

New Wave of Violence Against Czech Church

Paris — (RNS) — Communist Czechoslovakia, in what was described as a "new wave of violence" against the Catholic Church, has sentenced 16 missionaries to long prison terms, the Divine Word Missionaries announced here.

The order said that the missionaries, "nearly all of them priests," were "suddenly arrested and thrown into prison where Red China's techniques of torture and brainwashing were applied over a seven month period to extract signed confessions."

According to Divine Word Missionaries (SVD) spokesmen here, the defendants were accused:

"Of having direct connections with the Pope, of acting as spies for the Vatican, of getting directives regarding espionage activities from the Superior General of the Divine Word Missionaries in Rome, of sabotage, of hoarding money, gold and precious stones, and of sending an enormous sum of the money outside the country."

According to the SVD report, the judge presiding at the missionaries' trial said that "police had discovered Mass vestments, chalices and monstrances walled up in a fake compartment of a private home" in a city where the order had a large major seminary, and he said the defendants were "responsible for this crime."

More Catholics, Percentage Down

Cincinnati — (NC) — The percentage of Catholics in the world decreased in the past eight years, a priest said here, despite an increase in total numbers in the Church.

Father Henry J. Klocker, national secretary of the Catholic Students' Mission Crusade, said Catholics made up 19.3 per cent of the world's population in 1953 and 18.3 per cent in 1961.

And, he told the St. Clare's Parent-Teacher Association, the prospect is for further decline in this percentage.

"The greatest growth in population," he explained, "is expected in countries which are not Catholic or where the Church's resources are inadequate."

Father Klocker, who is also Cincinnati archdiocesan director of the Papal Volunteers for Latin America program, said the Church today needs "a tremendous new apostolic zeal."

"The Church must be in a 'state of mission,' so that every member of it will begin to contribute to the church's apostolate what he is really able to contribute," he said.

He described the Papal Volunteers program, launched by the Holy See in 1960, as part of a long range effort to help the Church in Latin America.

Under the program, he said, lay volunteers will go to Latin America for three-year periods to "give leadership guidance" and to "help bring about a social and religious revolution."

Presbyterian Asks Bias End

Bathurst — (NC)—The Rev. Alan Dougan, former Moderator General of the Presbyterian Church in New South Wales said here that all prejudices against government aid to church schools should be "thrown away."

Mr. Dougan, who is now principal of St. Andrew's College, within the University of Sydney, was speaking at Scots School, Bathurst.

"It is my belief that the churches cannot build up schools of this size — such as Scots — within their own funds, unless they have something to the tune of \$560,000 or \$1,120,000," he said.

Migration Rights Transcend Barriers

Philadelphia — (NC) — Archbishop John J. Krol of Philadelphia said here that migration is "a natural, inalienable human right."

Archbishop Krol declared that all men "are bound by a solidarity which transcends national, geographic and racial barriers."

"All have a right to the riches of this earth and all have the

responsibility of making these riches available to all members of the human family," he said.

Archbishop Krol spoke to members and guests of the Philadelphia chapter of the American Committee on Italian Migration at a dinner honoring him on the occasion of the 10th anniversary of the founding of the national organization, which now has 120 chapters throughout the U.S.

High School Fund Drive Report from Parishes

REGION I — Moderator, Rev. Robert A. Keleher

Name	Goal	Pledged	Paid to Date	Pc. Paid
Sacred Heart Cathedral	200,000	287,238.00	\$165,320.88	57.5
St. Francis Assisi	30,000	44,507.40	23,816.30	53.5
Most Precious Blood	25,000	27,313.00	10,357.85	37.9
St. Theodore	57,000	80,160.00	37,330.44	46.5
O. L. P. H.	75,000	88,906.00	56,066.23	63
Holy Apostles	73,000	81,787.00	42,357.76	51.7
Holy Rosary	143,000	195,895.96	117,319.49	59.8
Holy Redeemer	53,000	63,165.00	31,168.28	49.3
St. George	21,000	21,636.00	11,986.00	55.3
Holy Cross	97,000	113,542.16	57,312.09	50.4
St. Charles	160,000	178,952.00	104,752.36	58.5
St. John — Greece	90,000	124,761.47	60,744.67	48.6
Mother of Sorrows	50,000	50,000.00	17,228.29	34.4
St. Leo	15,000	23,162.00	11,967.50	51.6
O. L. Mercy	37,000	37,000.00	14,963.32	40.4
St. John — Spencerport	45,000	45,787.00	23,048.25	49.2
Nativity	40,000	40,000.00	19,229.33	48.2
St. Lawrence	18,000	18,000.00	9,100.30	50.5
TOTAL REGION I	1,229,000	1,322,792.99	814,139.35	53.5%

