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Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. -- Although the effectiveness of the United Nations is greatly hampered by the "cold war", the U. N. has "political potentialities for good" which should not be discounted off-hand, according to Professor Hans Morgenthau writing in the current issue of Notre Dame's REVIEW OF POLITICS.

"The conflict between the United States and the Soviet Union has prevented the United Nations from becoming the international government of the great powers which the Charter intended it to be," Professor Morgenthau observes. An authority on international relations at the University of Chicago, Morgenthau says that the East-West struggle "has paralyzed the Security Council" so that political issues which it would have handled in former years are now referred to the U. N. General Assembly.

Tracing the gradual transformation of the United Nations, Morgenthau claims that its charter was based on three assumptions which no longer exist. "First, that the great powers, acting in unison, would deal with any threat to peace and security regardless of its source. Second, that their combined wisdom and strength would be sufficient to meet all such threats without resort to war. Third, that no such threat would emanate from one of the great powers themselves." Morgenthau concludes that the great powers themselves now constitute the greatest threat to world peace.

Whereas the United Nations once took for granted unity among the great powers, Morgenthau says, the U. N. today takes disunity between the two super-powers for granted and "concerns itself with the coordination of resources and policies among its members for the purpose of the efficient waging of the 'cold war'."

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For release in PM's, Thursday, Feb. 11th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 11 -- More than seventy-five volunteer representatives of the Notre Dame Foundation from coast-to-coast will convene on the campus Friday and Saturday (Feb. 12-13) to be briefed on the University's development program for 1954. Many of the men were recently appointed state governors and city chairmen for the Foundation by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president of the University.

Father Hesburgh will keynote the conference with a Friday luncheon address at The Morris Inn on "Notre Dame's Partnership with Business". Notre Dame has invited corporations throughout the country to underwrite the addition of forty-five distinguished professors to its faculty as part of an over-all faculty development program.

The Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., Director of The Notre Dame Foundation and former president of the university, will discuss the history and purpose of the fund-raising organization which was established under his administration in 1947. Since its inception, the Foundation has produced approximately \$13,000,000 in gifts and grants to the University. Father Cavanaugh recently reported a total of \$2,170,851.13 for the 1953 calendar year.

"The Alumni Fund and Personal Solicitation" will be discussed by James E. Armstrong, executive secretary of The Notre Dame Alumni Association. Other discussion leaders and their subjects include Rev. Thomas J. O'Donnell, C.S.C., "Public Relations, Publicity and the Foundation Program"; John N. Cackley, "Duties and Functions of the Foundation State Governor"; and James W. Frick, "Techniques of Personal Solicitation".

The conference will close Saturday noon with an address on "Notre Dame's Long Range Program" by the Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., executive vice-president of the University.

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For release in PM's, Monday, Feb. 8th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 8 — An exhibit of sixty-two prints by Georges Roualt, noted French contemporary artist, opened today (Monday) in the O'Shaughnessy Hall galleries at the University of Notre Dame. The collection has been loaned to the University by Joseph R. Shapiro, an Oak Park, Illinois, attorney.

The Roualt show includes aquatints, lithographs and wood engravings in both black and white and color. Among the works on view are thirty aquatints representing scenes from the Passion of Christ from Roualt's "Misery and War" series. The Passion is also depicted in seventeen small color aquatints.

Roualt, now 83-years-old, lives in France. He became famous as a designer of stained glass windows and many of his paintings and other works are reminiscent of stained glass technique. Most of Roualt's works have a religious theme or tone. Noted for his expressive treatment of the human head, Roualt often portrays Christ in his works as a symbol of human suffering.

The Roualt prints will be exhibited in the O'Shaughnessy Hall galleries throughout February from 2 to 5 p.m., weekdays and Sundays.

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For release in AM's, Sunday, Feb. 7th:

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 6 -- A 21-year-old Notre Dame student from Colombia today was named the winner of the Indianapolis Home Show architectural competition for 1954. Jaime Saenz, who will receive his architecture degree at the University in June, will be awarded a \$500 prize for his design of a three-level home.

In announcing the award, Clair W. Ditchy, president of the American Institute of Architects, said that Saenz's design was chosen "for its simplicity and directness --- a fresh approach in the matter of design. It is remarkably free from cliches," he said. Ditchy was one of the judges in the national competition which is held annually to create interest in and further the development of small home design.

Saenz's design was selected from 189 entries representing 22 states and 24 colleges and universities. More than 40 professional architects also entered the competition. In addition to the cash prize, Saenz's design will be considered for construction as the model home and center of attraction at the Indianapolis Home Show next year. His sketch also will be featured in a book of fifty designs selected from the annual competition.

