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The five heroic Sullivan brothers who gave their lives for their country in World War II are pictured here as they served together on the U.S.S. Juneau, Left to right, they are Joseph, Frank, Al, Mait and George. A statue of Our Lady of Peace has been dedicated to their memory in their home parish at Waterloo, lows.

Namesakes Honor Five Sullivan Brothers comic book manufacturers.

Made possible by persons named Sullivan throughout the nation, a statue of Our Lady of Francis H., Joseph E., Madison Peace was blessed by Dubuque's Archbishop Leo Binz and dedicated as a memorial here to the

destiny of the Church in the United States.

alleged assassing of Lincoln.

historic American College.

controversy,

DURING ITS 100-YEAR-OLD CAREER, the American College,

centered as it is in the shadow of the Holy See, found itself drawn

many times into great moments of history. This was true when

the American Civil War broke out shortly after the opening of the

College and the North American found itself caught in the struggle

of North and South to win papal diplomatic approval. The College

narrowly missed being involved with John Surratt, one of the

in 1870 when the Kingdom of Italy wrested the papal states from

Pius IX and the American College students proudly volunteered

to serve as the Pope's personal bodyguard during the seige of Rome.

Father McNamara's book also rehearses the details of Theodore

Roosevelt's notorious refusal to have an audience with Pope Plus

IX: The American College also was drawn into this embarrassing

is pleasing to note, has an honored place in these annals of the

John Francis O'Hern, there is the name of the late Archbishop

Burns, now pastor of St. Thomas Parish in Rochester. As vice-

THROUGH ITS PRIESTS, THE DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER, It :

Besides former Rochester bishops, Cardinal Mooney and Bishop

Another dramatic hour, recalled by Father McNamara, came

Waterloo, Iowa - (NC) - who lost their lives in World War II.

Seminary. Prominent in this story, too. is Monsignor Richard K. carried on almost an endless correspondence.

The brothers were George T., A., and Albert L., sons of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sullivan. At their own request, heroic five Sullivan brothers the five brothers remained to a memorial statue possible.

gether-in the Navy. They all lost their lives when the USS Juneau was sunk in the Pacific in November, 1942. It was de-Persons named Sullivan throughout the U.S. donated to a fund which made the

Smut Seen On Increase In Magazines

Notre Dame - (NC) - The New York - (RNS) - Dr. magazine industry "has let down Maurice N. Eisendrath, president every barrier of restraint" in the of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, wrote Pope past year, the executive secretary Plus XII "on behalf of 1,000,000 of the National Organization for Reform Jews" lauding the Pon-Decent Literature has charged. Msgr. Thomas J. Fitzgerald performed to keep high the banwrites in the current issue of passion and equity."

Ave Maria, a national Catholic HE TOOK the step in connecweekly magazine published here, tion with the special service that the magazine iridustry shows being held at the Polo Grounds no inclination toward self-regu-lation, such as that taken on by Holy Name Union to commemorate the Pontiff's 80th birthday.

"Standards of accepted de Dr. Eisendrath's letter noted cency are violated so frequently that during World War II "when that it is the exception rather gets of power-mad dictators your than the rule to find a magazine intercession was most helpful in that has not at least one article saving lives." on sex within its covers," Msgr.

There is local interest in the fact that there are 16 priest-

only answer he received was "Why not do it yourself?" Father

McNamara decided that he would take up the challenge. Even more

experienced historians than himself were appalled at the magnitude

couraged the ambitious young historian and told him to go ahead.

of 13 years of careful research and study and at least diyears of

writing. Besides a full summer of research in Rome where he

The story behind the publication of his book this week is one

The American College is a scholarly contribution to the history

grove, Joseph L. Hogan and George A. Cocuzzi.

Father McNamara did go ahead but it was not easy.

"The post-war years have witnessed a resurgence of interest both in religion and activities in which men of all faiths join to American College Story Recalls 'Drama Of Ages apply our sacred ideals to the realm of society," he said, "Num-

erous Individuals of the Jewish AUXIII faith have testified to me that, system and students used their own ingenuity in trying to warm alumni of the Rome college now serving in the Diocese of Roches- in audiences with you, you have themselves against the chill of Roman winters. Despite its humble ter. Besides Monsignor Burns and Father McNamara, these in- voiced the belief that religion E. Maney, and J. Emmett Murphy. Also Fathers J. Emil Gefell, daily life of human beings. often gathered to confer and make decisions which charted the Bernard C. Hanna, Elmer A. McNamara, John A. Reddington, Jos-"YOU HAVE given even wider

my people were the special tar-

Sends Tribute

truths in public pronouncements op which have given fresh courage Brooklyn. THE MONUMENTAL TASK OF WRITING THE HISTORY of faith is a weapon against human the Brooklyn diocese, died of a to all who believe that a living the American College, as Father McNamara has done, involved anguish. I join heartily with you heart attack in his home in years of patient and theless research. It was during the war, in in denouncing racialism as a sin Queens at the age of 54. 1913, that the St. Bernard's Seminary professor first proposed that and in urging the wider and fair-Somebody should write the history of American College. The er distribution of the fruits of human toil.

