

Romanism and the American State Department.

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The following quotation is from an article in the October, 1957, issue, relative to the Romanised position of the State Department at Washington: - “The recent alteration in the Romanist Church’s attitude (towards USA) is undoubtedly attributable to her increasing control over State Department policy, so that now she is practically assured of the use of America’s armed forces, rather than advocating isolationism, in the furtherance of her schemes throughout the world. In other words, she considers the U.S.A. to be ‘the sword of the Papacy,’ a description once applied by the Pope to Germany.

Of only incidental importance is the circumstance that our heavily romanised State Department is at present administered by a Secretary with a Jesuit son. Vatican control of the Department is of much longer standing than the present Administration, and is merely one phase of Rome’s domination of all our (U.S.A.) Governmental departments.

“Were the Pope ever to achieve a concordant with Moscow the Romanist Church’s professed enmity towards Communism would reverse in a day.” Long since the present writer expressed the views now published by the *Converted Catholic*, both with regard to the State Department at Washington as a mere annexe of the Vatican, and also about Rome’s pretended opposition to Communism. If it would suit the Pope’s international policy he would make a somersault compromise, and sign a concordant with the Kremlin tomorrow.