



CLOISTER & CHRONICLE



ST. JOSEPH'S PROVINCE

The Fathers and Brothers of the Province extend their most sincere sympathy to Bro. Urban McClellan, O.P., and Bro. Louis Bertrand Kilkenney, O.P., on the death of their fathers; to the Rev. D. M. Della Penta, O.P., and Bro. Clement Della Penta, O.P., on the death of their mother; and to the Very Rev. W. G. Moran, O.P., on the death of his sister.

In the Crypt of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, the Tonsure was received by the following Brothers on Sept. 17: Thomas Aquinas Murphy, O.P., Joseph Hoppe, O.P., Mark Egan, O.P., Aquinas Hinnebusch, O.P., Matthew Osbourn, O.P., Albert Mussleman, O.P., Leo Novacki, O.P., Celestine McGregor, O.P., Hyacinth Scheerer, O.P., Timothy Condon, O.P., Ambrose Sullivan, O.P., Francis Nash, O.P., Raymond Dillon, O.P., Bernard Sheridan, O.P., Louis Scheerer, O.P., Joachim Smith, O.P., Fidelis Anderson, O.P., Clement Della Penta, O.P., Damian Schneider, O.P., Jordan Dwyer, O.P., Eugene Hyde, O.P., Pius Alger, O.P., and Lawrence Hunt, O.P. The aforementioned Brothers received Minor Orders on Sept. 18 and 20.

The Rev. E. L. Hughes, O.P., conducted the annual retreat at the Dominican House of Studies, Washington, D. C.

The following Brothers were raised to the Diaconate on Sept. 20 at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D. C.: Robert Slavin, O.P., Patrick Walsh, O.P., Gabriel Lane, O.P., Donald Reilly, O.P., Quentin Friel, O.P., Andrew Kavanaugh, O.P., Edmund Marr, O.P., Hilary Neal, O.P., Arthur Hall, O.P., Luke Devine, O.P., Marcellus Ratz, O.P., Jerome Barth, O.P., Brendan Sullivan, O.P., Hugh Serror, O.P., Augustine McKeon, O.P., Gerard Precourt, O.P., Anselm Vitie, O.P., Christopher Gunning, O.P., Alexius Simones, O.P., Antoninus Bavero, O.P., and Urban McClellan, O.P.

The Community Retreat at St. Joseph's Priory, Somerset, Ohio, was under the direction of the Rev. E. J. O'Toole, O.P.

The Very Rev. E. G. Fitzgerald, O.P., will preach on Sept. 17 at the ceremonies commemorating the Seventh Centenary of the Foundation of the Servites of Mary, which will be held in the Church of Our Lady of Sorrows, Chicago, Illinois. His Eminence George Cardinal Mundelein will preside at the function, and the Most Rev. Bernard J. Sheil will pontificate.

The Rev. F. N. Georges, O.P., published in August a book entitled: "Bl. Diana and Bl. Jordan of Saxony of the Order of Preachers."

The Rev. J. A. Sullivan, O.P., has been appointed chaplain at the Ohio State Penitentiary, Columbus. Father Sullivan will also act in the capacity of an assistant at St. Patrick's Parish.

The Rev. F. C. Foley, O.P., the Rev. C. A. Hannon, O.P., and the Rev. R. M. Rascher, O.P., were the ministers at a Solemn High Mass at St. Catherine's Convent, Racine, Wisconsin. Father Foley preached and presided at the profession of the Sisters.

The Rev. J. J. Regan, O.P., preached a triduum in honor of St. Dominic at St. Dominic's Church, Denver, Colo. In the same church on St. Dominic's Day, the Franciscan Fathers of St. Elizabeth's Parish celebrated a Solemn High Mass.

Retreats given by the Rev. Thos. a'Kempis Reilly, O.P., during the summer months were as follows:

At the Convent of Our Lady of Mercy, Bronx, New York City; for the Sisters of the Good Shepherd, Peekskill, N. Y.; for the Dominican Sisters at St. Cecilia's Academy, at Nashville, Tenn.; at St. Germain's Training School, Peekskill, N. Y.

The Rev. Leo M. Carolan, O.P., has been assigned to the faculty of Providence College, Providence, R. I.

The Rev. Francis E. Yonkus, O.P., and the Rev. Victor Wroblewski, O.P., sailed for Lithuania on August 15.

The Fathers of the Eastern Mission Band have the following missions from September to December:

At St. Columbkille's Church, Brighton, Mass., the Rev. V. R. Burnell, O.P.

At St. Paul's Church, So. Hamilton, Mass., the Rev. W. P. Doane, O.P., the Rev. G. D. Morris, O.P., and the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

At St. John's Church, Bangor, Maine, the Rev. J. L. Finnerty, O.P.

At St. Colman's Church, Brockton, Mass., the Rev. W. P. Doane, O.P., and the Rev. G. D. Morris, O.P.

