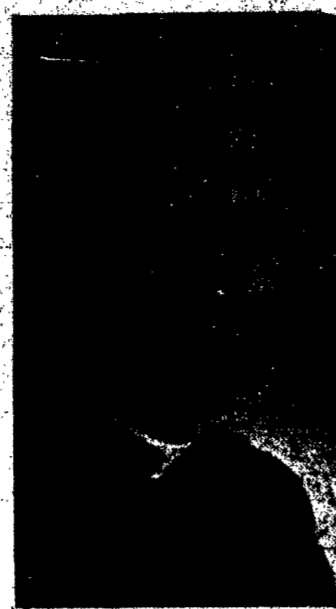




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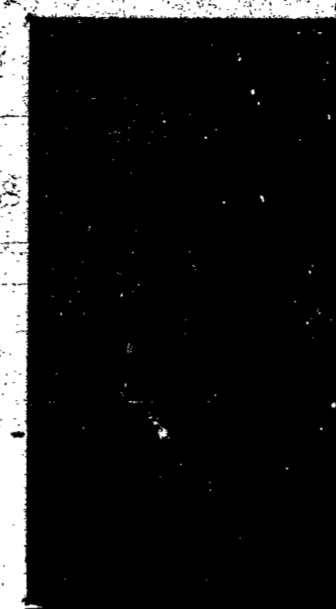
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## Congress Ponders Loans To Schools

### Protestant Groups Muster Forces Against Proposal

Washington — (RNS) — Rep. Clement J. Zablocki (D-Wis.) has introduced a substitute bill for the Federal Aid for Education measure that has been reported to the House floor, proposing that loans be given private and parochial schools to help them meet school construction needs.

The measure which has reached the House, like a bill passed by the Senate earlier this session, would restrict its assistance to the public schools only.

Zablocki said he will either reach the House to adopt his bill as a substitute or will offer a series of three amendments to different sections of the pending bill to accomplish the same purpose, depending on the parliamentary situation that prevails on the House floor.

The Wisconsin congressman proposes that grants be made to the states on the basis of the ratio their public school enrollment bears to the total number of children of school age, as shown by the new census. The federal funds left over would be given to the U.S. Office of Education for a loan program to private schools, allocated to the states according to the ratio of their enrollment to the total number of children in school attendance.

Loans would be made for periods not to exceed 40 years at an interest not less than two and three-fourths per cent nor more than one-fourth per cent in excess of the average interest the government is paying on its indebtedness.

The loans will be subject to a "system of priorities similar to those applicable to public schools," the bill provides.

A similar proposal offered earlier this year by Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) in the Senate lost by a vote of 49 to 37.

The Zablocki bill would reduce aid to the public schools by an estimated 15 per cent in order to establish the private school loan program which would be about \$47,000,000 a year, according to his estimate.

Washington — (RNS) — Protestant organizations here, ranging from the conservative National Association of Evangelicals to the liberal Unitarian Fellowship for Social Justice, joined forces to oppose a move by Rep. Clement J. Zablocki (D-Wis.) to add a program for federal loans to private and parochial schools to a Federal Aid for Education measure now pending in the House of Representatives.

A spokesman for the Washington Office of the National Council of Churches said that it is informing Protestant leaders throughout the nation by letters and telegrams of the pending legislation.

## Catholics Total 40 Million In U.S.

New York — (RNS) — For the first time in history, Roman Catholics of the United States have officially topped the 40-million mark.

Statistics listed in the Catholic Directory for 1959, published here by P. J. Kennedy & Sons, show a total of 40,871,302 Catholics in the 50 states, an increase of 1,965,827 during the past year.

This total, which embraces all families of the defense forces both at home and abroad, as well as diplomatic and other overseas services, represents a ten-year increase of 13,105,163, or 47.2 per cent over the 27,766,141 reported in 1950.

THE DIRECTORY, which records the status of the Church as of January 1, noted that during 1959, a total of 146,212 became Catholics, an increase of 5,901 over 1958 and a figure exceeding 100,000 for the 14th successive year. Total conversions during the past decade now stand at 1,328,374.

The Rochester Diocese is listed with an increase of 9,830 over last year's 37,900 total Catholic population in the twelve county area.

The directory reports 12,150 infant baptisms and 1,370 adult baptisms for this diocese in 1959.

There were 2,640 deaths reported for the same period.

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## Preview of Summer Sessions

IN A PREVIEW of the Holy Family reading laboratory, Auburn, youngsters bear their own voices played back on a tape recording as an aid to remedial reading. The summer sessions will also include English, arithmetic, spelling, social studies and conversational French. Registrations may be made at Holy Family School, 85 North St. From left, James May, Kathleen Plunket, Diane Steinbach, Michael Kuzek, Richard Banfield and Howard Wojtowicz.

