



ST. JOSEPH'S PROVINCE

Very Rev. M. J. Ripple, O. P., P. G., conducted the Holy Name retreat for the Soldiers at Roanoke, Virginia, during the month of January.

The annual mission given by the Dominican Missionaries at Holy Cross Mission, Chicago, was given this year by Rev. Wm. P. McIntyre, O. P.

Rev. W. C. Kelly, O. P., conducted a retreat for the men of the Holy Name parish, Philadelphia, in February.

The Missionaries of the Southern Band gave Holy Name retreats during the month of January in the dioceses of Detroit, Richmond, Indianapolis and Cleveland.

During the Paschal Season, the members of the Southern Missionary Band will give missions in the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, the Dioceses of Detroit, Cleveland, Toledo, Indianapolis, Columbus and Louisville.

Rev. F. G. Level, O. P., professor of French and Spanish at Providence College, is preaching in French every evening during the month of March at St. John's Church, Warren, R. I.

Very Rev. J. H. Foster, O. P., S. T. Lr., Subprior of the House of Philosophy in Chicago, conducted the annual retreat for the students of Rosary College, River Forest, Ill., from December 4-8.

The annual retreats for the Knights of Columbus, Detroit Chapter, were conducted by Rev. V. R. Burnell, O. P., Rev. J. L. Finnerty, O. P., and Rev. H. L. Martin, O. P., during the week of March 7th.

The Fathers of the Holy Name Church, Philadelphia, are to give the Lenten courses in the following Churches:—Holy Child; St. Hugh's; St. Catherine of Sienna; St. Elizabeth's; and St. Francis Xavier's.

Rev. J. C. Timony, O. P., took a Chicago pastor's place during January and February. Rev. Wm. R. Mahoney, O. P., acted as chaplain at the Academy of Our Lady, Chicago, during the sickness of the regular chaplain.

Archbishop John T. McNicholas, O. P., D. D., preached the sermon at the consecration of Rt. Rev. Thomas A. Welch, the new Bishop of Duluth on February 3, at the Cathedral of St. Paul.

At St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, New York City, a three week's mission was opened on Sunday, January 24th, by the Very Rev. J. H. Healy, O. P., P. G., Superior of the Eastern Mission Band, assisted by Revs. J. A. Sheil, O. P., J. A. Mackin, O. P., and J. E. O'Hearn, O. P.

The Very Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., S. T. Lr., Ph. D., for the past three years, Prior of the House of Studies in Washington, D. C., has been reelected to this office for a second term. The Fathers and Novices extend to him their sincere congratulations.

On January 3, Rev. Wm. P. McIntyre, O. P., of Chicago, addressed the Holy Name Societies of the parishes of Freeport, Illinois. Rev. J. R. Dooley, O. P., established the Holy Name Society in the parish church at Waite, Minnesota, on January 10.

Rev. Wm. P. McIntyre, O. P., conducted the annual Triduum for the Hospital Sisters of St. Joseph, in charge of St. Bernard's Hospital, Chicago; and the retreat for the Sisters of the Perpetual Rosary, Hales Corners, Wis.

At the request of the McMillan Book Company in New York City, the series of forty-five "Tabernacle Talks" written by Rev. V. F. Kienberger, O. P., for the "Providence Visitor" are to be published in book form under the new title of "Benediction from Solitude."

Work on the beautiful new organ in St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, New York City, is progressing rapidly and it is hoped that within a very short time, its installation will be completed. It is one of the most artistic organs in the world.

A monthly conference is given to the Dominican Tertiaries at 1812 Green Street, Philadelphia, by one of the Fathers of the Holy Name parish. A similar series of talks is given each month in the Chapel of the House of Studies, by the Very Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., S. T. Lr.

Rev. D. M. Galliher, O. P., J. C. D., Dean of Providence College and Chaplain of Providence Council, Knights of Columbus, spoke on "Safeguards of Democracy" at the forum lecture, held under the auspices of Providence Knights of Columbus Lecture Bureau on February 7, in Providence, R. I.

Very Rev. Jas. Aldridge, O. P., S. T. M., pastor of Holy Rosary Church, Minneapolis, is preaching the Lenten sermons at St. Ann's Church in that city. Rev. Bernard Walsh, O. P., S. T. Lr., will preach at the Three Hour service to be held in Holy Rosary Church on Good Friday.