At St. John's Church, Bergenfield, N. J., the Rev. J. A. Mackin, O.P.

At St. Teresa's Church, Brooklyn (Novena), the Rev. W. R. Bonniwell, O.P.

At the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, Toronto, Canada, the Rev. C. M. Mulvey, O.P.

At St. Stephen's Church, Boston, Mass., the Rev. J. E. O'Hearn, O.P.

At St. Bernard's Church, Brooklyn, the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

At Holy Rosary Church, Syracuse, N. Y., the Rev. J. A. Sheil, O.P.

At the Perpetual Rosary Monastery, Syracuse, N. Y. (Novena), the Rev. H. C. Boyd, O.P.

At the Church of St. Boniface, New York City, the Rev. T. M. Schwertner, O.P.

At the Church of St. Elizabeth, Philadelphia, Pa., the Rev. W. R. Bonniwell, O.P., the Rev. W. P. Doane, O.P., and the Rev. C. M. Mulvey, O.P.

At St. Mary's Church, Bordentown, N. J., the Rev. A. C. Haverty, O.P., and the Rev. H. C. Boyd, O.P.

At Mt. Carmel Church, Astoria, N. Y., the Rev. W. C. Kelly, O.P., the Rev. G. D. Morris, O.P., and the Rev. J. D. Walsh, O.P.

At St. Bernard's Church, Cohoes, N. Y., the Rev. V. R. Burnell, O.P., and the Rev. J. D. Walsh, O.P.

At the Church of the Epiphany, Sayre, Pa., the Rev. W. C. Kelly, O.P.

At St. Augustine's Church, Boston, Mass., the Very Rev. P. A. Maher, O.P., the Rev. E. A. Martin, O.P., the Rev. E. J. O'Toole, O.P., and the Rev. T. D. Gilligan, O.P.

At St. Patrick's Church, Providence, R. I., the Rev. J. J. Durkin, O.P., the Rev. A. M. McCabe, O.P., and the Rev. A. C. Therres, O.P.

At St. Raphael's Church, W. Medford, Mass., the Rev. R. B. Johannsen, O.P., and the Rev. T. H. Sullivan, O.P.

At St. Andrew's Church, Flushing, N. Y., the Rev. Francis O'Neill, O.P.

At Blessed Sacrament Church, Baltimore, Md., the Rev. H. C. Boyd, O.P., and the Rev. A. M. McCabe, O.P.

At St. Thomas' Church, Southington, Conn., the Rev. J. L. Finnerty, O.P., and the Rev. J. E. O'Hearn, O.P.

At St. Joseph's Church, Newark, N. J., the Very Rev. J. H. Healy, O.P., the Rev. J. A. Mackin, O.P., and the Rev. T. M. Schwertner, O.P.

At Blessed Sacrament Church, Washington, D.C., the Rev. E. J. O'Toole, O.P.

At St. Mary's Church, Dumont, N. J., the Rev. W. C. Kelly, O.P.

At St. Thomas' Church, Washington, D.C., the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

At Holy Trinity Church, Coyleville, N. J., the Rev. A. C. Therres, O.P.

At St. Mary's Church, New Bedford, Mass., the Rev. Francis O'Neill, O.P.

At Corpus Christi Church, Rochester, N. Y., the Rev. V. R. Burnell, O.P.

At the Church of St. Aloysius, St. Johnsbury, Vt., the Rev. T. D. Gilligan, O.P.

At St. Pius' Church, Chicago, Illinois, the Rev. E. J. O'Toole, O.P., and the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

At St. Joseph's Church, Pawtucket, R. I., the Rev. J. E. O'Hearn, O.P., the Rev. R. B. Johannsen, O.P., and the Rev. H. C. Boyd, O.P.

At St. Lucy's Church, Jersey City, N. J., the Very Rev. J. H. Healy, O.P.

At St. Patrick's Church, Farmington, Conn., the Rev. V. R. Burnell, O.P.

At Summit, N. J. (Retreat), the Rev. W. R. Bonniwell, O.P.

At St. John's Church, Quincy, Mass., the Very Rev. P. A. Maher, O.P., the Rev. J. J. Durkin, O.P., and the Rev. V. R. Burnell, O.P.

At St. Patrick's Church, Washington, D. C., the Rev. E. J. O'Toole, O.P., and the Rev. W. P. Doane, O.P.

At St. Helen's Church, Toronto, Canada, the Rev. J. L. Finnerty, O.P., the Rev. A. M. McCabe, O.P., and the Rev. A. C. Therres, O.P.

At St. Anthony's Church, Baltimore, Md., the Rev. A. C. Haverty, O.P.

At St. Mary's Church, Niagara Falls, N. Y., the Very Rev. J. H. Healy, O.P., and the Rev. J. A. Mackin, O.P.

At Blessed Sacrament Church, Rochester, N. Y., the Rev. W. C. Kelly, O.P., and the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

At the Church of the Sacred Heart, New Brunswick, N. J., the Rev. E. A. Martin, O.P., and the Rev. J. D. Walsh, O.P.