REGION II — Moderator, Rev. Francis Feeney

Name	Goal	Pledged	Paid to Date	Pc. Paid
Annunciation	42,000	44,928.00	17,804.70	39.6
St. Andrews	89,000	110,350.76	54,790.86	49.6
Christ the King	45,000	80,071.00	35,909.37	44.8
St. Margaret Mary	145,000	187,050.00	104,179.98	55.6
St. Salome	53,000	96,288.00	44,979.32	46.7
St. Stanislaus	95,000	109,086.00	53,523.55	49
St. Thomas the Apostle	110,000	175,508.00	100,234.54	57.1
St. Ambrose	115,000	123,385.00	62,986.75	51
St. Francis Xavier	43,000	53,805.00	27,810.50	51.6
Holy Trinity	45,000	45,787.00	35,631.35	62.4
St. James	97,000	106,886.00	57,406.76	53.7
St. John — Rochester	67,000	76,886.00	37,879.50	49.2
St. Michael	70,000	90,150.00	56,409.20	62.5
St. Rita	50,000	58,876.00	23,959.27	40.6
St. Theresa	19,000	19,243.00	12,393.00	64.4
St. Cecilia	75,000	75,000.00	42,700.00	56.9
St. Philip Neri	50,000	50,000.00	25,000.00	50
TOTAL REGION II	1,220,000	1,514,569.26	793,598.63	52.4%

REGION III — Moderator, Monsignor William Naughton

Name	Goal	Pledged	Paid to Date	Pc. Paid
St. Patrick	28,000	33,803.00	15,120.15	44.7
St. Augustine	107,000	133,547.00	80,381.66	60.1
Sts. Peter and Paul	48,000	54,838.00	34,911.50	63.6
Holy Ghost	42,000	46,805.00	21,263.25	45.4
St. Nicholas	2,000	2,020.00	689.00	34
St. Anthony	49,000	55,115.00	29,599.00	53.7
St. Lucy	23,000	25,329.00	12,578.55	49.6
St. Vincent de Paul	7,000	8,218.00	3,658.50	44.4

Vermont Nurse to be Missioner

Burlington — (NC) — Martha LATER SHE corresponded Although she is engaged to Gabbett, an attractive 21-year-old with Dr. Dooley, the famed marry a Montreal accountant, old blonde, took the advice of "jungle doctor of Laos," who she said the thought of three the late Dr. Tom Dooley and advised her: "Get your R.N. years in South Africa might be now is going to realize a long first, then come on over. We "like the end of the world to time ambition. She's going to need help." So she studied most girls, but for me it's just the South Africa bush country nursing and got her R.N. from the beginning."

Miss Gabbett recalled that when she was in the lower Miss Gabbett has been accept- stand why I want to go to South Africa," she said. "I grades of grammar school she ed to serve as the fourth lay know there are sick people here, hoarded pennies to "buy" nagan missioner under Bishop John too, but at least in America children in China. When she Bokenfohr, O.M.I. in his Dio- help is available. In some of reached 13 she was an avid case of Kimberley, South Afri- the remote areas over there reader of the exploits of mis ca. She will serve three years they've never even heard of sionaries in Africa and China, as a nurse there. hospitals and clinics.

St. Pius X	35,000	38,375.00	14,188.35	36.9
Holy Family	92,000	126,913.00	80,158.70	85.1
St. Helen	59,000	62,220.00	34,089.00	54.7
Good Shepherd	30,000	40,112.00	20,819.31	69.7
St. Monica	140,000	143,309.60	77,186.14	54.4
St. Anne	85,000	98,476.00	57,918.46	66.6
Immaculate Conception	50,000	55,192.00	34,291.50	62.1
O. L. Good Counsel	100,000	100,063.00	58,468.03	58.4
St. Mary — Scotsville	9,000	9,000.00	4,850.00	53.8
Guardian Angels	19,000	19,000.00	9,000.00	47.4
TOTAL REGION III	925,000	1,052,335.60	581,069.10	55.2%

