

Peace Means Neglected, Fr. Hedges Tells NCCW

Hornell — "Mary's Concern for Us" was discussed by the Rev. L. John Hedges, assistant pastor of Church of the Nativity, B.V.M. in Brockport, in his talk at the "First Saturday" luncheon of the NCCW...

More than 100 women attended the luncheon which was the second in a series being sponsored by the Hornell District, NCCW, to honor Our Lady of Fatima.

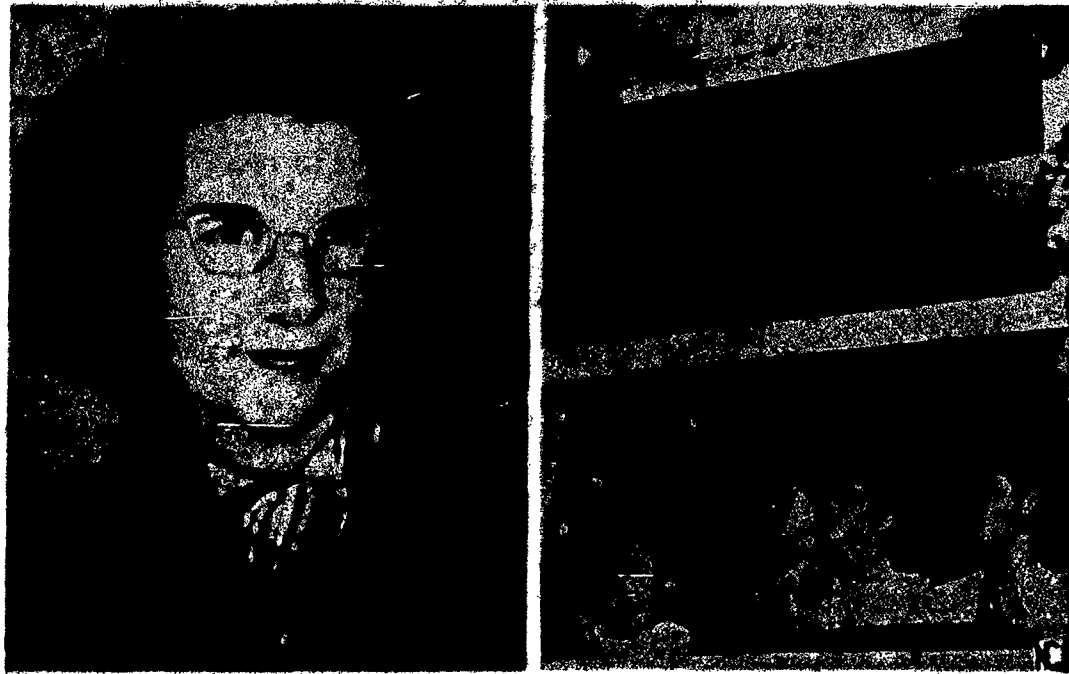
"Peace is the primary concern of every American today, yet the very means of obtaining it are being neglected," Father Hedges charged.

"Our Lady of Fatima, in her apparitions to three peasant children 23 years ago, promised the conversion of Russia and peace for the world if her requests were carried out."

"When the three children told that Our Lady was to make her sixth and final appearance at Fatima on that date, more than 7,000 persons flocked to the site."

"Rain had been falling all morning, but about noon an unearthly light appeared above the live oak bush near the place where the three children were kneeling."

Help Them Locate Their Mother



Waney, 18; Gayle, 14; Judy, 12, and Patricia Dunn, 6, four parochial school children of Good Counsel parish, Los Angeles, pray that you will help them locate their mother, Mrs. Eleanor Winifred Dunn, 27 (left), missing for the past 20 months, possibly a victim of amnesia. Her husband, Linwood Dunn, of 2000 N. Berendo, Hollywood, Calif., has reason to believe that she might seek employment or shelter in a Catholic institution. His nation-wide search has received the support of church authorities, and a reward has been posted. (NC Photos)

Missioner's 'Pagoda Nose' Makes Big Hit In China

Hongkong, China — (NC) — One American priest here gives his nose credit for his success in easily making friends among the Chinese people.