At St. Augustine's Church, New York City, the Rev. Francis O'Neill, O.P., the Rev. G. D. Morris, O.P., and the Rev. T. D. Gilligan, O.P.

At the Church of the Sacred Heart, Jersey City, N. J., the Very Rev. J. H. Healy, O.P., the Rev. T. M. Schwertner, O.P., the Rev. A. M. McCabe, O.P., and the Rev. T. H. Sullivan, O.P.

At St. Catherine's Church, New York City, the Rev. E. J. O'Toole, O.P., and the Rev. W. P. Doane, O.P.

At the Church of St. Jean Baptiste, New York City (Novena), the Rev. T. M. Schwertner, O.P.

At St. Margaret's Church, Waterbury, Conn. (Novena), the Rev. G. D. Morris, O.P.

At the Church of Our Lady of Victory, Patterson, N. J. (Novena), the Rev. J. A. Mackin, O.P.

At St. Henry's Church, Bayonne, N. J. (Novena), the Very Rev. J. H. Healy, O.P.

At the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Waterbury, Conn. (Novena), the Rev. J. E. O'Hearn, O.P.

At St. Patrick's Church, Scranton, Pa., the Rev. C. M. Mulvey, O.P.

At Mt. Carmel Church, Philadelphia, Pa., the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

At St. Mary's Hospital, Waterbury, Conn. (Retreat), the Rev. W. C. Kelly, O.P.

The First Year Theologians of St. Joseph's Priory made their solemn profession into the hands of the Very Rev. John B. Walsh, O.P., Prior of the Convent, on the morning of August 16th.

The Rev. C. A. Drexelius, O.P., preached a novena in honor of the Good Saint Anne at Calumet City, Michigan.

The Very Rev. R. W. Farrell, O.P., has been assigned to the Dominican House of Studies, Washington, D. C.

Bro. Gregory Maguire, O.P., after a protracted illness, has resumed his theological studies at St. Joseph's Priory, Somerset, Ohio.

The Fathers of the House of Studies, Washington, D. C., conducted the following retreats during the summer:

For the Sisters of Charity, Convent Station, N. J., by the Very Rev. A. L. McMahon, O.P.; for the Sisters of St. Joseph, Brentwood, N. Y., by the Very Rev. E. G. Fitzgerald, O.P.; for the Dominican Sisters at Rosary College, River Forest, Illinois, by the Very Rev. E. G. Fitzgerald, O.P.; for the Dominican Sisters, Sparkill, N. Y., the Sisters of Charity, Convent Station, N. J., by the Rev. F. D. McShane, O.P.; for the Dominican Sisters (two retreats), Sinsinawa, Wisconsin, by the Rev. J. S. Considine, O.P.; for the Xaverian Brothers, Old Point Comfort, Va., for the Dominican Sisters, Sacred Heart Convent Washington, D. C., by the Rev. G. B. Strate-meier, O.P.; and for the Sisters' College, Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C., by the Very Rev. Justin McManus, O.P.

The Rev. Ignatius Smith, O.P., opened a course of eight sermons on Sunday afternoons over the Catholic Hour hook-up. The course is on the petitions of the Our Father, and runs from August 13 to October 1, inclusive. At the invitation of the Most Rev. Francis J. Beckman, Father Smith will deliver the sermon at the conclusion of Catholic Action Week of the archdiocese in connection with the Marian Congress to be held in Dubuque, Iowa, October 26.

The Rev. J. R. O'Connor, O.P., conducted a novena in honor of Saint Ann at St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, New York City, during July.

The Very Rev. W. G. Moran, O.P., delivered an address at the graduation exercises of the Dominican Academy, New York City, on June 1.

The Solemn Mass on August 4 at St. Vincent Ferrer Church, New York City was celebrated by the Very Reverend Father Samuel, O.F.M. The sermon was delivered by Father Gabriel, O.F.M.

The Rev. J. J. Regan, O.P., has been appointed pastor of St. Dominic's Parish, Denver, Colo., succeeding the Very Rev. Patrick R. Carroll, O.P., who has been elected Prior of St. Dominic's Priory, Washington, D. C.

The Rev. J. W. Lannen, O.P., and Bro. Regis Landy, O.P., have been assigned to St. Dominic's Rectory, Denver, Colo.

The novena in honor of Saint Dominic was conducted by the young Fathers of the convent at St. Vincent Ferrer's Church, New York City.

A severe wind and hail storm caused great damage to the windows and roof of the chapel of the Dominican House of Studies at River Forest, Ill.

