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ARCHBISHOP FILIPPI MAKES STATEMENT TO N. C. W. C. NEWS SERVICE

Washington, D. C., Jan. 29.—His Excellency, the Most Rev. Ernesto Filippi, Titular Archbishop of Sardica and Apostolic Delegate to Mexico, has arrived here en route to Rome, where he will report personally to Pope Pius regarding the incidents which caused the Mexican government to issue a decree that leave that country in seventytwo hours.

There was neither intended nor actual violation of the Mexican law involved in the ceremony at the Mountain of Cubilete, which was seized upon by enemies of the Church to demand his expulsion, declared Archbishop Filippi in an interview given to the N. C. W. C. News Service. Governor Madraso of the State in which the ceremonies were held approved the program before it was carried out, Msgr. Filippi explained. He further pointed out that he had previously participated in a similar ceremony in the capital itself without a single

protest.

Archbishop Filippi did not participate in the religious procession held in connection with the ceremonies at Cubilete. This procession took place on the day previous to his participation in the ceremony of the blessing of the cornerstone of the

ARCHBISHOP FILIPPI'S STATEMENT President Obregon was always kind and gentle to me, and it is very hard for me to understand the reason for this drastic measure," de-clared Archbishop Filippi. "There clared Archbishop Filippi. "There was no violation of the law involved. The Mountain of Cubilete, where the ceremony of blessing the corner-stone took place, is private property. It is not therefore a public place. Distinguished lawyers corroborated this opinion. Governor Madraso approved all the cere-Bishop of Leon, in whose diocese the site of the provisional church is located, assuring him that there would be no question of a violation during the year. of law. Afterwards, when pressure was exerted from another quarter, the Governor changed his views and it was contended that the law was violated because the participating prelates took part in a public procession. I took no part in the pro-cession, which occurred on the day previous to the day on which I blessed the cornerstone.

"The site on which the ceremony of blessing the cornerstone took place was a provisional or temporary church, since a complete church not be expected to exist where the first stone was being laid. According to the contentions now held it always would be impossible to solemnize the religious laying of a cornerstone. I participated in a similar ceremony in the capital itself, in the colony 'del Velle,' without any protest being made.

"Legal opinion was strongly in favor of my right to participate in the ceremony. One distinguished lawyer pointed out that according to Article 24 of the Constitution, public acts of worship can be celebrated in the churches and private houses and declared that the property of an individual should beyond doubt be considered part of his residence. Such was the case

at the Mountain of Cubilete.
"Besides, it was pointed out by this lawyer, we must take into consideration the reasons alleged by yards of his district. In 1884 he disvide material for devotion for every yards of his district. In 1884 he disvide material for devotion for every the very authors of these reform laws for forbidding public acts of These reasons were that persons of different religions might be hurt by processions and other religious acts in the public thoroughfares, and, moreover that they wished to avoid any disagreement or friction whatever. None of these circumstances existed in the case under consideration. There, on private property, a multitude of persons of the same religious belief

to make themselves ridiculous by a protestation published in the press of the 14th instant against the flagrant violation made of the Reform laws by the traitorous party called clerical in arrogating to themselves the faculty of raising a monument to Christ the King (?) on the Mountain of Cubilete—an act paralized by our laws.

'traitorous clerical party' that wishes to erect a monument to Senderens to membership, the Christ the King, since from every part of the Ramblia offerings awarded Christ the King, since from every part of the Republic offerings have been sent for the monument; because it is Catholic Mexico that is raising it, and the Catholics in professor at the Catholic Institute of Paris, for his work in connection with vegetable physiology; a prize with vegetable physiology; a prize of the catholic in the vegetable physiology; a prize of the catholic institute of Paris, for his work in connection with vegetable physiology; a prize of the Republic offerings have been sent for the monument; as the catholic institute of Paris, for his work in connection with vegetable physiology; a prize of the Republic offerings have been sent for the monument; as the catholic institute of Paris, for his work in connection with vegetable physiology; a prize of the Republic offerings have been sent for the monument; as the catholic institute of Paris, for his work in connection with vegetable physiology.

as the total.
"Third: The Cubilete is the

"Fourth: The contemptuous question mark placed after the expression 'Christ, the King,' as well as the spirit of the entire protestation shows forth in the clearest manner the unmasked rage of the lodges. Nevertheless, we are wearied by hearing Masonry proclaiming itself neutral, a philanthropic society, a mutual aid, etc. Let this open the eyes of any candid fool who may yet need to be oblightened.