REGION IV — Moderator, Monsignor Leslie Whalen

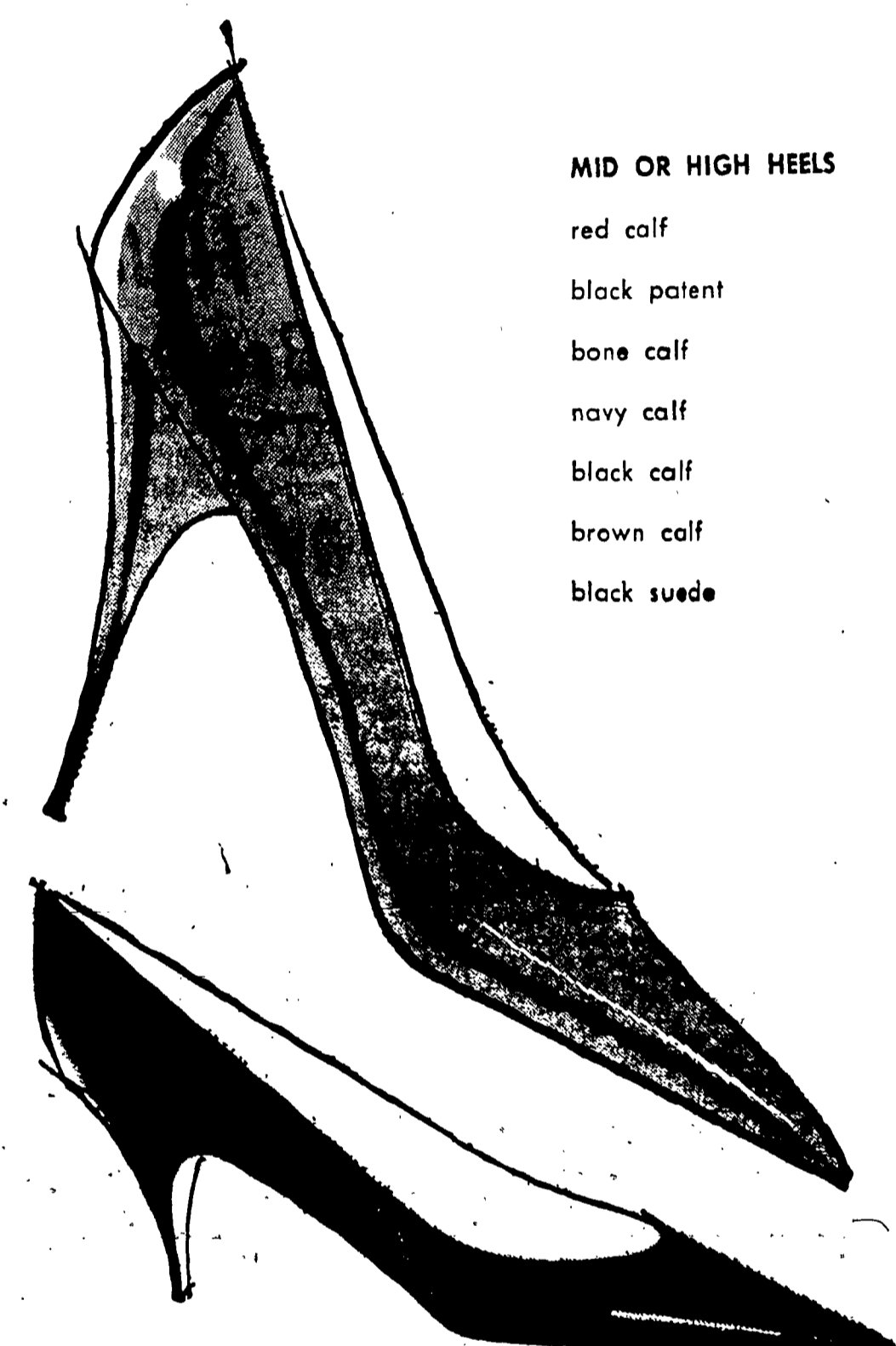
Name	Goal	Pledged	Paid to Date	Pc. Paid
O. L. Mt. Carmel	30,000	41,795.00	20,415.50	48.8
St. Joseph — Rochester	40,000	41,116.00	35,009.25	85.1
St. Bridget	21,000	22,938.00	10,921.50	47.6
O. L. Victory	5,000	10,550.00	7,705.00	73
Corpus Christi	90,000	93,155.00	46,537.77	49.9
St. Mary — Rochester	78,000	85,686.00	42,095.25	72.4
St. Boniface	49,000	60,370.00	28,900.30	47.8
Assumption	45,000	45,473.00	27,988.72	60.2
Blessed Sacrament	145,000	185,220.00	122,129.62	65.9
St. Thomas More	90,000	106,158.70	69,083.00	65
O. L. Lourdes	85,000	121,220.00	75,511.24	62
St. Paul of Cross	7,000	7,485.00	3,860.00	51.6
St. Joseph — Penfield	40,000	50,550.00	27,099.35	53.6
St. Jerome	55,000	61,502.00	30,144.30	49
St. Louis	75,000	103,860.00	69,831.44	67.2
St. Catherine	3,000	3,570.00	3,075.00	100
O. L. Queen Peace	15,000	15,000.00	6,500.50	43
TOTAL REGION IV	873,000	1,056,628.74	646,914.64	61.2%

COUNTY WIDE

Region	Goal	Pledged	Paid to Date	Pc. Paid
REGION I	\$1,229,000.00	\$1,552,792.99	\$ 814,139.35	53.5
REGION II	1,220,000.00	1,514,569.26	793,598.63	52.4
REGION III	925,000.00	1,052,335.60	581,069.10	55.2
REGION IV	873,000.00	1,056,628.74	646,914.64	61.2
TOTAL	4,247,000.00	5,146,326.59	2,835,721.72	55.10%

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