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**THE DENY**

**Speaker to Represent Marian At Inter-American Meeting**

Active membership of Marian College in the National Catholic Educational Association; Commission on Inter-American Action, Chicago area, will begin at the Pan American day meeting of that organization to be held at St. Xavier College, Chicago, April 14.

Patricia Hagan, Marian College sophomore and leader of activities in the campus Inter-American club, will be a discussion leader at the afternoon session. Her specific topic, "The Four Freedoms," is part of the section on "Hemispheric Unity in the Americas." Three months of study and another of vacationing in Cuba last semester have given Miss Hagan personal experience of some Inter-American problems.

Members of the Inter-American club are forming an official delegation to represent the college. Some of them plan to take a tour of Chicago.

**Morning Session (Auditorium)**

10:00 Business Meeting

A. Is There Unity in the Americas Today?
1. U. S. and Canada; 2. The Hispanic Union; 3. The Inter-American Union of Tomorrow.

B. What are the Possibilities for World Unity?

Questions and Discussion
12:30 Luncheon (Cafeteria)

**Afternoon Session**

1:00 Sectional Meetings

A. Hemispheric Unity in the Americas.
1. The Poor Freedoms
2. National Sovereignty
3. Spiritual Inter-American content

B. International Unity and the Americas.
(Divisions similar to those under A)

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**Cathedral Rites, Reception Honor Monsignor Doyle**

Formal investiture of the Very Reverend Monsignor John J. Doyle, Ph. D., as papal chamberlain took place at SS. Peter and Paul cathedral, Laetare Sunday, March 11. Following solemn Vesper and the confessing of papal honors, His Excellency, The Most Reverend John J. Doyle, D.D., addressed the newly honored clergy and laitymen and the vacant see of people assembled. He called attention to the dignity of the priesthood and to the real and sincerity of the priests of the archdiocese. He interpreted anew the dignity as recognition of loyalty administered to further service.

First among Monsignor Doyle's special guests of the day was his mother, Marian College faculty and students attended the ceremony.

Tuesday, March 13, was designated "Rev. Monsignor Doyle Day" at Marian. A thanksgiving High Mass, celebrated in the college chapel, was attended by all students in cap and gown.

A economics students prepared and served a formal dinner for the clergy. Table decorations were planned to commemorate St. Patrick's day.

Reminiscence preceded the reception at SS. Peter and Paul. At the reception program The Reversion Rountoul, O.T.M., professor of psychology at Marian, gave the formal congratulatory address in the name of the faculty and students. Alton Gaden, president of the Student Association, and Mary Anne Herman, vice president, presented the students' tribute of appreciation. Musical selections were contributed by the Bel Canto and orchestra.

**3. Welles Plan; 4. Culbertson Plan.**

**Future Session**

2. What are the Possibilities for World Unity?

Questions and Discussion
12:30 Luncheon (Cafeteria)

**Dr. Malan Takes Third Term Oath**

Sister Mary Cephas, dear, and Sister Mary Olivia, director of teacher-training, attended the installation of Dr. Clement M. Malan, Indiana state superintendent of public instruction, Thursday, March 15. The ceremony took place in the Indiana supreme court room of the statehouse. The oath of office was administered by Judge Frank Gillikson and the formal address was delivered by Kenneth C. Hay, Ohio state superintendent of public instruction. Public welcome was extended by Judge Frank Gillikson and the formal address was the students in the school. Music on the program was furnished by choirs and instrumental ensembles from Indianapolis high schools. An impressive patriotic feature was the pledge of allegiance to the flag, led by a color guard and a group of boys representing eight local high schools.

Dr. Malan is entering upon his third two-year term of office.

**Lecturer Describes Indiana Wild Life**

Mr. Scott McCoy, director of the botanical gardens at Holliday Park, Indianapolis, and botany teacher at Arsenal Technical High School, gave Marian faculty and students an illustrated lecture on birds and flowers Friday, March 16. The lecture, arranged by the science club, featured Indiana birds and flowers, photographed in their native habitats or sketches from life. The nightjewel, and rose vireos were perhaps least familiar.

