

"WE INTEND TO BURY NO ONE AND WE DO NOT INTEND TO BE BURIED."

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POPE PAUL MAKES HISTORIC VISIT TO NEW YORK; PLEADS FOR WORLD PEACE IN ADDRESS TO UNITED NATIONS

NEW YORK, N.Y.—Pope Paul VI climaxed his historic one-day visit to New York with a dramatically impassioned plea for universal peace as he addressed the General Assembly of the United Nations on that memorable Monday afternoon, October 4, 1965.

Appearing before an audience that included a glittering array of world political leaders from 116 nations, the Supreme Pontiff of the Catholic Church was addressing all of mankind when he pleaded, "no more war, war never again! Peace, it is peace which must guide the destinies of people and of all mankind."

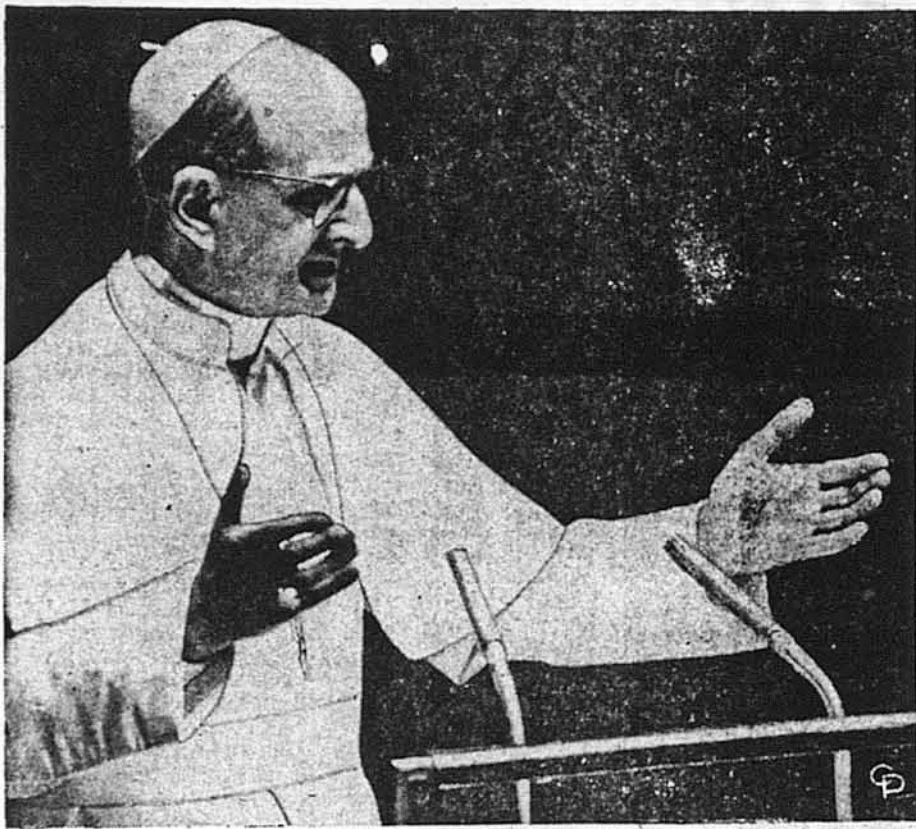
In an era marked by great scientific progress, the Pope said that there is "need for an appeal to the moral conscience of man." He went on to state that "the danger comes not from progress nor from science ... but from himself, building ever more powerful arms, which can be employed equally well for destruction or for the loftiest conquest."

He exhorted the world at the UN to seek peaceful resolution of conflicts and praised the UN as the world's foremost instrument for peace. "If you wish to be brothers, let the arms fall from your hands; one cannot love while holding offensive arms."

Pope Paul had written history with virtually every word and action of his on this, the first visit to the New World by a reigning Pontiff. During his long, arduous day he met with President Johnson, addressed the UN, conferred with American leaders of other faiths, offered a spectacular outdoor Mass of Peace at Yankee Stadium and managed a late evening stop at the Vatican Pavilion of the N.Y. World's Fair.

For the first time the somber silence of St. Patrick's Cathedral was sundered by applause and cheers after Pope Paul had responded to Francis Cardinal Spellman's brief address of welcome.

