

The Cloister Chronicle

■ St. Joseph's Province ■

Condolences The Fathers and the Brothers of the Province extend their sympathy and prayers to the Rev. W. J. Hill, O.P., the Rev. P. F. Small, O.P., and the Rev. E. M. Gaffney, O.P., on the death of their fathers; to Bro. E. L. Martin, O.P., and Bro. J. G. Pezzullo, O.P., on the death of their mothers; to the Rev. J. P. Kenny, O.P. and the Rev. B. D. Kenny, O.P. on the death of their brother; to the Very Rev. R. L. Rumaggi, O.P., the Very Rev. P. J. Conaty, O.P., Bro. M. D. O'Connor, O.P. and Bro. P. Gaynor, O.P., on the death of their sisters.

Ordinations On September 28, at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, the following Student Brothers received the four Minor Orders of Porter, Lector, Exorcist and Acolyte from the Most Rev. Philip M. Hannan, Auxiliary Bishop of Washington, D. C.: Brothers Patrick McGovern, Dennis Riley, Raymond Vandergrift, John Burke, Aquinas Clifford, Peter O'Sullivan, Charles Duffy, Ignatius Cataudo, Christopher Johnson, Norbert Buckley, Bonaventure Matarazzo, Henry Camacho, Jordan O'Donnell, Bertrand McCarthy, Justin Cunningham, Gabriel McCaffrey, David Folsey, Reginald Durbin, Xavier McLoughlin, Damian Myett, Ferrer Halligan, Chrysostom McVey, Marcellus Coskren, and Aeden Campbell.

On the previous evening, these same Brothers had received Clerical Tonsure from Bishop Hannan.

On September 29, Bishop Hannan ordained the following Student Brothers to the Subdiaconate: Brothers Dominic LeBlanc, Vincent Di Fide, Maurice Austin, James Thuline, Mannes McCarthy, Quentin Lister, William Seaver, Colman Jerman, Robert Reid, Joseph Rivera (from the Province of Holland), Philip Grimley, Basil Boyd, George Muller, Pius O'Brien, Jude Maher, Cyril Dettling, Luke Tancrell, Brendan Barrett, Regis O'Connell, Gerard Austin, Louis Martin, Terence Reilly, and Albert Broderick.

On September 30, Bishop Hannan ordained the following Student Brothers to the Diaconate: Brothers Valerian LaFrance, Finbar Carroll, Bede Dennis, Leonard

Smith, Ronald Henery, Joachim Cunningham, Giles Pezzullo, Fidelis McKenna, Ceslaus Hoinacki, Thaddeus Davies, Emmanuel Bertrand, Brian Morris, Bernard Smith, Raphael Archer, Matthias Caprio, Matthew Kelley, Stephen Fitzhenry, Cyprian Cenker, Antoninus McCaffrey, Kieran Smith, Lawrence Concordia, Cajetan Kelly, Owen O'Connor.

Vestition and Profession On the Feast of the Assumption, at 2 P.M. in the sanctuary of St. Joseph's Church, Somerset, Ohio, the Very Rev. Matthew Hanley, O.P., Prior, bestowed the habit on the following: Robert Beissel, (Bro. Mannes); Thomas Hagan, (Bro. Michael); Roy Yager, (Bro. Philip); James Hahn, (Bro. Cornelius); Charles Balmat, (Bro. Lawrence); William Holian, (Bro. Luke); Frederick Hoesli, (Bro. Damian); William Elder, (Bro. Peter); Joseph Doshner, (Bro. Albert); Carl Mason, (Bro. Louis); Donald Lozier, (Bro. Christopher); Benito Reyes, (Bro. Robert); Gerardo Nieves, (Bro. Pius); Francisco Melendez, (Bro. Reginald) (These last three Brothers are for the Province of Holland); James Sharp, (Bro. Bede); Jerome Haladus, (Bro. Joachim); Joseph Cooney, (Bro. Raymond); Richard Rust, (Bro. John); Edward Myers, (Bro. Jordan); John Farren, (Bro. Aquinas).

On the following day, August 16, Father Hanley received the simple profession of the following Brothers: Joseph Payne, Paul Philibert, Siegfried Rodriguez (Province of Holland), Angelus Ryan, Louis-Mary Canu, Bernard Rivera (Province of Holland), Hugh Hagan, Richard Daley, Austin Leonardi, Noel Shaw, Humbert Gustina, Gerard Joy, Urban Sharkey, Vincent Watson, Anthony Breen, Dominic Clifford, Hyacinth Lion.

On the Feast of St. Rose of Lima, the Rev. Ferrer Cassidy, O.P., Master of Novices, bestowed the habit on Theodore Paul Fraser (Bro. Ferrer) and John J. Kiley (Bro. Antoninus).

On October 10, Bro. Dalmatius O'Connor made his simple profession into the hands of the Very Rev. Sub-prior, Father F. E. Yonkus, O.P.

On October 22, in the Chapel of the House of Studies, Washington, D. C., the Very Rev. G. C. Reilly, O.P., Prior, received the simple profession of Lay-brothers Eugene Teraskas and Timothy Fitzgerald. On the following day, Father Prior received the solemn profession of Bro. Benedict Thornett, a clerical brother.

Elections The Very Rev. W. D. Marrin, O.P., Provincial, has announced the election of the Very Rev. P. J. Conaty, O.P., as Prior of St. Rose Priory, Springfield, Kentucky, and the election of the Very Rev. M. L. Novacki, O.P., as Prior of St. Mary's Priory, New Haven, Connecticut.

New Students In October, Brothers John Francis Rodríguez, O.P., Maximillian Rebollo, O.P., and Raphael Cabero, O.P., arrived from Spain to continue their theological training at the Dominican House of Studies, Washington, D. C. They are members of the Province of the Most Holy Rosary in the Philippine Islands.

Dominicana Staff The following Student Brothes currently form the DOMINICANA staff and will continue to do so until June, 1958: Basil Boyd, Editor; Robert Reid and Albert Broderick, Associate Editors; William Seaver, Book Review Editor; James Thuline, Associate Book Review Editor; Terence Reilly, Cloister and Mission Chronicles; George Muller, Sisters' Chronicle; Dominic LeBlanc, Circulation Manager; Brendan Barrett, Associate Circulation Manager and Philip Grimley, Business Manager.