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Dominican Sisters of the Congregation of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Grand Rapids, Michigan

A course of twenty-four lectures on the Liturgy was given during the summer to about four hundred Sisters of the Congregation in five different centers of the diocese. The course was entitled THE PERFECTION OF CATHOLIC LIFE and consisted in lectures on "The Rôle of Christ in the Christian Life," "The Church, the Mystical Body of Christ," "Liturgical Prayer," "The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass," "The Sacramental System," "The Chant of the Church," and "The Liturgical Year." The course is to be repeated during the Christmas holidays for the benefit of the Sisters who were attending summer school.

Dom Michael W. Ducey, O.S.B., of St. Anselm's Priory, Washington, D. C., who spent the past year in study at the Graduate Liturgical Academy of Maria Laach, Germany, was a guest at Marywood during the first weeks of August, and favored the Sisters with several talks on the liturgy, particularly as it is lived in the great liturgical centers of Beuron and Maria Laach. He was accompanied by the Reverend Dominic Crawford, of the African Mission Society of Lyons, France.

On St. Dominic's Day, Solemn Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Dominic Crawford, with Dom Michael Ducey, O.S.B., as deacon, and the Rev. T. W. Albin, academy chaplain, as subdeacon.

The first of the annual retreats for the Sisters of the Congregation was given at Marywood, June 18-25, by the Rev. D. A. Wynn, O.P.; the second retreat at Marywood was conducted by the Very Rev. Patrick Cummins, O.S.B., Rector of Conception Seminary, Conception, Missouri, from August 7th to the 14th. At the same time a retreat was conducted at Bay City by the Rev. W. J. Devine, C. Ss.R., of Davenport, Iowa; and one at Traverse City by the Rev. F. L. Vander Heyden, O.P.

On the feast of the Assumption, Sister M. Matthia, O.P., celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of her reception into the Congregation. On the same occasion, twenty-one Sisters observed their silver jubilee. Solemn Mass was offered by the Very Rev. Cornelius Selhuber, O.S.B., Director of the College of Belmont Abbey, Belmont, North Carolina, brother of the golden jubilarian. He was assisted by the Rev. Alphonse Studer, brother of one of the silver jubilarians, as deacon, and the Rev. T. W. Albins, chaplain of the academy, as subdeacon.

On August 22, nine young ladies received the habit of the Order; eleven Sisters were admitted to first profession, and seventeen Sisters pronounced final vows.

The Rev. William Busch of St. Paul's Seminary, one of the foremost authorities on the liturgy of the Church, was a guest at Marywood the week of August 14.

Congregation of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Caldwell, N. J.

The summer school session of Mount St. Dominic's opened on June 26. The program offered Normal School and College courses. The faculty included the Rev. Reginald Hughes, O.P., of St. Joseph's College, Adrian, Michigan, and the Rev. J. S. Keating, S.J., of Boston College High School. Other members of the Community attended summer school at the Catholic University and Fordham University. One Sister received the degree of M.A. from Catholic University and at Fordham seven Sisters received the degree of B. Sc.

Fifty-five new members, relatives and friends of the Sisters, were received into the Third Order by the Rev. E. L. Hughes, O.P. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Justin Routh, O.P. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was given by the Rev. James Rooney, chaplain of the Academy.

Before leaving for Syracuse, N. Y., the Right Reverend James A. Duffy, D.D., was tendered a reception by the Community. He was accompanied by the Rev. Monsignor J. C. McClary, Chancellor of the Newark diocese.

Mother M. Joseph, Mother General of the Congregation, and her Council were re-elected for another term of six years.

On August 4, Mother M. Avelline, ex-Mother General, celebrated the golden jubilee of her religious profession. Solemn Mass was celebrated by Monsignor J. C. McClary, assisted by the Rev. James Rooney, and the Rev. Thomas McEnery. The sermon was preached by the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

The annual retreat was conducted by the Rev. H. H. Welsh, O.P.

Ten Postulants received the habit and thirteen Novices made first Profession on August 7. On this occasion the Mass was celebrated by the Rev. J. J. Cassity, S.J., and the sermon was preached by the Rev. H. V. Colgan. Due to the absence of the Right Reverend Bishop, the ceremonies were conducted by Monsignor Carew, assisted by the Rev. James Rooney.

Sister M. Thomasita Nesbital was called to her eternal reward on August 4.

The title and degree of Paladin Leader as well as the Leadership Jewel of the Order of Crusade Paladins of the Round Table were bestowed upon the Moderator of the Novitiate Mission Unit "for sustained and patient effort in behalf of the Missions and the Crusade."

Congregation of the Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, Mission San Jose, Calif.

The Rev. Thomas Gabisch, O.P., conducted the annual retreat at the Motherhouse from May 28 to June 4.

Eleven postulants received the habit of the Order on Tuesday, June 6.

The Rev. Leo Simpson, S.J., directed the annual retreat for young ladies from June 9 to 12. Twenty-six retreatants attended the exercises.

On July 1, the ceremony of first profession took place in the chapel of the Motherhouse. Eleven Sisters pronounced their first vows.