Rev. Francis O'Neil, O. P., Ph. D., gave a two weeks' retreat this Lent at St. Ann's Church, Toledo, Ohio. His program of retreats includes one for the students of Aquinas College, Columbus, Ohio, and jointly with Very Rev. R. P. Cahill, O. P., P. G., will give a retreat in Clarksburg, W. Va.

Rev. Louis Kelly, O. P., for more than twenty-six years chaplain of the Ohio State Penitentiary, is now conducting a convert class at Holy Rosary Church, Minneapolis, though now in his seventy-sixth year. During the short period in which he has engaged in this work he has received thirty persons into the Church.

Rev. Louis Farrel, O. P., of the Eastern Mission Band, preached the novena in preparation for Christmas at the Perpetual Rosary Convent, Syracuse, N. Y. Rev. T. F. Conlon, O. P., also of the Eastern Mission Band, was the preacher at the ceremony of reception, held on February 2, at the Convent of the Perpetual Rosary, Camden, N. J.

At the sixth annual meeting of the American Catholic Historical Association held at Ann Arbor, Michigan, December 29-31, Rev. Boniface Stratemeier, O. P., S. T. Lr., Ph. D., read a paper on the eminent Dominican historian, Father Denifle. All the papers read at this meeting are to be published in book form by Kenedy and Co., New York.

At the ceremony of dedication of the new building at Mt. St. Mary Academy, St. Charles, Ill., conducted by Rt. Rev. Peter Muldoon, Bishop of Rockford diocese, Rev. Wm. R. Lawlor, O. P., of Chicago made the principal address. The retreat this year for the pupils of this Academy was in charge of Rev. Q. F. Beckley, O. P., of the Western Mission Band.

The Holy Name Catholic Club, Philadelphia, during January, commemorated its twentieth anniversary. The celebration opened with Mass and general Holy Communion for the members on Sunday, January 17th. In the evening of that day, Rev. Timothy Murphy, a former member of the Club, gave an eloquent address. The festivities were extended over an entire week.

During the winter months, the Missionaries at Chicago and Minneapolis have given retreats to religious and to school children. Fr. Lawlor, O. P., Superior of the Western Mission Band gave two retreats in private schools of La Grange, Ill., conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph; one to the students of Aquinas High School, Chicago; and another to the students of Trinity High School, River Forest, Ill.

On January 24, Bro. James Lonergan, O. P., after completing his year of novitiate as lay-brother, took his temporary vows before the Very Rev. Prior of the House of Studies. On February 2, Bro. Pius Welsh, O. P., lay-brother, made his second temporary profession into the hands of Very Rev. M. A. Waldron, O. P., S. T. M., Subprior of the House of Studies.

Rev. J. R. Dooley, O. P., recently gave a Triduum for the Young Ladies Sodality of Holy Rosary Church, Minneapolis. At the end of the Triduum, Rev. T. D. Timpane, O. P., spiritual director of the Sodality, enrolled one hundred and nine new members. At this same parish, a Junior Holy Name Society has been organized by Rev. Bernard Walsh, O. P., S. T. Lr.

Due to the efforts of the Detroit Diocesan Union of the Holy Name Society, the Municipal authorities have ordered the observance of Good Friday from twelve to three o'clock. During this time the Tre Ore is to be held in most of the city churches. The members of the Southern Mission Band and several other Dominican Fathers are engaged to conduct this devotion.

On Wednesday evenings during Lent, the professors of the House of Studies are conducting a series of sermons at St. Dominic's Church, Washington, D. C., as follows: February 17th and 24th, Rev. Basil Saylor, O. P., S. T. Lr.; March 3rd, Rev. William Owens, O. P., S. T. Lr.; March 10th, Rev. Dominic McShane, O. P., S. T. Lr.; March 17th and 24th, Very Rev. D. J. Kennedy, O. P., S. T. M.

At the Ecclesiastical Conference held in the Cathedral Chapel, Philadelphia, the Rev. Gregory R. Scholtz, O. P., gave the exhortation, his subject being, "De Devotione Erga SS. Sacramentum." Fr. Scholtz, during the first week of January, gave a Triduum to the men of St. Alice's parish, one of the most flourishing parishes in the city of Philadelphia.

