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NEW ARCHBISHOP ENTHRONED:

The Most Reverend Dr. William Godfrey walks in procession up the aisle of Westminster Cathedral to be enthroned as the seventh Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster - a position which has been vacant since the death of that greatly-loved figure, Cardinal Griffin, in August last year.

The congregation and the Archbishop kneel together in prayer, asking God's blessing on his new task as leader of over 3 million British Catholics.

The climax of the 500-year-old ceremony approaches, as Archbishop Godfrey takes his place on the vestment chair.

The white lawn surcoat, the surplice, the cope and mitre, the golden crozier, are brought by four small choristers. The vesting is performed by Archbishop Gerald O'Hara, Apostolic Delegate to Great Britain - a post which Archbishop Godfrey himself held, when in 1938 he was appointed the first Papal Envoy in this country for nearly 400 years. The vesting completed, the Apostolic Delegate leads the new Archbishop to his throne.

In his splendid robes of his high office, the Archbishop of Westminster receives the homage of his fellows. Few men could be better suited for his position than Dr. Godfrey; former rector of the English College in Rome, former Apostolic Delegate, former Archbishop of the big Catholic community in Liverpool. A great responsibility is his - but he is well equipped to face it.