Slovak Faithful Improvements Set Put Crucifixes At Fatima Shrine In Factories

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days - (NC) - Workers B Slovakia Including those in of plans to beautify the surroundbout a year ago, to install cruci- dicated by plans published in the

apread in several hundred fac-tories, the latest instance being the Slovalt cotton mills at Kez-maroky a nationalized enterprise. Correis da Silva of Leiria, who

THE WORKINGHEN and has full control over the site of the women raise the necessary funds to buy the crucifixes which are then installed with the assistance to any radical, changes, but the of the local pastors who bless the plan finally evolved meets with rosses and call upon the work- plan finally evolved meets with whirl and the looms hum.

Equally striking are the sacriaces made by Slovak Catholics Planning has been carried for rebuild, their war-shattered ward with due consideration to hurches and to bring aid to the the general road plan of the needy. According to official country. A zone of protection has statistics, 121 churches were de been formed in the vicinity of the statistics, 127 churches were de Sanctuary, in which the town strayed and 275 seriously dam. Sanctuary, in which the town and suring the fighting. An council of Vila Nova de Ourem ether 800 auffered minor dam. is prohibited from granting li-censes for either building or al-

A NUMBER of churches have of the ministry. een rebuilt through Catholic efforts alone. Now the Slovak gov-erament has announced a pro-gram providing the equivalent of and buildings will be expropri-1. 400,000 for extensive church ated. The technical staff of the reconstruction. During the cur- Ministry of Public Works has rent fiscal year 162 churches of been placed at the service of the all denominations are to be re- ecclesiastical authorities in the

At the recent annual meeting Central Karita in Slovakia was disclosed that the organisation has distributed more than in a single day. tended to Slovak war sufferers ointed out.



BY SUSAN MABQUES Linkon -(NC) - Full approtal mationalized factories, are deter ings at the Shrine of Our Lady mined to demonstrate openly of Fatima has been given by the their traditionally stautich Cath policism. A movement, started fixes in workshops has now official gazette.

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Where roads and parking according to a call issued by Bishop Thomas J. McDonnell, of New York, National Director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. Some 100 children, dressed in native costumes and habits of the religious Orders will participate in a Mission Sunday pageant in St. Paul, Minn., typical of the observance in many parts of the country. Pictured with their Archbishop, the Most Rev. John G. Murray, some of the girls are shown, dressed as, left to right: Medical Missionary Sister; Benedictine Nun; Poor Handmaid of Jesus Christ; St. Joseph Sister; Visitation Sister; Maryknoll Sister, Poor Servant of the Immaculate Heart of Mary; Missionary Sissanctuary. New roads and park-

ing places are urgently needed Santos, now Sister Mary Lucia. Belgian Socialists Support to accommodate pligrims, who have totaled as many as 700,000 wim does not include the aid ex. decree of method of payment for tuary include the Basilica, comexpropriated buildings, or of pleted on the outside but need-

Relief Services -- National Cath. Most of the boarding houses and from the entrance gates to the the Welfare Conference, it was shops, as well as eating places. Basilica, on which pligrims camp for his outspoken denunciation of communism before the believers' who would scorn faith private houses and convents will overnight; a central fountain sur- United Nations General Assembe torn down. As yet nothing mounted by a statute of the Sac bly in Paris.

slek; the Retreat House, and an of Catholicism proved stronger | had to be elected by the Provin-

tima and the terrain surrounding the midday Mass and the blessing prompted members of the Pret, the problem of providing ade. afterward. quate facilities for pligrims is no The Chapel of Our Lady of cierical Liberals, to elect a com-

inor one, Fatima is a village in Carmel, not yet built, will be the Sierra de Aire, about 1,000 used for confessions and will be the sterra de Aire, about 1,000 user for constructed on the site of another Catholic Christian Social party. their hatred of Christianity, but, fication called for is in our way about 12 miles distant. The prin- down.

cipal road to the Sanctuary pro- Roads on either side and beper passes Vila Nova de Ourem hind the Basilica have not yet and, barring an engineering mir been constructed and the ground acle, will furnish, the main high-way access for many years to have roads outside the Sanctuary der cultivation. erals, 12.

THE SANOTUARY itself is at In its decree, the government Cova da Iria, a mile from Fati- said the purpose of the planning COURIER JOURNAL, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1948

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Sunday, October 24, will be observed as Mission Sunday, in the dioceses of the United States,

ter of Our Lady of the Angels and a Good Shepherd Sister. (NC Photos).

Prelate Explains Mission Sunday 'Evolution' Issue Pageant

New York - (NC) - Even if evolution becomes a proven fact, it in no way contradicts Biblical teaching on the creation of man, declares an editorial in Thought, quarterly of Fordham University he**re**.

The editorial comments on, and quotes extensively from, an article on "The Christian and the Progress of Science' written by His Eminence Achille Cardinal Lienart, Bishop of Lille, for Etudes, monthly periodical of the French Jesuits.

POSING THE question of how we can reconcile the animal origin of the human body with the dogma of original justice and of the preternatural gifts which accompanied it, the editorial quotes the answer from Cardinal Lienart:

"Although, in its physical being, primitive humanity appears still very near to animality, and only gradually reached the perfection of its distinctive features, yet it started to be humanity only when it possessed a soul. But since God gave it this soul. why could He not have created It in the state of original justice and endowed it with the preternatural gifts?

"IT IS TRUE that such privileges surprise us more in a human being who is still evolving than they would in a human being who came out of the divine hands in the fullness of his physical perfections. But this mercly subjective impression does not matter."

