

MOTHER CLAIMS 7th APPARITION OF BLESSED VIRGIN; CHANCERY STUDIES CASE

Necedah, Wis. — (NC) — Near the city dump in a setting of extreme poverty, 1,000 persons gathered on the Feast of the Sacred Heart (June 16) and watched as Mrs. Anna Hoof, 46, claimed she saw her seventh apparition of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

The crowd began to arrive as early as 4 a.m., and from 10 o'clock on, recited the Rosary. Mrs. Van Hoof claimed the apparition lasted 15 minutes. She spoke to the crowd, exhorting them to prayer and penance. She claimed that she was told what to say during the apparitions.

suffering was in store for her, but she was ready to accept any pain. She said that the previous apparitions took place last fall, on Good Friday, Pentecost Sunday, Monday and Tuesday and on Trinity Sunday. She claims that the next apparitions will take place on August 15, the Feast of the Assumption, and on October 7, the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary.

The Chancery statement said: "It has been our policy to exclude all communications which seek publicity for these invariably private, and by their nature confidential, affairs concerning these seemingly unimportant occurrences. We realize that in the past the Church has approved earthly apparitions of the Mother of God."

Newman Clubs Give Myron Taylor Honor For Statesman Role



Delegates to the convention of college Newman Clubs last week in Cleveland heard addresses from church dignitaries (left to right): BISHOP EDWARD P. HOHAN of Cleveland, convention host; ARCHBISHOP RICHARD J. CUSHING

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Diocesan Students Win 12 New York State Scholarships

Twelve students of Catholic high schools in Westchester County of the Rochester Diocese have won \$1,000 scholarships issued annually by the University of the State of New York, State Education Department.

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Nun Waits To Get Degree With Rochester Companion

Sister Elizabeth (right) whose home is in Rochester received her master's degree in social action at University of Buffalo Commencement and was accompanied to the stage by Sister Agnes, (left) who had waited since February so she could walk up the aisle with another member of her own community to receive her master's degree.

Sister Elizabeth, a Nazareth Academy alumna and a member of the Daughters of St. Vincent de Paul (Sisters of Charity) had a companion from her own community when she walked up the aisle of Kleinhamm Music Hall to receive her master's degree from the University of Buffalo, last week.

Although she had earned her own master's degree last February, Sister Agnes, superintendent of St. Vincent's Manor, a children's home in Buffalo, where Sister Elizabeth is also on the staff, had delayed accepting her degree until the commencement exercises.

THE REASON was that Sister Agnes did not want to receive her degree alone. She wanted Sister Elizabeth to complete her thesis that they might give one another moral support when they made the harrowing trip to the stage before a select audience in Kleinhamm Auditorium.

Sister Elizabeth, nee Dolie Finnegan, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Finnegan, 60 Fitzhugh St. North, Rochester. She was graduated from Nazareth Academy in 1930.

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Clergy Changes Announced; Assistant Chancellor Named

Appointment of a new assistant diocesan chancellor and assignment of assistant pastors to new posts by His Excellency Bishop Kearney are announced by the Chancery as follows:

REV. LESLIE G. WHALEN, assistant pastor of St. Mary's, Rochester, is named Assistant Chancellor of the diocese. Father Whalen also will continue in his present position of assistant at St. Mary's. Born August 12, 1912 in Rochester, he attended St. Andrew's Parochial School, and St. Andrew's and St. Bernard's Seminaries. He was ordained June 11, 1938, and served successively as assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, Auburn, and St. Peter and Paul Church, Elmira. He became a Navy chaplain in September, 1943, and served with the Fourth Marine Division during the war. He has been assistant at St. Mary's since November 1, 1948.

OTHER PRIESTS receiving new assignments are: Rev. John W. Wren transferred from assistant pastor of St. Stephen's, Geneva, to Administrator of St. Mary's of the Lake, Ontario.

Rev. Henry Adamski transferred from assistant pastor of St. Stanislaus, Rochester, to assistant pastor of St. John's, Clyde and St. Patrick's, Savannah.

Rev. Nicholas P. Alletto transferred from assistant pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes, Elmira, to assistant pastor of Assumption, Fairport.

Rev. William Darcy Bolger transferred from assistant pastor of Holy Apostles, Rochester, to assistant pastor of St. James, Rochester.

