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School Site Costs \$63,000

Jesuits Buy 25-Acre Site On Elmwood Ave., Brighton, For McQuaid High School

The Jesuit Fathers have purchased a 25-acre tract in the Town of Brighton, suburb adjacent to Rochester, as the site for the new McQuaid High School for boys.

Citywide Mission For Young People To Open Sunday

More than 5,000 youths are expected to attend, the Young People's Mission in four Rochester Churches opening on Sunday, March 22 at 4 p.m., according to the Rev. J. Joseph O'Connell, director of the Rochester Diocesan Sodality Union sponsoring the Mission.

Fathers Given Expert Advice

Philadelphia — (RNS) — Fathers were offered a lot of advice by speakers at the 21st annual meeting here of the National Catholic Family Life Conference.

The experts agreed that father's role is a very important and demanding one. As Dr. William D. Williams of New York University's School of Education put it: "Parenthood isn't a picnic. Dad may work from sun to sun, but as a father he's never done."

The NPLU professor urged dad to be approachable, spend time with his children, be just and level-headed about discipline, study his offspring in order to understand their behavior, assume a share of their responsibilities, and be a good example.

Parishes from which youths will attend the missions in the four designated churches and speakers are: Sacred Heart Cathedral, Rev. Harvey Habestroh, S.J. Holy Cross, St. Anthony, St. Charles, Precious Blood, St. Patrick, St. George, Our Mother of Sorrows, St. John's, Holy Rosary and Holy Apostles.

Hindus Bid For Catholic College

Vijayawada, India — (NC) — Prominent Hindus of this south Indian city have formed a committee to collect funds for a new Catholic college here.

Attending a public meeting, the Hindus welcomed the proposal of Bishop Ambrose de Battista of Vijayawada to establish an arts college in the city. They decided to collect \$75,000 in addition to \$25,000 promised by the villagers of Patnamai.

Among the members of the committee formed for the collection of funds are the Hindu chairman of the Vijayawada municipal council, and the president of the Krishna district board.

