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CATHOLIC GRAFT IN CAREY

BY REV. THEO. C. WALKER

The Lima Daily News of May 29, 1916, reports a miraculous cure of Kathleen Daugherty at the shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey, Ohio.

This report is taken up by other papers in the Carey region and the wonders of the papal shrine are advertised far and near. These cures come at an opportune time, both for the railroads and for the holy grafters who promote the scheme.

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The Carey fraud is connected up with Catholicism, and a pretense is made that there is power in a dead saint to heal. There is no healing power in medicines, shrines, or handkerchiefs. The cure must come from within.

A little paper, "The Guatemala News," dated June, 1916, lies before me, and I note a quotation from the Diario de Centro America for March 9, 1916, which gives an account of a raffle in the presence of a councilman, his presence "being required because of fraud in the holy raffles."

So it seems that the same sort of fraud is being perpetrated in America in Carey, Ohio, that beguiles and robs the poor ignorant people of Guatemala, the children of the church of Rome, who are enslaved in mind and robbed in person, and left poor and miserable and full of idolatry.

What if Jesus should go to Carey and witness the graft upon credulous suffering men and women, or to New York City where the main body of St. Ann is used to dupe the ignorant. Would he be silent in the presence of such fraud? I tell you, his indignation would burn and his denunciation would put to shame the pretences of Rome.

Political Romanism is a cancer which will destroy any political body that remains indifferent to it.

HOW ROME LOVES LA. PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Louisiana Banner State in Illiteracy to Compel Education—Doussan of St. James Parish Fights Measure—"Religious Scruples" Abound in South Louisiana—Mothers Educating Children at Home—Part of Rome's Scheme to Hire Catholic Teachers

Dr. Doussan, senator from St. James, said many persons in his district had religious scruples against sending their children to the public schools and, there being no church schools in their neighborhood, the mothers of the children gave them such education as they could at home.

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Some lay a propaganda scheme in connection with the movies that is being worked to the limit. The idea is to so familiarize the people with Romish forms and ceremonies as to make them acceptable and unobtrusive. At a recent movie show, consisting of seven films of scenes from the life of the Virgin Mary, the next day a letter was received from a Chicago musician who says that he has about given up going to such places because of the offensive prominence given to things of the kind.

Who is to succeed Charles Evans Hughes on the supreme bench? Curley, the Roman Catholic mayor of Boston, has wired Tammany suggesting W. H. Taft; and other papists are trying to start a breeze in behalf of the notorious pro-papist Senator Bryan of Florida who has just been repudiated by the people of that state as conclusively as Taft was turned down four years ago by the entire nation. It is to be hoped that an American will be appointed.

Roman Candidates in Illinois

A valued correspondent sends us the Springfield Register containing the announcement that Governor Dunne has announced his candidacy for re-nomination. Governor Dunne, it will be remembered, is an ardent Roman Catholic. Our correspondent adds Mr. Brady, Auditor of Public Accounts, a Roman Catholic has announced his candidacy for re-nomination. Attorney-general Lucey a prominent Romanist has not announced his candidacy, but it is understood that he will make such announcement at an early date.

G. of L. Convention

The recent national convention of the Guardians of Liberty which convened in Chicago, was a splendid success, and showed that the patriotic movement is gaining a strong foothold all over the continent. Reports showed that courts have been established in every state. Delegates were present from all parts of the union, bringing messages of awakened interest from ocean to ocean.

The following national officers were elected for the ensuing year: Chief Guardian, Lieut. Gen'l Nelson A. Miles, Washington, D. C.; Attorney, Rear Admiral Geo. W. Baird, Washington, D. C.; Recorder, Charles B. Johnson, Chicago, Ill.; Treasurer, Sigmond Stern, New York; Vigilant, E. P. Ferguson, Ohio.

IS FRANZ JOSEF DEAD?

BY REV. THEO. C. WALKER

London, June 18.—(Sunday)—Under the caption, "Is Franz Josef Dead?" the newspaper People today quotes from the statement of a "trustworthy neutral" who declares the body of the Austrian emperor embalmed, was placed in a reclining position and exhibited from the balcony of the palace in Vienna, at a demonstration, to make the crowds believe the emperor was still alive.

"The fact that Franz Josef is dead is known only to higher circles in Vienna," continued the newspaper's informant. "It is concealed from the common people for political reasons."

The above news was given to a correspondent of ours three weeks ago. His information came from a secret source in Barcelona, Spain. What the effect will be upon the people of Austria when the truth is known, no one can say. But it is safe to predict that the Roman Catholic power of Austria is slowly but surely diminishing.

But note the significance of the fact that the death of the Emperor, the chief supporter of Rome, has been kept a secret for eighteen months. The God of righteousness is blowing upon the papal system. "And then shall that 'Man of sin' be revealed whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth and shall destroy with the brightness of His coming."

Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders. And with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved.—Thes. 11-8, 9, 10.

Romanism is doomed, for the mouth of the Lord has spoken it. The Water Wagon is the name of a new temperance paper published in Conway, Mo., by F. E. Patton, A. B., M. D. He says in his prospectus, "There is nothing in existence like The Water Wagon. We will occupy a field in the liquor fight similar to that of THE MENACE in the battle against political Romanism."

Enough said, brother, and just remember that the papacy is a twin brother of booze. Go to it! God save America!

Anna Lowry—Martyr

BY MARVIN BROWN

UBBED, by her enemies, as "the tramp nun," vilified, hated and hounded from pillar to post by Roman Catholics and Knights of Columbus, yet, withal, sadly sweet in character, kind and always smiling, loved by every non-Catholic who has ever had the pleasure of her acquaintance, Anna M. Lowry is one of the most unique figures before the American people today.

