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MARY'S MONTH.

With Sunday we entered upon the month of May, the most beautiful season of the year. The entire month of May is devoted to the special veneration of Mary, our Mother, our Queen, our blessed Mother of God.

INDICTS BRITAIN.

The resolution introduced by Senator Norris, of Nebraska, indicating Great Britain for violation of all the laws of war in Ireland is most timely. It states facts which can not be denied and calls upon the nations of the world to witness that the United States solemnly protests these barbarities.

CHURCH AND LABOR.

Let there be no mistaking the teaching of the Catholic Church in regard to labor. The church stands for a fair living wage. The attempt now being made to compel labor and the farmer to bear all the burden of the financial depression is unjust.

HARD BLOW.

During last week "the terror" in Ireland perpetrated only four murders that were recorded in the press dispatches. Perhaps there were twice as many—but more or less makes little difference. The point is that the terror is accomplishing nothing except to make England the most hated empire of modern times.

PROHIBITION A FARCE.

From Government officials down to the lowly bootlegger the consensus of opinion is that prohibition in the United States is a howling farce. Day in and day out we read of truck loads being carted from one spot to another, few being confiscated, and the consolation offered by some that whisky will soon all be consumed affords no relief when one hears of the growing and inexhaustible supplies of moonshine.

WOULD PLEASE TWO.

The British propaganda for a smaller navy for the United States would be pleasing to both John Bull and Japan, but it is pleasing to note the present administration and the American people are now wide awake to the wiles and tricks of hypocritical England.

COMING ECLIPSE.

With the prospect of a war in sight we will soon see the eclipse of the Junior Order and A. P. A. dupes who wave the American flag

and defend our institutions—in times of peace.

MOTHER'S DAY.

Tomorrow will be Mothers' day, when every man, young and old, should make manifest their appreciation of those who have made every sacrifice and served them well. Make your good mother know you remember the day and add to her happiness.

GENERAL INTENTION.

The intention of the prayers of the members of the League of the Sacred Heart for the month of May is "Devotion to Our Lady, Comforter of the Afflicted." The Catholic heart has always turned to her for aid since she was enthroned in heaven. Hence we are not surprised that in these days, when mankind is so much in need of help and consolation, the Pope bids us lift up our eyes to the Mother of God in humble prayer.

BLESSED PETER CANISIUS.

May 8 marks the four hundredth anniversary of the birth of Blessed Peter Canisius, Priest of the Society of Jesus. The life of this exceptionally able, pious and zealous man, his labors for the church and his order, the religious training of youth and the salvation of thousands, is a most interesting bit of history in itself. His is a life appealing both to the student of history and to him who reads for edification.

SOLDIER ON ENGLAND.

For knocking out half a dozen pad-fisted pork and beans the world's champion heavyweight boxer can receive several sizable fortunes, but for killing eight of Germany's best fighting men and capturing fifteen others besides two machine guns and a brace of trenches, Michael O'Leary, of Macroom, County Cork, received a Victoria Cross whose intrinsic value is a niche, and no more O'Leary, who is the only living hero of a Bernard Shaw play—"O'Flaherty, V. C."—has applied to the Knights of Columbus in New York for a good American job.

YOUTHS IN PARADE.

Undaunted by a steady downpour of rain, 70,000 New York boys marched up Fifth avenue Saturday in celebration of Loyalty day and the opening of Boys' Week. They passed by Gov. Miller and Mayor Hylan, as well as 250 officers of the Boy Scouts and Rotary clubs, and the stand at St. Patrick's Cathedral, which was occupied by Monsignor Lavelle, representing the Archbishop, and other church dignitaries. Fifty juvenile bands were sprinkled in the line of march and three hours and a half were required for the parade to pass a given point.

HOLY ROSARY RECEPTION.

Monday will be reception day at Holy Rosary Academy and the friends and patrons are invited to come and view the work of the pupils. The domestic science class will give proof of its skill in the culinary department, the domestic art class will show samples of its work and a spring festival will be given by the intermediate and primary classes pupils at 3 o'clock. Being Kentucky Home day, Foster's songs will be featured.

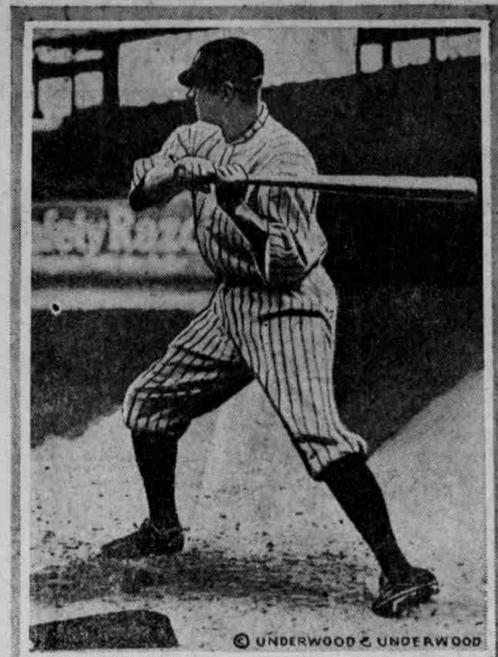
SEEK WELFARE FUND.