## Fisher To Graduate 76

St. John Fisher College will conduct its 6th commencement ceremony this Sunday, May 29, at 3 p.m.

Scheduled to receive their diplomas are 76 seniors, largest number to be graduated from the Basilian staffed school.

Bishop Kearney, chancellor of the college, will preside at the graduation rites and also at the Baccalaureate Mass Sunday morning at 10 a.m.

Celebrant of the Mass will be Very Rev. George B. Fahuff, C.S.B., superior general of the Basilian Fathers.

Speaking at the afternoon graduation rite will be New York State's Lieutenant Governor Malcolm Wilson.

Sermon at the Baccalaureate Mass will be given by Rev. lead.

Rev. Charles J. Javerty, C.S.B., president of the college, will preside at the dinner.

The 76 graduates will receive their degrees in the Rosina O'Doherty Kearney Auditorium at the college's East Avenue campus.

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS of the commencement week program include the President's Dinner held last night at the college at which academic awards and medals were presented by Very Rev. Charles J. Javerty, C.S.B., president of the college.

The Senior Ball will follow at 9 p.m.

The Sunday graduation ceremony will be preceded by the academic procession to start at 2:45 p.m.

The 1960 graduating class of St. John Fisher College is as follows:

Bachelor of Arts—Chemistry: William A. Anderson.

Bachelor of Arts—English: James J. Bond, Alphonse I. Rivellino.

Bachelor of Arts—Biology: Richard J. Brooks, Anthony Florida, Daniel R. Mihaloski, Roger G. Streh.

Bachelor of Arts—Mathematics: James F. Cantella.

Bachelor of Arts—Physics: Thomas K. Case, Edward L. McGraw, Robert F. Molinari.

Bachelor of Arts—History: Robert L. Entress, Alfred Gaglio, Franklin E. Luzzini, Richard J. Leary, John C. Sorokki.

Bachelor of Arts—Economics: John D. Lyons, Ralph Webb.

Bachelor of Arts—Philosophy: Paul E. Mura, Clifford O'Neil.

Bachelor of Science—Nursing: William E. Schlueter.

Bachelor of Science—Physics: John S. Bonafede.

Bachelor of Science—Education: Jerome B. Callan, Leon J. Green, James A. Farrell, James A. Hart, James Knox, Guy D. Palfisch.

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# Seven To Be Ordained For Diocese

## St. Boniface To Observe Centenary

St. Boniface parish, Rochester, will observe its 100th anniversary by dedicating its just completed new church Sunday, June 5, at 7:30 p.m.

Bishop Kearney will bless the structure and preach at the Mass to be celebrated by Auxiliary Bishop Lawrence B. Casey.

The centenary program will begin this Sunday, May 29, with Father Francis Taylor, pastor, offering a solemn Mass at Thanksgiving at 9 a.m.

A Memorial Day Mass, also at 9 a.m., will be offered for deceased members of the parish and a special children's Mass will be held Tuesday at 8 a.m.

THE CENTENNIAL Banquet will be held at the Manger Hotel Thursday, 7 p.m.

A solemn Mass will be offered for present day members of the parish Saturday, June 4, at 9 a.m.

The new church replaces a soaring Gothic structure wrecked by a disastrous fire in 1937. St. Boniface was founded by Redemptorist priests in 1860 to care for German speaking Catholics in the southern section of Rochester. A history of the parish will be published in next week's Courier Journal.

## After-Mass Prayers Cancelled

William City — (NC) — The Holy See has ruled that the prayers after Low Mass may be omitted after Divine Mass on Sundays and feast days and after Masses during which there has been a sacrifice.

The prayers involved are the so-called Leonian prayer, consisting of three Hail Mary's, the Hail Holy Queen, a prayer for sinners, and the liberty of the Church, an invocation to St. Michael, and a triple petition to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Originally prescribed by Pope Leo XIII in 1884 for the settlement of the Roman Question, they have been offered for the conversion of Russia since 1924.

The prayers may likewise be omitted when another liturgical service follows the Mass, the decree stated.

Seven young men will be ordained to the priesthood at Sacred Heart Cathedral, Saturday, June 4.

Bishop Kearney will confer on them the sacrament of Holy Orders in rites scheduled to begin at 10 a.m.

All seven new priests are graduates of St. Bernard's Seminary and will serve in the Rochester Diocese.