New York City responded magnificently to the Pontiff as close to three million people lined the streets despite chilly weather. From the moment the plane taxied to a stop at 9:30 A.M. at Kennedy Airport, where a delegation of some 200 clergymen, government officials and other important figures awaited him, the Pope displayed warmth and dignity, as well as freshness of appearance that was in evidence throughout the day until he boarded the special TWA jet airliner at 11:29 P.M. which took him back to Rome.



"A MESSAGE FOR ALL MANKIND"—Gesturing eloquently, Pope Paul VI appeals before the United Nations General Assembly for a stronger world organization and a prompt beginning on nuclear disarmament. The 68-year-old "Pilgrim of Peace" told the delegates that "It is peace which must guide the destinies of peoples."

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The famous Yankee Stadium, not unaccustomed to cheers, was shaken to the rafters by the deafening ovation of the 90,000-throng as the Pope raised his almost ascetic hands to bestow his apostolic benediction on the mass of worshipers. But stillness enveloped the vast sports arena when the Pontiff spoke in strong voice, "peace be to this house, to this continent and to all those who inhabit it."

Wherever he went on this memorable day, Pope Paul carried this note of urgency, the plea for peace, that had marked the entire mood of his epic journey here. As in the midst of thousands so in the more somber atmosphere of serious talks with the President, the Pope radiated a feeling of serene dignity yet warm affection that shone from his gentle features and intensely searching eyes.

He came as he departed—with a message, a plea and a blessing. "God bless America. God bless you all," were his parting words at the airport just before he boarded the plane that took him home.

Ukrainian Language May Be Taught in Montreal Schools

WINNIPEG, Man. — Quebec Premier Jean Lesage said that he will speak to his education minister about the possibility of Ukrainian being taught in Montreal public schools to students of Ukrainian origin.

According to a Canadian Press report, carried in the October 4th issue of the "Toronto Daily Star," Mr. Lesage, who made the statement following a meeting with the Ukrainian Committee of Canada, said there were some 20,000 persons of Ukrainian origin in Montreal.

Senator Paul Yuzyk, speaking for the committee, said it recognizes that Canada is bilingual and supports the point of view which maintains that French must be used in schools in all parts of Canada where the French-speaking minority group is sufficiently large.

Asked whether this agreement in principle with representatives of 400,000 Can-

nadians of Ukrainian origin could be considered the main achievement of his Western tour, the premier replied: "I couldn't say. I want to be able to judge the effects of my tour from a distance, and as a whole."

Lesage said his promise to discuss the needs of Montrealers of Ukrainian origin with Education Minister Paul Gervin-Lajoie applied equally to that city's Italian population. "I don't see why Ukrainian could not be taught as a subject in Montreal's public schools, on the elementary school level. This also certainly applies to the Italian community of the city, which is certainly larger."

The premier announced that he will publish in book form a condensed version of all the speeches and the subject matter of all press conferences, radio and television appearances he has made during his goodwill tour of Western Canada.

Ukrainian Press Commended on TV

NEW YORK, N.Y. — The Ukrainian press, and especially that portion of it that carries some of its news in English, was commended on television here for its role in helping news-starved New Yorkers to learn what is happening in the world during the news blackout.

"The New York Times" was struck by the Newspaper Guild, an AFL-CIO union, on September 16, and other papers not members of the New York Publishers Association closed down in sympathy with "The Times." "The New York Post," not a member, continued to publish, and "The Herald Tribune" withdrew from the Association and resumed publishing.

Meanwhile, New Yorkers have been reading "The Philadelphia Inquirer," "The Boston Herald," "The Christian Science Monitor," and Ukrainian papers.

The commendation was carried in an hour-long discussion of "The Press in Peril," a channel 5 WNEW-TV presentation with an audience numbered in the millions. The program was aired on Sunday, October 3.

The remarks came from William M. Freeman, a long-time staff member of "The New York Times," who said

FOUR UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC PRELATES TO BECOME MEMBERS OF SYNOD

NEW YORK, N.Y. — The newly-created Synod of the world's Catholic bishops, recently announced by Pope Paul VI, will include four members of the Ukrainian Catholic Episcopate, according to reports appearing in Ukrainian Catholic newspapers in the United States and Canada.