Rev. Vincent Cleary, O. P., gave several missions in Texas during the month of January. Fr. Cleary with Rev. W. D. Sullivan, O. P., gave a two weeks' mission from February 7th to the 21st, at Morgan City, Louisiana, and during Lent, are to give a three weeks' mission at Our Lady of Lourdes, New Orleans, Louisiana, followed by another at Pine Bluff, Arkansas, extending over two weeks.

The Fathers and Novices extend their sincere sympathy to Very Rev. J. B. O'Connor, O. P., Rev. J. R. Dooley, O. P., upon the death of their mothers; to Rev. D. M. Galliher, O. P., and to Rev. F. D. McShane, O. P., whose brothers died shortly after our December issue went to press; to Rev. T. L. Crowley, O. P., upon the death of his sister; and to Bro. Aloysius McBride, O. P., who has suffered the loss of his father. May they rest in peace.

A Triduum in honor of the "Little Flower" was given in St. Catherine's parish, New York City, by Rev. W. R. Bonniwell, O. P., from February 7-9. Fr. Bonniwell is also giving a series of sermons during Lent at the following places:—Sunday nights, Trenton, N. J.; Tuesday nights, at St. Catherine's, New York City; Wednesday nights, Fairview, Conn.; and Thursday noons, at Hunter College, New York.

On the last Sunday of November, the new Church and School of St. Dominic's in Youngstown, Ohio, was dedicated by Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrembs, Bishop of Cleveland. The dedication was attended by a number of prominent priests. The preacher on this occasion was the Very Rev. M. J. Ripple, O. P., P. G. Since its foundation in 1923, this parish has shown constant growth and promises to be one of exceptional importance.

The Rev. Thomas Schwertner, O. P., S. T. Lr., Editor of the Rosary Magazine, preached a novena in preparation for the feast of the Immaculate Conception, in the Church of St. Vincent Ferrer's, New York City. Fr. Schwertner is giving a course of Lenten sermons in the same Church. During the sixteenth centenary celebration of the Nicene Creed, Fr. Schwertner delivered the sermon in the Cincinnati Cathedral.

Rev. V. R. Burnell, O. P., Superior of the Southern Mission Band, with Rev. Francis O'Neil, O. P., Ph. D., gave a two weeks' mission in St. Edward's Church, Cleveland, Ohio, from February 7th to the 21st. In the holy season of Lent, Fr. Burnell, with Rev. H. L. Martin, O. P., are scheduled to give a mission in Sts. Peter and Paul Cathedral, Detroit, Michigan, and another at St. Gregory's Church in the same city.

The retreats of Rev. C. M. Thuente, O. P., during the winter were:—Dominican Sisters at Caldwell, N. J.; Hawthorne, N. Y.; and St. Joseph's New York. He also gave a retreat to the pupils of St. Mary's Academy, St. Francis, Wis.; to the students and seminarians at the Josephinum, Columbus, Ohio, and the seminarians, Cincinnati, Ohio; and for the second time he conducted the retreat for the Benedictine Sisters at Clyde, Mo.

Rev. J. L. Finnerty, O. P., and Rev. H. L. Martin, O. P., gave a two weeks' mission at Clinton, Indiana, in January. The third week of the mission was conducted for the Italian population of the parish by Rev. J. J. Fata, O. P. Fathers Finnerty, Martin, and Very Rev. Fr. Cahill, O. P., P. G., gave a two weeks' mission in the Church of the Annunciation, Akron,

Ohio, beginning February 7th. Fathers Cahill and Finnerty continue their mission program this Lent at St. Patrick's Church, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Very Rev. Provincial has recently made the following changes, Rev. S. A. Gavin, O. P., has been transferred from St. Dominic's Church, Washington, D. C., to St. Catherine's Church, New York City; Rev. J. J. Sullivan, O. P., of St. Catherine's parish in New York City is now assistant at St. Dominic's Church, Washington, D. C.; Rev. J. R. Caien, O. P., has left St. Catherine's Church, New York City to become Prior of St. Joseph's in Somerset, Ohio.

The new Sisters' Convent of the Holy Name of Jesus, connected with the Holy Name Church, Philadelphia, was formerly opened on January 2nd. About seventy Sisters of the Immaculate Heart attended the opening. All those who had been stationed at the Convent since its foundation, twenty years ago, and all those who entered the Community from the parish, were invited. The Convent which is thoroughly Dominican and one of the finest in the Archdiocese, cost ninety thousand dollars.