C-J Subscriptions Ahead 23 Per Cent

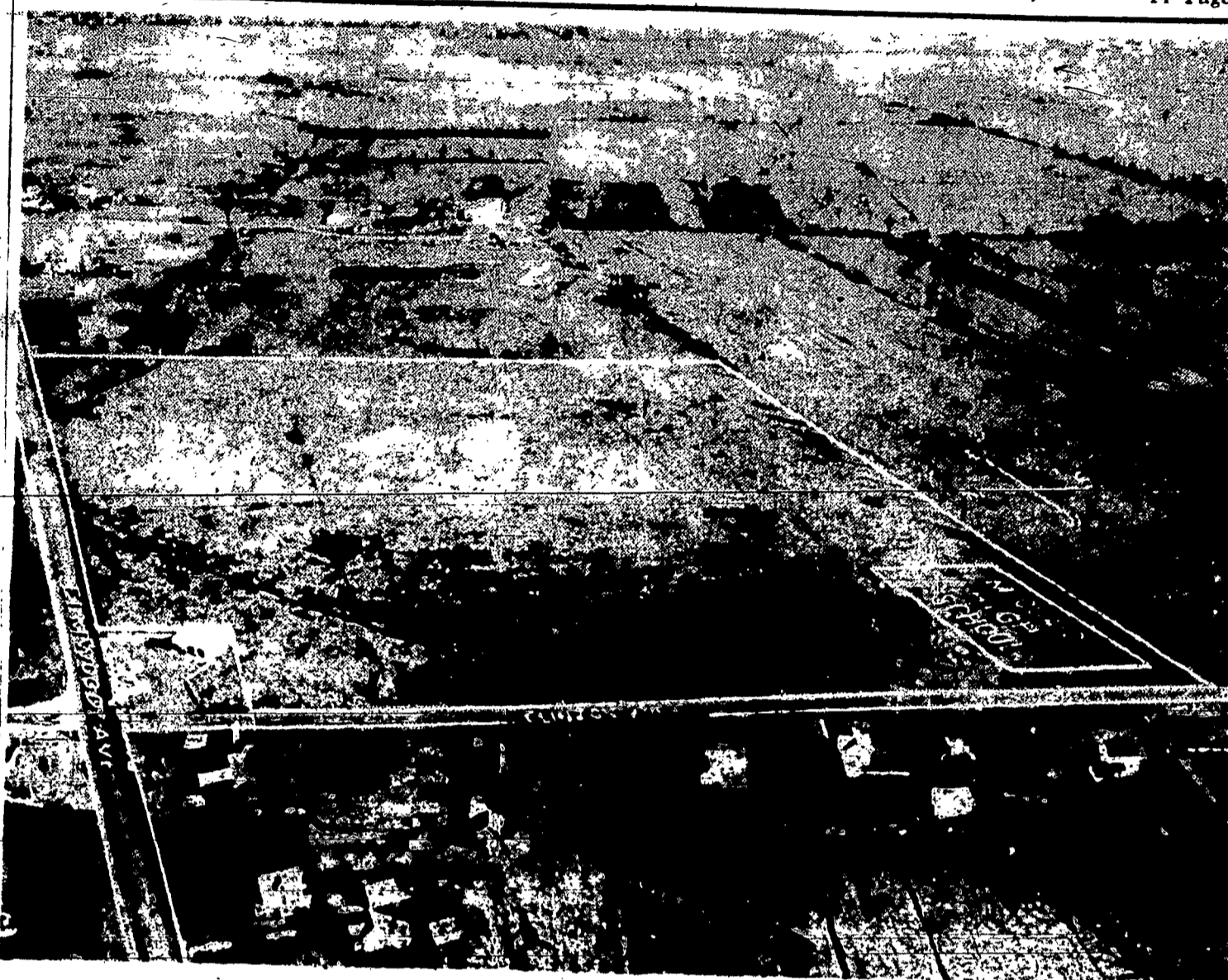
With returns still coming in, reports on the COURIER-JOURNAL subscription drive show an increase of 23 per cent over last year's figures, according to Elmer Grapenstetter, circulation manager.

GOAL OF THE two-week campaign was 40,000 subscriptions. New subscriptions will begin with the issue of April 3.

The following parishes this week reported renewal of 100 per cent coverage: St. Michael, Livonia Center; St. Andrew, Dundee; St. Michael, Penn Yan; St. Marys of the Lake, Ontario; St. John the Evangelist, Spencerport; St. Boniface, Rochester; Holy Rosary, Rochester.

ST. CHARLES Borromeo, Elmira Heights; St. Rose, Lima; Our Lady of Lourdes, Elmira; SS. Peter and Paul, Elmira; St. Joseph, Penfield; St. Gabriel, Hammondsport and St. Patrick, Prattsburg; St. Theodore, Rochester.

Parishes subscribing for full coverage of their families for the first time and not previously reported: St. Patrick, Danville; St. Charles Borromeo, Rochester; St. Casimir, Elmira.



NEW McQUAID HIGH SCHOOL SITE—Purchase of this 25-acre site on the south east corner of Elmwood Avenue and Clinton Avenue South, in the Town of Brighton for \$63,000 marks a major step toward the establishment of Rochester's McQuaid High School for boys. The school will be built on the southwest corner of the property and face on Clinton Avenue South. The tract includes a 1,000 feet of frontage on the Clinton Avenue side and 1,100 feet on Elmwood Avenue.

British Plea Bids Tito End Tyranny

London — (RNS) — British Catholic groups submitted a memorandum to Prime Minister Winston Churchill asking the government to impress upon President Tito of Yugoslavia that his state visit here, the harm "anti-religious policy is causing abroad."

Catholics earlier had protested the government's invitation to Marshal Tito because of the "persecution" of their co-religionists in Yugoslavia.

THE MEMORANDUM was presented to Mr. Churchill by the Duke of Norfolk, president of the Catholic Union of Great Britain, which coordinates the work of 19 Catholic organizations.