■ The Mission Chronicle ■

Departure Ceremony A special departure ceremony was held recently in St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, New York City, honoring four priests of the Province before they left for their mission assignments in West Pakistan. The Very Rev. W. D. Marrin, O.P., Provincial, presided and read the mandates. The sermon was preached by the Rev. R. E. Vahey, O.P., Provincial Director of Foreign Missions for St. Joseph's Province, and the Holy Hour was conducted by the Very Rev. D. L. Shannon, O.P., Prior and Pastor of St. Vincent Ferrer's.

The new missionaries are: the Rev. James T. Carney, O.P., S.T.L., of Brooklyn, N. Y., the Rev. Charles T. Quinn, O.P., B.S., S.T.Lr., of Astoria, N. Y., the Rev. Ernest B. Boland, O.P., S.T.L., of Providence, Rhode Island and the Rev. John F. Arnold, O.P., S.T.B., of Washington, D. C.

Mission Director Speaks At the departure ceremony in St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, Father Richard E. Vahey, O.P., Provincial Director of Foreign Missions, said in his sermon: "Our Pakistan mission is just one year old and during that short time God has blessed our apostolate with great success. The four priests and one lay-brother who arrived there last October have already baptized more than 500 souls.

"When they came to the mission, there wasn't a single Catholic ecclesiastical structure in the entire Bahawalpur division—which is as large as New York State. Already, they have constructed two rectories, a church, two schools, a dispensary and quarters for teachers, catechists and household servants. To date, the Dominican Fathers of the Province of St. Joseph have spent \$165,000 to establish this mission. Next month, we are sending a \$10,000 mobile dispensary to Pakistan for our priest-doctor, Father Turon.

"All of us are supposed to be missionaries in one way or another. At least we can pray for the missions; and what is more important than prayer? This is God's work and it must be done in God's way, and God's way is the way of prayer."

Pakistan The annual report shows much progress in the mission field: "This Pakistan mission also has a good spiritual report for the year ending 30th June, 1957. We have a total number of 3,233 Catholics in this area of 35,000 sq. miles. In addition there are 1,690 under instruction to be received into the Church, most of whom are Protestants. We baptized 503 of whom 226 were adults. There were 403 Confirmations. During the past year, we opened five elementary schools employing seven teachers. A group of 21 catechists instruct the people in the doctrines of the Church. More than 7,000 have received medicine and medical advice. This is a very good record for four priests and one brother."

Father Scheerer describes the school situation in the mission territory:

"During the past year we opened a grade or elementary school in the

following cities: Sadiqabad, Rahimyar Khan, Feroza, Hasilpur, Loreto, and Bahawalpur. The medium of teaching in these six schools is the Urdu language. The students attending these schools are mostly Catholic, plus some Protestant and Moslem; the schools are open to all students free of charge. There is also the beginning of a trade school in Loreto, having at present a sewing class for the women. Adults may learn to read and write in the evening classes at Bahawalpur. We have no school buildings, so rented houses are used. The more advanced students are sent to special schools outside our district; they include: three girls for teacher's training, one girl for nursing, one boy for hospital laboratory work, one boy to finish the B.Sc. college degree, one girl for B.A. college degree, plus 7 boys and 3 girls studying in other High Schools. The Dominican Sisters of Sparkill, New York will open a High School in Bahawalpur in 1958—we have already received some enrollments."

Details of the new mission station and its future plans:

"Fr. Hyacinth Putz, O.P., has a nice establishment in Rahimyar Khan City; the address is: Catholic Mission, Model Town, Rahimyar, W. Pakistan. He is now in charge of the whole southern area which includes Feroza, Liaquatpur, Khampur, Sadiqabad, and Rahimyar Khan cities, plus all the villages in the area. When the mission is in full bloom, there will be ten priests working in that small area, which he now works alone. He is now living in a small rented house. We may be able to buy 12 acres of land in that model town section within the coming month; half of the land will be given to the Sisters for the girl's school and convent. The prospect looks very bright."

A tragic flood strikes Fr. Westwater's district:

"Two of my Chaks in the Rangpor area took a beating from the flood waters. Three days before, we had brought them a token supply of wheat to help them in this off-season. However, it will now be necessary to hire a large truck, one capable of fording several feet of water, and a driver who knows where the road *was*. They needed clothing and medicine before the present situation; they are probably desperate now.

"Our people in Muzaffargarh fared a little better. The Christian community there is on high ground. The city as a whole was submerged under several feet of water (the roads are even now inaccessible), but our people were not affected. The same cannot be said for the diocese of Multan: some of their Chaks were completely wiped out and their people have asked for asylum here.

"It is a very tragic situation. The bulk of the nation's breadbasket for grain has been destroyed. Within two months, the prices of wheat will skyrocket and many will starve or die from malnutrition in the winter cold. There is just no such thing as organized relief; those who survive must fend for themselves or perish. Where all people are equally wretched, there is very little display of compassion."

One of the marks of a successful missionary activity is the quality of its converts:

"A Protestant minister recently came in and requested entrance to the Church. He has three Chaks he wants to bring along with him. The deciding factor for him was the discipline of the Church here in Pakistan. The same is in nowise evidenced by Protestant groups. The case is pending with Fr. Louis and the Bishop."

Lebanon The missionaries fulfill the obligation of their annual retreat: "This morning, both Father Heath and Father Every finished their annual retreat which was made privately. Bro. Richard is making his retreat up in the mountains at Harissa and he will finish Thursday morning."

During the summer, Fr. Heath instructed the Brothers of the Christian Schools: "Father Heath is living up in the mountains these days with the Christian Brothers. He is giving them an intensive course in English so that they will be prepared for the state examination that they have to take when they return to Jordan in the Fall. He came down over the weekend this Sunday because he had Mass at St. Charles' for the English-speaking Catholics of Beirut and also because it was the Feast of Saint Dominic."

Father Louis Every writes concerning other activities of the Fathers:

"At the present time, Father Heath and I are giving a series of lectures at the Newman Club at the American University concerned with Thomistic Philosophy and Theology.

"Last week, I gave a Triduum at the Salesian School for English-speaking boys. This school was conducted by the Dominicans from the Piedmont Province until a few years ago. These Fathers are now in Turkey.

"We are arranging some Days of Recollection for the English-speaking Catholics in Beirut, one for men and another for women. We had a Day of Recollection at the Newman Club of the American University at the end of October and it was well-attended. The students seem to enjoy the Question Box period more than anything else because it gave them a chance to express their own opinions.