The annual summer school for the Sisters of the Congregation was in session from June 26 to August 1. On July 23 the Rev. James M. Campbell, Ph.D., and the Rev. Clement Hrdlicka, O.S.B., Ph.D., of the Catholic University paid a visit to the college connected with the Motherhouse. The Rev. Dr. Campbell addressed the student body on the importance of higher learning.

St. Mary's Dominican Convent, New Orleans, La.

Sister M. Matthew represented the Louisiana State Chapter of the I.F.C.A. Convention held in Memphis, Tenn., in May; and in the name of the state governor responded to the welcome extended to the delegates.

First honors were awarded to the High School students of St. Aloysius Academy in the band contest which was a feature of the annual Dominican Day celebration; the pupils of Mater Dolorosa won highest honors among the bands of the parochial schools.

The first community retreat in early June was conducted by the Rev. R. F. Samson, S.J. At the close of the retreat fourteen novices were clothed in the habit of the Order. The Very Rev. Thomas Weldon, C.M., Vicar General of Congregation of Religious Women, presided at the ceremony.

Sister M. Anthony Gerard was elected Prioress of St. Mary's Convent on the 14th of June.

Prior to his departure for Hong Kong, the Very Rev. M. Perez, O.P., former Vicar-Provincial of the Holy Rosary Province, said Mass in the College chapel and gave his blessing to the assembled community.

Sisters of the Congregation attended summer school at the Catholic University, the University of Notre Dame; and the University of Wisconsin. Sister M. Kevin O'Farrel received the degree of Master of Arts from Notre Dame, while Sister M. Elizabeth Englert received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Wisconsin.

The second retreat from July 26 to August 4 was given by the Rev. F. L. Vander Heyden, O.P. At the close of this retreat Sisters M. Austin Cauvin, Immaculata Gilbert, Teresa Mittlebron, and Patricia MacGrath made their final profession.

The Silver Jubilee of Sister M. Loyola Cronin was celebrated on the feast of St. Dominic. High Mass was sung by the Right Reverend Monsignor Kavanaugh.

Convent of St. Catherine, Racine, Wis.

An August 4, the feast of St. Dominic, a Solemn Mass was sung by the Rev. F. C. Foley, O.P. The Rev. R. M. Rascher, O.P., and the Rev. J. T. McGregor, O.P., of Washington, D.C., acted as deacon and subdeacon. The Very Rev. C. P. Wahle, O.P., was master of ceremonies.

Nineteen postulants received the habit, and sixteen novices made their profession. The Right Reverend Monsignor I. A. Klein officiated at the ceremonies of investiture and profession. In his sermon, the Rev. F. C. Foley, O.P., gave a brief, inspiring retrospect of the origin and object of the foundation of the Dominican Sisterhoods with a laudatory appreciation of the noble response of the aspirants to the Master's call.

On Saturday, August 5, sixteen Sisters made final Vows.

Sister Mary Perpetua and Sister Mary Marie observed the fiftieth anniversary of their profession on August 6.

Mount-St.-Mary-on-the-Hudson, Newburgh, N. Y.

Sister M. Sebastian died on June 8 in the fifty-fourth year of her religious profession. The celebrant of the Solemn Requiem Mass was the Rev. John T. Mulvin, O.P., with the Rev. P. C. Skehan, O.P., as deacon, and the Rev. P. P. Reilly, O.P., as subdeacon.

The Very Rev. J. P. Aldridge, O.P., conducted the first retreat at the Motherhouse in Newburgh. The Rev. Thomas Schwertner, O.P., will conduct the second retreat at the Motherhouse. The Rev. J. E. O'Hearn, O.P., gave the retreat at Sea Isle, N. J.

The Solemn High Mass on the feast of St. Dominic was celebrated at the Motherhouse by the Rev. Urban Nagle, O.P., with the Rev. T. R. Smith, O.P., as deacon, and the Rev. J. C. Joyce, O.P., as subdeacon. At the solemn Benediction the celebrant was the Rev. T. R. Smith, O.P., the Rev. Louis Mitchell, O.P., deacon, and the Rev. J. C. Joyce, O.P., subdeacon.

Sister M. Henricka died at Holy Rosary Convent on August 8 in the forty-second year of her religious profession.

In the absence of the Most Rev. John J. Dunn, D.D., V.G., the Most Rev. James Kearney, D.D., Bishop of Salt Lake City, presided at the Commencement exercises on June 26, and officiated at the investing of nine young women with the habit on June 27. On July 13, he officiated at the profession of fourteen novices.

St. Clara Convent, Sinsinawa, Wis.

The Rev. J. S. Considine, O.P., conducted the retreats at St. Clara Convent from June 18 to June 25 and from July 26 to August 4. The other retreats for the Congregation were given by the Very Rev. E. G. Fitzgerald, O.P., at Rosary College, River Forest, Illinois; the Very Rev. J. P. Aldridge, O.P., at Sacred Heart Academy, Madison, Wis.; the Rev. J. B. Hughes, O.P., at the Visitation Convent, Chicago; the Rev. L. E. Nugent, O.P., at St. Basil's, Chicago; and a second retreat at Sacred Heart Academy was conducted by the Rev. R. E. Kavanaugh, O.P.

