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On Guard!

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The reported Soviet recognition of the Russian Orthodox Church is definitely a hoax. Stalin's granting of permission for the Russian Church to elect a patriarch is an insult to religious freedom everywhere.

When it comes to duping the American public, Josef Vissarionovich Djughashvili, alias "Stesso," alias "Kobo," alias "David Ivanovitch," alias Premier-Marshall Josef Stalin, has easily surpassed the fabulous and legendary achievements of the erstwhile P. T. Barnum, mountebank genius of the Great White Top.

A few years ago a veteran of the old Barnum Circus told me this story:

"I used to work in the circus," he confided. "You did?" I was awed. "Sure. And when I was with the circus, we had a white elephant!" "A real white elephant?" I was sceptical. "That's right! A real white elephant. He was the only white elephant in captivity." "Boy, a real white elephant," I mused, "that was something." I bowed my head humbly in an act of faith. "Sure was," the old trouper assured me. "We had the only white elephant in captivity . . . and it was my job every Sunday morning to give him a coat of whitewash!"

For a long time Josef Stalin has been telling the world a "white elephant" story of Soviet freedom. But Stalin's Russian freedom myth, like P. T. Barnum's famous attraction, requires repeated whitewashings in order to fool even some of the people some of the time.

Originally the Soviets claimed that their constitution guaranteed religious freedom to the peoples of Russia. After a while, the whitewash wore off this "white elephant" propaganda, and it was discovered that Article 124, the so-called religious freedom guarantee of the Soviet Constitution was just a piece of "double-talk." Today, even Dictator Stalin's most sympathetic collaborators admit that the notorious Article 124 expressly prohibits any religion from teaching its doctrine but expressly extends the right of teaching to atheists.

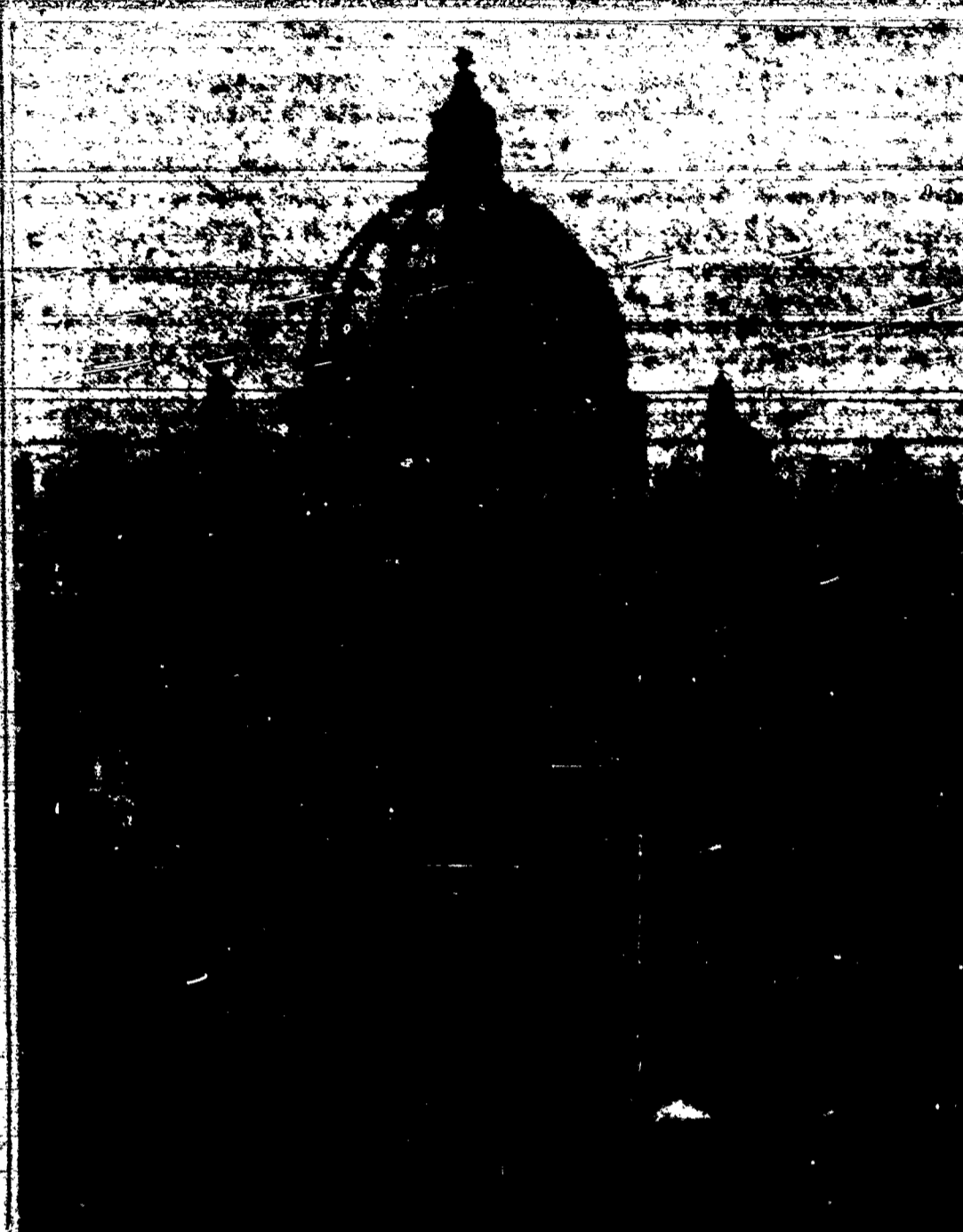
Three months after Stalin was betrayed by his former Axis partner Hitler, and was forced to establish an alliance with the United Nations, a conference was held in Moscow, Britain, humorously enough, sent communist hating Lord Beaverbrook. More humorously still, America sent William Averell Harriman, a genuine capitalist. Newspaper men called this meeting the Caviar Conference, because it began and ended in true Russian fashion with mountains of caviar.