Mr. McCoy travels over the state in a dandy collecting toms and flowers. His particular interest is preserving native wild flowers. He carries on exchange correspondence with superintendents of botanical gardens in areas throughout the United States which have climatic conditions similar to those of Indiana. He is also working to build up the library on nature-lore at Holliday Park. His own contributions to the literature of ecology have been valuable.

Science club members had an introduction to the lecture in the (Continued on Page 2)

**Features were: a movie, "Seeing Them Through," and addresses by Ms. Norle Carver, former American Red Cross field director in Corsica and North Africa, and Chief Specialist (F) George C. Stumpf, recently in service on the "Liberty Ship." Mr. Stumpf has been awarded the Purple Heart, an Army award rarely given to Navy men, the Navy and Marine Corps medal, and a citation from Admiral N. K. Hewitt.

The progress of the campus fund drive as it approaches its 125-dollar goal is charted on a huge red cross posted on the organization's bulletin board. Unit treasurer, Mary Louise Alter, assisted by Jacqueline Byrne, Virginia Wise, Rosemary Doyle, Doris Aiken, Patricia Winship, and Margaret Coke, is conducting the drive.

Students who contribute one dollar or more receive the usual symbols of membership: the lapel pin, window emblem, and membership card. They will also have the right to vote for Marian unit officers, Friday, April 6, as well as to be nominated for the offices.

Fund soliciting has not been limited to the campus. Marian staff assistant volunteered their services to the Indianapolis chapter for theater collections during the month.

Double your Easter joy. Add Red Cross giving to your final preparations.

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**"I saw the tomb of the Living Christ . . . and the glory of the Risen One."—Sequence, Easter Mass**
Inter-racial Justice

Inter-racial Justice week, March 4-11, sponsored by Manhattanville College, New York, has once more brought into the open a real bidsile skeleton—the problem of racial prejudice and discrimination. It must not be thought that this skeleton is a lifeless, harmless thing; openly or covertly it continually affects the nation, working in its vast hatred, bitterness, and injustice.

Racial discrimination is a problem that must be faced and an achievement of racial equality, however, must not be an insurgent wave of good fellowship that will go out with the tide, rather it must be an unceasing effort based upon a true moral conception of the laws of Justice; it must be a decision which has formed not only in the heart of the individual, but also in his schools.

The acknowledgment of racial equality must be universal, yet individual. No matter how completely the government recognizes the inherent homogeneity of man, still the actual exercise of equal rights will come only when each individual has accepted the facts and is willing to abide by the duties which this acceptance imposes.

The story of the labor of eradicating race prejudice devolves upon Catholics, who are the spiritual leaders of the world. They can go a long way in promoting individual moral awakening. It is their duty to weed out the evil, but they must do it correctly. They cannot merely cut the tops from the cress, hurling them at the world, but must delve, plowing and prodding, extract the roots.

Sweetest Story Ever Told

Every great nation has an epic to which its people trace their national glory and dignity. They study it fervently, speak of it reverently, cherish it. Holy Week. Its Hero has not only supernatural ability, but also dauntless courage. His mission is to do something. He is the Monster threatening His nation. The epic events, planned by a Divine Author, are glorious, universal, yet individual. No matter how completely the events are described, the planting of the words in the minds of the people, the development of their interest, is so exact that readers would never get the real story from mere words as printed. The facts are gotten completely the original story.

The comic strip began October 19, 1934 when a blond American boy, Terry Lee, went with his grandmother to the movies. The little boy's name was Flip Corkin. Corkin is a comic character created by a man called Caniff, one of the greatest comic artists in the world.

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Caniff Cartoon Features Orient

Terry Lee, eighteen or nineteen year old hero of the comic strip, "Terry and the Pirates," would never have been created if Milton Caniff had chosen the other alternative in his selection of a career. When he graduated from Ohio State University, A. B. in 1936, Caniff hadn't chosen between art and the theater. He had been art editor of the campus magazine and had worked in the art departments of various papers since 1930; but he had also played in stock companies and had acted bit parts. Caniff was a natural.

Terry's background is most interesting. He was born in Portland, Oregon, a city. He is tall, with blonde hair and blue eyes. He has an unusual type of personality. Flip Corkin is Colonel Doolittle, a college friend of Caniff's, actually Doodle Hopkins, a hero from the Orient.