"On Sunday, after Mass, we have been conducting religious instructions for the Catholic high school students who attend the American Community School which is a public school staffed by American teachers. Brother Richard Long has been teaching a number of boys to serve Mass according to the Roman Rite (which he had to learn himself). After they can serve a Roman Rite Mass, he will teach them the Dominican Rite.

"Thank you for your prayers which are deeply appreciated by all of us here in Lebanon."

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES IN PAKISTAN AND LEBANON.

■ Holy Name Province ■

Ordinations In a special Solemn Pontifical Mass of Ordination offered in St. Dominic's Church, San Francisco, on September 21, His Grace, the Most Rev. Finbar Ryan, O.P., D.D., Archbishop of Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, B.W.I., conferred all three major orders and two of the minor orders upon fifteen young friars of the Pacific Coast and Midwest Provinces.

Climax of the 3½-hour-long ceremony came with the anointing to the sacred and eternal Priesthood of Fathers Finbar Hayes, Raymond Persons and Peter Miles

of this Province; and of Fathers Hilary Burke and Peter Otillio of the Province of St. Albert the Great.

Ordained to the Diaconate were Brothers Mark McPhee, Eugene Sousa, Paul Scanlon, and Ambrose Toomey of the Far-Western Province. The order of Subdiaconate was conferred upon Brothers Cletus Kiefer and Cyril Harney of this Province; and upon Bro. Stephen Oatis of St. Albert's Province.

Brothers Barnabas Curtin and John Flannery, of the Province of the Holy Name, and Bro. Quentin Moriarty of the Midwest Province received the minor orders of Porter and Lector. They were tonsured by Archbishop Ryan during short afternoon ceremonies in St. Dominic's Church on the previous day.

Ministers for the Pontifical Mass were: the Very Rev. A. L. Naselli, O.P., Archpriest; the Very Rev. H. F. Ward, O.P., Deacon; the Very Rev. P. J. Kelly, O.P., Subdeacon; and the Rev. F. S. Parmisano, O.P., Notarius.

Masters of Ceremonies for the event were the Revs. R. C. Hess, O.P., and P. G. O'Donnell, O.P.

Receptions and Professions On September 8, at the Dominican Novitiate in Ross, California, the Very Rev. Joseph Fulton, O.P., Provincial, clothed the following novices with the Habit of the Order: Brothers Leo Tubbs, Emmanuel Burge, Gerald Ehler, Louis Fronk, Sebastian Haterius, Brendan O'Rourke, Paul Duncan, David McDonald, Bernard Cranor, Gabriel Fecker, Albert Pierce, Mannes Ribera, John Dominic Schultz, and Jude Lucas.

On the following day, Brothers Gerald Canty, Benedict DeMan, Terence McCabe, Reginald Raef, Philip Valera, Anselm Vick, Vincent Ward and Bede Wilks pronounced their simple vows into the hands of Archbishop Ryan. Bro. Shawn Doherty was received to simple profession on September 15 by the Very Rev. P. C. Curran, O.P., Prior of the Novitiate House.

In the chapel of St. Benedict's Lodge, McKenzie Bridge, Oregon, on August 15, the Rev. F. S. Parmisano, O.P., received the solemn profession of Bro. John Flannery. On August 28, Bro. Barnabas Curtin pronounced his solemn vows into the hands of the Rev. T. H. McElhatton, O.P.

Archbishop Ryan received the solemn profession of Bro. Cyril Harney in the chapel of the House of Studies, Oakland, California, on September 15.

European Assignments Three newly-ordained priests of the Province of the Holy Name have been assigned to the Collegio Angelico, International House of Studies for the Order in Rome, for the completion of their theological studies. They are the Revs. R. S. Parsons, O.P., L. J. Robinson, O.P., and P. P. Miles, O.P.

Also assigned to the Angelicum are three California student priests who have spent the last two years at the Studium in Walberberg, Germany. They are the Revs. C. T. Raftery, O.P., A. G. Buckley, O.P., and A. L. Hall, O.P.

The Rev. Basil Lamb, O.P., has been assigned to the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, from the House of Studies at Huy, Belgium. Remaining at Oxford University, England, will be the Rev. Hilary Martin, O.P. He will pursue further studies toward a degree in history.

H. N. Society Headquarters Western Regional Office for the Holy Name Society has been established at the College of St. Albert the Great, Oakland. The office will serve as headquarters for local branches of the national organization in eight western states.

The Very Rev. H. F. Ward, O.P., Prior, is Director of the office.

New Arrivals The House of Studies in Oakland recently welcomed the arrival of four theologians from the Province of the Holy Rosary in Spain. They are Brothers Ruperto Garcia Nunez, Ezequiel Garcia del Pino, Narciso Valbuena Llamazares and Manuel Canal Montanes.

One theologian from the Province of St. Albert the Great also arrived at the House of Studies for the continuance of his studies. He is Bro. Quentin Moriarty.

■ St. Albert's Province ■

Deaths Bro. Joseph Francis Harris, O.P., died on October 8, 1957, at the Dominican House of Studies, River Forest, Illinois. Born in 1921, Bro. Joseph Francis made his first profession as a laybrother on March 17, 1955. The solemn funeral Mass was celebrated by the Very Rev. Michael Joseph Clancy, O.P., Prior at the House of Studies. The Very Rev. Sylvester Considine O.P., preached at the Mass. The body was brought to St. Peter Martyr Priory, Winona, Minnesota, for burial.

The Province was also saddened by the recent death of the Most Rev. Henry P. Rohlman, Archbishop of Dubuque. For many years Archbishop Rohlman had been one of the closest friends and most generous benefactors of the Province of St. Albert. Several years ago, the late Master General, Fr. Suarez, recognized these deep ties of affection and gratitude by bestowing upon this outstanding prelate the degree of Master of Sacred Theology.

Condolences The Fathers and Brothers of the Province extend their sympathy to the Very Rev. Matthew Breen, O.P., and to the Rev. Kevin O'Rourke, O.P., on the death of their mothers, and to the Rev. Justin Aldridge, O.P., on the death of his father.