The conclusion of the Caviar Conference was a banquet of unprecedented magnificence in the Kremlin. The climax of the banquet is related by Wallace-Carroll in his book, "We're In This With Russia". In Russian style there were many toasts. Some of the guests, say thirty-one; some insist thirty-seven. Anyway, whether thirty-one or thirty-seven, one toast is highlighted in the memory of the guests. Standing at the speaker's table Stalin raises his glass in honor of President Roosevelt. "May God bless him in his task!" the Soviet Dictator grinned in Russian.

Why did Dictator Stalin, defender of atheism and former ally of Hitler, ask God to bless President

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Nazi Radio Warns Holy See Against 'Anti-Fascist' Policy



Replacing this jubilent throng before St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, halting Pope Pius XII at the coronation, now stand the threatening hordes of Hitler.

Who Eats of the Pope, Dies

—French Proverb

Adolph Hitler has committed his greatest blunder. Since the afternoon of September 18th, and in sight of the great St. Peter's Square, Nazi soldiers are patrolling the borderline between Italian territory and Vatican City.

Armed encirclement of the Papal State by Nazi soldiers indicates Hitler's attempt to intimidate the Holy Father.

Under the threat of violence the Berlin radio has demanded that the Holy See rally to the Axis cause.

This bold and impudent assault against the dignity and honor of the Vicar of Christ is Hitler's greatest blunder.

Those who are ignorant of history are doomed to repeat it. Has Hitler forgotten Luther and Napoleon? Martin Luther tried to smash the Papacy, but Luther is dead and the Papacy lives on. Napoleon tried to bend the will of a Pope but he failed.

Peter is a Rock. Like Luther and Napoleon, Hitler too is doomed to break himself against the Rock of Christ.

We remember how in the first hour of the Church, St. Peter, the first Vicar of Christ, was cast into prison. But in the dead of night while the Christians prayed for the safety of Peter, an angel came and delivered him. In the morning the world saw Peter in the streets and heard him preaching again the Gospel of Christ.

Once again in this dark hour the prayers of Christendom pour forth for the safety of Peter. Even though he is bound by a ring of arms and threats, we are confident that, at the proper time, the guardian angel of Pius XII will rescue His Holiness from the power of the despot.

When the lights of peace go up again all over the earth, the world will find Pius XII once again at the doors of St. Peter's and hear him speak again in the Name of Christ!

Plan 478 New Army Chapels

WASHINGTON.—In his biennial report to the Secretary of War, General George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff of the U. S. Army, stated that the Army's plans call for the construction of 478 chapels to care for the religious needs of soldiers.

General Marshall stated: "To further the high purpose of religious worship, plans call for the construction of 478 chapels. In appearance, the chapels resemble the typical small church of the average American community. The

plant-roofed, frame building with steeple at the front. Each chapel has an electric organ and a seating capacity for about 400 soldiers and is so designed and equipped that services of any denomination can be conducted."

BREAD IS INEXPENSIVE, plentiful, unrationed. Wholesome and delicious, it belongs on every table, makes hard-to-get foods go further. Buy the best. Aunt Jennie's Whole Milk Bread. Aunt Jennie's Bake Shoppe, 214 Meador Ave. Monroe 588. Adv.

WASHINGTON (NC)—Attacked for its "pacifism and anti-German sentiments," the Holy See was warned it must change its policy or subject itself to "radical measures," by the Nazi-sponsored National Republican Fascist government in a Berlin broadcast beamed to Italy, according to the Federal Communications Commission, which recorded the broadcast.

