

Method has a way of bounding the intellect so that not even prayer can break through its dark and narrow.

Convert Writes History Of U.S. Catholicism

Rome - (INC) - A History of Catholicism in the United States, the work of Professor Chiminelli, an Italian convert to the Faith who was formerly for 12 years a Methodist pastor in the United States, is nearing completion. It is announced here.

It is stated that the work is on a larger scale than John Gilmary Shea's history of the Catholic Church in the United States, and is based on diocesan records and ecclesiastical biographies. The author, it is said, had full access to the American documents preserved in the sacred archives of the Holy See. A novel feature of new history is the light shed on Franciscan missionary activities in Florida, California and the Mississippi Valley. It is stated:

Printing of the work, which consists of two volumes of a thousand pages each, is being delayed owing to the paper shortage. Professor Chiminelli, it is announced, plans later to translate his work into English.

Diocese Collects 53,465 Pounds for 'Aid to Italy'

The "Aid To Italy Campaign," recently concluded in the Diocese of Rochester, netted 53,465 pounds of material, according to a report submitted to His Excellency, Bishop Azzi, the vicar general of the diocese.

The material, which included 4,000 pairs of shoes, 10,000 pairs of socks, 10,000 pairs of gloves, 10,000 pairs of mittens, and 10,000 pairs of stockings, was shipped to Italy, Italy-Azzi said.

Table listing donors and amounts for the Aid to Italy Campaign. Includes names like Anthony, Lucy, Philip, etc., and amounts in dollars and cents.

REDS CHALLENGED TO USE PAPAL NEWS

Vatican City - (INC) - A challenge to Red Star, Moscow, France and Radio Moscow to publish in full the text of Papal pronouncements without abridging them, is made in an article published in Osservatore Romano, Vatican City.

The article says that then the Russian people will know how to judge whether the Holy See is reactionary and is trying to save war criminals. Answering allegations that the Vatican is favoring war criminals, the Osservatore article asks that the "corpus delicti" be produced. The theme of the article is: You accuse us. Well, then produce the proof.

Osservatore outlines the stand of the Holy See, explicitly affirming justice and sanctions against war criminals and teaching clearly the basis of individual responsibility for war. Reviewing the record of the Pope in condemning totalitarian regimes not merely as being against liberty and political freedom but also as violating human rights, the law of God and the principles of the Gospel, Osservatore states that the Pope declared his position long before others and long before the final attempt at violence on the part of totalitarianism.

Goebbels Even Ratifies Funerals in Berlin

Berlin - (CIP) - Being buried in a coffin has been a luxury in Berlin since March 1. Only persons whose families obtain special permission are in a position to secure a coffin. The bodies of others have to be sent to a crematorium. Regulations have been simplified so as to allow relatives to take immediate possession of the ashes of cremated persons without the formalities previously required.

Men's Club to Hear Red Cross Veteran

Sacred Heart Men's Club will hold its monthly supper meeting in Sacred Heart Cathedral school hall Thursday, April 12. Allen Mason, former Field Director with the Red Cross in the European war theater will be the speaker. His topic will be "I Met Your Son."

Mason, an entertainment chairman, has a top-notch musician engaged, he reports.



Advertisement for 'Tummy' beer. Text includes: 'THEY'RE CALLING FOR Tummy', 'People are calling for Tummy because they enjoy the just right flavor, sparkling and creamy, mellow smoothness of Tummy's Shantler Lager Beer and Ale. So for "more satisfaction," be sure to say, "GIVE ME TUMMY." American Brewing Co., Rochester, N. Y.'

Advertisement for Saratoga Vichy Water. Text includes: 'The Original SARATOGA VICHY WATER Distributed by DOERNER'S BOTTLING WORKS'.

Advertisement for Holy Trinity church. Text includes: 'HOLY TRINITY Ridge Road East - WEBSTER, N. Y. MASSES - Sunday 7, 8:15, 9:30, 11 A. M.'

Advertisement for Webster Dairy. Text includes: 'WEBSTER DAIRY Grade A Pasteurized MILK and CREAM'.

Advertisement for Furber Garage & Service Station. Text includes: 'FURBER Garage & Service Station Complete stock of Wiford Batteries'.

