

Right-To-Work Laws Hit As Unwise By Prelate

Santa Fe—(RNS)—Archbishop Edwin V. Byrne, spiritual leader of New Mexico's many Catholics, spoke out here against "right-to-work" legislation. He called such legislation "very unwise and potentially harmful to the common good."

RIGHT-TO-WORK legislation is expected to be introduced at the 1959 New Mexico State Legislature, either as a statute or as a constitutional amendment. The latter would have to be submitted to the voters for their decision.

Both candidates for governor—incumbent Republican Edwin L. Mechem and Democrat John Burroughs—have said they favor the people deciding the controversial issue.

In 1948 the archbishop took a similar stand against a right-to-work proposal. His stand was widely cited as a decisive factor in the defeat of the measure at the time.

Book Outlines

Family Rites

(New York) (NC)—The author's history, development and observance of Christian feasts and holy days, and the folklore and popular practices connected with them are explained in a new book published here.

"Handbook of Christian Feasts and Customs" was written by Jesuit Father Francis X. Weiser, Professor of Philosophy and Cultural History at Emmanuel College in Boston. The new book is based in part on three of Father Weiser's previously published volumes, "The Christmas Book," "The Easter Book," and "The Book of Days."



"Preaching To The Birds"

Boston—(RNS)—This hardwood sculpture of "St. Francis Preaching to the Birds" was included in an exhibit here of art work from Catholic missions in Africa. The sculpture, by a Nigerian artist, integrates a Christian motif with the centuries-old technique of pagan African craftsmen.

Board OK's Nurses For Parochial Schools

Decatur—(RNS)—Nursing service was restored to this city's six parochial schools after Illinois Attorney General Latham Castle ruled that such service is neither illegal nor unconstitutional.

THE BOARD of Education had voted in August to stop the practice when D. South McLaughlin, the board's attorney, said he did not believe nurses could legally be employed in parochial schools.

It was argued which was requested by the board. Mr. Castle concluded that neither the statutory provisions here under consideration nor Constitutional considerations require that children attending parochial schools be provided with nursing services not provided by the nurse employed by the school district.

Holding that the services of a nurse in a parochial school are not unconstitutional, the attorney general also ruled that the state's public school law does not prohibit the employment of nurses in parochial schools.

Reading Interrupted

Venice—(RNS)—Pope John XXIII was reading a book by an American Catholic author when he was interrupted by a telephone call from the Vatican. The pope was left for Rome for the holidays that was scheduled for Oct. 10.

The book was "The Day Christ Died" written by Jim Bishop. It is the first time the pope has read a book by an American author. The author, James M. G. Thompson, is a well-known writer and editor. The book is a historical study of the last days of Jesus Christ.

First Friday

Tuesday, Nov. 11, is the First Friday of November, a day dedicated to the Sacred Heart.

Many parishes observe the afternoon or evening Mass on this day, including the following:

St. Andrew's, St. Ignace's, St. Joseph's, St. Martin's, St. Michael's, St. Raphael's, St. Vincent's.

Daily Mass Calendar

- Sunday, Nov. 9: Dedication of the cathedral of Rome (white); Gloria; 2nd prayer from 5th Sunday after Epiphany; Creed.
- Monday, Nov. 10: St. Andrew (white); Gloria; 2nd prayer from 7th Sunday after Epiphany.
- Tuesday, Nov. 11: St. Martin (white); Gloria; 2nd prayer from 8th Sunday after Epiphany.
- Wednesday, Nov. 12: St. Martin (blue and white); Gloria; VR.
- Thursday, Nov. 13: St. Dismas (white); Gloria; VR.
- Friday, Nov. 14: St. Joseph, third anniversary (white); Gloria.
- Saturday, Nov. 15: St. Albert (white); Gloria; Creed.
- Sunday, Nov. 16: High Mass (white); Gloria; Creed.

Schools Tax Voted Down

San Francisco—(RNS)—Proposed school taxes for the 1959-60 school year were defeated by a 5-4 vote in the city's Board of Supervisors.

The board's decision was a surprise, as the measure had been widely expected to pass. The board members voted 5-4 against the measure, which would have increased the city's school tax by 10 percent.

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From France, roulette wheel ash trays, 6.95 and 14.95.
Christian Dior handkerchiefs, woven in Switzerland, 3 for \$5.
Irish linen handkerchiefs, 3 for 1.50; \$1 and 1.50 each.
English neckwear in silk prints, \$5 and 3.50; and wool challis, 2.50.
English hosiery in nylon-reinforced wool, \$2; cotton lisle, 1.50.