Major Archbishop Josyf Cardinal Slipyj, Metropolitan Ambrose Senyshyn of Philadelphia, Metropolitan Maxime Hermaniuk of Winnipeg, Canada, and another prelate to be chosen by the Ukrainian Catholic Bishops' Conference meeting in Rome during the Ecumenical Council will be members of the Synod.

The first three prelates named will be "ex officio" members of the new body by virtue of the position they hold in the Catholic Church. The creation of the Synod, a consultative body of approximately 100 members, was announced by Pope Paul VI in his opening address to the fourth session of the Ecumenical Council on September 14, 1965.

Bishops' Conference Meets

It is also reported that the Ukrainian Catholic Bishops' Conference has already held two separate sessions in Rome. The first meeting was held on September 13, the

eve of the Ecumenical Council's fourth and final session, the second on September 23, with all Ukrainian Catholic prelates in attendance. Presiding over both meetings was Josyf Cardinal Slipyj.

The Conference is said to be deliberating on a plan to urge the Soviet government to restore religious rights in Ukraine. The proposal, submitted by Bishop Jaroslav Gabro of Chicago, calls for two separate memoranda to be sent to the Soviet government and to Patriarch Alexei, head of the Russian Orthodox Church.

The memorandum to the Soviet government would express the Bishops' concern for the spiritual and moral welfare of the faithful in Ukraine and those in their own eparchies. It would assert that millions of Catholics in Ukraine are not allowed to practice their religion, although Article 124 of the Soviet constitution guarantees each citizen freedom of worship. The memorandum would also seek to enjoin the Communist regime to review its policy of discrimination against the Catholic Church and restore the rights which prevailed in past centuries.

The report goes on to say that if approved, the memorandum would be signed by all Ukrainian Catholic Archbishops and Bishops in the free world.

UYL-NA Executive Board Holds First Post-Convention Meeting

BINGHAMPTON, N.Y. (GP) —The Executive Board of the Ukrainian Youth League of North America held its first meeting of the newly elected council last Saturday at the Sheraton Inn in Binghamton and approved Detroit, Michigan, as the site of the 1966 convention.

The convention, the fifth to be held in the Motor City, is being sponsored by the Ukrainian Graduates of Detroit and Windsor. Previous conventions held there were in 1935, 1941, 1951 and 1957, and as UYL-NA president William Polewachuk put it, "they have all been a huge success."

The Executive Board made the following appointments: Anne Polewachuk of Clark, New Jersey, Corresponding Secretary; Gloria Smolen of Yonkers, New York, Art Director; Nadia O'Shea of Washington, D.C., District Organizer; Taras Maksymowich of Miami Beach, Florida, "Trendette" Editor; and George Pankrath of Rochester, New York, Publicity Director.

Rare Ukrainian Book Donated To the University of Toronto Library

TORONTO, Can. — A rare Ukrainian book, the "Paterik," was recently donated to the University of Toronto Library from the estate of John B.C. Watkins a former Canadian ambassador to the Soviet Union.

It was one of 500 Slavonic books including "some valuable and very rare items illustrating the development of early Ukrainian printing."

The most important item of the whole collection is, undoubtedly, the first printed edition of the Church Slavonic version of the so-called "Kievo-Pecherskyi Paterik" (The Paterson of the Kiev Cave Monastery) published in 1661 (it was preceded in 1635 by an abridged Polish version). This masterpiece of hagiographical literature consists of a collection of tales dealing with the lives of Orthodox saints, monks and hermits connected with the famous Cave Monastery in Kiev, which came into being about the middle of the eleventh century and soon became the most renowned religious center of all Eastern Slavs.

National Fraternal Congress Holds Annual Meeting In Washington

LESAWYER RE-ELECTED TO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, PADOCH BECOMES OFFICER OF FRATERNAL SECTION



ODUM Dancers of Philadelphia perform at the Fraternal Spectacular in Washington, D.C.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Two supreme officers of the Ukrainian National Association, Joseph Lesawyer, President, and Dr. Jaroslav Padoch, Secretary, have been elected to the governing organs of the National Fraternal Congress of America at the closing session of the organization's 79th annual meeting held here from September 26th through the 29th.