Sister Mary Coronata Schardt, O.P., received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Fribourg. She passed her examination with the distinction SUMMA CUM LAUDE.

Summer schools for the Sisters were conducted at the following centers: Rosary College, River Forest, Ill.; Visitation Convent, Chicago; Sacred Heart Academy, Madison, Wis.; Saint Clara Academy, Sinsinawa, Wis.

On August 4 and 5 seventeen postulants received the habit, eighteen novices made simple profession, and forty-three professed novices made final profession.

A group of students of junior college rank from Rosary College and other colleges will leave New York on August 30 for a year's study abroad at the European Branch of Rosary College, Villa des Fougeres, Fribourg, Switzerland. Two Sisters will accompany the students.

St. Mary's of the Springs, East Columbus, Ohio

The entire student body of St. Mary's of the Springs College attended the rally of the Third Order of St. Dominic at Somerset, Ohio on May 28. The College Glee Club furnished music of a religious and semi-religious character.

The Silver Cup offered as a prize in the Literature Contest by the Ohio Chapter of the I.F.C.A. was awarded to Miss Mary L. Bauman, a member of the graduating class of St. Mary's of the Springs College.

On July 10 eleven Sisters made first profession and thirteen made final profession. Those admitted to first profession were: Sister Albertus Magnus Ogden, Columbus, Ohio; Sister Celeste McGivern, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Sister Georgina Kaeher, Newark, Ohio; Sister Fidelia Widrig, Newark, Ohio; Sister Floricita Clarvance, Columbus, Ohio; Sister James William Flautt, Somerset, Ohio; Sister Maris Stella Haid, Delaware, Ohio; Sister Mary Hugh Dorr, Columbus, Ohio; Sister Mary Louise Reilly, New York City; Sister Paulina Carlos, New York City; Sister Ursulina Welsh, Pittsburgh, Pa. Those making final profession were: Sister Mary Ellen Puceta, Waterbury, Conn.; Sister Francis Joseph Mullen, New York City; Sister Rose Lima Burke, Jersey City, N. J.; Sister Charlene Aid, Chillicothe, Ohio; Sister Mary Donald Roach, Zanesville, Ohio; Sister Isidore Bowman, Turtle Creek, Pa.; Sister Maryanna Childs, New York City; Sister Josepha Snyder, Steubenville, Ohio; Sister Mary Francis Lynch, New York City; Sister Teresa Litzinger, Somerset, Ohio; Sister Canisia Metzger, Somerset, Ohio; and Sister Patrice Farrel, New York City. Four

Sisters made final profession on August 14. They were: Sister Clementia Crowley, New Haven, Conn.; Sister Mary Martin Diefinbach, Utica, N. Y.; Sister Wilfrida Walsh, New Haven, Conn.; and Sister Leonarda Platt, Newark, Ohio.

The candidates for Reception on August 12 were: Miss Roselyn Malloy (Sister Blandina), Pittsburgh, Pa.; Miss Mary McDowell (Sister Margaret Ann), Coshocton, Ohio; Miss Coletta Jennings (Sister Agnes Loretta), Columbus, Ohio; and Miss Rosemary Connors (Sister Angela Marie), Columbus, Ohio.

Sister Patrica, Sister Cyril, Sister Ernestine, Sister Amata, Sister Chrysostom, Sister Jerome, and Sister Thecla celebrated the Silver Jubilee of their religious profession on July 10.

Sister M. Monica received the degree of Master of Arts from the University of Notre Dame; Sister Angelita, Sister Marie Bernadette, Sister Dorita, Sister Amelia and Sister Florian received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from St. Mary's of the Springs College.

Albertus Magnus College, New Haven, Conn.

The feast of Corpus Christi was celebrated at Albertus Magnus College in a most picturesque and inspiring manner. More than five thousand people crowded the grounds of the College to watch and participate in the procession. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament was given at three especially constructed altars. The procession was led by the altar boys of St. Mary's Church and the choir boys from the same church furnished the music. The Blessed Sacrament was carried by the Rev. J. A. Jordan, O.P., assisted by the Rev. A. D. Frenay, O.P., and the Rev. J. H. Mulcahey, O.P. The Rev. D. M. Galliher, O.P., chaplain of the College, was master of ceremonies assisted by the Very Rev. E. A. Baxter, O.P., the Rev. Dr. John J. McLaughlin and the Rev. Austin Dignum. It was the first time the ceremony was celebrated in this manner in the city.

Miss Mary Louise Bianchi, '31, and Miss Mary Zoccato, '30, graduates of Albertus Magnus, received the degree of Master of Arts from Yale University.

Sister Irminda Longstreth, O.P., a member of the Faculty of the College, received the degree of Master of Science from Yale University in June.