Professions The Very Rev. George Kinsella, O.P., Prior, received the profession of simple vows of the following brothers at St. Peter Martyr Priory, Winona, Minnesota, on August 31: Ceslaus M. Prazan, Francis M. Johnson, Samuel Pryor, Paschal Ashmore, David M. Athey, Leo Beranek, Felix Bordeau, Casimir Delich, Stanislaus Dvorak, John Baptist Gerlach, Peter Hereby, Ferrer M. Herkenhoff, Colum Kenny, Clement LaPorte, Dennis M. Lyons, Cornelius M. Nash, Paul Wierenga, Patrick Turner, Gilbert Thesing, Walter Reardon, Henry Galinis, Christopher Manahan, Edmund Manchak, Nicholas Mangiaracina, Michael McGraw, Aquinas M. Meis, Colman Meany, Victor M. Brown, Marion Donaldson, and Ambrose Barnett; on September 16, Vincent M. Weber, and on September 20, Kevin Thissen, O.P.

Bro. Paschal Hunt, O.P., laybrother, renewed his simple vows into the hands of Father Kinsella on October 29.

At St. Rose Priory, Dubuque, Iowa, the Very Rev. A. A. Norton, O.P., Prior, received the solemn profession of Brothers Philip Lamberty, Malachy Quinn, and Edward Sullivan, O.P., on August 31.

At the Dominican House of Studies, River Forest, Ill., the Very Rev. Michael Joseph Clancy, O.P., Prior, on August 31 received solemn profession from Brothers Kenneth Hodgson, Valerian Thomas, Donald Pikell, Lambert Trutter, Fidelis Walker, Justus Pokrzewinski, Bede Jagoe, Honorius Hunter, Hubert Riley, Marcellus Rooney, Benjamin Russell, Pius Stenger, Linus Up de Graf, Dalmatius Madden, Wilfred Leuer, Raphael Rearden, Kieran Redmond, Declan Keating, and Paulinus Counahan; on September 28, from Bro. Harold Ostdiek, O.P.

Vestition The following young men received the habit of the Order from the Very Rev. George Kinsella, O.P., at St. Peter Martyr Priory, Winona, Minnesota, on August 30, 1957: Brothers Hyacinth Kowalkowski, Bartholomew Rowder, Cletus Harrison, Gerald McGreevy, Emmanuel Kleiner, Gerard Halloran, Hilary Wilms, Roger Sullivan, Simon Corbally, William Schrup, Brian Donovan, Chrysostom Rooney, Giles Thomas, Justin Koch, Lawrence Niehoff, Mannes Landmesser, Sylvester Shaw, Jerome Langford, Mel Farrell, James Bischoff, Joachim Cullota, Gregory Young, Melchior Dahm, and Terence O'Brien.

Ordinations On October 31, the Most Rev. Celestine Daly, O.P., Bishop of Des Moines, conferred the Order of Tonsure on Brothers Philip Lamberty, Malachy Quinn, Edward Sullivan, Kenneth Hodgson, Valerian Thomas, Donald Pikell, Lambert Trutter, Fidelis Walker, Justus Pokrzewinski, Bede Jagoe, Honorius Hunter, Hubert Riley, Marcellus Rooney, Benjamin Russell, Pius Stenger, Linus Up de Graff, Dalmatius Madden, Wilfred Leuer, Raphael Rearden, Kieran Redmond, Declan Keating, Harold Ostdiek, and Paulinus Counahan, O.P., at St. Rose Priory, Dubuque, Iowa.

The following day, Bishop Daly conferred the Orders of Porter and Lector on these same brothers. He then raised to the Diaconate Brothers Walter O'Connell, Maurice Johnston, Bernard O'Riley, Marcolinus Nouza, Mathias Walsh, Austin McGinley, Thaddeus Sehlinger, Benedict Meis, Joseph Haddad, Andrew Kolzow, Timothy Gibbons, John Rock, Luke Feldstein, Louis Bertrand Kroeger, and Anthony Schillaci.

The Orders of Exorcist and Acolyte were conferred on Brothers Philip Lamberty, Malachy Quinn, Edward Sullivan, and Paulinus Counahan, O.P., on November 9 by the Most Rev. George Biskup, Auxiliary Bishop of Dubuque.

Fathers Hilary Burke, O.P., and Peter Otilio, O.P., were ordained to the Priesthood in California during the month of September.

Appointment The Most Rev. William Brady, Archbishop of St. Paul, has appointed the Very Rev. Reginald V. Hughes, O.P., as the Archdiocesan Director of the Holy Name Society.

Centenary The Seventh Centenary of the death of St. Hyacinth was observed at the Dominican House of Studies on September 22 with the celebration of a Solemn Mass by the Very Rev. Wenceslaus Piec, O.P., a son and a privileged novice master of the Province of Poland. The Very Rev. Leo Hughes, O.P., S.T.M., was the preacher for the occasion.

Anniversary During September, the Province observed the seventh anniversary of its theological quarterly, *Cross and Crown*. The magazine, which aims at a presentation of Thomistic principles of spiritual theology, is itself the parent of the *Cross and Crown Series of Spirituality*.

■ The Foreign Chronicle ■

Vatican City His Holiness Pope Pius XII has praised the Dominican Order's efforts to increase devotion to the Rosary. In a letter to the Most Rev. Michael Browne, O.P., Master General, The Holy Father wrote, in part, "We are confident that the most powerful Mother of God, implored by the voices of so many of her children, will benignly obtain from God the daily reflowering of private and public good morals. We hope also that they will obtain the grace of God, that the Catholic religion will everywhere be able to fulfill its Divine Mandate free from every injustice and impediment. . . ."

Italy His Eminence Cardinal Lercaro, Archbishop of Bologna, presided at a special ceremony held in St. Dominic's Priory in Pistoia commemorating the Fifth Centenary of Blessed Lawrence of Ripafratta, O.P.

His Eminence Cardinal Piazza, thirty-five Archbishops and Bishops and the Master General of the Dominican Order were present along with crowds of the faithful for special ceremonies honoring the translation of the relics of St. Nicholas of Myra at the Saint's Basilica in Bari, Italy. The relics had been removed in 1953 in order that the reliquary and crypt of the Basilica might be renovated. The precious remains of the Saint were returned to their resting place during the Solemn Rites of Translation. The Dominicans have the care of this ancient and honored Basilica.

