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## NEW PRINCES OF THE CHURCH FROM DETROIT AND NEW YORK



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EDWARD CARDINAL MOONEY.  
First Photo in His New Robes of Office.



Here is a dramatic moment at St. Peter's as Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York bows before the Holy Father just prior to receiving the Red Hat held by the prelate at Cardinal Spellman's right. The Hat is the one which was conferred on the present Pontiff when he became Eugenio Cardinal Pacelli. (International News Photo)

## U. S. to Welcome New Cardinals Next Week

New York—(NC)—A four-day program of religious and civic events to mark the return from Rome of Cardinal Francis J. Spellman was announced here by Archdiocesan officials.

On Tuesday, March 5, there

will be a reception for the Cardinal at the Metropolitan Opera House. Postmaster General Robert E. Hannegan will represent President Truman on that occasion. Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York will greet the Cardinal on behalf of the State, and Mayor William O'Dwyer will speak for the people of New York City.

On March 6, which has been declared a holiday in the parochial schools, Cardinal Spellman will preside at a Pontifical Mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral and will address the priests, Brothers and Sisters to whom the congregation will be limited.

Student representatives of Catholic schools will assemble in St. Patrick's on March 8, for a second Pontifical Mass at which the Cardinal will preside and speak. On March 10, Cardinal Spellman will celebrate Solemn Mass in the Cathedral for "all the people and charitable works of his jurisdiction."

Detroit — (NC) — Cardinal Edward Mooney will proceed directly to the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament here for the singing of a Te Deum and Solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament after his arrival from Rome on March 5.

On March 7 the Cardinal will offer a Solemn Pontifical Mass in the Cathedral for the Bishops of the Michigan diocese and their curiae. On March 10 he will hold two public receptions

## On Guard!

By Rev. Patrick J. Flynn

Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan stood in the Senate this week to ask the question which many others are asking—"What is Russia up to now?" — and called it "the supreme conundrum of our time."

"We ask it," said the Senator, "in Manchuria. We ask it in Italy where Russia, speaking for Yugoslavia, has already initiated attention to the Polish Legion. We ask it in Iran . . . Tripolitania . . . the Baltic and the Balkans. We ask it in Poland. We ask it in the capital of Canada. We ask it in Japan."

"We ask it," Mr. Vandenberg adds, "sometimes even in connection with events in our own United States."

Hearing Senator Vandenberg describe Russian conduct as "the supreme conundrum of our time," reminds us of that October day in 1939 when a gloomy Churchill coined his classic definition of Russian policy. "It is a riddle wrapped in a mystery inside an enigma," he said.

When statesmen of the stature of Churchill and Vandenberg admit to confusion in the matter of trying to understand Soviet Rus-

## St. Andrew's Pre-War Lenten Rules Restored in Diocese.

Total Hits \$850,284

(A Table of Lenten Regulations appears on Page 12.)

Urging all the faithful to approach the Lenten Season with a sincere penitential spirit, His Excellency Bishop Kearney today abrogated all wartime dispensations from the Church laws of fast and abstinence.

For the first time since 1942 Catholics of the diocese must observe the Lenten regulations which prevailed before the war. Bishop Kearney's annual Lenten Message will be read in all churches this Sunday.

Lenten regulations on fasting and abstinence for the Diocese of Rochester were professed today by the Chancery. They are

**PAST**

1. All weekdays of Lent, noon of Holy Saturday and days of fast.

2. Those who are obliged to fast may take only one full meal a day. This meal may be taken either at noon or in the evening. No law limits

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A complete tabulation of the campaign returns on a parish basis appears on Page 8.

doubled and a few more than tripled their original assignment. Diocesan officials have joined with Harold J. Coleman, general chairman of the campaign in extending thanks and congratulations to the 6,000 workers and the 59,715 contributors who amassed the record sum.

Parishes in the twenty-three zones into which the Diocese was divided for the drive, reported 29,290 subscriptions for \$742,944. This represents an average pledge of \$12.04 which is exactly what was suggested for each contributor when the drive opened.

**Official**

All wartime dispensations from fast and abstinence granted by the Most Reverend Bishop are hereby abrogated.

The Most Reverend Bishop directs that the Lenten 1946 Litany concerning love and confidence, which appeared before the war, be observed.

## Bishop, Priests Ask Support for Courier-Journal

The earnest appeal of Bishop presents the concerted support of the COURIER-JOURNAL, official newspaper of the Diocese of Rochester, marked the annual observance of Catholic Press Sunday in all churches last weekend. His Excellency Bishop Kearney, in a letter read at all Masses, called upon Catholics of the Diocese to support the newspaper's new name, COURIER-JOURNAL, and to continue their subscription to the paper.

"We feel," he said, "that our paper is well worth the price you pay and that it now deserves a larger readership among those who appreciate its news and editorial content."

"I am deeply grateful to all

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those who have supported the COURIER-JOURNAL and I hope that all will do so again."