



**THE SLOT MAN**  
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Most hate mail is so sickening and insane that mere mention of it gives it far more respect than either it or its perpetrators deserve.

But a recent batch that came to the Courier is so wacky that before sending it on to postal authorities I would like to share it with readers for two reasons. First, it is so ridiculous as to be laughable and second, perhaps not everyone has had an opportunity to learn just what putrefaction sick minds are capable of.

Here are some excerpts from a diatribe against "Youth Movements." Misspellings, poor grammar and faulty syntax within quotes are the hate author's. The rest are mine.

"How would you like it if your exquisitely formed White child was no longer White? Pink cheeks no longer pink? Blue eyes no longer blue? Lovely hair no longer lovely?"

"It's sensitive mind no longer sensitive but ape like? It's beautiful body no longer beautiful but black and evil smelling?"

"A few drops of negro blood in your child's veins and it could have a coal black negro baby."

[Editor's note: Mistakes of fact are also the author's.]

"Evil men have organized child movements and camps to further

their evil designs. Some of these camps are Jewish, some Christian, some political, some union. All pose as democracy in action and the object of all is to get your White child's blood."

[Incoherencies are also the author's.]

"Don't let the devil with angle's wings carry away your Lovely."

"Remember all youth movements have for their special feature the mixing of negroes with your White child and if it were not for the beauty of the White child none of these camps would be in existence."

The article then goes on to list some of the dangerous movements — YMCA, YWCA, Jewish Welfare Group, Scout camps and others.

In addition to all the clumsiness of technique and logic, characteristic of stricken minds, the sender made two tactical mistakes.

None of the organizations on the list are Catholic-oriented and the envelope came addressed to the "Catholic Courier-Journal" so it could be presumed that the sender somehow thought that Catholics might be vulnerable to such garbage. What insulence!

Then what's most humorous is that the article was sent to an editor, who has three children, none with eyes to match his own China blues. One of the children happens to be decidedly black. And lovely.

**Cardinal Josef Mindszenty To Address U.S. Hungarians**

New Brunswick, N.J. [RNS] — Cardinal Josef Mindszenty, the exiled Hungarian primate, will arrive in the United States on Sept. 28, following a Canadian visit that will take him to the cities of Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary and Vancouver, according to Father Julian Fuzer, OFM.

An effort is being made to arrange a reception for the cardinal when he arrives at Kennedy International Airport, said Father Fuzer, who is handling arrangements for the U.S. phase of his visit.

The schedule calls for Cardinal Mindszenty to be honored at a dinner on the evening of Sept. 30, with some 1,000 people expected to attend.

The next day, Father Fuzer said, the cardinal will be at the Matawan, N.J., monastery of the Basilian Fathers of Mariapoch, a Byzantine Rite order.

He is to have a meeting with Hungarian-speaking Catholic priests and a meeting with some lay leaders of the U.S. Hungarian Catholic community. The latter, Father Fuzer said, are interested in getting some guidance from the cardinal regarding the formation of a lay Hungarian organization.

Father Fuzer said Hungarian-speaking Protestant clergy were also being invited to the monastery for a meeting with Cardinal Mindszenty the same day.

The famed prelate is scheduled to return to Vienna on Oct. 2, Father Fuzer said. The cardinal had made his home there since

leaving Hungary in September, 1971, following a request from the Vatican.

In a letter to Pope Paul, Cardinal Mindszenty said he would have liked to spend his remaining years in Hungary, but was willing to accept exile for the good of the Church.

Since his arrest by Communist authorities the day after Christmas in 1948, he had known only 11 days of freedom. In February 1949 a Communist court sentenced him to life imprisonment for allegedly engaging in anti-state activities.

He was released during the 1956 Hungarian uprising, and the new national government under Imre Nagy announced that his trial and imprisonment had been illegal. But Soviet troops crushed the revolt, and he then took refuge in the American embassy

in Budapest, remaining there until he left the country in 1971.

Father Fuzer said he visited with the now 81-year-old Cardinal Mindszenty in Vienna in early June and found him to be in good health and "very alert."

New Brunswick is "special in the eyes of the cardinal," he said, because many Hungarian refugees came to the area following the 1956 uprising.

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