Asia The Province of the Most Holy Rosary in the Philippine Islands has recently opened seven new houses. They are at Pintung, Chisan, Tainan and Wanchin on the Island of Formosa and at Cap. St. Jacques, Honai and Blao in Vietnam.

Brazil One of the newest provinces in the Dominican Order, that of St. Thomas Aquinas in Brazil, is flourishing under the able direction of its Provincial, Father Matheus Rocha. The Province, only five years old, has some 45 priests, 26 Students in Theology and Philosophy and 16 Novices. It has three priories, one each in Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo and Belo Horizonte, a new Apostolic School accommodating 100 students, and several missions in the Amazon region.

Deaths Death came in recent months to two prominent Dominican priests, the Very Rev. Francis L. Ceuppens, O.P., S.T.M., world-famous Scripture scholar, and the Rev. Bruno M. Hespers, O.P. Father Ceuppens, who was the author of a vast number of learned works on Sacred Scripture, died in his native Belgium. Father Hespers was a foremost Dominican Liturgist who revised and edited most of the Dominican liturgical books in use today. He also composed many hymns in honor of Saints of the Order. A native of Germany, Father Hespers was the oldest of 18 children. He died in the Convent of Santa Sabina in Rome, where he had been stationed for many years.

■ The Sisters' Chronicle ■

Congregation of St. Catharine of Siena, St. Catharine, Kentucky

In the May and June editions of Saint Joseph Magazine Sister Paschala's "The Hands of a Hospital Nun" and "Don't Blame Caesar" appeared.

At the July 27 Second Annual Commencement of the Theological Institute for sisters at Nazareth College, Louisville, Sisters Lucille and John Francis were recipients of the Degree Master of Arts in Religious Education.

From July 26-28 Sisters Anna Clare, Antonia, De Porres and Mary Gilbert were present for the Xavier University, Chicago, Administrators Institute on Initiating a Teacher Aide Program.

In the July-August 1957 edition of The Rosary Magazine Sister Bonaventure's "Toward the Land of the Aurora" was published.

Eighteen postulants were invested with the Dominican habit at the Motherhouse on August 14 after a ten-day retreat preached by the Rev. D. B. Crowley, O.P. The Rev. J. J. Jurasko, O.P., presided as representative of the Archbishop. The Rev. Maurice Linehan, M.S., of Saint Peter, Houston, Texas, preached on this occasion. On the Feast of Our Lady's Assumption twenty-nine novices made their first public consecration.

Recently Sisters Paschala and Miriam Joseph have edited a pamphlet entitled "A Mother's Retreat."

In September the Rev. Raymund Corr, O.P., became a member of the Junior College faculty.

Siena College, Memphis, is offering "Survey of English Literature" on WKNO-TV. Sister Charlesetta conducts the course.

Sister Ann Michael was graduated from the Dominican School of Nursing, Great Bend, Kansas on September 5, 1957.

Sisters Berchmans, Marietta, Romana, Michaela Marie, died recently. R.I.P.

Congregation of the Sacred Heart, Houston, Texas

At the beginning of the month of September a resident Chaplain, Rev. Mark Barron, O.P., was assigned to the Motherhouse. Father Barron will assist with the theology and philosophy program of Sacred Heart Dominican College.

September 8, the Feast of Our Lady's Nativity, marked the entrance into the Postulate of thirteen young girls from various cities in Texas and California.

Three Sisters of the Congregation were assigned to the new St. Paul's co-educational high school in Whittier, California.

The Feast of St. Michael the Archangel, September 29, was the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Dominican Sisters in Texas. His Excellency, the Most Rev. Wendelin J. Nold, S.T.D., offered the pontifical Mass, which was followed by a luncheon and reception at the Convent.

Congregation of St. Catherine of Siena, Kenosha, Wisconsin

On August 17, the seven-hundredth Centenary of St. Hyacinth was celebrated with a special Mass in honor of the Saint at the Motherhouse chapel.

The Rev. Ferdinand Mundschau, Chaplain of St. Catherine's Hospital, spoke to the hospital auxiliary on the *Role of the Chaplain in the Hospital* at a recent meeting of that organization.

The Rev. D. T. Sheehan, O.P., is teaching Theology to the Sisters and Novices in the Motherhouse.

At the request of His Excellency, the Most Rev. F. P. Leipzig, Bishop of Baker City, members of the Community are now engaged in teaching Christian Doctrine in Ontario, Oregon.

Sister M. Rosario died on July 24, in the thirty-fourth year of her religious profession. R.I.P.

Congregation of St. Cecilia, Nashville, Tennessee

Dominican Sisters of the St. Cecilia Congregation staff the new St. Henry School in West Nashville, opened in the fall of 1957.

St. Cecilia Academy, a private school for girls, established in 1860 in North Nashville, by four Dominican Sisters from St. Mary of the Springs Convent, Somerset, Ohio, has been transferred to West Nashville on what is known as the Overbrook Estate. The Motherhouse and Novitiate of the Dominican Sisters of the St. Cecilia Congregation will remain at the original location in North Nashville. Long range plans call for the erection of a Junior College on the Overbrook property, in the immediate vicinity of the new Academy.

The Most Rev. William L. Adrian, D.D., bishop of Nashville, celebrated the first Mass offered in the new St. Cecilia Academy at Overbrook chapel on October 4.

The Academy was solemnly dedicated on the afternoon of the feast of St. Cecilia, November 22, at 5:00 o'clock by His Excellency, Bishop Adrian. After the blessing of the building and grounds Solemn Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament was given in the auditorium-chapel. Following Benediction, open house was held until 9:00 o'clock p.m.

A beautiful hand-carved statue of St. Cecilia adorns the outside of the new Academy. The statue, seven feet in height, was carved by Herbert Jorgst, of St. Meinrad, Indiana, out of Indiana limestone. It is placed in a niche in the wall near the main entrance, and rests on a pedestal of pink Norman brick, the same kind of brick which is used in the building. Indiana limestone was used to trim the outside of the entire building.

Congregation of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Akron, Ohio

During the summer Sister M. Monica, O.P., received her Masters of Arts degree from Catholic University, Washington. Sister M. Vincent, O.P., and Sister M. Louise, O.P., received their Master of Arts degrees, and Sisters Ruth, Leonard, Dismas, and Walter received their degrees of Bachelor of Science in Education, from St. John College, Cleveland.