The prize-winning house is of split-level design and makes judicious use of the variations in floor levels. Three bedrooms and a bath are on the upper level, effectively separated from the activity area. The intermediate level consists of an entrance hall, dining room, kitchen and utility room. The living room and terrace are on the lower level.

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The problem for the 1954 competition called for a one-story, two-story or split-level design, with or without basement, to contain not more than 1,600 square feet of floor space. Specifications called for three bedrooms, suitable space for living including a utility room, one full bath and a half bath, and a two-car garage or carport. Weatherwise, the limitations imposed required the architect to allow for midwestern weather with a prevailing summer wind from the southwest.

Saenz, whose home is in Cali, Colombia, entered Notre Dame's architecture school in September, 1949. He became interested in attending Notre Dame through a cousin who was an alumnus of the University. A three-year English course in prep school helped him overcome the language difficulty involved in studying in a foreign country. Soon after arriving at Notre Dame, Saenz joined the LaRaza Club, an organization of approximately sixty Latin-American students at the University. He also went out for the tennis team and won a monogram in 1951.

However, the bulk of Saenz's time is taken up with his architecture studies. He is particularly interested in city planning. After his graduation in June, Saenz plans to go to Bogota, capital of Colombia, where he will join an architectural firm. His sister, Norma, formerly attended St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana, and now is living with their parents in Cali where Mr. Saenz is in business.

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For release in AM's Friday, Feb. 12th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 11 -- "The Way of the Cross", a new booklet of Lenten devotions edited and illustrated by two Notre Dame professors, has been published by The Ave Maria Press on the campus.

The Rev. John A. O'Brien, noted author and convert-maker, has edited the text of the prayers which are based largely on the meditations of Saint Alphonsus Ligouri. Father O'Brien also has written a foreword in which he traces the history of the traditional Lenten devotion and suggests the way to derive the most spiritual benefit from it.

Robert A. Leader, liturgical designer and a member of Notre Dame's art department faculty, painted the Stations of the Cross which illustrate the new Lenten booklet. The illustrations are reproductions of his Stations which now hang in the chapel of St. Francis Xavier High School, St. Louis, Missouri. Leader's Stations are of contemporary design and treat Christ's journey to Calvary as an epic.

The attractive booklet is available at 10¢, but pastors and Catholic supply houses may order in quantities of one-hundred or more at reduced rates.



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For release in AM's, Wednesday, Feb. 10th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 9 -- One of the thorniest industrial relations problems, how seniority should determine layoffs, will be aired at a Conference on Collective Bargaining and Arbitration to be held at the University of Notre Dame on February 26th. Special attention will be given to the controversy over plant-wide versus departmental seniority. Notre Dame's Department of Economics and College of Law will sponsor the campus conference in cooperation with The American Arbitration Association. More than five-hundred industrial executives and labor leaders are expected to attend the sessions.

James J. Spillane, regional director of the Federal Mediation Service in Chicago, will serve as moderator for a practice collective bargaining session which will consider seniority, union security, grievance procedure and other issues. Management and union officials will negotiate a hypothetical dispute.

Representing management's position in the demonstration will be Robert J. Meehan, director of industrial relations, Continental Can Co., Chicago; William F. Price, Vedder, Price, Kaufman and Kammholz, Chicago; Samuel H. Reed, director of industrial relations, Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., East Chicago, Indiana; and Anthony Schreiner, director of industrial relations, Combustion Engineering Company, East Chicago, Indiana.

Labor's position in the practice collective bargaining session will be defended by Lester Asher of Asher, Gubbins and Segall, Chicago; Raymond H. Berndt, regional director UAW-CIO, Indianapolis; Peter J. Crotty of McMahon and Crotty, Buffalo, N. Y.; and Thomas Peth, president of the Chicago Mailers' Union No. 2, AFL, Chicago.

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For release in PM's, Monday, February 15th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 15 -- Lloyd Paul Stryker, noted trial lawyer, will address students of Notre Dame's College of Law tomorrow (Tuesday) at 11:30 a.m. in the Law Auditorium, Dean Joseph O'Meara, Jr., has announced. In addition to his formal talk, Stryker will answer students' questions at a reception to be held tomorrow evening at the Morris Inn under the auspices of the Student Law Association.

Stryker's searching cross examinations in celebrated trials, including the first Alger Hiss trial, have become models for the legal profession. He is the author of The Art of Advocacy, soon to be published by Simon and Schuster. The book is based on a series of lectures which Stryker delivered last year at the Yale University Law School.

The 68-year-old attorney has a wide experience in the trial of cases and argument of appeals in the state and Federal courts. A native of Chicago, Stryker has engaged in general trial counsel work in New York City since 1930. Earlier he served as general counsel of the New York State Medical Society and as an assistant district attorney.