The Rev. Rocco P. Franco, a Maryknoll Missioner from Brooklyn, reports that when he visits a new village he is usually greeted with the cry: "Look at that big nose on the foreigner."

"My somewhat over-size nose hits Chinese of all ages right between the eyes," says Father Franco. "They have such small noses that mine must seem like a pagoda to them. But they intend no offense; they merely enjoy talking about anything out of the ordinary."

Holy Family Unit Reports 175 Children 'Ransomed'

School children and parishioners of Holy Family Church have "ransomed" 175 pagan children during the past year, it has been revealed. A "Ransom" means a donation of \$5.00 to the Holy Childhood Association.

In Children's Day services in the church, kindergarten children were enrolled in the Association by the Rev. E. Charles Bauer.

In a brief sermon the Rev. William Lammers lauded parishioners for heeding the plea of the Holy Father in aiding the needy. Benediction concluded the services and babies were blessed while the procession of "missionary priests and nuns and children was leaving the church."

Holy Family school children contribute a penny a month dues in the Holy Childhood and recite a "Hail Mary" daily for the poor pagan children. "To save souls for Heaven" is the motto that urges Holy Family parishioners.

Xavier Students In Plea To President

Cincinnati — (NC) — Xavier University students have forwarded a resolution to President Truman calling on him to require that the government of Yugoslavia, which is obtaining substantial financial aid from the United States guarantee "freedom of conscience and religious practice" to the people of that nation as stipulated in Article 25 of Yugoslavia's constitution.

The resolution further asks that the President request the immediate release of Archbishop Alojzius Stepinac of Zagreb from prison.

Burns Fatal To Corning Worker

Corning — Louis Quagliana, 41, died Thursday, Jan. 4, 1951, at Corning Hospital, as the result of receiving extensive third degree burns while working at the Ingersoll-Rand plant in Painted Post earlier that day.

He was born in Corning, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Quagliana and had been a resident of this city his entire life.

Besides his parents Mr. Quagliana is survived by five sisters, Mrs. Frederick Graham of Corning, Mrs. Paul G. Johnson of Erie, Pa., Miss Virginia E. Quagliana of Erie, Pa., the Misses Agnes and Patricia Quagliana of Corning; one brother, James Quagliana, at home; two children Sandra and Ronald Quagliana of Nelson, Pa.

Funeral services were held from the home Saturday at 8:30 a.m. and at 9 o'clock in St. Mary's Church. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Elmira Catholic Highlights

School closed at Elmira Catholic High School for Christmas with a pageant depicting the Christmas Story. Not mentioned before were Francis Lepa, John Degree and Tommy Watts as the Shepherds, Richard MacDonnell as the Innkeeper, John Early narrator and the girls' glee club.

The Freshmen had their fun fest in the afternoon, the Sophomores, at night. Both of these were held in the Assembly room. The Juniors held theirs in St. Christopher's Library. The Seniors, after much altercation and debate, flocked to Paul Dabney's house for their Christmas merry making. On Dec. 30, Jean Bacon held a pre-New Year's party at her home for the Seniors and their friends.

Tragedy has struck Catholic High suffered its second loss in three games to St. Basil's of Dushore, Pa. with a score of 56 to 47. The next game will be played at Susquehanna, against Laurel Hill Academy on Jan. 3. The Knights of Columbus scholarship exam is to be held at Elmira Catholic High on Jan. 6. Those from E.C.H.S. taking the exam were Jackie Dowling, Ann Moffatt, Mac Curran, and Dick Von Hendy. The winners are entitled to a \$1600 scholarship for four years at any college of their choice.

Catholic High has hit a winning streak at last! Both the Jaycee and the Varsity teams won last Sunday when they played St. Agnes of Towanda. The Jaycees scored 78 to 16 against their opponents and the Varsity kept up the good work with a score of 47 to 36.