Sister M. Dominicana, O.P., of St. Vincent and Sister Marianne, O.P., of Our Lady of the Elms were in attendance at the Ohio High School Principals' Association Annual Fall Meeting, October 18-19, in Columbus, Ohio.

Demonstration lessons in art, music, and English were given by members of the Community, October 20, in our Lady of the Elms. The educational idea-sharing

institute was organized for the purpose of teacher and pupil improvement. A written evaluation of the success of the institute by all teachers participating and an exhibit of educational materials helpful to the Sisters in their work concluded the afternoon's schedule. Sister M. Eileen, O.P., was in charge.

Mother M. Clare, O.P., Sister M. Clarice, O.P., Sister M. Monica, O.P., and Sister M. Raphael, O.P., attended the Ohio Classical Conference in Youngstown, Ohio, October 24-26. Latin exhibits under the guidance of Sister M. Clarice from St. Vincent High School, Akron, and Sister M. Raphael, O.P., at Cardinal Mooney High School, Youngstown, were cited for excellence.

Congregation of Our Lady of the Rosary, Sparkill, New York

Mother Mary Kevin, O.P., Mother General and President of St. Thomas Aquinas College at Sparkill, New York, was notified by the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York that the Board had formally voted to amend the Charter of St. Thomas Aquinas College, permitting the Community to conduct a full four-year college program in the liberal arts and sciences and professional education leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education.

On October 21, the Community at Sparkill welcomed the Rev. Timothy Carney, O.P., Rev. Terence Quinn, O.P., Rev. Bertrand Boland, O.P., and Rev. Ferrer Arnold, O.P., who showed color films of the new Dominican foreign mission in West Pakistan. These four Dominican Fathers have been assigned to the Pakistan mission and will leave shortly to join the Dominicans who are already working there.

A group of Sparkill Dominican Sisters will leave for West Pakistan in 1958. Two convents and a high school, to be opened and operated by the Community, are being constructed, and it is expected that they will have been completed before the arrival of the Sisters in their foreign mission station.

Mother Mary Kevin, O.P., formally opened the first classes in the newly-established Albertus Magnus High School in Rockland County, New York. In September, the Community also opened St. Catherine of Siena School in Hillcrest, New York, and St. Thomas More School in St. Louis, Missouri.

Congregation of St. Mary of the Springs, Columbus, Ohio

On September 14, about forty Sisters moved from the oldest building on St. Mary's campus to a beautiful modern infirmary. The new home for the aged and infirm Sisters is Mohun Hall, named for Mother Stephanie Mohun, O.P., Mother General of St. Mary's for twenty-four years.

St. Mary's Community was host, Sunday, October 13, to the Provincial Convocation of the Third Order of St. Dominic. The Rev. Paul G. Corbett, O.P., director of St. Patrick's Chapter, Columbus, Ohio, was in charge of arrangements. Our honored guest for the occasion was the Very Rev. William D. Marrin, O.P., Provincial of St. Joseph's Province. The Rev. Urban Nagle, O.P., Chaplain to St. Mary's Sisters, gave the main address; and the Rev. Francis N. Wendell, O.P., provincial director of the Third Order, served on the workshop panel with the Very Rev. Albert Drexelius, O.P., and the Rev. Regis Ryan, O.P.

A number of other Dominican Fathers and about 500 Third Order members were present for the Convocation.

Sisters Constance (Keely), Inez (McGiniss), and Immaculata (Ulsheimier) died recently. R.I.P.

Congregation of the Most Holy Rosary, Sinsinawa, Wisconsin

About fifty lay tertiaries of Dubuque and Madison made a week-end retreat, August 23-25, at St. Clara Academy under the direction of the Rev. Leo Kinsella, O.P.

Sister Mary Aurelia has been named President of Rosary College and Sister Mary Timothea, former President of the college who has been observing European institutions of higher learning for some months, has been appointed to the administrative staff of Pius XII Institute, Florence, Italy.

A new mission school, St. John Vianney, was accepted in September in Janesville, Wisconsin. Opened a year ago and staffed entirely by lay teachers, the Sisters found a very hearty welcome in Janesville. At the present time, there are 65,728 students enrolled in schools staffed by the Sinsinawa Sisters.

The Rev. T. L. Sanner, O.P., assistant chaplain at St. Clara Convent, has been assigned to Holy Rosary Convent, Minneapolis and the Rev. Albert Nieser, O.P., has replaced him at St. Clara.

Sisters Mary Meinrad, Marie Aquinas and Marie Walter recently returned from European study in Florence, Fribourg, and Rome, respectively. Sister Marie Walter attended the Pontifical Institute Regina Mundi, receiving the Diploma *Magisterii Scientiis Sacris*. Sister Marie Eugene has been assigned to work at Regina Mundi this Fall.

Rosary Sunday, the patronal feast of the Congregation, was marked by the offering of High Mass, Rosary Procession, and a sermon by Father Walker, chaplain. On November 4, Founder's Day, honoring the Very Rev. Samuel Charles Mazuchelli, O.P., was observed by a program THE HOUSE OF WISDOM, presented by the Academy students.

Sisters Mary Brigid, Angelique, Thomas Aquinas, Vigilius and Geralda died recently. R.I.P.

Congregation of the Most Holy Rosary, Newburgh, New York

Rev. Edward P. Doyle, O.P., has been assigned to teach Theology at Mt. St. Mary College, Newburgh. He came to the Mount from Seton Hill College, Greensburg, Pa., where he had taught Theology for three years and directed the Catholic Inquiry Classes for the Diocese of Greensburg.

Rev. Gerald King, O.P., pastor of the Holy Rosary Parish, Hawthorne, N. Y., gave the opening address at the Newburgh Community Sectional Teachers Institute held in the Holy Rosary School on October 25. Sister Margaret Michael, O.P., community supervisor of schools, directed the program. The afternoon sessions were devoted to teaching techniques, demonstrations, and group discussions.

Vocation Open House was held on October 19 in St. Brendan's school, New Haven, Conn., under the direction of Sister M. Consilia, community vocation director.

Pope Pius XII High School in St. Mary's Parish, Passaic, was blessed and dedicated on November 10, by the Most Rev. James McNulty, Bishop of Paterson, N. J. St. Mary's Convent, Poughkeepsie, was blessed on November 17 by His Eminence, Francis Cardinal Spellman.

Players Incorporated made their ninth consecutive yearly appearance in the Mt. St. Mary Auditorium on November 1.