Stryker is a graduate of Hamilton College where his father served as president for twenty-five years. After graduating from the New York Law School, he was admitted to the New York State Bar in 1909. He is a member of The American Bar Association and has held several offices in the bar associations of his state, city and county.



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For release in AM's, Monday, February 15th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. -- Forty-eight exquisite Japanese prints will be displayed in Notre Dame's O'Shaughnessy Hall of Liberal and Fine Arts through February 28th, according to an announcement today by Professor Stanley S. Sessler, head of the University's department of art. The prints are from the celebrated Ainsworth Print Collection of the Allen Memorial Art Museum of Oberlin College. They will be on view in the art department's exhibition area on the first floor of O'Shaughnessy Hall, Sessler said.

The collection includes representative work from the earliest "Ukiyoye" primitives of the seventeenth century to that of the great landscapists of the nineteenth century. Many of the prints commemorate popular actors and personalities of the time.

Among Oriental masters represented in the collection are Moronobu (1625-94), Masanobu (1686-1764), Haronobu (1750-70), Shunsho (1760-92) and Utamaro (1773-1806). Utamaro is perhaps the most important and best known of the figure print artists. Also represented in the collection are the last great landscape masters, Hiroshige and Hokusai.

The exhibition of works by these Japanese wood-block artists coincides with another exhibition of the works of Georges Rouault, one of the giants of modern print-making, in the University galleries in the same building. According to Professor Sessler, the impressionists and post-impressionists of the School of Paris were particularly influenced by the Japanese Print. Rouault is one of the "grand old men" of this modern school.

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For release in AM's, Friday, February 19th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 18 -- Thousands of documents on the history of the Catholic Church in the United States, formerly inaccessible to historians in America, soon will be available in microfilm to scholars in the University of Notre Dame archives, it was announced today by Reverend Thomas T. McAvoy, C.S.C., university archivist and head of the history department. These documents include letters from American Catholic bishops and missionaries of the nineteenth century to European mission societies which supported them in their work in this country.

Since most of these letters were written precisely to tell the societies about conditions in American missions, they form an indispensable source of the history of the Church in America, Father McAvoy explained. Included are letters by such Church leaders as Archbishop John Hughes of New York, Bishop John England of Charleston, South Carolina, and the Reverend Francis Pierz, a missionary who worked among the Indians of Michigan and Minnesota. The collection also includes correspondence of the Reverend Stephen Theodore Badin, the first Catholic priest ordained in the United States, and the Reverend Edward F. Sorin, C.S.C., founder and first president of the University of Notre Dame.

The letters were written by the American churchmen to mission societies in France, Germany, Austria, Rome, present-day Yugoslavia and Ireland. Father McAvoy began collecting them in Europe in 1951. The project was greatly advanced in 1953 by the travels and research in Europe of Joseph Gregorich of Oak Park, Illinois. Gregorich assisted Father McAvoy while collecting materials for his biography of Bishop Frederick Baraga, first bishop of Marquette, Michigan.

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Since the microfilm collection is currently being used in the preparation of the cause for Bishop Baraga's beatification, it has been named the Bishop Frederick Baraga Collection, Father McAvoy said. He indicated that the collection eventually will be available for hundreds of similar studies of the heroes of the American Catholic missions of the nineteenth century. Represented in the new collection are the records of the Leopoldine Association of Vienna which supplied money and missionaries for most of the dioceses of the Middle West and the Ludwigsmision Verein of Munich which was very active in assisting the American missions during the second half of the nineteenth century.

Originally Father McAvoy undertook to gather only copies of letters from missionaries who worked in the Middle West. However, it became difficult to limit the letters to this one area because some of the missionaries also worked in other sections of the country. As a result, the project was broadened to include all documents dealing with American missionaries which were available in European archives and the collection will be extended as means and materials continue to be made available for copying. Eventually the collection will include copies of letters in the possession of private families and in the records of business concerns, such as fur companies, which had extensive dealings with many missionaries.

According to Father McAvoy, the value of this collection can best be understood by comparing it with the famous "Jesuit Relations" of Jesuit missionaries of the Great Lakes area during the 17th and early 18th centuries which have long been the chief source for the history of the American Indians. While the new Baraga collection tells of the Indians and the frontier, it also documents the work of the missionaries among the newly arrived immigrants along the eastern seaboard and later in the rich farmlands of the Middle West.

There is scarcely a religious community or Catholic charitable or educational institution that did not apply to these European missionary organizations for some aid and in so doing placed before them the story and the description of their missions and their institutions in this country. Father McAvoy pointed out. Some of these letters have been published in Europe, but few copies of the publication were received in this country. More frequently, only parts of the letters were published and thousands were never published at all.