An additional 12 members of the 1960 graduation class of the Seminary will serve in 3 other archdioceses or dioceses, Hartford, Syracuse and Ogdenburg.



FATHER HALL

## Young Negro Priest Sets First Mass

The first Rochester Negro to be ordained a priest will celebrate his first solemn Mass at Immaculate Conception Church, Sunday, June 12, at 12 noon.

Assisting the new priest at the Mass will be Rev. Paul Wohlrab, assistant priest; Rev. William Hart, deacon, and Rev. William Gordinier, subdeacon.

Reception, Holy Rosary school hall, 4 to 7 p.m.

Father Charles Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Hall, 546 Clarissa St., will be ordained as a member of the Society of St. Joseph in rites at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Saturday, June 4.

He is the eldest of eleven children and attended Immaculate Conception school and Aquinas Institute where he was vice president of the 1960 senior class.

He studied for the priesthood at Epiphany Apostolic College, Newburgh, N.Y., and the Catholic University of America, Washington.

A reception will be held in the parish hall following the Mass, 4 to 7 p.m.

## Diocesan Offices Closed

The diocesan Chancery and Tribunal will be closed today, Friday, May 27, according to Rev. Mgr. John E. Maney, chancellor.

The new priests to be ordained for the Rochester Diocese and their home parishes are:

Rev. Bernard L. Carges, Holy Rosary Church, Rochester.

Rev. William J. Flynn, Sacred Heart Cathedral, Rochester.

Rev. William E. Graf, Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Brockport.

Rev. John A. Lynch, St. Augustine Church, Rochester.

Rev. Michael J. Murphy, St. Mary's Church, Auburn.

Rev. James S. Russell, Holy Family Church, Rochester.

Rev. Eugene P. Swaney, Immaculate Conception Church, Rochester.

They will celebrate their first solemn Mass in their parish churches Sunday, June 5.

Following are the first Mass and reception schedules for the new priests:

FATHER CARGES, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Carges, 31 Lark St., Rochester, will celebrate his first solemn Mass in Holy Rosary Church, Sunday, June 5, at 10:45 a.m.

Monsignor Charles F. Shy will preach the sermon.

Assisting the new priest at the Mass will be Rev. Paul Wohlrab, assistant priest; Rev. William Hart, deacon, and Rev. William Gordinier, subdeacon.

Reception, Holy Rosary school hall, 4 to 7 p.m.

FATHER FLYNN, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Flynn, 4310 Dewey Ave., Rochester, will celebrate his first solemn Mass in Our Mother of Sorrows Church, Greece, Sunday, June 5, at 12 noon.

Rev. John F. Cavanaugh will preach the sermon.

Assisting Father Flynn at the Mass will be Rev. Austin Hanns, assistant priest; Rev. Roger Switzer, deacon, and Rev. Joseph Donahue, subdeacon.

Reception, Mother of Sorrows parish hall, 4:30 to 7 p.m.

FATHER GRAF, son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Graf, 22 South Main St., Brockport, will celebrate his first solemn Mass in Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church, Sunday, June 5, at 11 a.m.

Rev. L. John Hodges will preach the sermon.

Assisting Father Graf at the Mass will be Rev. Edward Lint, assistant priest; Rev. Valentine Walker, deacon, and Rev. Louis Nichols, subdeacon.

Reception, Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary school hall, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

FATHER LYNCH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon A. Lynch, 22 Colgate St., Rochester, will celebrate his first solemn Mass in St. Augustine Church, Sunday, June 5, at 12 noon.

Rev. William J. Spellicy will preach the sermon.

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## Ailing Children Need A Home

George Montgomery, Jr., and Mrs. Clarence Greene scan list of possible foster homes where ailing children may soon find care during convalescence. The new service of the Catholic Charities Family Center will fill the gap when the Rochester Children's Convalescent Hospital on Beach Ave. closes July 1. Charities officials have issued an appeal to find persons interested in providing short-term foster home care for children. Details may be had by phoning Hamilton 6-3400.

## U. S. Bishops Pledge Like Support In Peace Crisis

Washington — (NC) — President Eisenhower has received an expression of sympathy and support on behalf of the Catholic people of the United States.

Returning here from the ill-fated summit meeting in Paris, the President found at the White House a message which said the Catholics of the country sympathize with him in his "arduous" and "join with all our countrymen in a profession of national solidarity in these critical moments."

The message was sent by Archbishop Earl J. Alter of Cincinnati, chairman of the administrative board of the National Catholic Welfare Conference, who told the Chief Executive that "the calculated offenses perpetrated against you by the enemies of peace and justice and by their violent spokesmen" was directed "against all the citizens of the United States."