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MELLON URGES HUGE TAX REDUCTION

CROWD ATTENDS DEDICATION OF SCHOOLBUILDING

Catholic Parish Holds Impressive Ceremony At Dedication Sunday

BISHOP NOLL HAS CHARGE OF CEREMONY

The beautiful St. Joseph Catholic school building in this city, representing a congregational gift of \$300,000, was dedicated "To God and Country" Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rt. Rev. Bishop John F. Noll, D. D., of Fort Wayne.

Solemn services, in which twenty priests assisted, were held and a crowd of a few thousand people attended the services and the program given in the large auditorium of the building, following the dedicatory ceremony. The service was held in front of the main entrance to the building on Fourth street and the procession, headed by Bishop Noll, marched from the rectory to the school building. The Rev. J. A. Seimetz, and the Rev. Otto Peters, assistant pastor, acted as masters of the ceremonies, the visiting priests assisting.

Program Given In Auditorium
The doors to the building were then opened and the crowd assembled in the auditorium where a delightful program was given. The orchestra and high school chorus greeted the audience with songs and music and then Arthur Voglewede, a senior in the high school, delivered words of welcome to Rt. Rev. Bishop Noll and the visitors. On behalf of the congregation, Mr. Voglewede welcomed Bishop Noll and emphasized the joy of the occasion. He stressed the happiness of the people of Decatur over the elevation of the editor of Our Sunday Visitor to the episcopate, and referred to the rejoicing of the parishioners in having been able to make their dream come true in completion of the magnificent new school which Bishop Noll blessed on this, his first episcopal visitation to St. Mary's Catholic congregation.

Rev. Tieman Speaks
Rev. Seimetz introduced the speaker, the Rev. Louis A. Tieman, rector of Sacred Heart Catholic church, Cincinnati, who gave the principle address of the afternoon. Rev. Tieman and Rev. Seimetz were classmates while studying for the priesthood. Father

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MRS. P. J. LEAHY DIES AT LAOTTO

Mother Of Mrs. Will Bowers Succumbs To Aponlexy And Pneumonia

Mrs. P. J. Leahy, age 64 years, residing on a farm near Laotto, Ind., mother of Mrs. Will Bowers of this city, died Saturday afternoon of apoplexy. Pneumonia had also set in and hastened her death. About a year ago she suffered from a stroke of apoplexy and two weeks ago suffered a second stroke. She had been in poor health for more than a year.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from the Catholic church at Egga, Indiana. Mrs. Leahy was known to Decatur people, having visited here with her daughter, and her friends are grieved to learn of her death.

Mrs. Leahy was the mother of thirteen children, and her death is the first to occur in the family. Mr. Leahy is still living. Besides Mrs. Bowers of this city, Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell, and the Misses Irene and Hilda Leahy, of Fort Wayne, Herbert Leahy of Fort Wayne, John of Kansas City, Mrs. James Quinlan of Detroit, and two daughters who are Catholic sisters, are among the children who survive.

Mrs. Bowers was at the bedside of her mother when death occurred and Mr. Bowers will leave this afternoon to attend the funeral.

Girl Fatally Injured When Hit By Automobile

Indianapolis, Oct. 19.—(United Press)—Paul Devening, 23, was in city today awaiting investigation of the death of Doris Spain, 21, fatally hurt when she was struck by Devening's auto near Broad Ripple last night. Two companions of Miss Spain were slightly hurt. Devening said the lights of another car blinded him and he did not see the three persons walking on the side of the road.

MISSION FESTIVAL IS WELL ATTENDED

Special Services At Zion Reformed Church Sunday Are Inspiring

Record crowds attended the Mission Festival services at the Zion Reformed church yesterday. All the services were inspiring and uplifting and a splendid interest was manifested on the part of all. The Rev. J. F. Tapley, superintendent of the Reformed church Orphan Home, who had been invited as the festive speaker, delivered two powerful sermons at the morning and evening services. The Revs. Hauser and Sauerwein spoke in the afternoon and delivered two inspiring addresses. The services were beautified by the special musical selections rendered by Miss Della Sellemyer, Mrs. B. Schroyer, Mrs. D. Goldner, Henry Weidler and a choir of over twenty voices. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weidler, of Detroit, who are visiting here with relatives, assisted in the services with their talented voices.

Dinner and supper were served in the basement by the ladies of the church to several hundred people. The total offerings of the day amounted to \$150.

MORTON HAWKINS ENTERS PRISON

Portland's Erstwhile Wizard Of High Finance Still Professes Innocence

Leavenworth, Kan., Oct. 19.—(United Press)—Morton Hawkins, Indiana's erstwhile wizard of high finance, still professed his innocence today as he started the first lap of his 15-year sentence in the federal penitentiary for fraudulent use of the mails.

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