In collecting these microfilm copies, the University of Notre Dame is carrying on the pioneer work of the late James Farnham Edwards, librarian of the University until his death in 1911. In the 1880's Edwards saw the need for preserving the records of the Catholic Church in the United States in a national archives. He enjoyed the cooperation of several prelates, notably Archbishops William H. Elder of Cincinnati and Francis Janssens of New Orleans. He collected several thousand items and called his collection the Catholic Archives of America. While lack of funds and his duties as librarian of the growing University kept Edwards from realizing his dream in full, he must be credited with preserving many important letters and documents in the Notre Dame Library for a later generation of historians.

Although thousands of feet of microfilm have already been received in the Notre Dame archives, much work must be done before the materials can be made generally available to scholars. Present plans call for the preparation of a catalogue of the contents of the rolls of films and a calendar of the letters which will require the work of many scholars. In the meantime, the collection continues to grow and to offer a new and interesting challenge to the student of American history and the role the Catholic Church has played in the exploration and development of a new nation.

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For release in PM's, Thursday, February 18th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 18 -- More than two-hundred companies, constituting a veritable "Who's Who" of American business and industry, will send representatives to the Notre Dame campus to interview seniors and graduate students during the Spring semester, according to W. R. Dooley, university placement director.

"Although our interviewing season is just getting underway, we have already noticed that the seniors' interest in post-college employment is markedly greater than it has been for the past several years," Dooley said. "Even students who are going into the armed forces soon after graduation are thinking more and more about what they are going to do when they get out of uniform."

The leveling off in business conditions has undoubtedly contributed to this change of attitude, Dooley observed. He noted that the large number of 1951 and 1952 college graduates currently being discharged from the service are competing with present students for employers' attention.

An average of six employers from all over the country will be interviewing Notre Dame students each day in the coming weeks, Dooley said. But, reflecting a changing balance in supply and demand, the campus recruiters this year "are more selective in their choice of men," he added.

Graduating seniors with technical training are being offered starting salaries averaging \$355 a month, Dooley reported, while non-technical students are being offered jobs paying about \$315 per month on the average. In hiring college men, Dooley said that companies look for good grades, character, a record of extra-curricular activities and campus leadership, and summer work experience.

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For release in PM's, Wednesday, February 17th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 17 --- Nearly 65% of the fathers of Notre Dame's freshman class who are gainfully employed are professional men or proprietors, managers or officials of a business enterprise, according to recent research directed by Dr. John F. X. Ryan of the University's education department. The same occupational classifications represented only 16.5% of the employed males in the 1940 census, Ryan said.

This study, which involved the parents of 1,379 freshmen students, reveals that about 15% of the fathers are engaged in wholesale or retail work in such fields as real estate, insurance, automobile sales and other similar enterprises. Only 1.84% of the fathers are property-owning farmers as compared with 14% of the employed males nationally.

The number of the fathers who are skilled workers or foremen corresponds closely to the national census average of approximately 15%. The remaining 3% of the fathers are semi-skilled workers, farm workers and laborers.

The study shows that fathers of 79 freshmen or 5.73% are deceased while only one-half of 1% of the fathers are divorced and not responsible for their son's education. The education of 102 of the freshmen is being financed by some source other than the father. The mother was listed as financially responsible in 58% of these cases. Other sources of support are benefactors, 17%; and trust funds, 3%. Nearly 8% of these students financed their own education through employment while the education of 14% is being provided by the Navy.

A separate study indicates that 78% of the students' mothers are housewives while 18% are employed and approximately 2% deceased. No data was available on the remaining 2%.



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For release in AM's, Sunday, February 14th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 13 — Francis A. O'Neill, Jr., Chairman of the National Mediation Board, will be the principal speaker at the Conference on Collective Bargaining and Arbitration to be held at the University of Notre Dame on February 26th, it was announced today by the Rev. Mark J. Fitzgerald, C.S.C., conference chairman. O'Neill will speak on "Mediation and Fact Finding in Labor Relations," Father Fitzgerald said.

Another address on "Disputes Settlement in a Democratic Economy" by J. Noble Braden, executive vice-president of the American Arbitration Association, will keynote the conference. The Association has joined with Notre Dame's Department of Economics and College of Law in sponsoring the conference for the second consecutive year.

More than five-hundred management and labor officials and other industrial relations specialists are expected to attend the sessions. Advance registration has already reached the three-hundred mark. Registrants will be welcomed to the campus by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame.

Other items on the conference agenda include a panel discussion on recent trends in labor arbitration, a practice collective bargaining session, and another panel discussion on the proposed amendments to the Taft-Hartley Act. Serving as chairmen or moderators of these three parts of the program will be W. Willard Wirtz, professor of law, Northwestern University; James J. Spillane, formerly regional director of the Federal Mediation Service in Chicago; and Carroll R. Daugherty, professor of economics at Northwestern University.