Sisters M. Anna Leo, Catherine Clare and Jean Raymonda died recently. R.I.P.

Congregation of Saint Catherine of Siena, Racine, Wisconsin

Sister M. Celeste, O.P., served as Consultant for the Adult Education Workshop at the North American Liturgical Week in Collegetown, Minn., August 19-22.

Rev. Thomas D. Sheehan, O.P., was recently appointed Chaplain at the Motherhouse to replace Father A. B. Nieser, O.P., who has been reassigned.

The community has accepted the staffing of the new St. Sebastian School, Sturtevant, Wis., which opened in September.

Dominican Tertiaries of Queen of the Holy Rosary Chapter, Racine, observed a day of recollection in the Motherhouse chapel on October 13.

Sister M. Annunciata, O.P., died July 19 in the fortieth year of her religious profession. R.I.P.

Congregation of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Caldwell, New Jersey

A great number of Sisters attended Caldwell College Summer School, Caldwell, N. J. Sister M. Grace John, O.P., Sister M. Margaret George, O.P., Sister Marietta Ann, O.P., and Sister Rose Marie, O.P., received a B.A. degree. Sister M. Rita Francis, O.P., received a B.S. in Education. Sister M. Eucharistia, O.P., Sister M. Veronica Joseph, O.P., and Sister Mary Helen, O.P., received Master's Degrees from Villanova University.

On August 4, 1957, Diamond, Golden and Silver Jubilarians assisted at a Solemn High Mass of Thanksgiving in the Convent Chapel offered by Rev. Paul Perrotta, O.P. The Diamond Jubilarian was Sister M. Concepta, O.P. The Golden Jubilarians: Sisters M. Corona, O.P., M. Ildephonse, O.P., and M. Felicitas O.P. The Most Rev. Martin W. Stanton, S.T.D., was present together with Clergy, relatives and friends of the Jubilarians.

On September 24, 1957, Rev. Mother Dolorita, O.P., the Council and members of the Community attended the Ceremony of Consecration of: the Most Rev. Martin W. Stanton, S.T.D., and the Most Rev. Walter W. Curtis, S.T.D., in the Cathedral of the Sacred Heart, Newark, N. J.

A Reception of Welcome will be tendered our newly consecrated Bishops on November 19 by the Community, the students of Caldwell College and the students of Mt. St. Dominic Academy in the Auditorium.

On the Feast of Our Lady's Nativity twenty-five postulants were received.

Congregation of the Immaculate Conception, Great Bend, Kansas

The Rev. Capuchin Fathers from St. Bonaventure's Monastery, Hays, Kansas, were the Officers for the Solemn High Mass and the Solemn Vespers celebrated on St. Dominic's Day in St. Dominic's Chapel at the Motherhouse.

The fourth series of lectures of "Our Lady of the Universe" Chapter of the Thomist Association was begun October 13, 1957, at the Immaculate Conception Convent. The lectures on Sacred Scriptures are conducted by the Rev. Arthur Kinsella, O.P.

The Convent Chapel was the scene of the departure ceremony on September 22 for Sister Mary Germaine who will join the four Dominican Sisters stationed, since September 1956, in Gusau, Northern Nigeria. The services began with the singing of the Sunday Vespers followed by an address given by the Chaplain, the Rev. Eugene Becker, O.F.M.Cap.; he also bestowed the mission cross on Sister Mary Germaine. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament brought the ceremonies to a close.

On September 28, Rev. Mother Mary Aloysia, O.P., Prioress General, and Sister Mary Germaine, O.P., boarded the "African Patriot" in New York harbor,

for Gusau, Northern Nigeria. Mother Mary Aloysia will spend several weeks there with the Sisters stationed at the newly constructed Immaculate Heart of Mary Convent. Sister Mary Germaine, a registered nurse and a graduate of the Catholic Maternity Clinic at Santa Fe, New Mexico, will assist Sister Mary Bernadette, O.P., a veteran missionary of one year, who saw and guided the construction of both the Maternity Clinic and the Dispensary on the Sisters' Compound in Gusau. On September 23 the doors of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Dispensary were opened and the first patients were admitted and treated.

Congregation of the Holy Cross, Amityville, New York

Mother M. Aloysia, O.P., of Great Bend, Kansas and her companion stopped at Queen of the Rosary Convent, Amityville, N. Y., to receive the Travellers' Blessing before they left for Africa in late September.

Sister Mary Claver addressed a Sodality Institute in Connecticut recently. She spoke on the "Formation of Good Parish Sodalities of Our Lady."

Three conferences on Dominican Spirituality have been scheduled for the Sisters at Dominican Commercial Auditorium, Jamaica. These are to be given by Rev. B. U. Fay, O.P., of the Dominican House of Studies, Washington, D. C.

On October 30, the Most Rev. Walter P. Kellenberg, D.D., first bishop of the newly erected diocese of Rockville Centre, N. Y., was unanimously elected to the chair of Honorary President of Molloy Catholic College for Women, Rockville Centre, N. Y., staffed by the Amityville Dominican Sisters. Following the Board Meeting, the faculty and college trustees attended a reception given in honor of His Excellency.

Sisters Michaella and Amadea died recently. R.I.P.

Congregation of the Queen of the Holy Rosary, Mission San Jose, California

Queen of the Holy Rosary College graduation exercises were held in the Motherhouse chapel, Mission San Jose, on August 2. The Very Rev. Joseph J. Fulton, O.P., Provincial of the Holy Name Province, addressed the graduates and awarded the degrees.

The Feast of Our Lady's Assumption was the occasion of a Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving offered at the Motherhouse when eighteen Sisters were honored as jubilarians. The Golden Jubilarians were: Sister Cajetan, Sister Paula, Sister Euphemia, Sister Odilia, Sister Alacoque, Sister Pudencia, and Sister Placida.

Sister M. Priscilla and Sister M. Mathia died recently. R.I.P.

Our Lady of the Valley Convent, Kettle Falls, Washington

In the Motherhouse chapel on August 17, six novices made profession of vows. On August 28, ten postulants received the habit of St. Dominic and their new name in religion. Two Sisters, Sister M. Reginalda and Sister M. Aristella, celebrated their silver jubilee on the same day.

During September, five postulants entered our Community.

The last of the lay women's retreats was given at the Motherhouse on the weekend of October 25-27. The average attendance of these retreats was twenty-five.