Terry is a newspaper man. He is the editor of a newspaper on the Orient. He is the only man who speaks the language of the Orient. He is the only man who knows the Orient. He is the only man who can solve the mysteries of the Orient.

The comic strip is drawn seven weeks in advance. When Hong Kong fell, there was Terry right in that city and all sets for months were ruined. After that, while Japan was off the coast in a small boat, Caniff worked right and day to get production started in a less doomed area. He succeeded in this with everyone but April Kane; she had been digging and prodding, extract the roots.

Hells there, there's a problem that has arisen in some of our Army camps. If you can help the boys solve it, please add your solution to the "PAA News" which carries the brain teaser for today. Oh, I'm worried till I'm weary. Of this problem grave and deep: Shall I serve bread and milk in my breakfast? Or shall I rise and lose my sleep?

Here are some problems which you can solve. because you are the best on campus.

College Arithmetic

50 - I take treats—Never where on earth did my last fifty cents go?

Cheese and crackers—home made cookies = the sweetest story ever told.

1 Sunday afternoon those "dreamy-muzzy" radio programs = When will I ever get my English vocab?

1 bottle of quik = among dorm-mates = But I just bought a bottle Saturday!

Perhaps your diary has other items—how you'd go down by the lake to study, and specally in those few weeks of the freshy year, you just couldn't seem to get enough of the campus and you'd take long walks every single day. Individual settings may be different, but everyone feels the same about Marian.

Dear Diary:

It snowed today. St. Francis and his animals were covered. With a soft white blanket.

Sisters in colored skirts and scarfs, felt the lake. Marian is beautiful in winter.

Dear Diary:

Rain against?

Mud puddles and stringy hair.

Galoshes, spotted hose, and muddy puddles. Mud puddles!

Walking down the wet streets with cars splashing through mud puddles!

Mud puddles! We do have to walk to Marian in the rain?

Dear Diary:

Today it's spring! Walking down by the lakes. We saw

Birds and little green shoots. Everything was fresh. Beetles and heavy jackets are discarded. Spring will always make us think about Marian.

Betsy Armstrong, '45

She is the Queen of Peace, but she also knows.

See the Blessed Mother standing beneath the cross looking at her Son, suffering and almost dead. What a sacrifice she is making. She drops away upon a cross, blood is running down His head.

There she was, a great mother, a mother in love. She must hang on that cross, and try to comfort His pain. But she is the one who was born with no sorrow, and without any fear.

Today there are other mothers, who, like our Blessed Lady, watch their sons being taken from them by a force which at times, seems unjust. They also are making a supreme sacrifice. Their hearts are broken too. If only they could realize at this time how Mary told Jesus. She had not even the little consolation they have in the honors given to their home-land. Good Friday was all sorrow.

Through the tears of those who suffer, and through the tears of those who love, every suffering soul can know eternal Easter joy.

Matthew Hake, '48

I wish you the greatest Easter in the Easter basket, and the happiest heart of Easter Mass.

Rita Krekel, '45
Retreat Flashbacks

Retreat silence, reflection, and prayer left Marianites spiritually and intellectually refreshed. Following are some of the most memorable conference thoughts:

All creation is a ring in which we can see God, the like of no other of God's creatures.

Again, sanctifying grace is a ring beauteous at baptism. Our mission in life is to provide its guards.

In the Eucharist we have a divine example of obedience, a virtue whose acquisition is a "must."

Freedom from all deliberate sin is the soul's first beauty.

In the Eucharist we have a divine example of obedience, a virtue whose acquisition is a "must."

Bishops and Illustrative Medicinal Formulas

Medicinal tablets have a novel use in Rebecca Martinez's "Chemistry in Medicine" display. Each element in the organic compound, 3, 4- dihydroxyphenylalanine, is represented by a different colored tablet in the model showing the structural formulas of the compound.

Other drugs exhibited are ephedrimum chloride, "distillation element, and naphthalene.

Materials were supplied by the William S. Merrill company of Cleveland through Mrs. Suzanne Clauss.

Vocation was the theme of the leading March project of the C.S.M.C. unit.

Books and Illustrative materials on vocation in general and on specific vocations were assembled for student use; pamphlets and leaflets were distributed. Doll models illustrated the various vocations and avocations in exhibitions erected daily in the Library from March 12-23.