The French Cardinal rejects, Brussels - (NC) - Belgium's socialist Premier Paulthrough the assistance of War their future replacement sites. ing inside work; a central avenue Henri Spaak won the applause of the whole western world "claims of both the 'reckless unin the name of science, and the The vacancy in the Senate was 'timid Christians' who believe has been razed on the main road, red Heart; the Chapel of the Ap-which is to be widened consider paritions; the Hospice for the Catholician proved stronger that to be alerted by the Proving eries of science, to deny them 'that in the name of faith, they Because of the location of Fa. open air space for the sick during than hatred of communism and cial Councillors of the Province and even ask the Church to condemn them."

of Namur. mier's own party, backed by anti- The newspaper La Libre Bel-"We have no need to give up gique, commenting on the elec- the Biblical text in order to sattion, said that the leftists hesi- isfy science, nor to reject science munist to the Belgian Senate tated for a while between their in order to keep our faith," the rather than a member of the blue funk of communism and Cardinal states. 'The only modi-

IF THE OFFICIENTIAN Social it adds, "masonic circles conside of interpreting the text of the candidate had been elected, his cred the problem from another Bible; nor need we 'lesitate to party would have gained an ab-1 point of view. To them, an anti-1 broaden our interpretation in solute majority in the Senate, clerical majority in the Senate accordance with the data of The Christian is The Upper House consists of 167 is paramount; nothing serves science. members, which are distributed better to fight against the rights | faithful to his principles when he among the parties as follows: of Catholics than the Hammer accepts the established facts and come. The rocky and billy nature area been built. The ground at Christian Socials, 83; Socialists, and Sickle' In this kind of when he modifies his interpretaof the country make another road present slopes away to fields un- 55; Communists, 17; and Lib. warfare, there are no better al- tion of the inspired text accord



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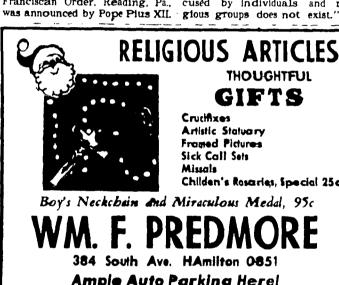
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Cincinnati - (NC) - Estabishment of an information center for non-Catholics has been announced here by Archbishop John T. McNicholas of Cincinnati. It will be located in the chancery offices and will be known as the Christian Investigation Center.

Besides helping "by confer-ences or by letter" those who investigate the doctrines of the Church, the Archbishop stated, the center will issue a "white list" of approved leaflets and pamphlets and will sponsor occasional priests' conferences in which "all questions pertaining to the message of the Church will be discussed.

THE CENTER will be a clearing house for those who have doubts to propose and questions to ask,' Archbishop McNicholas this week in Chicago at the age said in his announcement. "It will teach the truths of our holy religion; it will help, by conferences or by letter, those not of our faith who wish to investigate Ordained in 1902, he was the doctrines of the Church. "Not a fragmentary but a complete investigation of the Catholic Church by all separated Christians and by those of no religious affiliation, will do away with misunderstanding, suspicion, organized opposition, and Rome --- (RNS) -- Appointment bigotry. No fair-minded persons

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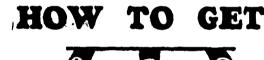
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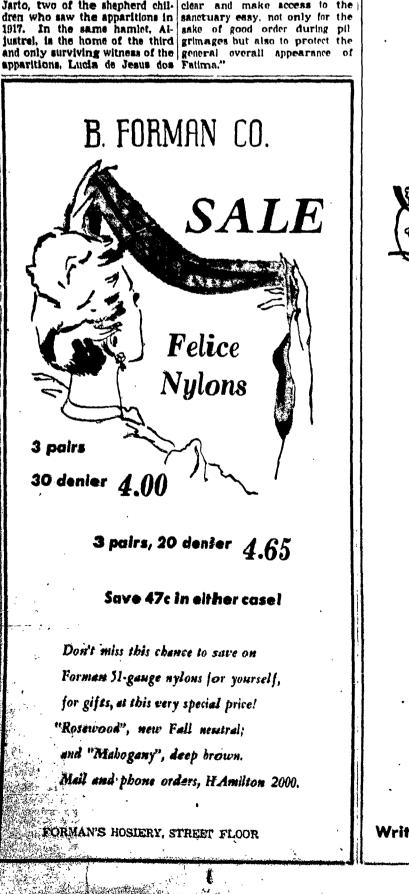
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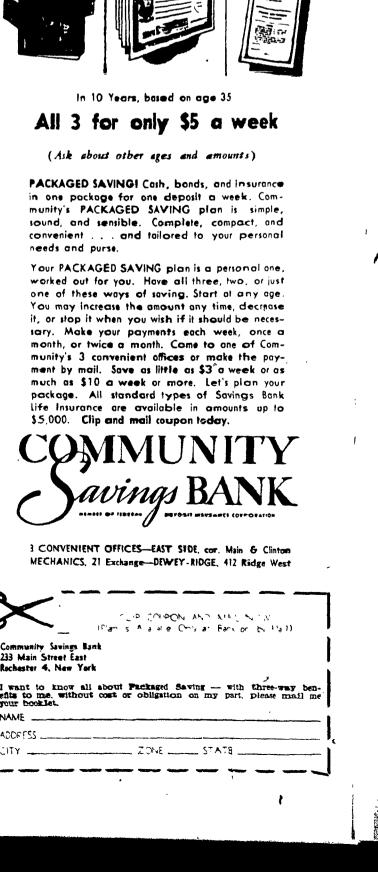


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