Elsewhere in this issue is an item over her signature telling of her recent experiences on the anti-papal platform, showing how she has been driven to the cover of her home at Ritzville, Washington, and appealing to the people to buy her books in order that she may subsist and, maybe, later go out again and take her place in the line of battle with those who are fighting to the bitter end for the freedom of speech, press and assembly.

Anna Lowry is not a stranger to readers of THE MENACE. Most of them remember how, after renouncing convent life, she went out into the world almost as helpless as a child and commenced a single handed battle for existence.

She glanced its pages over and a new light came into her life. Here she was living in exile. She had not, at that time, even dared to dream that people on the outside of the convents, nunneries and cloistered institutions of the papacy had sensed the decay and corruption within. She wondered if an opportunity would ever be offered her to tell the world what she endured while in Roman bondage. To her, THE MENACE pointed the way!

She came to Aurora, went to work in the clerical department as a beginner at small wages, made friends of everyone with whom she came in contact and in the meantime brought out her now famous book, "The Martyr in Black."

This book gave her an immediate introduction to the people engaged in the patriotic movement which was by that time spreading nation wide, and pretty soon Miss Lowry was called to the platform.

Just as she had made good at teaching, just as she had made good at THE MENACE and everywhere else she ever worked, by diligence and hard work she made good at public speaking, and I venture to say that Anna M. Lowry will draw as large a crowd, and as enthusiastic a crowd, as any speaker on the patriotic platform today.

Knowing her text, being absolutely fearless and outspoken and always able to get a hearing, she has brought to herself the most bitter and unrelenting persecution from the enemy.

Just recently she made a tour through the Eastern states and practically everywhere she had an engagement she met with the most shameful treatment. The Catholic press teemed with lies and vilification of her character; the owners of halls were "seen" in advance and the doors closed against her; her meetings, when held at all, were the scenes of wild rioting by Romish hoodlums and she was subjected to insults that would abash and tantalize a man, much less a defenseless, modest and unobtrusive woman.

The influence the Knights of Columbus seem to have over the people is singular to say the least. Typical of what Miss Lowry has encountered for the past several months is enumerated by her agents in the East where they have had this experience within the past few weeks:

They hired Odd Fellows' Hall in Germantown—occupied for a meeting place by Orangemen, Knights of Columbus, and other societies. After extensive advertising, a great crowd gathered, only to be informed that the Knights of Columbus had ordered the trustees of the hall to close the place against Miss Lowry, and the edict was obeyed.

A hall was hired in Camden, N. J., for the same lady. The Knights of Columbus, working with a Protestant mayor, had the hall closed.

A hall was hired in Moorestown, N. J., from the Odd Fellows. The priest got after the trustees, and the hall was closed.

The G. A. R. hall was hired in West Chester, Pa. The same influence was brought to bear, and the hall was closed.

A hall was hired from Masons in Atlantic City, N. J. Pressure was brought to bear, and it was closed.

A hall was hired from the Masonic Association in Trenton, N. J. The superintendent of the hall was forced, by papal pressure, to back out and close the hall.

Papists and priests are tremendous bluffers. They pretend them to be bought out the telephone companies of New York and Brooklyn because they allowed the wires of subscribers to be supervised by the police in the interest of public protection and law enforcement. Telephones seem to have something of the same terror for popery as newspapers. The next thing to be agitated by papist statements will probably be a censor of telephones.

Papal apologists in the south are very much agitated over the Guardians of Liberty. The principle trouble seems to be that the Guardians admit negroes to membership. These pro-papal politicians are willing for negroes to join the army and protect the nation with bayonets in time of war; but they are very much opposed to negroes joining patriotic societies and protecting the country with ballots in time of peace. Such is Catholic and near-Catholic consistency.

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Protestants Take Notice

A. D. BULMAN, the author and lecturer, who was largely instrumental in causing the spontaneous defeat of George E. East, the Roman Catholic candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of South Dakota, and who is now making a nationwide fight for the passage of the bill calling for the inspection, by governmental authority, of every educational institution, public or private, in the United States, North Dakota, and Minnesota, will come to Aurora, Mo., on Friday, July 7, 1916, at 8:00 p. m., to deliver his series of ILLUSTRATED LECTURES ON THE CONVENT SYSTEM OF THE CHURCH OF ROME, AND THE INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR VIEWS OF THE CONVENTS, HOUSES OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, ETC., showing how the convents are run, how they are tortured and compelled to slave for ten hours a day, and for six days a week while the money that is earned by their labor is sent abroad to a foreign POPE.

Mr. Bulman will come anywhere in the three states mentioned, at his own expense, hire halls, do his own advertising, and deliver his lectures, all that he wants is the cooperation of Protestants. He will be glad to furnish the information as to where halls can be rented, and where the most convenient places for paying for the same at regular advertising rates.

Please give the name of the hall manager and his religious denomination, and all the particulars in replying. Mr. Bulman has aroused a spirit of Protestantism in South Dakota which is spreading like a prairie fire all over the state. Nothing like these lectures have ever been seen or heard of any other place. They are being read and heard in the homes of the people, and are being read and heard in the homes of the people, and are being read and heard in the homes of the people.

The Mexican Tangle

At this critical time in the relations of our own people with the people of Mexico, our attention is called to a book which gives a very accurate account of the Mexican people and their struggle for freedom. This book, written by two of our best educated men, with a desire to uphold and accurately portray in the best possible manner Mexico's struggle for freedom and her democratic principles of government as opposed to monarchial rule and union of church and state, is a wonderful and interesting volume.

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