The first day's display was devoted to the核查 of a state of life. The next three exhibitions related, respectively, to the single, the religious, and the married state. Religious orders of all types—contemplative, teaching, and social service—were represented. A bridal party and typical family careers open to unmarried women. The last day's exhibit summarized the project.

Making final decisions on vocation project details are mission activity leaders (left to right): Patricia Greni, '48, Anna Reiflehn, '48, Margaret Coke, '43, Mary Frances Wendling, '47, Bertha Heft, '46, unit president. (Josepilote Housing, '44, omitted.)

March of Dimes

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has appropriated $1,217,000 for the training of physical therapists. According to official announcement: "The American public has made the necessary contributions which the American public has made toward the suppression of the disease." This new program which allocates over $1,000,000 to scholarships and fellowships, is designed to provide a new and needed talent, and to exhibit the National Foundation's pledge of complete medical care for all children, "regardless of age, race, creed, color, or ability to pay for services rendered."

Tablets Illustrate Medical Formulas

Seniors, Juniors Have Joe Party

"Springtime is hiking-time," declared juniors and seniors when the first balmy evening set in. To ensure in child psychology, children's literature, and folk-dancing goes the credit for much of the fun en route.

The Vet's costume supplied the pictures weird-wild. A lustrous, south porch worshiped the homecoming, earned Irish bands in tribute to St. Patrick.

The Phoenix Completes Seven Years

On Feast of St. Joseph, March 19

That flapping of wings heard overhead lately isn't entirely due to the return of birds from winter quarters. The overwinters are the whisperings of "the Phoenix" taking its eighth lap of its fleeting flight.

Seven years ago, March 19, the first edition of the weekly was completed and complete with illustrated covers and cover design, was issued. Joseph's day, to judge from content, wasn't a "chances" birthday; war was the name of the game. As Joseph, a pair of C. E. rara marble phenixes guarding Medusa head and symbolizing immortality, has made the name. Students voted its adoption.

Here are a few indispensable "facts": first edition, 40 copies; Mrs. Frank Zakrzek, of Indianapolis, Illinois; Mrs. Mary Agnes Griffin; first editorials: "Josephine Relation in Aviation," "The Phoenix," "News letter"; first sports news, riding classes organized; first feature story, "The Rosaries of Porcelain," first platform, "To aid in making the traditions and ideals of the school praiseworthy."

With volume two, under the editorship of Betty Snyder, '31, of Cincinnati, "The Phoenix" emerged in printed form. News highlights of volumes three and four, also edited by Miss Snyder, were the acquisition of a steel row-boat, the completion of the Guild tenancy court, and the performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pinafore."

Fifth volume editor was Mary Dwyer, '42, of Riverside. Notable events recorded were: the advent of campus Aegean halls and the return of St. Francis, the Ohio Valley Student Peace Conference at Marion, and the United States declaration of war on Japan the very day next.

Affiliation with the N.P.C.C.S. and the Roster visit of the illustrious Buffalo family are major recordings of volume six, edited by Margaret Anne McCarthy, '43, of Indianapolis.

In its seventh year "The Phoenix" expanded into the five-col- lar paper, which it is today.

Nature's outburst of life at spring's dawn has a counterpart in drama, art, and music activities. Tender green plants, looking forward in response to gentle sunshine and cupidius drizzle rain, have set the stage for "The Romancers'" college play. During practice hours wood nymphs, swordsmen, torch-bearers, and musicians move in and out among the principals, alluring with less romantic but praiseworthy." Art department industry can be read in the array of five-minute sketches on exhibit. Pages range from contemplative to creative. Do the models recognize themselves?

Centered in the midst of twenty-three replicas of Berta Hummel's art, is the answer to the question, "Who is Hummel?"

Four strong students of Marian College took part in the Maitane Modele program, Marian Jr. Pil- ano adopts playing "Vaka Dungo" by Tett and "Etude Melodique" by Roff and Jeanne Rikens and Colleen Pollard, Norma Veiders, Anna Reiflehn, '47, "Albatross" was Mary Anne Gallagher's. "In and Joseph, "supernaturally effusive and gratifying" as Sister M. M. M. Krones, "Ave Maria" by Kahn, "Etude, Opus 36" by MacDowell, "March of Dimes" is in charge of old problems."
Club Exhibits Set For April, May

Bertha Neff, mission unit president, has announced dates for study club exhibits to be held in conjunction with the presentation of the Palawan awards.