"May the Lord guard over you and be gracious unto you and of the task. Some like the late Dr. Peter Guilday, well known Amer. I may you, in good health, witness ican Catholic historian, thought it was foolbardy for Father Mc- the greater fulfillment of your Namara to launch such an undertaking during the war years ispiritual aspirations."

Others, however, like the late Cardinal O'Connell of Boston, en-

Police Order Halts Sunday Business

studied the College archives. Father McNamara consulted official Colorado Springs, Colo. furniture stores to stop doing gave himself entirely to God." business on Sunday. They based played a leading role in the postwar re-opening of the College and must necessarily give Father McNamara recognition among the voters.



Brookiyn - (NC) - Cardinal ness, the old college, as Father McNamara's story reveals, will be clude: the Monsignors J. Francis Goggin, James C. McAniff, John must be useful in refining the York presided here in the pressentatives of the interventance. Spellman. Archbishop of New and other California areas, plus ence of more than 1,800 religious or in the case, the Roman Catheph M. Egan, David M, Murphy, Joseph P. Brennan, William Cos- enunciation to these important Requiem Mass for Auxiliary Bish- Francisco, will present replies to

of Rochester.

THE PONTIFICAL Requiem Mass was offered in the Church ter of course in most ereas. of the Nativity of Our Lord by Archbishop Thomas E. Molloy, Bishop of Brooklyn. The eulogy nominations, Mr. Heisey's brief

The voters ap was given by Auxiliary Bishop John J. Boardman of Brooklyn, He recalled Bishop Kearney's high schools. labors as priest and Bishop and referred to him as a prelate "who visited the sick and suffering, diocesan records here in the United States, read letters and student (RNS)-Police here ordered own- never resting for the rest that Edward Hanna, one time professor of Rochester's St. Bernard's memoirs (a "lucky" source of data for the probing scholar) and lers of ten downtown clothing and was badly needed by a man who

rector of the Amreican College from 1947 to 1954, Monsignor Burns of the Catholic Church in the United States and its publication the action on a Sunday closing in 1935 at the age of 32, Bishop ordinance adopted years ago by Kearney was the youngest Catholic bishop in the world.



Bp. RAYMOND KEARNEY

Bishop Kearney, Chancellor of

Among the prelates attending the funeral was His Excellency Bishop James E. Kearney

At the time of his consecration





legislation was valid. The jurisdictional statement was filed by attorney Henry C. popular government" Clausen of San Francisco on be half of Paul W. Heisey, one-time Oakland City Council member.

the 47 others.

Attorneys for Alameda County

Raymond A. Kearney of Mr. Helsey's brief within 30

there is a Federal question in the then Gov. Earl Warren of Calicase which warrants assuming jurisdiction, it is generally agreed that the result will have a strong effect on all exemptions granted churches, schools and religious enough strength to force a referorganizations. Such exemptions endum in the 1952 general elecare ordinarily granted as a mat-

Although the California legis- day the controversy often is singles out particularly the exemption Mr. Lundberg then went emption given Catholic grade and

The brief contends this exemption was unconstitutional, But tion violates the "principle of septhe state high court reversed this aration of church and state" of decision in June, 1956; the First Amendment, and the In the meentime, Mr. Lunddue process clause of the 14th berg died and Mr. Helsey was Amendment of the Federal con- given court approval to take his

tion "results in forced public tax | Court.

Tax Exemption
For Private Schools

private schools means "forced public tax support" for institutions "conducted primarily to advance sectarian doctrine." t was charged here.

This charge is in a statement support to advance the private filed before the U.S. Supreme purposes, ecclesiastical activities Court by an opponent of Califor and Institutions of one particunia's controversial 1951 lawwhich lan religious sect that ... as a exempted private, non-prolit ele-prime and private purpose seeks mentary and secondary schools a monopoly on education and from property taxes. The law teaches and instructs therein on brought the state into line with its particular sectarian doc-

trine ..." It also maintains that these THE BRIEF asks the nation's highest court to review the case schools are governed by and and overturn the June decision teach "the Roman Catholic Papal of the California Supreme Court | decrees and canonical laws which which held that the exemption are allen and hostile to American concepts of separation of church and state, religious freedom and

> THE HISTORY of the controversy surrounding the exemption matter goes back to the 1951 action of the California Legislature in passing the law freeing pri-

vate schools from taxation. The late Alfred J. Laundberg and the "California Taxpayers Association's led the light against IF THE court determines that the law, which was signed by. fornia, now Chief Justice of the United States.

The association rounded up tions. On the ballot, the matter was "Proposition Three," and to

The voters approved the exto court. The Alameda County Superior Court said the exemp-

IT ARGUES that the exemp- carry the case to the Supremo



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