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For release in PM's, Monday, February 22nd:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 22 -- Dr. Ludwig Von Mises, internationally known authority on business cycles, will give a series of three lectures this week (Tues., Thurs. and Fri. at 2:30 p.m.) on "The Economic Role of Capital" to students in Notre Dame's College of Commerce, Dean James E. McCarthy has announced.

The Austrian economist currently is a visiting professor in the Graduate School of Business Administration at New York University. Dr. Von Mises formerly served as professor of economics at the University of Vienna and as vice-president of the Austrian Institute for Business Cycle Research. He also held the post of professor of international economic relations at the Graduate Institute of International Studies in Geneva, Switzerland.

Dr. Von Mises has lectured in Great Britain, Germany, The Netherlands, France, Italy, Mexico and Peru. Among his more recent books are: Planning for Freedom, Planned Chaos, Bureaucracy, and Omnipotent Government.

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For release in PM's, Tuesday, February 23rd:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 26 -- Notre Dame's seventh annual World Trade Conference will be held on May 18th, it was announced today by Wesley Bender, professor of marketing and conference chairman. "Sales and Sales Promotion Abroad" will be the theme of this year's sessions, Bender said.

More than 150 businessmen engaged in exporting activities attend the annual conference which is sponsored by the Department of Marketing of the University's College of Commerce. Talks and panel discussions deal with the various aspects of foreign trade including advertising, sales and sales promotion, finance, packaging, transportation and insurance.

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For release in PM's, Thursday, February 25th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 25 -- More than 500 Midwest industrial executives, union officials and industrial relations specialists will attend a Conference on Collective Bargaining and Arbitration tomorrow (Friday) at the University of Notre Dame.

Francis A. O'Neill, Jr., chairman of the National Mediation Board, will address the conference (1:30 p.m.) on "Mediation and Fact Finding In Labor Relations." J. Noble Braden, executive vice-president of The American Arbitration Association, also will speak (10:00 a.m.) on "Disputes Settlement In A Democratic Economy." The American Arbitration Association has joined Notre Dame's Department of Economics and College of Law in sponsoring the conference.

A panel discussion of proposed amendments to the controversial Taft-Hartley Law (3:45 p.m.) will be a highlight of the sessions. Carroll R. Daugherty, professor of economics at Northwestern University, will preside over a panel consisting of A. W. Brussell, counsel, Congress of Industrial Organizations, Chicago; William Miller, vice-president for industrial relations, Stewart-Warner Co., Chicago; Daniel D. Carmell, general counsel, Illinois Federation of Labor; and Floyd C. Wallace, executive vice-president, J. D. Adams Manufacturing Co., Indianapolis.

Another panel on "Recent Trends in Labor Arbitration" (10:30 a.m.) will be composed of three arbitrators and three men each representing management and labor. The three arbitrators will be W. Willard Wirtz, professor of law, Northwestern University; Patrick J. Fisher, Indianapolis attorney; and Clarence M. Updegraf, professor of law, University of Iowa.

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Representing management in the discussion will be C. L. Christopherson, Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co., East Chicago, Ind.; Owen Fairweather, Seyfarth, Shaw and Fairweather, Chicago; and R. B. Young, Continental Foundry and Machinery Co., Gary, Indiana. Labor's position will be represented by Edward J. Fillenwarth, Gregg, Fillion, Fillenwarth and Hughes, Indianapolis; Ben Fischer, international representative, United Steel Workers, Pittsburgh; and Raymond Shetterly, international representative, United Auto Workers, Indianapolis.

A practice collective bargaining session (2:15 p.m.) rounds out the day's program. James J. Spillane, former regional director of the Federal Mediation Service in Chicago, will be moderator of the session which will take up such issues as union security, seniority and grievance procedure.

Participants in the collective bargaining demonstration will include Robert J. Meehan, director of industrial relations, Continental Can Co., Chicago; William F. Price, Vedder, Price, Kaufman and Kammholz, Chicago; Samuel H. Reed, director of industrial relations, Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, East Chicago, Ind.; Anthony Schreiner, director of industrial relations, Combustion Engineering Co., East Chicago, Indiana.

Also Lester Asher, Asher, Gubbins and Segall, Chicago; Raymond H. Berndt, regional director, United Auto Workers, Indianapolis; Peter J. Crotty, McMahon and Crotty, Buffalo, New York; and Thomas Peth, president, Chicago Mailers' Union No. 2, Chicago.

The Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., President of Notre Dame, will welcome conference registrants to the campus. Presiding at various times during the conference will be the Rev. Thomas J. McDonagh, C.S.C., head of the Economics Department; Dean Joseph O'Meara, Jr., and John J. Broderick, assistant dean, of the College of Law; and the Rev. Mark J. Fitzgerald, C.S.C., Professor of Economics and conference chairman.