Representatives from our hospitals in Washington and Montana attended a three-day Institute on Medico-Moral Problems, from October 21-23, at the Davenport Hotel, Spokane, Wash. It was conducted by Rev. John J. Lynch, S.J., Professor of Moral Theology at Weston College, Weston, Mass.

Dominican Sisters, Edmonds, Washington

The Golden Jubilee of the dedication of Holy Angels Academy, Seattle, Washington, was marked at a Solemn High Mass of thanksgiving, Wednesday, October 2, 1957. His Excellency, the Most Rev. Thomas A. Connolly, presided at the ceremonies in St. Alphonsus Church.

The Mass sung for the occasion of the jubilee was that composed by Mother M. Frances, O.P., Prioress General of the Congregation of the Holy Cross. The Mass of the Blessed Sacrament was sung by the sisters' choir assisted by girls of Holy Angels Glee Club.

Two groups of religious are attending institutions of higher learning. One group of second year novices commutes each day from the Motherhouse, to Seattle University for morning classes. A second group of professed sisters is residing at Holy Name College in Spokane for completion of undergraduate study which will lead to Bachelor's Degrees.

Monastery of Our Lady of the Rosary, Buffalo, New York

The annual public novena, preparatory to the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary, was preached this year by Rev. Matthew Vincent Reilly, O.P. The novena was concluded with Solemn Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at which the Very Rev. Max T. Bogacki officiated.

To aid Dominicans abroad, both our Fathers and Sisters, the Immaculate Heart Chapter gave a bazaar in the Tertiary Rooms of the Monastery on the feast of Christ the King.

Monastery of the Blessed Sacrament, Detroit, Michigan

On September 8, Feast of the Nativity of our Blessed Mother, Miss Patricia Hogan, formerly of Chicago, received the Habit of St. Dominic after Vespers. Sister received the name of Sister Mary of Calvary, O.P. On September 22, Miss Noreen Costelloe, formerly of County Mayo, Ireland, received the Habit of St. Dominic after Vespers. Sister received the name of Sister Therese Marie of the Passion, O.P.

On September 13, the Legion of Mary of the Western Deanery, assembled for a Holy Hour in the Adoration Chapel.

The annual Rosary Novena in preparation for the Feast was conducted by Rev. J. F. Carrigan, O.P. After the meeting of the Infant of Prague Guild which followed the Holy Hour of October 7, the Prioress, Mother M. Agnes, O.P., was presented with a substantial check towards the Building Fund.

Monastery of Our Lady of Grace, North Guilford, Connecticut

Out in North Guilford, the new Monastery of Our Lady of Grace is rapidly nearing completion. On the Feast of St. Therese of Lisieux, the large Indiana limestone statue of Our Lady of Grace was placed in a niche in the outer front wall of the chapel. The roof of the new monastery is practically completed. The enclosed yard in back of the monastery (in addition to the court) has been enlarged by an additional five acres. The Dan Cosgrove Construction Co. of Branford contributed the landscaping of the new yard as their gift toward the new monastery.

The Monastery of Our Lady of Grace has had reprinted the book, DEVOTIONS TO SAINT DOMINIC, by the late Rev. Bertrand Wilberforce, O.P. Added to the first edition are nine pictures relating to the life of St. Dominic, one of them

an original by a nun of this Community. Proceeds from the book are being used toward the rebuilding of the monastery.

On June 26, Sister Mary Elizabeth of the Sacred Heart, O.P., the first postulant to join the Community after the fire, made profession of temporary vows.

Walter D. Hughes, O.P., is continuing his theology course for the Community of the Monastery.

Dominican Sisters of the Perpetual Rosary, Union City, New Jersey

His Excellency, Archbishop Thomas A. Boland, D.D., visited the Community on July 17 and again on July 27. He gave a special blessing to Mother Mary Raymond, O.P., a former Prioress of the Community who is now paralyzed.

Sister Mary Joseph of Jesus Crucified, O.P., made her Temporary Vows of Profession on the 15th of September. The Rev. Theophane A. O'Brien, O.P., was acting delegate to His Excellency, Archbishop Thomas A. Boland, D.D., and the Rev. T. G. Mullaney, O.P., presided at Compline which preceded the ceremony. The Rev. Hubert Arliss, C.P., preached the sermon.

On the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary, afternoon devotions took place at 3 o'clock. Children dressed in the Dominican Habit of Friars and Nuns made up the Procession. Rev. Francis N. Wendell, O.P., preached the sermon. Blessed Roses were distributed to the people after the service. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament concluded the day's celebration.

Corpus Christi Monastery, Bronx, New York

Sister M. Joseph made her final Profession of Simple Vows as an Extern Sister on August 30. Msgr. Mechler officiated and Rev. Joseph Taylor, O.P., preached the sermon.

Sister Isabel and Sister Mary were received into our Community on the Feast of Our Mother's Nativity. Sister Mary of the Eucharist made her temporary Profession as a Choir Nun on Oct. 5. Msgr. Charles J. McCabe of the Immaculate Conception Church of Manhattan officiated at the Vespers and the Ceremony. Rev. Charles J. McManus of the Cathedral preached the sermon and Rev. John Taylor, S.J., acted as Master of Ceremonies.

November 21 marked the Diamond Jubilee of Sister M. of the Immaculate Conception. There was no formal celebration as Mother is still suffering from a recent heart attack. On December 8, Sister M. Cecile will celebrate her Golden Jubilee of Profession. She has held many important offices, including that of Prioress from 1942-45.

Dominican Sisters of the Perpetual Rosary, Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Sister Miriam of the Child Jesus celebrated the Silver Jubilee of her religious Profession on September 14. A Low Pontifical Mass was offered by the Most Rev. Bishop Schott, D.D., Auxiliary of the Diocese of Harrisburg. Several of the local clergy and a large group of relatives and friends attended. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Leo Bierschmitt, Diocesan Director for the Propagation of the Faith.

The Novena for the Feast of the Most Holy Rosary, and the annual Rosary Sunday devotions were conducted by the Rev. Reginald Coffey, O.P., from the Dominican House of Studies.

The Lancaster Catholic High School Alumni held a day of recollection at the Monastery on November 17. The Exercises were conducted by the Rev. Richard Mitchell, himself a graduate of Lancaster Catholic High.