"His Excellency, the Apostolic Delegate, has given to his offenders a lesson of delicacy and dignity. Without a word of reproach or defense, refusing courteously every offer of diplomatic or legal steps in his favor, he retires silently from the country he loves so well, where, in return, he is so loved so sincerely, so heartily venerated.

### CATHOLIC SOCIETY NOTES

Mrs. F. J. Gaudet was elected President of the Catholic Women's League of the Sault at the third annual meeting held in the Knights of Columbus Club Rooms here.

The reports of the officers and committees were very satisfactory showing an increase in the activities of the League of one hundred per cent. over the previous year.
One of the features of the secre-

tary's report was the account of the distribution of hundreds of bottles of milk to the children of monies and communicated with the various families in the Sault, in of assistance. Donations were also made to various public

Greetings were read from Miss Guerin, of Ottawa, Dominion Presi-dent of the League, and also a letter from Rev. Father Rousselle, of Elk Lake, acknowledging with a note of appreciation the six boxes of goods sent by the League in aid of the

Haileybury fire sufferers.

A very hearty vote of thanks and appreciation of the splendid work done, was tendered the retiring officers. The following ladies will hold office for the year 1928: Pre-sident, Mrs. T. J. Gaudet 1st Vice, Dr. C. McCarthy; and Vice, Mrs. M. J. Mahon; ard Vice, Mrs. J. J. Fitzpatrick; 4th Vice, Mrs. S. O'Connor; Recording Sec., Mrs. D. A. Mundy; Corresponding Sec., Mrs. H. L. Bottrell; Treasurer, Mrs.

#### ACADEMY OF SCIENCES HONORS PRIEST

Paris, Jan. 12.-The Academy of Sciences has elected as a corresponding member in the Section of Chemistry, a priest, Canon Sen-derens, professor of chemistry and scientific director of the Catholic Institute of Toulouse.

Before specializing in chemistry and industrial chemistry, Abbe Senderens became famous for the gained.

church."

COMMENT OF CATHOLIC ORGAN

Archbishop Filippi called attention to the comment made by La Dama Catolica, the national organ of the Union of the Catholic Ladies of Mexico, regarding the attitude adopted by the Freemasons of Mexico City with respect to the religious observance at Cubilete.

chemistry at the Faculty of Sciences of the Holy Hour are given for each month of the year and for four special occasions. The subject for each month is related to the Holy Eucharist—as, for example, May:

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament; and June: The Sacred ment; and June: The Sacred religious observance at Cubilete.

"The Masons of this city," says
La Dama Catolica, "thought proper to make themselves ridiculous discovered a disc method for preparing incomplete carbides, ether-oxydes, ether-salts,

by a protestation published in the press of the 14th instant against the flagrant violation made of the Reform laws by the traitorous party called clerical in arrogating to themselves the faculty of raising a monument to Christ the King (?) on the Mountain of Cubilete—an act penalized by our laws.'

"First: What does not exist cannot be violated, and nothing exists actually that can be called 'Reform Laws.' These laws were incorporated in the Constitution of 1857, and it is evident that they were abolished when said Constitution was abolished. The precepts or articles which it was desired should remain in vigor were incorporated in the Constitution of 1917. To this, then, we must refer and nothing else.

Abbe Senderens also discovered a method for preparing incompletes carbides, ether-oxydes, ether-salts, ethe.

Abbe Senderens was several times chairman of the chemical section of the Congrega-dition for the Advancement of Science.

Bis scientific work does not absorb his whole time, however, and Abbe Senderens was several times chairman of the chemical section of the Blessed Sacrament, and in recommending it to his priests and people, Bishop Molloy comments on the "orderly and attractive grouping of the devotions" (which is greatly assisted by the very careful arrangement of type and spacing, and on the "wise and practical selection of venerable and richly indulgenced prayers." "The Prayer Book of Eucharistic Devotions" is of inestimable value to both priest and people, for it presents an order of exercises for the viewpoint of Catholic doctrine, of the origin and dormation of the universe, the origin and answers the criticism and objections of the enemies of belief in God.