During Pentecost week, the seventy-eighth Master General of the Order of Friars Preachers will be elected at the General Chapter to be held at Ocana, in the Province of Toledo, Spain. Those who will represent the Province of St. Joseph at this Chapter are the Very Rev. Provincial Raymond Meagher, O. P., S. T. Lr., and his alternate, not yet selected; Very Rev. W. D. Noon, O. P., S. T. M., President of Providence College; and Very Rev. J. A. Dempsey, O. P., S. T. Lr., Prior of the Convent of St. Catherine of Sienna, New York City.

On December 10, Very Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., S. T. Lr., was the principal speaker at the thirty-first annual Memorial Service of the Washington Lodge of Elks, and on January 17, he gave an address over the radio from the Paulist station in New York City, on "The Manliness of the Christian Ideal." On Sunday evening, January 25, Fr. Smith delivered a sermon on "The Moral Problems of the Day" before a gathering of more than three thousands Knights of Columbus and their friends, at their annual Solemn Vesper Service in the Crypt of the National Shrine, Washington, D. C.

On Friday, February 12, the Debating Team of Providence College, under the direction of the Dominican Fathers, met in debate for the first time, the Team from Fordham University. The question debated was: "Resolved that the United States Senate was justified in passing the resolution for our entrance into the World Court." The negative side of the question, supported for Providence by Edward McEntee, Francis Reynolds, and Edward Sullivan, was awarded the decision in this contest. The debate was broadcasted by Station WEAN, Providence.

The Very Rev. Provincial, Raymond Meagher, O. P., S. T. Lr., returned to San Francisco, Calif., on December 31, from his visitation of the Chinese Missions, having been absent from this country since October 11. He found the Missionaries in good health, full of enthusiasm and zeal for their work, and anxious to make even bigger strides in the future than during the past two years. With limited funds and resources at their disposal, they have succeeded in making real progress in their work. They rely on the assistance of their friends and sympathizers at home to help them attain even greater success in the years to come.

Lenten courses of sermons are being given by the Fathers of the House of Studies as follows:—Very Rev. Gregory Fitzgerald, O. P., S. T. M., on Sunday nights at St. Jerome's Church, Hyattsville, Md.; Very Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., S. T. Lr., on Tuesday and Wednesday nights, Holy Thursday, the Tre Ore and evening services on Good Friday at the Sacred Heart Church, Washington, D. C., and on Friday nights at the Soldiers' Home, Washington, D. C.; Rev. Basil Saylor, O. P., S. T. Lr., on Sunday nights at St. Peter's Church, Baltimore, Md.; Rev. Dominic McShane, O. P., S. T. Lr., the Tre Ore service and Easter Sunday at St. Antoninus' Church, Newark, N. J.

Very Rev. D. J. Kennedy, O. P., S. T. M., gave the retreat to the Postulants at St. Catherine's Academy, Springfield, Ky., beginning February 25th; Fr. Kennedy delivered a lecture to the faculty and student body of Albert the Great College in New Haven, Conn., on the Feast of St. Thomas Aquinas, March 7. The retreat to the lay students of the Catholic University was given by Rev. Basil Saylor, O. P., S. T. Lr., from February 19 to 21. Rev. Edward Hughes, O. P., S. T. Lr., is conducting the Lenten course at the Sacred Heart Church, Jersey City, N. J.

The annual public exercises held in honor of St. Thomas Aquinas, took place at the House of Studies in Washington on the evening of March 8th. Papers read by Bros. John McGovern, O. P., Martin Shea, O. P., and Christopher Perrotta, O. P., on the subjects of "The Early Printed Editions of St. Thomas," "The Eucharistic Hymns of St. Thomas," and "St. Thomas and his Cord," furnished an evening of profit and pleasure. The principal feature of the program was a Solemn Disputation in which the subject, "Utrum, Si Beatitude est Intellectivae Partis, Sit Operatio Intellectus an Voluntatis" was defended by Bro. Sebastian Gillespie, O. P., and opposed by Bro. Andrew Nowlen, O. P. Interspersed throughout the program were several musical numbers rendered by the novitiate orchestra and double quartette.