Rev. James Callan transferred from assistant pastor of St. John's, Clyde, and St. Patrick's, Savannah, to assistant pastor of St. Louis, Pittsford.

Rev. Francis R. Davis transferred from assistant pastor of St. Ambrose, Rochester, to Faculty of St. Bernard's Seminary.

Rev. I. Emmet Davis transferred from assistant pastor of St. Margaret Mary's, Rochester, to assistant pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes, Elmira.

Rev. Robert Dohertin transferred from assistant pastor of St. Alphonsus, Auburn, to assistant pastor of St. Margaret Mary's, Rochester.

Rev. John S. Hayes transferred from assistant pastor of St. Augustine's, Rochester, to assistant pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes, Rochester.

Rev. Chester Kloczek transferred from assistant pastor of Holy Family, Rochester, to assistant pastor of St. Stanislaus, Rochester.

Rev. Bernard Kuchman transferred from Chaplain, United States Army, to assistant pastor of St. Francis Xavier, Rochester.

PRELATE CITES NEED OF IDEAS

Cleveland — (RNS) — Communism "confessed its own failure" when it throttled the Church and the free university, Archbishop Richard P. Cushing of Boston said here at the opening of the mid-century convention of the National Newman Club Federation.

Addressing 1,000 Catholic students from secular colleges and universities in all sections of the country, Archbishop Cushing declared "it will not be by pacts, nor by atomic bombs, nor by economic arrangements, nor by the United Nations, that peace will be established but by the freedom of the Church and the university each to be itself."

"IT IS NOT enough to make good institutions and leave it to others to copy them," the Archbishop continued. "Men thirst after ideas. What a tragedy if we give the world its bread, and Russia give the world its ideas."

The prelate said he regretted that there appears to be no passion for our democratic ideas, adding that "the only effective answer to Communism is a rebirth of these ideas."

"We must," he said, "remove every trace of social injustice without loss of the higher values which constitute the spiritual soul of the west."

Former presidential envoy to the Vatican, MYRON TAYLOR, receives the first Cardinal Newman Award from His Excellency BISHOP KEARNEY, Episcopal Moderator of the Newman Club Federation which made the presentation to Mr. Taylor as an outstanding American.

Attention Brides — Ask for a free booklet on planning your wedding. Call Blanchard Florist, 38 Lake Ave., Baker 5481—Daily deliveries to all sections, including hospitals.—Adv.

Unity Of Moral Forces Against Foes Of Freedom

Cleveland—Genuine freedom for mankind can be assured only if all moral forces unite against the powers inimical to God. Myron C. Taylor said here Saturday.

Taylor, counselor of presidents and ambassador of peace, spoke after receiving the Newman Club Federation's first Cardinal Newman Award. The presentation was made by Bishop James E. Kearney of Rochester, Episcopal Moderator of the Newman Federation at a banquet in Hotel Alerton. The banquet was the high point of the federation's mid-century convention attended by more than 800 delegates from 400 colleges and universities.

MAYOR THOMAS A. Burke welcomed the student delegates. Father John W. Keogh of Philadelphia read the citation honoring Taylor.

"Myron C. Taylor, lawyer, industrialist, economist, sociologist, statesman, counselor of presidents, ambassador of peace, champion of religion in education, the Newman Club Federation of America confers upon you the Cardinal Newman Award."

The honored statesman has (Continued on Page 6)

Peter's Pence

Feast of St. Anthony 1950

My Dear People: It is with the gentle voice of Pope Pius XII still ringing in my ear, and his benign smile still before my vision that I ask your assistance in gathering the Golden Jubilee Peter's Pence. His Holiness spoke with such touching sincerity of his deep gratitude to the Church in America for its unflinching generosity that pleading for him again becomes a privilege.

There is so much of the work of Christ depending on our help, that the annual Peter's Pence collection means everything for the work of our Holy Father. The faith of our people and their loyalty to the Vicar of Christ have always been expressed so eloquently in this collection year after year. It is a collection that always meets a sympathetic reception. Please let my Holy Year offering to the Vicar of Christ be outstanding. Our Divine Savior will bless you for your devotion to this chosen Shepherd of Christendom.

The collection is to be taken up on Sunday, June 25. With sincere thanks for your consistent generosity to my appeals, I am Your devoted Shepherd in Christ. + JAMES E. KEARNEY, BISHOP OF ROCHESTER

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