In addition to electing Canon with vegetable physiology; a prize of 1,000 francs to Abbe Tailhard de "Third: The Cubilete is the private property of Dr. Macias. By the erection of the monument on it with the owner's permission no one arrogates to himself any faculty whatever. Where, then, is 'the act penalized by our laws?'
"Fourth: The contemptions of vegetable physiology of the Catholic Institute for her physicochemical study on the inversion of sugar, published in collaboration with Abbe Colin.

#### A WORTHY WORK

The Alumni Association of Newman Club has seized another opportunity of fostering Catholic Social Service Work. This is the organization ing of a patients' library in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

Books are at present being collected and catalogued and in a few days the library will be in operation. Teams are being organized among the girl students at Newman Club—they will visit the hospital three days a week and by means of small wagons pushed by hand will convey to each ward a generous assortment of books. In this way the individual taste of every patient. the individual taste of every patient will be catered to, and wonderful curative and educational effects are

sure to follow.

Appeals are being made by the Alumni Association of Newman Club to help this worthy work and Ontario is responding Catholic

generously. The Library Committee appointed by the Alumni Association of Newman Club are Misses Florence Quintan, Winifred Prendegast Ruth Agnew, Helen McDonnell, and

Dr. Frank O'Leary.
Donations whether of books and magazines or of money may be addressed to the Library Committee St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto.

## NEW BOOK

PRAYER BOOK OF EUCHARISTIC DEVOTIONS

Compiled and amplified by Rev. Thomas J. O'Brien. Introduction by Right Rev. Thomas E. Molloy, D. D., Bishop of Brooklyn, New York: 300 pages. Round corners. Gold title on front and backbone. Cloth, red edges, \$1.50. Flexible leather binding, gold edges, \$2.25. Genuine morocco, red under gold

The title of this new prayer book is descriptive of its predominating motif—not only does it give the liturgical and popular forms of pious exercises with which the faithful are accustomed to honor. Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist, but meditations and presers for but meditations and prayers for such universal devotions as the Rosary and the Stations of the Cross are directed toward the Real Presence of Jesus on our altars.
Father O'Brien is the Diocesan
Director of the Priests' Eucharistic
League, and his offering is at once a complete prayer book and a spiritual treasury, for he has given preference throughout to the prayers of the Breviary, the Raccolta and the Roman Missal, whereby many indulgences can be

covered a means of saving the vines of Bas-Languedoc by a process Blessed Sacrament is given in full, which was communicated to the in extra large type, with notes on Academy of Sciences by Pasteur. ritual; such parts as the Credo. As a result of his work, Abbe Gloria, etc., in both Latin and Senderens was entrusted with several missions, and was success- of prayers and hymns for Holy Senderens was entrusted with several missions, and was successful in combating phyloxers. He was also for several years head of the Commissions charged with the study of methods for the destruction of mildew and black-rot.

But the reputation established by persons of the same religious belief gathered for a popular and religious ceremony. The blessing of the cornerstone of the monument took place in a space enclosed on all sides. This place was, therefore, our provisional or temporary church."

The destruction of mindew and black-rot.

But the reputation established by Abbe Senderens in the scientific world is due above all to his study of catalysis, pursued in collaboration with M. Sabatier, professor of chemistry at the Faculty of Sciences of the Holy Hour are given for each month of the year and for four aristic Rosary, etc., and Section 6, the Mass prayers, procession hymns and ceremonies of the Forty aristic

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DOYLE.—At his late residence 285 Fourth Street, Midland, Ont., on Saturday, December 80, 1922, Mr. James Doyle, Sr. May his soul rest in peace.

MULHALL.-At Proton, on Friday, Jan. 19th, 1923, Mary Mulhall, (nee Mary Marrie) widow of the late William Mulhall, aged sixty years, four months. May her soul rest in

Hospital, Guelph, on Saturday, January 27th, 1923, James McNaughton, formerly of the Township of Guelph. Funeral took place from his late residence 53 Cambridge Street, Guelph, on Tuesday morning, January 30th. Interment in the R. C. cemetery, Guelph. May his soul rest in peace.

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