Mr. Lesawyer was re-elected for another term as member of the national body's nine-man Executive Committee.

Dr. Padoch will serve on the NFCA's fraternal section, which, among other things, is in charge of the fraternal spectacles held in conjunction with the annual meetings. Next year, the NFCA will be convening in Minneapolis, Minn.

10 Million Members

The National Fraternal Congress of America comprises over 100 fraternal benefit societies with a combined membership of close to 10 million and more than \$30 billion fraternal insurance in force. The Ukrainian National Association, as well as the Ukrainian Workingmen's Association and the Providence Association of Ukrainian Catholics in America are all members of the Congress.

Representing the UWA was its president Anthony Batiuk, while Mrs. Stephanie Wochok, supreme treasurer, and Stephen Sprynsky, supreme

UNA Branch in Astoria Marks 50th Anniversary

ASTORIA, N.Y. — A huge gathering of members and distinguished guests filled to capacity the spacious hall of the Holy Cross Ukrainian Catholic Church here on Sunday, October 3, to take part in the festivities marking the 50th jubilee anniversary of the St. Nicholas Brotherhood, Branch 5 of the Ukrainian National Association.

One of the oldest and most dynamic UNA branches in the greater New York metropolitan area, the Brotherhood continues to serve as the center of virtually all activities in the local community life.

The day's program of festivities consisted of a Holy Liturgy, celebrated by the Rev. A. Andreychuk, CSSR, pastor of the Holy Cross Church, a late afternoon banquet and dance that continued late into the night.

Addressing the festive gathering of guests in the course of the banquet were UNA Supreme Officers Joseph Lesawyer, President, and Roman Slobodian, Treasurer, as well as Mr. Anthony Dragun, Editor-in-Chief of "Svoboda" and Atty. John O. Flis, chairman of the New York UNA District Committee. A message of greetings from Dr. Jaroslav Padoch, UNA Supreme Secretary, was read by Mr. Ivan Sydor, one of the pioneer members of this Branch, its long-time secretary and leading civic leader of the local community.

Introducing the guests and delivering brief opening remarks was Andrew Malan, president of Branch 5. Atty. Albert Dachuk served as Master of Ceremonies.

At the conclusion of the program, Mr. Lesawyer presented certificates of merit to the Brotherhood's three charter members in recognition of their long years of service for UNA and the Ukrainian American community. The honored members were: A. Klyvshyn, M. Kozak, and S. Liszak. Other recipients of merit awards were I. Sydor and M. Kurochka.

Among numerous guests and representatives of Ukrainian organizations attending the fete was Atty. Walter Steck, Republican candidate to the New York State Assembly from the 67th District.

Gov. Hughes Adresses Nationality Groups at Rally

WOODBRIDGE, N.J.—Gov. Richard J. Hughes of New Jersey, currently on a campaign tour of the northern parts of his state, addressed a gathering of nationality groups here on Wednesday, October 6 after brief stopovers in Elizabeth and Perth Amboy.

In his campaign for reelection, Gov. Hughes is opposed by GOP candidate Sen. Wayne Dumont Jr., member of New Jersey State Legislative Assembly.

More than 4,000 persons jammed the Woodbridge Armory for a rally sponsored by the All Americans Council of the State Democratic Committee, and heard the governor tell them that "all of us, unless we are Indians, are minorities and all of us are immigrants." In criticizing his opponent for having allegedly stated that "minorities have too much power,"

the governor said that the Democratic party has always been responsive to the needs of minority groups and has sought to find a place for all of them in the ranks of the party. He scored Dumont on a number of other issues that have become the focal points of this crucial campaign.

Among representatives of 17 ethnic groups attending the rally was a large delegation of Ukrainian civic leaders, including Joseph Lesawyer, Asst. State Attorney William Gural, Michael Fedynshyn, John Berwecky, Michael Warchol, Michael Matiasch and several others.

Ukrainian Dancers of Carteret, N.J., led by Mrs. Kay Symchik, were among scores of other groups, including bands, orchestras and choruses, which provided the entertainment. Master of Ceremonies was comedian Henry Youngman.