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For release in AM's, Friday, February 26th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 25 -- A play written eighty-seven years ago by Henrik Ibsen would seem to have little relationship to the training of the modern architect. But twenty-one Notre Dame architecture students have designed and built miniature stage sets of "Peer Gynt" as a project for a course called Studies in Color.

Professor Paul Jacques Grillo asked his students to read the Ibsen fantasy and to listen to the music of Edvard Grieg. Once familiar with the work of the two Norwegian masters, each student selected a scene from the play. The assignment first called for a sketch and then a model stage set.

The results of their work, twenty-one colorful stage settings, currently are on exhibition in the Notre Dame architecture school. The models were judged by the architecture faculty on the basis of their color design, lighting and overall composition. The winning stage set, designed and built by Charles J. Gulde of Amarillo, Texas, is equipped with a series of push buttons providing several variations in lighting.

Professor Grillo, who has painted a Carnegie Hall mural and designed an Alpine resort, believes it is important to develop artistic imagination in the architecture student along with sound engineering training.

"The architect is, above all, an artist," Professor Grillo says. He contends that there has been "too much emphasis" on purely technical training. He laments the fact that so many people regard the architect merely as a technician. "At Notre Dame," Grillo says, "we are trying to train architects who are creative artists in their own right. Buildings are, after all, the living expression of the personality of the architect who designed them, mindful of the needs of the people who are to live and work in them."



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For release in AM's, Wednesday, February 24th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 23 -- "Whom to marry and how to conduct a Christian courtship are two of the most important questions a young man faces," the Reverend Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, declared here tonight (Tues.) at the opening session of the University's Marriage Institute of 1954.

Father Hesburgh reminded more than 500 Notre Dame seniors and graduate students that "the weaknesses which spoil marriage are present in the character of people before they marry. If a young man makes an intelligent and prudent choice of his life partner, he has taken a long step toward insuring a successful marriage," he said.

"The conduct of courtship can set the tone for married life," Father Hesburgh asserted. "A good courtship is the only way of determining that two people are well suited to each other and willing to work together for life in the partnership of married love," he said.

The Marriage Institute, sponsored by the Senior Class and the Department of Religion, evolved in part from an elective course in "Christian Marriage" formerly taught by Father Hesburgh. In the years immediately following World War II, Father Hesburgh was chaplain to Notre Dame's married veterans and their families.

Other Institute speakers and their subjects in succeeding weeks include Rev. Charles Sheedy, C.S.C., "Sex Morality"; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strubbe, "Family Structure; Male and Female Psychology"; Rev. Francis Nealy, O.P., "Canon Law on Marriage"; Dr. John Kane, "Tensions of Mixed Marriage"; Robert McCready, M.D.; The Doctor's Point of View"; Rev. Thomas McDonough, "Spirituality in Marriage"; and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burke, "Success in Marriage."

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For immediate release:

New York, N. Y., Feb. -- The Vanishing Irish, the best-seller edited by the Rev. John A. O'Brien of the University of Notre Dame, is the book-of-the-month selection of The Irish Book Club of America according to an announcement by Devin A. Garrity, Director of the Irish Book Club. No serious study of the Irish in recent years has received the acclaim of critics on both sides of the Atlantic which has been given to The Vanishing Irish, Garrity said.

The book is a friendly and sympathetic probing of the causes of the strange decline of the population in Ireland as well as the failure of the Irish in America to increase in the same proportion as other national groups. It is a symposium embodying contributions from sixteen noted Irish writers, all of them characterized by a kindly and sympathetic attitude toward the Irish people and by a willingness to face disturbing facts with candor and honesty.

The Vanishing Irish has stirred widespread interest throughout Ireland. The Irish Times, a leading Dublin newspaper, is printing the book in serial form. Reports from Ireland indicate that the leaders of the Irish republic, as well as the people generally, are thoroughly aroused to the danger facing them and are studying constructive measures to remedy a situation threatening the very existence of the Irish people.

McGraw-Hill and Company of New York, publishers of The Vanishing Irish, report that the first large printing has been exhausted and a second edition soon will be off the press.

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Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. -- Destitute Korean children will benefit from the current subscription drive of THE CATHOLIC BOY, published by the Holy Cross Fathers at Notre Dame. The Rev. Frank Gartland, C.S.C., editor of the popular youth magazine, has announced that 20% of subscription receipts will be earmarked for starving and homeless children of the war-torn land.

"If each of the 70,000 subscribers to THE CATHOLIC BOY would sell just one subscription (\$2.50)," Father Gartland points out, \$35,000 could be raised for Korea."