The Rev. W. R. Bonniwell, O.P., conducted the retreat for the Sisters, August 11 to 21.

St. Cecilia Academy, Nashville, Tenn.

Sister M. Evangelist O'Brien received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from the Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, Texas, on July 18.

Five Sisters of St. Cecilia Academy attended the summer school at De Paul University.

The Rev. Robert Quinn, O.P., of Fenwick High School, Chicago, was a guest at the Academy.

The Rev. Thomas à Kempis Reilly, O.P., conducted the retreat for the community from August 6 to 14.

Three postulants entered the St. Cecilia Novitiate on August 15.

Dominican Congregation of Our Lady of the Rosary, Sparkhill, N. Y.

The annual retreats for the community were conducted by the Rev. F. D. McShane, O.P., and Rev. Edward Hughes, O.P.

On August 4, five Sisters celebrated the Silver Jubilee of their profession. They were Sister St. John, Sister M. Edward, Sister M. Rita, Sister M. Philip, Sister M. Inviolata.

On August 15, eight postulants received the habit, six novices made first profession, seventeen Sisters renewed their vows and three Sisters made perpetual vows.

Since the last Chronicle, two members of the Community were called to their eternal reward. They were two of the pioneer Sisters of the Community, Sister Mary Benedict and Sister Maria.

The Sisters of the Congregation attended summer school at the Universities of Fordham, Manhattan, St. Louis, Notre Dame, and Sacred Heart College.

St. Joseph College and Academy, Adrian, Mich.

On June 24, Sister Mary Gerald was unanimously elected to the office of Mother General of the Dominican Sisters of Adrian, Michigan.

Five hundred Sisters of the Congregation attended summer school at St. Joseph's College, Adrian. Four hundred Sisters attended summer courses at Columbia, Loyola University, De Paul University, University of Detroit, University of Michigan, Rosary College, River Forest, Ill., St. John's College, Toledo, Ohio, Chicago Art Institute, Chicago School of Music and Expression, John Carroll University and Teachers College, Cleveland, Ohio.

The Academy will open September 6; the College, September 11. The Rev. V. R. Hughes, O.P., Ph.D., head of the History Department, and the Rev. J. B. Deady, Ph.D., head of the Education Department will resume their duties September 11.

On August 8, twenty-seven young ladies received the Dominican habit, and fifty-two Novices were professed in St. Joseph's College chapel, Adrian. The Most Reverend Michael J. Gallagher, Bishop of Detroit, presided at the investiture, and a Solemn Pontifical Mass was sung by the Most Reverend E. F. Hoban, Bishop of Rockford.

Dominican Sisters of the Sick Poor, New York City

At the close of the annual retreat, conducted by the Rev. Joseph R. Higgins, O.P., the following postulants received the habit: Margaret Urdock (Sister M. Reparata), Mary C. Cawley (Sister M. Grace), Mary Sexton (Sister M. Patricia). Sister Marie Therese, Sister M. Rose Xavier, Sister Miriam, Sister M. Fidelis pronounced their first vows. Sister M. Virgine, Sister M. Thomas and Sister Maria made perpetual vows, while Sister M. Columba, Sister M. Elizabeth, Sister M. Brendan and Sister M. Geraldine renewed their vows for one year. The Rev. W. L. Whalen, O.P., the ecclesiastical superior of the Community, presided at the ceremonies.

The Rev. Dominic Sullivan, O.P., was the retreat-master at the second retreat, which was conducted at Hampton Bays, L. I., from August 6 to 15.

During the absence of the Rev. E. A. Wilson, O.P., the Rev. W. J. Olson, O.P., acted as Chaplain at the Motherhouse.

St. Catherine Hospital, Kenosha, Wis.

Rev. Mother General and Rev. Mother M. Vincent have returned from the visitation of the California houses of the Community. During their visit they were present at the Consecration of His Excellency, Bishop Scher.

In Monterey and Madera, California, the Sisters conducted summer school courses for the benefit of public school children.

The Rev. D. A. Wynn, O.P., conducted the annual retreat from July 26 to August 4.

During the summer months many improvements have been made on the chapel. It has been moved to the first floor and is much more convenient for the visitors and patients of the hospital.

Holy Cross Convent, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Sister Accursia Blake died on June 24. Sister Vincent Hanselman was called to her eternal reward on June 29. Sister Vincent had five brothers who were priests, and one sister, a Sister of Charity.

Two hundred Sisters attended the summer school courses at St. Joseph's, Sul. Co., N. Y.

Fourteen Sisters received the degree of Bachelor of Arts and two Sisters received the degree of Master of Arts from St. John's University in June.

St. Joseph's Camp for Boys at St. Joseph's, Sul. Co., opened its eighth year with a large attendance; the Camp for Girls opened its fifth year with 65 girls.

Foreign Mission Sisters of St. Dominic, Maryknoll, N. Y.