On January 11, a Solemn Pontifical Mass was celebrated in St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City, in memory of Dowager Queen Margherita of Italy. Rt. Rev. John J. Dunn, Auxiliary Bishop of New York, was celebrant of the Mass; the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph Silipigni, was assistant priest; the Rt. Rev. V. Jannuzzi, was deacon; and the Rev. Joseph Cafuzzi, was subdeacon. The Rev. Philip Robotti, O. P., a member of the Italian Missionary Band laboring in this country, delivered the eulogy in Italian, and the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Michael J. Lavelle, rector of St. Patrick's, spoke in English. Fr. Robotti recalled the charity and justice that had marked the life of the late Queen and emphasized the fact that Italy had lost the woman who first bore the title of Queen of United Italy. The services were attended by a large gathering of prominent officials representing many foreign Embassies as well as State and Governmental Administrations.

FOREIGN PROVINCES

Rev. Chr. Berutti, O. P., of the Province of Piedmont has been named professor of Canon Law at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland. He had previously occupied this chair at the Collegio Angelico.

When the Catholic Institute of Paris recently celebrated its fiftieth anniversary, Fathers Allo, Woroniecki and Gardeill, of the Order of Preachers, were present as representatives of Dominican teachers in France.

In connection with the celebration of its Silver Jubilee, the headquarters of the Perpetual Rosary of Santiago brought out an artistically illustrated album containing autographs and articles by many celebrated persons.

Rev. Fr. Gigon, O. P., of the Province of Toulouse, has been named professor of Dogmatic Theology at the University of Fribourg, in place of Very Rev. Mark Sales, the newly appointed Master of the Sacred Palace.

The Dominicans of the Province of Germany have recently taken possession of the historic Convent of St. Paul, at Worms, the ancient stronghold of Lutheranism. They have been accorded an enthusiastic welcome by the Catholic population of the city.

At Brussieres, France, there was conducted last November, a ceremony in honor of the parents and relatives of Pere Lacordaire who restored the Dominican Order in France. The graves of the family of Lacordaire were restored at the suggestion of Pere Noble, O. P., who was in charge of the ceremonies.

The second centenary of the foundation of the Academy of Albert the Great was observed recently at Cologne. The Archbishop of that city, Cardinal Schulte, received a commendatory letter from Cardinal Gasparri, in the name of the Holy Father, extolling the glories of Blessed Albert and felicitating the Academy on its splendid work.

The Catholic Association of France which concerns itself with the welfare of the youth of France of both sexes who are contemplating matrimony, has requested and received from the Vicar General of our Order, the Very Rev. Serapius Tamayo, O. P., J. C. D., permission to affiliate itself with the Angelic Warfare, hoping to obtain the graces so necessary for the matrimonial state by enlisting the aid of the great St. Thomas Aquinas.

Five new professors have been named this year at the Collegio Angelico, in Rome, by the Very Rev. Vicar General of the Order. They are:—Rev. Antoine G. Pelaez, O. P., of the Province of Spain, professor of Apologetics; Rev. Charles Bufalini, O. P., of the Roman Province, professor of Theodicy; Rev. Ange Pirootta, O. P., of the Province of Malta, professor of Logic, Critica, and Ontology; Rev. Narcisse Dominguez, O. P., of the Philippine Province, professor of Hebrew; and Rev. Seraphin Zarb, O. P., of the Province of Malta, professor of Greek.

SISTERS' CHRONICLE

Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Convent (Amityville, N. Y.)

On Nov. 21st six novices made their professions. The ceremonies were presided over by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Kaupert, V. G.

Dr. J. Loftus, Principal of P. S. 180, Coney Island, addressed the Normal School on Methods and School Management.

In December Sister M. Appollonia, one of the oldest members of the community was called to her eternal reward. R. I. P.

At the suggestion of His Eminence, Cardinal Hayes, the Sisters are building a Boys' Camp on a beautiful slope of the side of Lake St. Dominic, at St. Josephs, N. Y.

A retreat from Jan. 8th to 14th was conducted at St. Joseph's Mountain School by the Rev. C. M. Thunte, O. P.

The Very Rev. Mother M. Augustine Fleck sailed Jan. 22nd to visit the houses of the Congregation in Porto Rico.

Congregation of St. Rose of Lima (Hawthorne, N. Y.)

On the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross three postulants were clothed in the holy habit. Father Wm. Tewes, C. SS. R., officiated at these ceremonies and preached the sermon.

Work is still being carried on in the new fireproof Rosary Hill Home, and it is hoped that it will soon be sufficiently ready to receive the fifty or more patients, who so need its protection.

