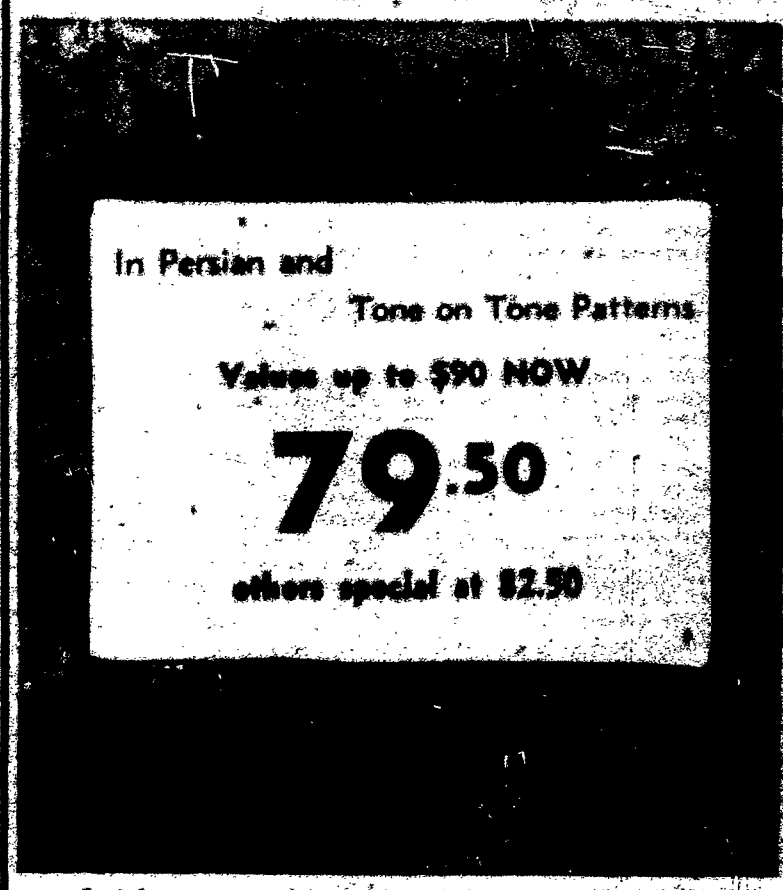

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