Each month THE CATHOLIC BOY presents an interesting assortment of stories and articles tailored to the interests of boys of high school and pre-high school age. The February issue features "Curbstone Apostle," an article about the Rev. John A. O'Brien and his street-preaching activities in the South. The same issue contains a science feature on undersea life, a story of a young boy who met Abraham Lincoln and the regular sports features and cartoons.

The Most Rev. Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston, advisory editor of THE CATHOLIC BOY, has expressed the wish that "every boy in the country would get it and read it regularly."

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For release in AM's, Sunday, Feb. 21st:

Notre Dame, Ind., Feb. 20 — Presentation of Notre Dame's new "Patriot of the Year Award" to FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover will be a highlight of the 105th annual Washington's Birthday exercises of the senior class here on Monday evening (8 p.m.).

Official business prevents the veteran Justice Department official from receiving the award in person. Hoover has designated Harvey G. Foster, special agent in charge of the FBI's Boston office, to accept the award in his behalf and deliver the address which he had prepared for the occasion. Foster is a former president of the Notre Dame Alumni Association. Thomas Field, Wilmington, Delaware, president of the Student Senate, will make the award presentation.

More than 700 Notre Dame seniors will participate in the traditional Washington's Birthday convocation in the University Drill Hall. Continuing a century-old custom, William J. Guilfoile of Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin, president of the senior class, will present an American flag to the University. The flag, which traditionally is flown for the first time on the day of the seniors' graduation, will be accepted by the Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., executive vice-president of the University.

Hoover, who has served as Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation since 1924, recently was named "Patriot of the Year" in a poll of Notre Dame's senior class. The award was inaugurated to honor "the outstanding patriot of the year who exemplifies the American ideals of justice, personal integrity and service to country". Hoover received an honorary degree at Notre Dame in 1942.

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For release in AM's, Sunday, February 28th:

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 27 -- The Society of Illinois Bacteriologists today named Professor James A. Reyniers of the University of Notre Dame as the recipient of its Pasteur Award for 1954. Reyniers, who is founder and director of Notre Dame's LOBUND Institute, was selected "for his pioneering work in germ-free research," according to Dr. J. C. McCaffrey, award committee chairman.

Formal presentation of the Pasteur Award in the form of an engraved scroll will be made to Professor Reyniers at a dinner meeting of the Society in May, McCaffrey said. Reyniers will report the results of his research to fellow-scientists at that time.

The Pasteur Award was established in 1948 to honor annually an outstanding Midwest bacteriologist for his contributions to microbiology. Previous award recipients have included Dr. Forest Huddleson, Michigan State College; Dr. Stewart A. Koser, University of Chicago; the late Dr. J. Bronfenbrenner, Washington University; Dr. C. H. Werkman, Iowa State College; Dr. S. E. Luria, University of Illinois; and Dr. Howard J. Shaughnessy, Illinois State Public Health Department.

Under Professor Reyniers' leadership, Notre Dame's LOBUND Institute has developed the germ-free animal as a unique tool in medical and biological research. Reyniers and his associates have designed and built equipment and developed techniques which make it possible for animals to be born, live a normal life span and die without ever coming into contact with a single germ. Using these living test-tubes, the Notre Dame scientists recently proved that germs in the mouth were necessary to produce tooth decay. Other research projects underway include studies of radiation sickness, cancer, liver necrosis, antibiotics and growth, protein metabolism and the role of bacteria in nutrition.

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For release in AM's, Friday, March 5th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Mar. 4 -- The Most Reverend Paul Schulte, Archbishop of Indianapolis, will deliver the keynote address at the eighth annual Vocation Institute to be held at the University of Notre Dame, July 15-18, it was announced today by the Rev. John H. Wilson, C.S.C., Director of the Institute. The speaker at the final session will be the Most Reverend William T. Mulloy, Bishop of Covington (Ky.), Father Wilson said.

More than 200 priests, Brothers, Sisters and laymen representing many religious communities and dioceses are expected to attend the Institute. The annual meeting has become a center for the exchange of information on the fostering and guidance of vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

"The Psychology of Vocation" will be the general theme of this year's sessions. The Rev. Charles J. D. Corcoran, O. P., of the Dominican House of Studies, River Forest, Ill., will discuss "Temperament and Vocation." The Rev. Charles Harris, C.S.C., of Notre Dame will present a paper on "Development of Personality in the Religious Life."

"Testing and Screening" for the priesthood and religious life will be the panel discussion subject of Sister M. Digna, O. S. B. of the College of St. Scholastica, Duluth, Minn., and Edward R. Quinn, Director of Testing and Guidance at Notre Dame. Quinn has administered personality, aptitude and intelligence tests to thousands of Notre Dame students including novitiate and major seminary candidates.

