

of this House of Studies, he became its prior and lector pri-marius, or director of studies.

St. Thomas Aquinas parish, Cincinnati, Ohio, was the scene of Father Casey's labors from 1927 to 1929, after which he was made pastor and vicar of Holy Innocents parish in Pleasantville, N. Y. Father Casey returned to Cincinnati in 1935, where he remained until ill health diminished the vigorous activity which marked his busy life. He could look back on a long line of accomplishments when at last he retired from active work and was assigned to St. Thomas parish, Zanesville, Ohio. On the night of March 20, 1940, while visiting his sister Catherine in Columbus, Father Casey died of heart failure. His body now lies at rest in the community cemetery of St. Joseph's Priory, Somerset, Ohio.

DOMINICANA and the many Dominicans who benefited by the labors of Father Casey, as well as all those who hold cherished memories of his friendship, extend sympathy to his family. May he rest in peace!

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✠ **REV. HYACINTH LAWRENCE MARTIN, O.P.** ✠

Father Hyacinth Lawrence Martin was born in New York City on September 10, 1889. He received his early education in that city and entered the Dominican Order at Saint Joseph's Priory, Somerset, Ohio. On September 14, 1909, he received the habit from the Very Reverend F. D. McShane, O.P., and was professed the following year. His courses in philosophy and theology, which were taken at the Dominican House of Studies in Washington, D. C., were supplemented by a Bachelor of Canon Law degree from Catholic University.

On May 10, six weeks before the celebration of his silver jubilee in the priesthood, Father Martin died at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Ohio. The range of his ministry had been wide and fruitful. After his ordination to the holy priesthood on June 23, 1915, by Archbishop John Bonzano, the Apostolic Delegate to the United States at the time, Father Martin was assigned to teach at Aquinas High School, Columbus, Ohio. Six years later he went to St. Raymond's, Providence, Rhode Island, as assistant pastor. From 1925 to 1930 he labored on the Southern and Eastern Mission Bands while stationed at Zanesville, Somer-

set, Louisville, and Jersey City. The mission assignment was followed by two terms as pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Columbus, Ohio. During his pastorate the church was almost completely destroyed by fire, and the work of supervising the rebuilding of the edifice devolved upon him. After about a year on the Eastern Mission Band Father Martin was again made pastor, this time of Holy Trinity Church, Somerset, Ohio. It was in this last assignment, which included the direction of the Rosary Press, that Father Martin was laboring when he died. Throughout his priestly career, though not always enjoying the best of health, Father Martin displayed a great zeal for souls and a special solicitude for the poor of his parishes.

To his three sisters, Sr. M. Aloysius, Sr. M. Hyacinth, and Sr. M. Laurentia of the Sparkhill Community of Dominican Sisters and to his other relatives and friends DOMINICANA extends sincere condolences. May he rest in peace! J.S.

✠ **BROTHER DOMINIC KEANE, O.P.** ✠

The community of the College of the Immaculate Conception, Washington, D. C., was stunned by sad news when it learned on Palm Sunday, March 17, 1940, that Lay Brother Dominic (John) Keane had passed away during the morning hours. A member of the community made the discovery when he entered Brother Dominic's room, shortly after rising time, to administer an insulin stimulant prescribed for his diabetic condition. Brother Dominic had been active, attentive to the tasks assigned him, even on the very evening before his death. Fingering his rosary while making the stations of the cross was a regular exercise for him and a familiar sight to all. He will long be remembered for his constant cheerfulness to all who met him, in the porter's office, in the corridors, cane in hand, humbly stepping aside when anyone approached to pass him.

Brother Dominic was born on February 10, 1876, at Lansdale, R. I.; there he attended grammar school and spent his youth and early manhood.

Brother Dominic passed his novitiate at the convent of St. Joseph in Perry County, Ohio, where, on January 15, 1922, he