

FILTH! It's Flooding the Country; FBI Head Urges New Laws

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Washington—Any attempt made to stem the rapid rise in crime in the United States should include an effort to curb the publication and sale of obscene material, in the opinion of the nation's No. 1 law enforcement officer.

Few persons in the country are as outspoken against pornography and its evil influence as is J. Edgar Hoover, whom President-elect Nixon has asked to stay on as the director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He buttresses his condemnations with reports he receives from police officials across the country.

In the very first days of the new 91st Congress, Rep. Fletcher Thompson of Georgia said he would introduce a constitutional amendment to give Congress the right to define obscenity and regulate publication of obscene material. Thompson said court rulings have made it "impossible" for people to "protect their children and loved ones from being exposed to obscenity."

In one of his strongest statements, FBI Director Hoover said: "It is impossible to estimate the amount of harm to impressionable teenagers and to assess the volume of sex crimes attributable to pornography, but its influence is extensive."

He added that "many parents are deeply concerned about conditions," and that "we must face reality." "Pornography, in all its forms, is one major cause of sex crimes, sexual aberrations, and perversions," he asserted.

"Police officials who have discussed this critical problem with me," Hoover de-

clared, "unequivocally state that lewd and obscene material plays a motivating role in sexual violence. In case after case, the sex criminal has on his person or in his possession pornographic literature or pictures."

"Let us look about us," the FBI head suggested. "In the publishing, theatrical, and entertainment fields, are the good, enlightening, and educational qualities of their products being overshadowed by too much emphasis on obscenity, vulgarity, incest, and homosexuality? Many people believe this to be true."

"But the legitimate productions of these media are rather mild when compared to the 'hard core' pornography flooding the country in the forms of films, 'playing cards,' comic books, paperbacks, and pictures," he added. "Such filth in the hands of young people and curious

adolescents does untold damage and leads to disastrous consequences."

He said that "obviously, all that is being done to combat the sale and traffic in obscene material in the nation is not enough." He declared that "sound and workable laws are needed, and, where they do exist, they should be vigorously enforced."

Hoover spoke of "degenerate sex pictures and pornographic literature" being "covertly peddled and sold in most cities" and said they "net greedy smut merchants millions of dollars annually."

"Obscene material is indeed an evil, but it is not a necessary evil. If the illicit profits of pornography were replaced with stiff punishments for the filth purveyors, this evil would be brought under control," he advised.

and one Catholic secondary school. The Southwark archdiocese will have to find about \$600,000 for these.

One uncertainty is the present Anglican Church—Sharing Bill now going through Parliament to allow the site church to own churches jointly with other communities and to help finance them. It is expected to get through, but, if it does not, "we'll work out some way," said one clergyman.

Ecumenical Experiment

A Brand New Town for Londoners

By JOHN A. GREAVES
(NC News Service)
London—(NC)—Catholic and Protestant clergy are jointly planning an experiment in practical ecumenism for a completely new town in Britain.

The new town named Thamesmead—for about 70,000 Londoners—is being established along the south side of the River Thames on the eastern fringe of the capital.

The churches are planning to move in as a team, ignoring their separate traditions and organizing religion in the new town as an interdenominational effort.

The self-contained streamlined modern town of young lower income families—which is costing the London civic authorities about \$500 million—will, by its completion in about 15 years, contain a large central ecumenical complex for the use of all its Christian people.

The complex, costing about \$500,000, will include a communal church, a Catholic chapel, a community hall, a restaurant, committee and study rooms and other facilities.

Two smaller "pastoral units," each supervised by a resident minister, will also be placed at strategic points in-

side the town. Separate denominational churches will only be built where the need for them is established.

The Catholic archdiocese of Southwark is understood to be considering three or four small churches of its own, each served by one priest, but with all the priests according to present plans—living together in one house with a senior priest in charge. This would make it possible to give more responsibility than is usual at present to younger priests in traditional parishes.

The object of the plan is not to further Christian reunion directly but to exempt Thamesmead as far as possible from the bad effect of present divisions and also to secure a maximum of Christian cooperation.

As the town grows, the "group ministry" will recruit specialist members and assistants—such as industrial chaplains and social workers—who may belong to any of the participating churches. Joint Bible discussion groups will be organized. Joint youth groups should be possible and even some form of joint pre-marital talks.

From the early spring of 1969 families will begin arriving in Thamesmead at around 30 a week. As they arrive, they will each be wel-

comed by one of the present group ministries.

Over the past two years Christians of all denominations in nearby suburbs have been recruited and trained for a part in the plan. They will call on each family and explain the idea of the ecumenical project and take a census of religious affiliations for further use in their work.

Thamesmead will have its own Catholic primary schools

Outstanding Young Catholics Named
Washington—(NC)—An 18-year-old girl from the University of Dallas and a 26-year-old teacher at a Catholic high school in North Tonawanda, N.Y., have been selected as the Outstanding Catholic Youth and the Outstanding Catholic Young Adult of the year.

The winners are Patti Yezak, university freshman from Beaumont, Tex., and Gerard J. Mosey, a teacher at Bishop Duffy High School in North Tonawanda.

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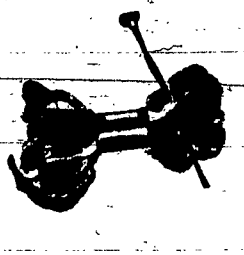
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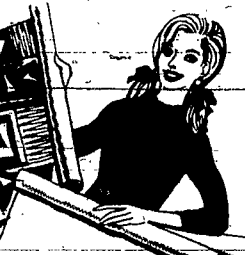
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Prepare ground beef filling.
 Place in mixer bowl:
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 2 tsp. sugar
 1 tsp. salt
 Pinch of onion, paprika, and oregano (if desired)
 2 eggs
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 Beat at medium speed 3 min. Spoon over hot ground beef mixture in skillet.
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