Advertisement for Smith & Lotze Funeral Directors. Text includes: 'SMITH & LOTZE FUNERAL DIRECTORS FURNITURE'.

Advertisement for Reichenberger's Food Market. Text includes: 'REICHENBERGER'S COMPLETE FOOD MARKET'.

Advertisement for Finn's Service Center. Text includes: 'FINN'S SERVICE CENTER Car-Shop Tune-up Services GENERAL REPAIRING'.

Advertisement for Russel B. Mason Co. Text includes: 'Russel B. Mason Co. COAL - FEED - COKE'.

Advertisement for Witmer Bros., Inc. Text includes: 'Witmer Bros., Inc. Coal - Coke - Produce'.

Advertisement for Frank J. Bane. Text includes: 'FRANK J. BANE Plumbing - Heating - Gasfitting'.

Advertisement for Webster Drug Store. Text includes: 'Webster Drug Store MILTON S. CASE PHARMACIST'.

Advertisement for A. N. Martin Sons. Text includes: 'A. N. Martin Sons Building Materials'.

Advertisement for the Lady of Perpetual Help. Text includes: 'The Lady of Perpetual Help'.

Advertisement for August M. Maier Funeral Home. Text includes: 'AUGUST M. MAIER FUNERAL HOME'.

Advertisement for St. Paul Liquor Store. Text includes: 'ST. PAUL LIQUOR STORE'.

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Advertisement for Tappings. Text includes: 'Tappings From the Monitor'.

This isn't a column on advice to the law-observers but the following item deserves some space. A young soldier told his captain, "When I left my parents, my girl back home and I made a date for every Sunday. We'd both receive Communion, she for me and I for her. I haven't missed a date since then." No comment.

The "Washington Catholic" quotes a Detroit headline, "Death of Francis in Red's Prime Goal." Surely they don't mean to commit suicide.

A Navy wife recently received a letter from her husband in the Philippines criticizing the Church because of the wretched living conditions of the Filipinos. The Church is blamed for everything. But this is the first time we have heard her Divinity attacked for failing to install indirect lighting, air conditioning and modern plumbing.

Many of our foreign-born Catholics who now seem happy and contented in this country were once in the Philippines. They were there when the Philippines were a Spanish colony. And they are the same Catholics who refuse to read St. Thomas Aquinas.

Father Theodore Thomas, a Navy chaplain, tells an interesting story. He recently visited a tiny island in the Far Pacific. The entire population of 600 is Catholic. These natives hadn't seen a priest for two years yet when a Navy chaplain offered the Holy Sacrifice for them, they sang the Mass in Latin from memory. American "progressives" call them pagans!

With the Queen of the Netherlands and the King of Norway in London, there will be many Catholics who have never been to London. Still, it is a good idea to know a few facts about the British Government. The British Government has been in London when the Queen and King were in London. The British Government has been in London when the Queen and King were in London.

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Advertisement for Your Antiques. Text includes: 'Your Antiques Costly greatly lessens moving worries by advising that your period antique goblets of rare crystal glass will be excellently packed and will arrive at your new home in fine condition. Call Culver 700.'

Advertisement for Church of the Assumption. Text includes: 'CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION MASSES SUNDAY 7 - 8:30 - 10:30'.

Advertisement for General Insurance. Text includes: 'GENERAL INSURANCE Geo. A. Slocum Agency'.

Advertisement for Don Malcolm's Service Station. Text includes: 'DON MALCOLM'S SERVICE STATION'.

Advertisement for Harry F. Van Horn Funeral Director. Text includes: 'HARRY F. VAN HORN FUNERAL DIRECTOR'.

Advertisement for H. E. DeVoie Custom Upholstering. Text includes: 'H. E. DEVOIE CUSTOM UPHOLSTERING'.

Advertisement for Fairport Liquor Store. Text includes: 'Fairport Liquor Store'.

Advertisement for Parkside Dairy. Text includes: 'PARKSIDE DAIRY Quality Milk and Cream'.

Advertisement for Kramer's Prescription Dispensing. Text includes: 'KRAMER'S Prescription Dispensing'.

Advertisement for Quality Cleaners. Text includes: 'QUALITY CLEANERS DRY CLEANING'.