The Foreign Mission Sisters of St. Dominic, whose Motherhouse is at Maryknoll, are sending a mission band of sixteen Sisters to the Orient this year. To the Maryknoll Manchurian mission field: Sister Mary Jude Babione of Fremont, Ohio; Sister M. Angelica O'Leary of Newsome, Idaho; Sister M. Paula Sullivan of Burlington, Vt.; Sister M. Lelia Makra of Cleveland, O.; Sister M. Fabiola Gonyou of Spokane, Wash.; Sister M. Rita Clare Comber of Lawrence, Mass.; Sister M. Eva Burke of Cambridge, Mass.; and Sister Eleanor Marie Flanagan of Orilla, Wash. To the Maryknoll mission field in Korea: Sister M. Rose Genevieve Koll of Belpre, Kansas, and Sister M. Herman Joseph Stitz of Salem, Oregon. To South China: Sister Joan Miriam Beauvais of Worcester, Mass.; Sister Cecilia Marie Carvalho of Hong Kong, China; Sister M. Rosalia Kettl of Altoona, Pa., and Sister M. Augusta Hock of Elmira, N. Y. To Manila, P. I.: Sister Patricia Marie Callan of Philadelphia, Pa. To the Hawaiian Islands: Sister M. Mildred Fritz of Newport, Minn.

Including this year's assignments, the Maryknoll Sisters now have twenty members in Manchuria, nineteen members in Korea, thirty-seven members in South China, thirty-nine members in the Philippine Islands, and fifty-eight members in the Hawaiian Islands. The total number of Maryknoll Sisters is four hundred and fifty. Besides their work in the Orient and in the Islands of the Pacific, they are engaged in activities, under the direction of the Maryknoll Fathers, for the Japanese on the Pacific Coast of the United States.

Sacred Heart Academy, Springfield, Ill.

On the feast of St. Dominic, Sister Mary Bernard Sullivan celebrated her Golden Jubilee. Pontifical High Mass was sung in the Sacred Heart Chapel by the Most Reverend James A. Griffin, D.D. Bishop Griffin also presided at the jubilee ceremonies. Many members of the clergy, including a relative of the Jubilarian, the Right Reverend Monsignor P. J. Moroney, were in the sanctuary.

The two retreats during the summer were conducted by the Rev. R. F. Larpenteur, O.P., and the Rev. C. L. Davis, O.P. At the close of the second retreat, August 4, reception and profession ceremonies took place.

Sister M. Henrica Motherway was called to her eternal reward on April 13.

Dominican Sisters, Sacred Heart Convent, Houston, Texas

The first retreat of the summer was conducted by the Rev. G. J. Barras, S.J.; the second retreat on August 6, was preached by the Rev. Wm. J. F. Ruggeri, S.J.

At the close of the second retreat Miss Maude Barry (Sister M. Cecilia) of Beaumont, Texas received the habit. Sister M. Leonard Butler, Sister M. Celestine Lopez, and Sister M. Annunciata Roberts made final profession.

St. Agnes Academy was honored by a visit from the Very Rev. Raymond Meagher, O.P., ex-Provincial, who gave an interesting account of his travels to the Sisters.

Classes in liturgical music and the Justine Ward Method were conducted this summer at St. Agnes Academy, and a six weeks summer school session was held at the Motherhouse. Sisters also attended summer school at the Catholic University and the University of Texas.

The faculty of St. Agnes Academy received word from Rice Institute that four of the six graduates attending the Institute had received the distinction of being placed on the honor roll of the University.

The Alumnae of St. Agnes Academy are aiding the N.C.W.C. of Houston by establishing the Dominican Alumnae Day at the Clinic for the poor of the Mexican Race. The members of the alumnae association meet and sew in order to provide clothing for the children. They have also established a scholarship for a poor student, and they have inaugurated a Bridge Club, the proceeds of which are to be used in charitable works.

Sister M. Loyola received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Rosemont College; Sister M. Carmel received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from the University of Texas.

At the Golden Jubilee of the Visitation Parish of Westphalia, Texas, the Solemn Pontifical Mass was celebrated by His Excellency, the Most Reverend Christopher Byrnes, D.D. Thirteen Dominican Sisters, claiming Westphalia as their native place, were present to do honor to the occasion and to bear witness to the fervent Catholic spirit of the place.

On June 28, the Community lost a valuable member by the sudden death of Sister M. Philomena Schmueser.

St. Catherine's Convent, Fall River, Mass.

Summer retreats were conducted at the Mother House in July and August by the Very Rev. Reginald Ouimet, O.P., Prior of the Dominican Convent at Ottawa, Canada and the Rev. J. T. Fitzgerald, O.P., of Providence College, Providence, R. I.

Eight young ladies took the Holy Habit of our Order, five made their perpetual vows and four renewed their temporal vows.

The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on Sr. Ceslas Normand and Sr. Sybillina Halloran by the Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.