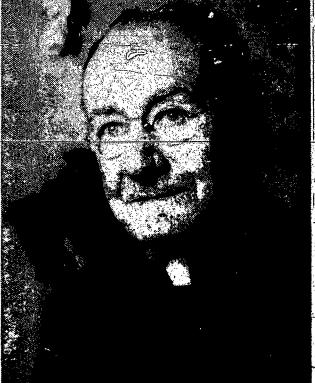
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70th Year

ROCHESTER, N. Y., FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1959



REV. DR. J. EMIL GEFELL

Diocese Mourns Pioneer Priest

The Rochester Diocese lost in death this week one Solemn Requiem Mass for the late Rev. Dr. J. Emil Wage Hike of its pioneer priests.

Gefell was offered by Auxili-

years, 1907-1950, where he attended school as a child and was the first boy of the parish to become a priest. He retired in 1950 and continued to reside in 1950 and continued to reside the direction of Father Gefell.

Welfare Conterence. He expressed the department's views at hearings conducted by the subcommittee on labor of the subcommittee on Labor and the direction of Father Gefell. Public Welfare.

60 or more years as a priest.

terized his 03 years of priest-tioned in Alaska hood with "lo spirito Romano-

This spirit, Monsignor Me Dead in SS. Peter and Paul Aniss spirit anonsigned and Dead in SS, Teles and Aniss said, is the spirit "of Church on Tuesday evening, Peter and Paul and Lawrence May 12. and Gregory and Leo the Great

He also cited Father Gefell's gave the final absolution. fidelity to the saying of his Breviary prayers and celebration of Mass despite the diffi-culties resulting from his ad-

vanced age. (Full text of eulogy, page 2)

ard Geck, deacon, and Rev. Rob-

ters of ceremonies.

Rey Francis Kleehammer ping Center was thurifer; Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Naughton and Rev. Ed-

Robert Downs and Rev. Francis Turner.

Son of John B. and Astasia Gefell, Father Gefelt was born N.Y. Cardinal in Allica, the eldest of three sons, all of whom became priests, The Rev. John F. Gefell

Father Gefell attended grammar school at SS. Peter and Paul's and then entered St. Andrew Seminary. Upon graduation, he was sent by the late Bishop Bernard J. McQuald to the North American College in Rome for philosophical studies

During his seven year stay in Rome, Father Gefell mei Father Achille Ratti, who later became Pope Pius XI.

ate in sacred theology.

Prelate Charges

he gloomy predictions of whites about the impact of colored families moving into their neighborhoods often

mown as block husters, men who are accused of fostering permitted the entrance into community panic in order to

The prelate said in a prepar-

Priest Asks Minimum

Gefell was offered by Auxiliary Bishop Lawrence B. Casey on Wednesday, May 13 in SS. Peter and Paul Church, Rochester Diocese, died Sunday, May 10, 1959 in St. Mary's Hespital. He was \$3.

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at the rectory as pastor emeritus.

In the history of the Diocese, Father Gefell was one of only four men who lived to celebrate Brown St. near Bull's Head.

He sold the old parish proposed amendments to the proposed amendments to the Fair Labor Standards Act. Msgr. Higgins said that the NOWC Social Action Department factors are proposed amendments to the Fair Labor Standards Act. Msgr. Higgins said that the NOWC Social Action Department factors are proposed amendments. Besides his brother, Father yors the early enactment of S Monsignor James C. McAniff, Gefell is survived by a niece, 1046 and related bills that Vicar General of the Diocese, Mrs. Eugene Fess, and two would: (1) extend the protection of the Early enactine in the protection of the Fair Labor Stands of and Gerard J. Gefell, chap Rids Act to several million fersived his 63 years of priest-trenches with the U.S. Army stands in the original status and in the original status.

age in the original statule as amended, and (2) set a mini-Priests of the Rochester Dio-mum wage of \$1.25 an hour for cese chanted the Office of the covered workers.