Bishop John T. McNicholas, O. P. Bishop of Duluth, has begun a campaign to obtain \$2,000,000 as a welfare and charity fund for the diocese, particularly for the education of priests, for the maintenance of the Orphans' Home and for charity wards in Catholic hospitals.

REPEAT CLASS PLAY.

The Seniors of Holy Rosary Academy will repeat their class play, "A Southern Cinderella," on Tuesday, May 17.

Mighty Babe Ruth Enters Struggle To Aid Hungry Children in Ireland



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Mighty "Babe" Ruth started the fans' campaign on behalf of the American Committee for Relief in Ireland, when he endorsed the Committee's drive for funds in Atlanta, Ga., and urged his fans to do likewise. This is a big game that "Home Run Babe" is now taking a hand in—saving hungry children and women from death. There are thousands of them in Ireland living on a cup of cocoa and a slice of bread a day. There are thousands of them in rags, and thousands homeless. It is for the purpose of feeding and sheltering them that the American Committee for Relief in Ireland has been formed. It is

a non-sectarian, non-political organization started for a purely humanitarian purpose, and it needs \$10,240,000. "Babe" is out to help the Committee get it, and he hereby invites his fans to take a hand. Who'll root for him in his new game? It's the best one ever—putting bread in the mouth of a starving child. Just \$10.00 will keep a kiddie from starvation for a month and help clothe it comfortably. Send it yourself and get a friend-in to do likewise. Contributions should be sent to the local committee of American Committee for Relief in Ireland, or John J. Paley, treasurer, 1 West Thirty-fourth Street, New York City, in care of Babe Ruth Fund.

COMING EVENTS.

- May 12—Moonlight excursion of Columbia Athletic Club, on steamer Island Queen.
May 12—St. Denis parish may festival and roast pig and chicken supper.
May 17 to 22—"A Kentucky Belle," to be presented by St. Helena's Co-operative Club Dramatic Circle, in St. Xavier College Auditorium.
May 19-20—Annual May festival of Sewing Circle of Academy of Our Lady of Mercy, in academy auditorium.
May 23—May festival and candy pulling at Sacred Heart school, afternoon and evening, in school hall, Seventeenth and Broadway.
May 25-26—May festival for St. Benedict's new church, afternoon and evening.
May 28—May festival of St. Ann's church, afternoon and evening.
June 22—St. Philip Neri church outing and picnic, afternoon and evening, at Rivoli Garden.

SOCIETY.

Mrs. Ida O'Connor, Deer Park, has returned from a ten days' visit in Mobile.
Miss Helm Finegan, of Jeffersonville, spent two weeks visiting relatives at Madison, Ind.
Joe Spain, Highland Park, had as a guest the past week his sister, Miss Martina, Spain, of New Haven.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hillenmeyer and children, Lexington, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Mary F. Relling.
Misses Gertie Riley and Edna Hall, of Highland Park, visited at New Haven, the guests of Miss Adelle Owens.
Miss Bessie McGee has been spending a few days visiting Mrs. G. B. Hagan and Miss Martina Bowling at New Haven.

Capt. Jas. W. Kinnearney and Dr. John T. Chawck returned Thursday from Lexington, where they had officiated at the spring races.
James McCarthy, of South Sixth street, who was injured in an auto accident Monday, is now improving rapidly and is out of danger.
Mr. and Mrs. James Shelley, of Cincinnati, are expected to arrive today to visit Mr. and Mrs. Evarist Nofsinger on Edenside avenue.

George "Ossie" Garrity is out again after a minor operation at the Jewish Hospital, much to the delight of his many friends of the fair sex.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Swenney, of South Louisville, accompanied Mrs. Jack Johnson to her home in Nashville, where they have been her guests.
Harry R. Arbegust and bride, who was Miss Josephine Ulrich, have returned from their wedding trip to New York and are at home on Osage avenue.

Mrs. Amelia Veith announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marie Dolores Veith, to Roy Quinlan. The wedding will take place at St. James' church on May 31.
Mrs. Mary G. Mullen returned the middle of the week from a ten days' stay in St. Louis, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Callahan, and Mr. Callahan.
Mr. and Mrs. Tierney announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Tierney, to Robert Reynolds, of St. Louis. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

The retiring officers of the Queen's Daughters Society gave a delightful tea Wednesday afternoon

in honor of the new officers at the residence of Mrs. J. C. Murphy on Willow avenue.
Miss Marcelle Meagher, who has been in New York for the last eight months, arrived Friday to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Meagher. Miss Meagher was accompanied by Misses Agnes and Marie Holden, of Washington.
Miss Grace Roth was hostess at a box party given at the Mary Anderson in honor of Miss Margaret Tierney. Those present were Misses Mary Lee Finn, Anna Roth, Alberta Goodman, Mary Louise Parker, Rosella Roth, Margaret Tierney, Grace Roth.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix D. Preville announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Isabelle Preville, to A. J. Carroll, Wilmington, N. C., formerly of Louisville. The ceremony was performed Thursday afternoon by the Rev. Charles P. Raffo. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll left later to make their home in Wilmington.