The Rev. Father Lynch, C. SS. R., visited Rosary Hill Home, and praised it for its many conveniences and for the spirit of the patients.

Three conferences by the Rev. C. M. Thunte, O. P., and one by the Rev. Father Lucas Etlin, O. S. D., Editor of the "Tabernacle and Purgatory," have been given at the Home lately.

St. Catherine Academy (Springfield, Ky.)

Two of the Sisters of St. Catherine's Community passed to their eternal reward. Sister Anthony Griffin, O. S. D., died on Jan. 5th and Sister Dosithea Shields, O. S. D., died on Feb. 2nd. R. I. P.

Early in November St. Catherine Academy was accepted for membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, officially ranking it with any college in the U. S.

After an absence of several months spent in England, France and Rome, the Rev Mother Bernadette, O. S. D., and Sister Louise, O. S. D., returned home Jan. 27th.

Thirteen young ladies entered the Novitiate on Feb. 2nd.

Sacred Heart Convent, Marywood (Grand Rapids, Mich.)

The joys of the Christmas season at Marywood were increased by the celebration of their Silver Jubilee by the Sisters M. Borgia, M. Immaculata, M. Monica, M. Reginald, M. Teresa, and M. Appolonia.

The Rev. P. Cornelius, O. S. B., Director of St. Benedict's Preparatory School, Newark, N. J., was present for the Silver Jubilee celebrations.

Reports from the distant mission at Dixon, N. M., indicate that some really apostolic work is being done for the Mexican and Indian children by the little band of four Dominican Sisters.

Convent of St. Dominic (Everett, Wash.)

During the early part of January a three days' retreat was conducted by Rev. R. A. Lewis, O. P.

On the Feast of Holy Innocents three postulants were invested with the holy habit. The High Mass for this occasion was sung by the Rev. W. Lewis, O. P., and the sermon was preached by the Rev. J. S. Rice, O. P.

St. Cecilia Academy (Nashville, Tenn.)

St. Cecilia Academy has been recently placed on the list of schools accredited with the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. This entitles the graduates to enter any college in the U. S.

Two postulants were clothed in the Dominican habit on Feb. 2nd. The reception was presided over by the Rt. Rev. Alphonse J. Smith, D. D., Bishop of Nashville.

Feb. 1st Sister Mary Vincent, O. S. D., departed this life in the thirtieth year of her profession. R. I. P.

Immaculate Conception Convent (Great Bend, Kansas)

Seven postulants received the habit, five novices made their simple profession and four Sisters pronounced their final vows on March 9th.

A new mission at Seward, Kansas, was opened January 18th.

Convent of St. Dominic (Blauvelt, N. Y.)

A retreat was conducted in the convent chapel by the Rev. T. J. Treacy, O. P., in preparation for the reception of eleven postulants and the profession of eight novices. The clothing and profession took place on the Feast of the Purification of Our Lady.

St. Agnes Convent (Sparkill, N. Y.)

Early in January four postulants received the habit and three novices made their profession.

St. Catherine's Hospital (Kenosha, Wis.)

On Feb. 4th Sister Margaret Mary, O. S. D., was called to her eternal reward. R. I. P.

Convent of St. Catherine (Racine, Wis.)

Sr. M. Cyrilla, O. S. D., of St. Catherine's Academy, won second prize in the contest for a poster to popularize the Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, June 20-24th.

Congregation of the Most Holy Name of Jesus (San Rafael, Calif.)

New Year's Day was the scene of the celebration of the Silver Jubilees of Sisters M. Alexius Barthelemy, M. Benedicta Kenneally, M. Gonzaga Rowe, and M. Columba Finn.

At the Mother House in San Rafael, on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, the Dominican Sisters of the Congregation of the Most Holy Name of Jesus, celebrated their Diamond Jubilee, the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Dominican foundation in Monterey. The Sisters came from all the Mission Houses to be present at the solemn high Mass celebrated by the Very Rev. A. L. McMahon, O. P., S. T. M., Prior Provincial of the Western Province of the Dominican Order. A sermon on the significance of the Jubilee was preached by his Grace, the Most Rev. Edward J. Hanna, D. D., Archbishop of San Francisco.

Holy Rosary Hospital (Ontario, Ore.)

Mother Mary Catherine Roth died on February 19th, in the 70th year of her age, and the 43rd of her religious profession. R. I. P.