On April 9-13 Club I (Mary Helen, leader; Eileen Gough, scribe) will sponsor an exhibit on the Philippines.

On April 23-27 Club II (Margaret Sanchez, leader; Pat Duffin, scribe) will sponsor a second exhibit on the Philippines.

On April 30-May 4, Club III (Mary Jo Doherty, leader) will present a display featuring rural America.

On May 7-11 Club IV (Bertha Neff, leader; Gertrude Schrock, scribe) will feature Negro America in an exhibit.

Chinese Influence in Simple-to-Make Dress That Helps to Save for Bonds

WITH COMPLIMENTS TO MARIAN COLLEGE

L. G. KOERNER OPTHOMETRIST
1202 S. Meridian Street
Rl 1770

George A. Douglass BEAUTY SUPPLIES
2050 N. Meridian St.
Wholesale • Retail
Cosmetics • Shave Joss

KINGAN'S FINE MEATS SINCE 1845

Eyes Examinations
Dr. Joseph E. Kernel
Optometrist
194 N. Illinois Street
Traction Terminal Bldg.

Army Ambulance Sets Drive Goal

Maybe you can't do anything to bring aid and relief directly to our wounded men, but you can help provide an Army Field Ambulance that will.

Emphasizing the importance of bond purchases, the Victory Committee is conducting a war bond and stamp drive for an Army Field Ambulance. The drive will end Friday, April 6, enabling you to make purchases with any prospective purchasers over the Easter vacation period.

The ambulance costs $1,850, but you surpassed your $1,000-goal the last time, remember? Then, too, this time you have the honor of installing in the ambulance a panel with Marian's name inscribed thereon.

How about all-out cooperation? You did it before—can you do it again?

Frosh Slams Way To Tourney Lead

Downing Helen Wurneck, our last opponent, by winning three games out of five, Froshie Jane Gaughan grabbed on to claim the title of Marian's official ping-pong champion.

Jane, long a ping-pong fan, whizzed through the field of rival contenders with apparent ease until the final spread of close games with Helen. Final scores were 21-14, 21-17, 21-15 in favor of Jane; 21-18, 21-19 in favor of Helen.

Scores for last tap games were: Jane Gaughan defeated Joan Buchholz 21-9, 21-10; Helen Wurneck topped Pat Duffin 21-7, 21-11; Theresa McConahay downed Beatrice Klaiber 21-12, 21-18.

"Story of the Vatican," a movie was announced for the April meeting. The film-narrator is Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen.

The meeting was followed by a Victory Hour in the college chapel. The Reverend Bernt Grossmann, O.F.M., ordained at Oldenburg, March 2, conducted the services. The college choir sang "Parias Angelicas" by Sister M. Gavier, "Our Fate" by Raffo, "Tantum Ergo" by Kuntz, and "Ave Maria" by Witt.

Bravery Under Fire

Our Purple Heart is awarded to the battle-scarred playmakers who valiantly struggled through comprehensive.

ROSES "LA RAZA"

Our South Americans had a field day when Notre Dame's "La Raza" club visited campus. Most of them served as hostesses in some capacity or other and did a wonderful job in making the fellows feel at home during dinner and the social hour that followed.

Sophis are still talking about the new Robert Young-Dorothy McGuire picture they saw at Margaret Brown's theater party Saturday, March 10.

Heart Rendering

Margaret Slinger said, "I will," and now displays a third-finger, left-hand sparkler. Cecilia Mellen's pretty excited about that soldier's 30-day furlough. He served overseas in Germany with the famed Atterbury 106th.

With the Battle of France Behind Them

The French team is expected back here next week. The war has been grueling to them, but they have a straight victory streak and at least one ace, Raymond Piot. He is expected to play in the first game Saturday afternoon, in the 3:30 program.

Blood Donor Workers

Mary Ellen Fox (59 hrs.) and Doris Allen (50 hrs.) are eligible for Red Cross Staff Assistant's pin for having donated over 50 hours of services.