He declared that "a wage be low the present standard of \$1 an hour, or even below the pro-. It is to think with the Father Gefell was burled in posed standard of \$1.25 an hour. the Priests' Plot in Holy Sepul-is utterly inadequate to support chre Cemetery. Bishop Casey even a single person in view of

=Whites C≠eate 'Blight' Areas

Archbishop Albert G. Meyer ed statement read for him by fold the President's Civil Rights Msgr. John J. Egan that the Commission that a chain of answer to these problems is "gloomy and confused" predic Constructive coperlons sweeping through white ation between individuals, eighborhoods often paries the churches and business institucople and neighborhood institions. Had is soothsaying was demon place, he continued, we believe

The finishing touch to the have been stabilized so that a dire predictions is provided by truly free market (for homes) the few individuals in the city would have been created." "A free market would have

white middle class communities manipulate real estate prices of a proportion of Negro familics who could only be considered an asset in any neighborered an asset in any neighbor-

several witnesses to present statements to the Civil Rights Commission during its two-day inquiry into housing problems

He told the commission that instances of Negroes being able to get equal housing with whites in Chicago are "distressingly rare." What has happened instead, he said, is that the Negro ghello merely expanded Washington-(NC)-A priest as whites fled from their neigh-

io is the Vigit of Pentecus, a day of fast and partial ab

All Catholics who are years of age or over are perbetween 21 and 59 are further

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday of this coming week, May 20, 22 and 23 are Ember Days, with the same restrictions in force as indicated for the Vigil of Pentecost; Friday, of course, no

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Freedom of Press

Convert in a Castle

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Local News

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Next Sunday, May 24, is Trinity Sunday, final date for fulfillment of the Easter

Every Catholic is obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once during the Eas ter time which this year began Feb. 15 and ends Sunday, May 24.

Postmaster Appeals

Bishop Kearney At Papal Audience

Pope John XXIII and Bishop Kearney are shown in this special Vatican

photo following their Saturday evening, May 2, meeting. It marked the

first time in recent years that a private audience was granted in the evening.

The audience, which lasted approximately half an hour, was held in the

Holy Father's library, The Bishop earlier visited St. Peter's basilica and St.

Paul's basilica as required during his "ad limina" visit to Rome, "The pic-

ture was taken by the Vatican photographer Felici and sent air mail by

Bishop Kearney to the Courier Journal. The Bishop returns home today.

Report Smut Mail Promptly

Washington—(NC)—Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield has made a special appeal for prompt public reporting of receipt of obscene material through

The postal head said cooperation is especially important now because a new Federal lawling envelopes and enclosures; makes it possible to prosecute

scene amatter should: 1. Save all materials, includ-

2. Report immediately to the obscenily dealers in areas 2. Report immediately to the where their material is relical postmaster, giving him the materials;

Mails Clean Up Citizens' Job

distribution of obscene literature if it wants to.

"We must do so to protect

The said those who receive unsolicited mail containing obmal complaint, and testify if the Bishop concluded, criminal action should be neces

ment said the new anti-obscenity law means actions against Rome Book chicago — (NC) — Chicago mail dealers have taken sanc Rome — (NC) — Auxillary Postmaster Carl A. Schröder tuary behind legal technicali-Bishop Fulton J. Sheen of New said here that the American ties and liberal court interpre- York revealed here he is workpublic can put an end to mail tations of what is obscene." The Federal official, whose graphic tour of Rome.

Asia, Africa Seen Ripe For Faith

ary Bishop Fulton J. Sheen of New York told 800 future missionaries here that Asia, Africa and Oceania are "the Church of the

He predicted that conversions to Christianity would mount spectacularly when the present wave of persecution is spent, pointing out that every period of persecution is followed by 'a great missionary era."

Pontifical Urban University, which specializes in the training of missionaries. He cante to Rome for the annual meeting of national directors of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. He is American di-

the come from any part of the Western world come from the Church of the present ... But Asia and Africa and Oceania, that's the Church of the future." He predicted that India would

make a great contribution to the Church of the future. The Bishop said that all mis-

sionary activity hinges upon the

"Our new Holy Father Is one of the most-newsworthy menthroughout the United States. But he is newsworthy not only herause he makes news, but because of what he stands for,

He said today's world scene offers many "negative argu-ments" for the primacy of Peler, and that one of these arguments is drawn from the current persecution of Church in communist China.

HE EXPLAINED that the communist rulers of China take great care that the ceremony of consecration of new bishops be valid, but that they just as carefully omit the mandate, the part of the conseicration ceremony which makes being consecrated by express. order of the Pope.