It stressed the adverse effect of Marshal Tito's "anti-Christian" policy on Yugoslavia's relations with other countries, particularly English-speaking nations.

Closer understanding between Britain and Yugoslavia said the document, is "very desirable" and abandonment of the Yugoslav regime's present policies toward religion would work toward this end.

The memorandum also asserted that relaxation of persecution would not impair Yugoslavia's unity any more than religious freedom had divided Britain.

"WE BELIEVE," said the Catholic groups, "that English-speaking Catholics are all united in the strongest condemnation of the anti-Christian policy of the Yugoslav government and that their feelings on this subject—unless the Yugoslav government adopts a more tolerant attitude—may well increase the difficulties of bringing about a genuinely friendly understanding between Yugoslavia and the English-speaking world."

Other points emphasized in the memorandum were that the Yugoslav religious persecution was being carried out through administrative rather than legislative action and that the "most striking feature" was a systematic attempt to prevent the new generation from growing up in Christian belief.

Toronto Cardinal Hits 'Printed Filth'

Toronto — (RNS) — James Cardinal McGuigan, Archbishop of Toronto, has called for a cleanup of "printed filth" now circulating in Canada.

"Any right-minded person must admit," the Cardinal said "that the literature among us are being victimized by a vicious exploitation for the selfish profit of certain parasites who have succeeded in becoming openly established, more or less with public approval or at least with a wretched lack of public disapproval."

He called on responsible members of the press to check this trend.

Cardinal McGuigan condemned the use of lurid or sexy pictures on reprint book covers. "Were it not for the fact that even a startling public conscience would be instantly aroused to drastic action," he said, "some human parasites would be capable of publishing, promoting and selling for their own profit the Bible itself by such despicable means."

Sodalities Launch Modest Dress Drive

Albuquerque, N. M. — (RNS) — More than 500 members of the Catholic School Sodalities Society have asked Albuquerque clothing merchants "to make available more modest and decent wearing apparel, particularly formal, to the general public."

Their action followed a request by Archbishop Edwin V. Byrne of Santa Fe. The archbishop frowns particularly on strapless formal dresses.

Members of the society have signed pledges "to refuse to patronize stores unwilling to cooperate in our program to provide modest and decent clothing."

Letters were written to 41 merchants. Members said that all except two had shown a "commendable spirit to cooperate."

We have the ability. We have the stock. We guarantee our services. We give immediate service. We are the only ones who carry the complete line of clothing. We are the only ones who carry the complete line of clothing. We are the only ones who carry the complete line of clothing.

'Irish and Catholic Power' New Blanshard Theme

Bedford Center, Vt. — (RNS) — Author Paul Blanshard said at his home near here that he is working on a new book to be entitled "The Irish and Catholic Power." He said he collected material for the book during his year's stay abroad.

Mr. Blanshard, who recently returned to this country, said the book will analyze the history of Church-State relations in Ireland. It will be his third volume dealing with the Roman Catholic Church. The first two, "American Freedom and Catholic Power" and "Communism, Democracy and Catholic Power," evoked strong criticism from Catholics.

MR. BLANSHARD also said that he will continue to make an issue over the status of Archbishop Gerald P. O'Hara, Papal Nuncio to Ireland. Recently Mr. Blanshard petitioned the State Department to revoke the U. S. citizenship of O'Hara, who is bishop of the Savannah-Atlanta diocese.

The State Department rejected Mr. Blanshard's contention that Archbishop O'Hara is violating the McCarran Act by serving in that post.

Subsequently, Mr. Blanshard filed a second petition making the same request.

HE SAID here that if the State Department sustains its position, he will raise a legal question as to whether it is proper that the American Ambassador to Dublin should grant precedence in diplomatic protocol to the nuncio.

"I have a number of pictures taken at official functions," he said, "which show clearly that the American citizen who represents this country in an official capacity as ambassador definitely accord precedence to the American citizen who represents the Vatican."

St. Anne de Beaupre Child Reported Cured At Quebec Shrine

Quebec, Que. — (NC) — An extraordinary cure of a boy suffering from paraplegia is reported in L'Action Catholique, local French language daily newspaper.