Registration for the Institute will open July 15th with the first formal session scheduled for the morning of July 16th. The Institute will close with a Holy Hour in Sacred Heart Church on Sunday afternoon, July 18th. Further information may be obtained from the Rev. John H. Wilson, C.S.C., Holy Cross Seminary, Notre Dame, Indiana.



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For release in PM's, Friday, March 5th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Mar. 5 -- "Pray for China!"

That is the plea of three young Chinese priests, refugees from their Red-ruled homeland, who recently enrolled in the University of Notre Dame Graduate School. They are Fathers Anthony Chen, Peter Keng and Paulinus Sun. They were ordained at Vigan on Luzon in the Philippines in 1952 after fleeing China in 1949, a step ahead of the advancing Communist forces.

"Pray for those we left behind. That's about all we can do for now," Father Chen says. After completing their studies at Notre Dame, the three priests hope to go to Formosa and eventually to the Chinese mainland.

Often seen together on the campus and in nearby South Bend, the three priests were boyhood friends in the city of Yenchowfu in northern China. They were students in the Catholic seminary there when the Communists began their march of conquest through China. Their superiors sent them to the Philippines to complete their studies for the priesthood.

None of the three has heard anything of their families in three years. They fear for the safety of their loved ones as word reaches them of increasing persecution of Christians under the Red regime.

Because the Communists claim a "people's" government, the Christians, the businessmen and the educated people of China are not supposedly persecuted because of their religion or background, Father Keng explains. Instead, he says, they are accused of spying and treason.

All China expects Nationalist forces to return to the mainland and liberate the country, the priests say. Meantime, the three priests study and pray for the oppressed people whom they will serve in the land they love and long for.

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For release in PM's, Monday, March 1st:

Notre Dame, Ind., Mar. 1 -- Dr. E. K. Francis, associate professor of sociology at the University of Notre Dame, has received a grant from the American Philosophical Society for the continuation of his research on the Spanish-Americans in the Upper Rio Grande Valley.

During the Easter vacation period, Dr. Francis will study documents in the archives of the Archdiocese of Santa Fe. He also expects to attend the rites and ceremonies observed at Easter-time in the remote Spanish villages of the Sangre di Christo mountains in New Mexico.

Dr. Francis has undertaken similar studies on a variety of minority groups both in America and Europe and is preparing a major theoretical work on the sociology of the ethnic group. His manuscript on the Manitoba Mennonites is to be published soon in microfilm by the University of Toronto Press.

Earlier studies of ethnic groups by Dr. Francis have been underwritten by several learned societies and institutions including the Manitoba Historical and Scientific Society, Social Science Research Council, Canadian Social Science Research Council, the Rockefeller Foundation and the University of Notre Dame.

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For release in AM's, Monday, March 1st,

Notre Dame, Ind., Mar. 1 -- Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, authority on semantics and lecturer at the University of Chicago, today (Monday at 4:30 p.m.) will give the first of a series of ten lectures on "The Science of Words" to students in Notre Dame's College of Commerce. He will lecture at Notre Dame each Monday and Tuesday during the month of March.

Dr. Hayakawa is the author of Language in Thought and Action and has contributed many articles to professional journals. He is the editor of "ETC", a semantics publication.

From 1940-47 Dr. Hayakawa was a faculty member at the Illinois Institute of Technology. He took his undergraduate work at the University of Manitoba, received his master's degree at McGill University and was awarded his Ph.D. by the University of Wisconsin.

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For release in PM's, Thursday, March 4th:

Notre Dame, Ind., Mar. 4 --- A new sequence of graduate and undergraduate courses concerned with the educational and cultural problems brought about by the development of modern science will be taught during the University of Notre Dame Summer Session, June 18-August 3, according to an announcement today by the Rev. Bernard I. Mullahy, C.S.C., head of the philosophy department.

"The meaning of modern science is one of the basic intellectual problems of modern history," Father Mullahy said. The new sequence of studies, he explained, is intended primarily for present and prospective teachers of philosophy and science in liberal arts colleges. It evolved in part, he said, from a recent self-study of Notre Dame's liberal education curriculum.

Five courses making up the program will compare various views, ancient and modern, about the physical universe. They are Cosmology, The Study of Nature, The Philosophy of Science, The Logic of Science, and Seminar on Science and Philosophy. The courses will be taught by Dr. Vincent E. Smith, director of the program; Dr. John J. Glanville and Dr. John FitzGerald, assisted by other members of the philosophy department faculty.

Study of Nature, to be taught by Dr. Smith, will discuss the methods and results of the ancient approach to the physical universe in terms of the philosophy of Aristotle. The Seminar will study original sources in modern science with a view toward establishing the validity and scope of the modern approach to nature.

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54/34	2/18/54	Washington Birthday Exercise to be Hoover as Patriot of the Year