"One seeks a reason," Bishop Sheen said. "Why should the communists insist on validly consecrated bishops, illicitly

He said the answer might lie in Christ's words at the Last Supper, when He said that atan desired to sift the Apos-

tles, but that He would pray for Peter so that he might strengthen his brethren. "Now you see the diabolism of the communists." he coninued. "They appear to be say-

ing: 'We will detach the bishops from Peter. Without that livine support, they will fall." "The communists have an un-

canny sense of the divine, even 3. Stand ready lo sign a for though they do not believe,

MR. SUMMERFIELD'S state-Bishop Sheen'S

department has promised a The Bishop, who is here for "We can clean up the mails widespread crackdown on the annual meeting of national in Chicago and the nation if "barons of obscenily" who use directors of the Society for the exough citizens become aware the mæls, said postal officials Propagation of the Faith, said of the seriousness of this recently discovered that one that in the book he will be deproblem and use their influ-poinography firm took names picted showing the shrines of ence to do so," he said in a of graduating classes from news-Rome to his nine-year-old statement issued here.

papers and circularized every nephew, Jerome F. Cunningham. member of the class.

The photographs are being our homes, curb juvenile de-linquency and prevent the poi-soning of the minds of our chil-dure lists of names to be H V. Morton is writing the dren, he added.

\$17 Million For Missions

Rome—(RNS)—A total of collections were higher than to be reduced by 35 per cent, \$17,000,000 was collected by the those in the previous year, they the report noted.

Pontifical Society for the Prop-Still fell short of actual needs.

agation of the Faith in countries throughout the world last tries throughout the world last dioceses will be aided by the maintains a special reserve to the coording to a report dioceses will be aided by the maintains a special reserve to the coordinate of the coordinate of the coordinate releases and historials. stated, however, that \$4,000,000 chapels, schools and hospitals The report was issued as the is being set aside to meet the in the mission areas, as well as society and two other pontifi particular needs of 400 semin-emergency needs arising from cal mission ald organizations—aries in Africa. Asia and for floods, fires and other catas-

the Pontifical Society of St. assistance to missions depend-frophes. Peter the Apostle for the Na- ent upon the Sacred Congregative Clergy, and the Pontifical tion for the Oriental Church.

Sacramento church by Auxiliary Bishop Jose Maria Missionary Union of the Clergy Last year 600 applications for Electric Shavers; Sunbeam, — met here for their annual aid were received, but only 400 Remington, Schick. Free trial could be given attention, and William S. Thorne, Jeweler, It said that although the 1958 even the sums requested had 318 Main St. East-Adv.

Shopping Center Officers of the funeral Mass were Rt. Rev. Msgr. George Eckl, assistant priesty Rev. How-Boston—(RNS)—Richard Cardinal Cushing, Arch-

Rev. Edward McAniff and bishop of Boston, disclosed plans here for a unique Rev. Paul Wohlrab were mas bishop of Boston, disclosed plans here for a unique chapel and information unit at the North Shore Shopping Center at suburban Pea-

He also announced the

Keating Lauds

Washington — (NC)

The remarks were made by mated 25,000 shoppers daily. Sen. Kenneth B. Keating of New York in connection with the Cardinal's 70th birthday (May 4) and his 20th anni-

immeasurable.

THE NORTH Shore religious center project will be directed Rev. Crederick Eisemann and Holy Cross Callidaral and the Rev. Richard Nangle were book Boston University Newman candle bearers; miter and Club here.

Quisition of new facilities to Manion, Carmente Prior of Lady of the Brown - Scapular Seminary, Hamilton, Mass. He is expected to arrange construction plans for a chapel of ultra by the Very Rev. Frederick T. modern design to conform with existing structures in the shopping area. Completion of the project is planned for the fall

An adjoining information cen priests. The Rev. John F. Gefell Remarks lauding the spintual died in 1929, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph Gefell, retired, resides at Nazareth Motherhouse, Pitts New York, have been inserted will serve some 3,600 employees in the Congressional Record. of nearby stores and an esti-

> A new oratory and commun ity center for Boston University Newman Club students versary (April 15) as Arch. will be housed in a Back Bay mansion formerly occupied by the Catholic Charitable Bureau Sen. Keating said the Car- The bureau will be moved to a dinal's "inspiration to faith new location in a Beacon Hill, and good work"... has been building purchased by the

He was ordained in the Bs Nothing will bring more Monuments and Markets for silter of St. John Lawran i theer to a shubin than a love-Holy Sepulchre. The better Rome, after carning a docto ity bouquet or long lasting way to choose a monument is at a liphilosophy and a licential plant. Call Blanchard Florist, to seee our indoor display. You SAker 50494, or drop in at 58 will appreciate our no agent founded around 1100, is the oldest order of laymen rear.—Adv. | and prelates in the Church. On his return to Rochester rear. -Adv.



Spain Prince, Malta Knight

Madrid-(RNS)-Prince Juan Carlos de Bourbon, 20year-old son of Don Juan, pretender to the Spanish throne, is created a knight of the Order of Malta in El