The cure is reported to have taken place at the famous shrine of Ste. Anne de Beaupre, near Quebec, some months ago and L'Action Catholique says the cure has been attested by Dr. A. Fossat, Quebec specialist.

Yves Dugal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dugal of L'Anse-aux-Loup, was declared incurable two years ago. He was paralyzed in both limbs to the waist. The boy then was six years of age. For seven months his limbs were encased in a plaster, but he was completely paralyzed and couldn't even stand.

He was taken to the Infant Jesus Hospital where he stayed several months. For two months two specialists gave him every modern treatment. Finally they admitted there was nothing they could do and declared him incurable. The boy would not be able to walk again.

But the parents did not give up. They recalled that when the boy was only four years of age he had been suddenly cured of a hernia on the very morning he was to undergo an operation. That had followed prayers to Ste. Anne to intercede for him.

Once again the parents renewed their prayers and once again, they reported, their prayers were answered. Today their son is able to walk and play like any normal child.

Priest Hung By Thumbs, Beat Before Red Ouster

Hong Kong — (NC) — "I am afraid I haven't much of a heart out as he asked my forgiveness, saying 'They forced me to do it.'"

"I WAS STRIPPED" of everything and locked out of my house. I was forced to go with a stick as a staff and a bag over my shoulder begging through the town. The people were most generous for in one town I was given enough to last for a month. They wouldn't let me talk to the Catholics but when I went begging they could talk to me and they were most loyal and helpful.

"I WAS SICK and somewhat downhearted as I dragged myself away from the town. But I met another priest from a neighboring mission who had also been dispossessed and we knelt down together and prayed. I got up feeling greatly cheered. You know we may have had to suffer a lot but God then gave us more than ordinary help and courage."

THE 41-YEAR-OLD native of Boulevard, Holland was just about to slip quietly away from my desk when I said, "By the way did you see the land reform movement?" Then his story came out.

"Oh, yes," he said "I forgot to mention that I was in it. You see, they took me as a landlord and accused me of hiding some of my possessions in the walls of my house."

"THEY HUNG me up by the thumbs to make me tell where it was."

"Well, rather long because my arms were useless for a long time later. And then too, they beat me with a heavy leather belt. It only broke the skin in one place but the rest of my body was so black and blue that I had a kind of blood poisoning."

"You see this scar. (He showed me a deep scarred hole in his wrist about the size of a silver dollar) — Well, there's one on my hip which is worse and the lead blood seemed to have come to these points. They were pretty bad for about three months."

"One of the men who beat me was a Catholic. But he came and threw himself at my feet as soon as I was cut down and cried his name."

Nuns' Pusan Clinic Treats Half Million

Pusan, Korea — (NC) — The clinic conducted by the Maryknoll Sisters here treated almost a half million patients last year, according to statistics released by the nuns.

The exact number of patients listed by the Sisters is 410,529. They also report that they made 9,245 visits to homes to aid the sick and "conferred baptism" on 2,342 children and adults.

Home For Aged Plans Beauty Parlor

Boston — (RNS) — A feature in a new home for elderly persons which Archbishop Richard J. Cushing of Boston is establishing will be a beauty parlor. "It will make the elderly persons feel young," the Archbishop said in announcing the purchase by the archdiocese of the former Lafayette Hotel in Boston's Back Bay.

The home, to be staffed by Carmelite Nuns, will be known as St. Patrick's Manor. It will be primarily for women but will have some men residents, the Archbishop said.

Government Loan Aids Jesuit School Washington, D. C. — (NC) — A loan of \$600,000 to build a dormitory at Xavier University in Cincinnati has been announced here by the Housing and Home Finance Agency. The Jesuit university will provide \$270,000 of its own funds for the building, plus \$60,000 for furnishings and movable equipment. The dormitory will house 300 men students. Xavier University has an ROTC field artillery unit to train junior officers for the Army and thus qualifies for assistance under the Housing Act of 1950.

NOT MUCH OF A STORY

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