The Germans claim Benito Mussolini organized the National Republican Fascist government after his rescue by Nazi paratroopers.

"The Vatican, the prelates, all the hierarchy of the church from the Pope down to the parish priests, have this obstacle, either with Fascist and Catholic Italy or against it," the broadcast is reported to have said.

"It is not a problem of conscience. It is a dilemma that is before the mass of the church. It is not a problem of faith. It is a dilemma that is before the organization of the Catholic Church. If it were true—and it is not—that there exists an incompatibility between the Catholic Church and the Fascist faith, and if we were forced to choose between the Catholic faith and the Fascist faith, by the side of our German comrades, would choose the Fascist faith."

The broadcast contended that the Vatican's "preaching of pacifism and its anti-German sentiments have disturbed the Catholic conscience of the Fascist fighter." The broadcast continued: "These centers of sabotage and betrayal will be eliminated from the new Fascist and Republican Italy. Let the policy of the Vatican force us not to have recourse to radical measures."

K. of C. Purchase Millions in Bonds

NEW HAVEN.—(NC)—The Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus has "backed the attack" by purchasing \$1,000,000 of the new United States Treasury Bonds being issued as a part of the nation's Third War Loan Drive for \$15,000,000,000. It was announced at the K. of C. headquarters here. This makes a total of \$12,575,000 in United States Government Bonds now held by the Order.

Birth Curb Move In War Plants Cited Anew

For the second time in a month the ugly charge of abortion and the hint of birth control plots have been associated with the industrial city of Rochester in the pages of national magazines.

In an article entitled "Your Body or Your Job," which appears in the October issue of the WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION, an author, Anita Palmer, declares that the gravest problem of the American woman war worker is the question of pregnancy.

Miss Palmer states that she gathered evidence for her article from personal visits to several industrial sites including Rochester.

In appealing for concerted remedial action by labor, industry, and government, she quotes Dr. Morris Fishbein, editor of the JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION as authority for the statement that abortions have increased 20 to 40 percent during the war.

In illustrating the prevalence of abortion, Miss Palmer makes the following statement:

In Rochester a young woman—the apparently did not know that abortion was illegal—called the company doctor which of the town's abortionists he would recommend. He only she showed him a list of nine who had been given in the factory.

Charging organized labor and plant management with indifference to the plight of the pregnant woman war worker, and denouncing abortion as an appalling solution, the author presents several possible solutions, including that of birth control.

She states: "Dr. C. C. Pierce of the Planned Parenthood Federation is trying to induce company physicians to refer married women to birth-control clinics."

Miss Palmer also reports: "Dr. W. T. Fommersmith of the University of Rochester is trying to work out a method by which

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Pontifical Mass To Mark 'Mercy' Feast

The Feast of Our Lady of Mercy will be marked Solemn Pontifical Mass, celebrated by His Excellency Bishop James E. Kearney at Our Lady of Mercy High School Auditorium on Friday (Sept. 24) morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Our Lady of Mercy is the Patroness of the religious community of the Sisters of Mercy, and also of Mercy High School, Sisters of the Lady of Mercy Community and student body of the high school will be present at the Mass. Assisting Bishop Kearney at the Mass will be Assistant Priest, Rt. Rev. Msgr. William M. Hart, V.G., Deacons of Honor, Rev. Patrick J. Smyth and Rev. John F. Muckle; Deacon of Mass, Rev. Francis W. Mason; Sub-Deacon of Mass, Rev. Louis Bauman, C.S.B.

First Minister, Rev. Lawrence B. Casey; Second Minister, Rev. James C. McAniff; Acolytes, Rev. Peter Jankowski and Rev. Joseph T. Maloney; Thaurifer, Rev. Francis M. Feeney; Candle-bearer, Rev. Joseph O. Gorman; Miter-bearer, Rev. Raymond Wuest; Crozier-bearer, Rev. James P. Blattery; and Grenadier-bearer, Rev. Paul Wohlrah. Schools throughout the diocese headed by the Sisters of Mercy will mark the Feast with a holiday.

Holy Name Rally In Polo Grounds

NEW YORK.—A huge altar, being one-third of completed, will be erected in front of the house of the New York City Polo Grounds for the religious service sponsored by the New York Archdiocese on Oct. 2. The Most Rev. Archbishop Spellman, Archbishop of New York, will preside at the altar, which will be in the Polo Grounds.

The Most Rev. Bryan J. Sheil, legat, Bishop of Ogdensburg, will return to New York where he is stationed for some time in connection with the Holy Name Society to speak at the rally.

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