Czechs Honor Mendel Memory

Prague—(NC)—The 100th and slovakia's Academy of Scholar-niversary of the first publica ship in cooperation with the tion of Augustinian Father Gre- Museum of Brno.

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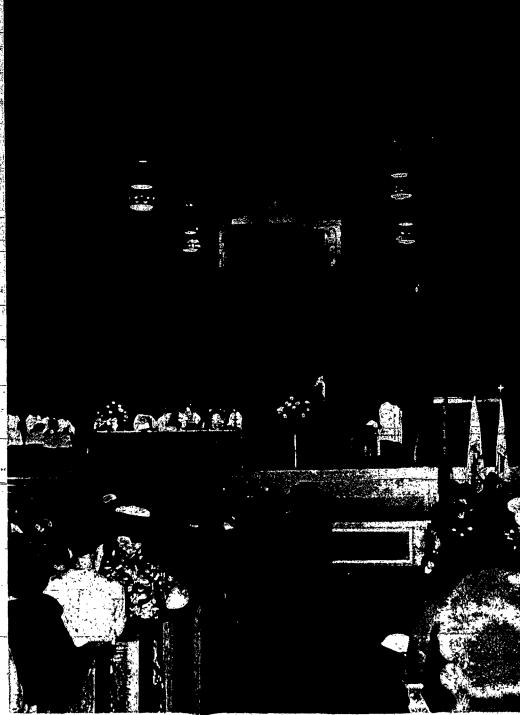


Cardinal Cicognani, at right, next to Cardinal Edward Mooney, Rochester's fourth bishop, presided over U.S. bishops as Apostolic Delegate for 25 years. With the two prelates in photo are Bishop William J. McDonald, rec-.. tor of the Catholic University in Washington, and Cardinal Francis Mc-Intyre of Los Angeles.

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Cardinal Ottaviani

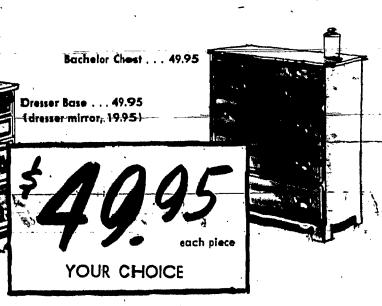
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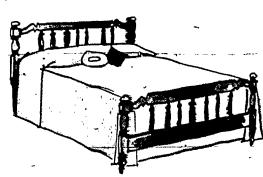
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Archbishop Egidio Vagnozzi, personal legate of Pope Paul to the United States, takes a prominent part in meetings and religious rites of nationwide Catholic organizations. Here he celebrates Mass in the massive Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in the nation's capital to mark canonization of the Uganda Martyrs by Pope Paul. The Apostolic Delegate sees to implementation of Vatican directives — as at this event he threw weight of his example behind recent ritual revisions called for by the Pope and the Vatican



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Scholars Study **Doctrine on Mary**

Santo Domingo — (RNS) — A special service of invocation to the Holy Spirit in the 16th Century cathedral where the remains of Christopher Columbus are preserved marked the opening here of the fourth International

Mariological Congress.

The chanting of the Veni Creator Spiritus was followed by an address of welcome in Latin, the official language of the congress, extended by Archbishop Octavio A. Beras of Santo Domingo to 76 theologians—among them a number of Non-Catholic scholars—gathered from various parts of Latin America and from the United States, Canada, Italy, France, Germany, Spain, Belgium and Poland.

meant that the theologians and exegetes would discuss the Scriptural foundations of Marian theology and devotion during five-day sessions held in the National Assembly of the Congressional Hall.

The Mariological Congress was to be followed by the eleventh Marian Congress, an event intended publicly to express Catholic devotion to the Blessed Virgin, Attending the Marian Congress, it was an

Among the Non-Catholic par-ticipants was a delegate of the Protestant monastic community t Taire, France:

In his address, Archbishop Beras thanked Pope Paul VI for having chosen the Dominican island as "the site of such an important Marian gathering." offered in Ireland in either like voiced hope that the Gaelic or English as use of the

The congress theme was "Mary in the Scriptures." This The chanting of the Veni Cre- meant that the theologians and

Poland

The U.S. participants including and Blessed Virgin, Attending the Marian Congress, it was announced, would be delegates to the Mariological Congress and large numbers of bishops, clanati, an official Vatican Council theologian; Father Richard Kugelman, C.P., of Union City, N.J.; and Father Eamon R. Carroll, O. Carm., assistant professor of sacred theology at the Catholic University of America's leading scholars in Spanish choir; and homilies America's leading scholars in a Spanish choir; and homilies by leading Catholic preachers from around the world.

Dublin Masses

scholars present would study vernacular in the central act of the theme of the congress in Catholic worship became unitie light of the teachings of versal on the first Sunday of