OBITUARIES

THE REVEREND DANIEL FLAVIAN REILLY, O.P.

Death came very suddenly to Father Daniel Flavian Reilly, O.P., on October 5, 1962 at Our Lady of Fatima Hospital in Providence, R. I. His untimely end was a shock to all who knew him.

Rather Reilly was born in Flushing, N. Y., on July 8, 1907. As a youth he attended the public schools in Caldwell, N. J. Later he received his college education at Seton Hall University in South Orange. Entering the Dominican Order, he began his novitiate on September 26, 1931, at St. Rose Priory, Springfield, Ky., where he was professed a year later. His study of philosophy and theology were completed at the House of Studies, River Forest, Ill.; St. Joseph’s Priory, Somerset, Ohio; and the House of Studies, Washington, D. C. Father Reilly was ordained priest on June 16, 1938, at St. Dominic’s Church, Washington, D. C., by Bishop John M. McNamara, auxiliary of Baltimore, Md.

Following ordination, Father Reilly pursued graduate studies in history at the Catholic University of America, from which he received a doctorate in philosophy. He was then assigned to the faculty of Providence College, where he remained until his death. There he distinguished himself as an excellent teacher and true friend.

A Solemn Requiem Mass was sung at St. Pius Church, Providence, R.I. on October 9, 1962. The celebrant was Very Rev. George C. Reilly, O.P., a brother of the deceased. Very Rev. Ernest A. Hogan, O.P. was the deacon and Rev. John P. Kenty, O.P. was the subdeacon. The eulogy was delivered by Rev. Joseph L. Lennon, O.P. Burial took place at the college cemetery.


To Father Reilly’s brother and three sisters, and to his numerous friends, Dominica extends its deep sympathy.

THE REVEREND MARTIN J. JORDAN, O.P.

Reverend Martin J. Jordan, O.P., 43, died Friday evening, October 12, 1962, while he was visiting his sister, Miss Lorette E. Jordan in Sea Girt, New Jersey.