Our cheerleaders were there in full cry as usual. Their long-awaited uniforms have not arrived as yet, the varsity is to wear blue corduroy skirts, long-sleeved white pull-over sweaters, and blue and gold beanies. The Junior varsity uniforms are blue skirts, gold sweaters, and blue and gold beanies. Pretty snazzy (if they ever get here)!

The entire school was called to an assembly January 5 to discuss the necessity of air-raids. Not many of us have more than a vague recollection of these drills in the last war, and it brought home to us in a very vehement way the fact that our country is at war again, whether there has been formal declaration or not.

There is probably no danger of our being bombed but the mere fact of preparing for it stunned us a little. The entire school attended a Mass for the repose of the soul of Sister Teresa Clare's father on Monday morning at eight-thirty.

Red China Bans Poor Nuns Begging

Tokyo — (NC) — A government notice forbidding the Little Sisters of the Poor in Canton, China, to beg for food to support the aged and infirm in their home there, has deprived the residents from receiving adequate food for nearly a month, according to a report received here. There are considerably more than 100 being cared for in the home by the Sisters.

The action of the government is difficult to understand because the Chinese generally have great respect for the aged. However, the Sisters' home is located on property close to large government buildings and the report alleges that the government is trying to starve out the aged folks to acquire the property.

There are 14 Sisters in the community, half of them native Chinese and the remaining seven from six foreign countries.

Pontiff Cables Dr. Nagai Blessing

Nagasaki, Japan — (NC) — His Holiness Pope Plus XII has cabled a special blessing to Dr. Takashi Nagai, world-famous scientist and author who is critically ill. Dr. Nagai has been seriously ill for several years with radiation sickness incurred in exposing himself to scientific tests.

Corning Weddings

Dodge — Russo The marriage of Miss Georgia Dodge and Joseph P. Russo Jr., took place Wednesday, Jan. 3, at St. Vincent de Paul's Church. The Rev. Daniel Hogan, assistant pastor, performed the ceremony.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Dodge of Lindley, had as her attendant Miss Edna Porter. Anthony Sofia was best man for Mr. Russo, who is the son of Mrs. Nettie Russo of Corning and the late Joseph Russo.

Following the ceremony a reception for members of the families was held at the home of the groom's mother.

Radio-Rosary Aired In Scranton Diocese

Scranton, Pa. — (NC) — In the dying minutes of 1950, Bishop William J. Harty of Scranton led the recitation of the Rosary over a network of five radio stations throughout his diocese. The faithful of the diocese were asked to join with the Bishop by reciting the Rosary in their homes as an ideal way of greeting the new year.

The recitation was carried as a live broadcast by Stations WQAN-FM, Scranton; WARM, Scranton; WCDE, Carbondale, and WBAX, Wilkes-Barre, and was tape-recorded for a rebroadcast at midnight by WAZL, Hazleton.

A. C. Shamon Dies 2 Priests' Father

Auburn Asad Charles Shamon, retired businessman and father of two widely known priests of Rochester diocese died unexpectedly while shoveling snow at his home 3 Marvin Ave., South Auburn on Monday, Jan. 8, 1951.

Mr. Shamon was the father of the Rev. Albert J. Shamon, of St. Andrew's faculty and of the Rev. Edward A. Shamon, assistant pastor, St. Agnes Church, Avon. He is survived by his wife Nettie, the two priest-sons, another son, George B. Shamon, Auburn's City Clerk and five daughters, Elizabeth, Marie, Lillian, Mrs. Eugene Ferrari and Mrs. John Halock.

He had eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Mr. Shamon was a native of Beirut, Lebanon but had lived most of his life in Auburn. At one time he conducted a clothing store in State St. and had a branch store in Oneida.

He was a member of the Holy Name Society of St. Aloysius Church and Auburn Council, Knights of Columbus.

Solemn Mass of Requiem was to be held on Thursday, Jan. 11 in St. Aloysius Church, Auburn.

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Advertisement for eye care services, mentioning H. S. Bennett and George L. Hickey, Jr.

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