

Former Lima Priest Succumbs In Tiffin

TIFFIN—The Rev. Albert A. Fate, 77, chaplain of St. Francis' Home for the Aged, Tiffin, and former pastor of St. John's Catholic Church, Lima, for 19 years, died shortly before 7 p.m. Sunday at the home.

A native of Tiffin, the Rev. Mr. Fate was born Sept. 19, 1886. He served the local church from 1937 to 1956. Father Fate observed his Golden Jubilee with a Solemn High Mass March 24 of this year in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Tiffin. He was ordained into the priesthood March 15, 1913, in Toledo.

Father Fate served a few months after ordination as assistant pastor of St. John's Catholic Church, Delphos. In October of 1913, he was assigned as assistant pastor at Good Shepherd Catholic Church, Toledo.

He served at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Oak Harbor and St. Joseph Mission, Toussaint, from March 30, 1915 until 1923 when he was appointed pastor of the Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Shelby.

Father Fate was then appointed to the local church. Following his service in Lima, he was appointed pastor of St. Louis Catholic Church, Toledo. May 1, 1960 he took a leave of absence from his duties because of ill health. For the past year he has been acting chaplain of the home in Tiffin.

Father Fate studied at St. Joseph Parish School, Tiffin, St. Francis' Seminary, Milwaukee, Wis.; St. Joseph's College, Ind., and St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Md.

He is survived by one brother and two sisters.

Solemn Pontifical Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Tiffin, the Most Rev. George J. Rehring, Bishop of the Toledo Diocese of the Roman Catholic Church, celebrant. Burial will be in St. Joseph Parish Cemetery in Tiffin.

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By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP)—Congressional and religious leaders gather at the White House today to hear appeals from President Kennedy that they act to improve the lot of Negro Americans.

The separate sessions are part of Kennedy's two-pronged attack on inequality: Using persuasion of private citizens to try to speed desegregation; sounding out key members of Congress prior to dispatch of his civil rights legislative package to Capitol Hill later this