Miss Mary Catherine Sharfenberger entertained her club Friday evening at her home in Beechmont. The guests were Misses Ruth Morgan, Gertrude Klappheke, Julian Assman, Gertrude Pike, Catherine Duffy, Elizabeth Coleman, Anna Catherine Schukz, Cathrine Koellner, Margaret Goss, Thelma Dolan, Louise Trudeau.

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The annual inspection of the Knights of St. John will take place Monday evening at Rivoli Garden, Preston and Kentucky streets. The local battalion, consisting of eight companies and drum corps, will maneuver into position promptly at 8:30 o'clock, to be inspected by the Inspector General, Joseph J. Shrock, and his assistant, Gen. John Heindirk. After the inspection is completed dancing will be the programme, and as on previous occasions the public is invited. The Committee on Arrangements has prepared for a large attendance with the assurance that all who attend will have a good time.

His Holiness Pope Benedict has announced the appointment of Rev. Hugh C. Boyle, rector of the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, of Homestead, as Bishop of Pittsburgh. The Sovereign Pontiff also appointed Messrs. E. B. Ledvina, Vice President of the Catholic Church Extension Society, of Chicago, to be Bishop of Corpus Christi, Texas.

Fontaine Ferry Park, Louisville's most popular amusement resort, will open its summer season tomorrow. Among the most noticeable additions to the park, which were installed during the winter, is the "Canals of Venice." The theater has been remodeled and it is now enclosed by swinging paneled walls. Numerous other changes have been made and the park boasts of thirty-three separate attractions.

After four long and happy freshmen years at St. Xavier's College thirty seniors will be graduated from the academic department next June. They are Quilly Welsh, E. A. Hunter, L. F. Goss, A. J. Bohon, P. H. Breslin, R. J. Trand, G. J. Venhoff, F. D. Burk, Eugene Steuerrle, President 1921 class; Leo Muenninghoff, A. Smith, J. L. Feighan, E. J. Ricketts, C. C. Schneider, C. H. Kirchner, J. F. Statomau, N. F. Vaughan, P. J. Schlinger, E. F. Wetterer, Arthur E. Eyl, Secretary; M. Kaelln, C. J. Jackey, G. L. Manning, James C. Thompson, R. J. Thiemann, J. O. Foley, Edwin C. Bohmer, Herbert J.

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RECUPERATING. E. J. Hackett, who has been quite ill at his home on East Market street, New Albany, is recuperating at Dawson Springs, where his full recovery is now looked for.

TRUSTEES MEET TUESDAY. A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Catholic Orphan Society will be held next Tuesday night at Knights of Columbus Hall. All members are urged to attend.

K. OF C. INITIATION. The local Knights of Columbus will initiate a class of ninety candidates tomorrow at the club house, and a banquet will be given at the Tyler Hotel in the evening, the banquet service being limited to 250 guests.

GROWTH IS STEADY. At least two new priests are ordained every day, one new church built every day and four new parish schools opened every week, according to the statistics gathered for the new Catholic Directory for 1921, and just issued by P. J. Kennedy & Sons.

PLEAD FOR UNION. The union of all Central American Republics is favored by the Catholic Bishops in those countries as being indispensable to the common welfare. Archbishop Pinol of Guatemala says: "Let us know one another better, so that provincialism will be destroyed and replaced by fraternity in feeling."

CATHOLIC P. A. MEETING. May 13 and 14 have been fixed as the dates, and Washington, D. C., as the place of the next annual convention of the Catholic Press Association. The dates originally set singly kept from the public. Two and 30.

FOR IRISH RELIEF. The wrestling match for the championship of the world in the New York Army last night between Strangler Lewis and Stanislaus Zbyseko was under the auspices of the American Irish Relief Committee, and prominent men of all nationalities and creeds vied with one another in aiding this worthy purpose. Marcus Daly paid \$1,000 for a box while Lee Schubert, Al Woods, George Cochran, William Fox, Sam Harris and Arch Selwyn, leaders in the theatrical world, paid \$500 each for boxes. John McCormack, who will be the leading feature in the Hippodrome benefit to be staged next, donated \$500 for a box for the wrestling match last night, while Jack Curley, the wrestling promoter, who is well known in Louisville, arranged the bout and saw to it that every cent taken in was given for the Irish relief fund, no passes being issued and the wrestlers donated their share of the purse.

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