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First and final profession ceremonies will be held at the Holy Cross Brothers' Center on June 16, 1969, at 11 a.m. E.D.T. Very Rev. Germain-M. Lalande, Superior General, will preside at the ceremonies.

Brothers Lewis Brazil, Richard Fischenich and David Schimpf have been approved for final vows.

The following novices will make their first profession: Brothers Clement Burger, Donald Cellini, Chester Freel, Charles Lippert and Robert Vaughn.

The Provincial Council has approved the following candidates for admission to the novitiate on June 15: Terrence Corrigan, Michael Coudriet, John Geenen, Kenneth Haders, Jack Richeson and James Shedlock. They will arrive at St. Joseph Novitiate, Valatie, New York, on June 6 and receive the habit at a private ceremony on June 15. Brother Bernard Donahoe will spend the first week with them at Valatie.

David Fitzgerald has been approved for admission to the novitiate in August. He will complete work for his master's degree at Notre Dame during the summer.

Brother Benedictus Secoy died suddenly on June 2 from a heart attack. He had been at River Grove for the past eight years. Prior to this assignment, Brother had been stationed at Memorial, where he was principal, Central Catholic in Monroe, and St. Edward, Lakewood. Burial will be at Notre Dame on Wednesday, June 4.

Brother John Lavelle will assume his duties as Director of St. Anthony's Home for Boys in Cleveland on June 17. There are fifty boys, aged 13 to 18, who live at the home and attend high school in the area. The address is: St. Anthony's Boys Home, 8301 Detroit Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44107. Telephone: (216) 961-0052.

Dedication exercises for the new classroom/gymnasium building at Le Mans Academy was held Sunday, June 1, in conjunction with the annual graduation exercises. About 700 persons were present for the ceremonies. Most Rev. Andrew

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Trutka, Bishop of Gary, presided at the ceremonies and blessed the new facilities. Brothers Donatus Schmitz and Dominic Leclerc represented the general administration. Brother Charles Krupp represented the province and spoke at the dedication.

The meeting of the Superior General, the General Council, the Provincials and their representatives was held at the Center from May 26 - 30. The purpose of the meeting was to bring the legislation of the congregation dealing with formation into line with the instruction on formation issued in February by the Congregation of Religious. The decisions arrived at will be promulgated by the Superior General at a later date.

Following the meeting on formation, the Provincials and the General Council held two days of meetings to study matters of current interest to the provinces.

As a result of discussions at the Principals' Meeting of February 22, a workshop on Teacher Evaluation is being organized for principals and administrators of the schools of the province. Brother Barry Lambour has arranged for a two-day workshop to be held at the Center on September 26 and 27. Dr. George B. Redfern, Associate Executive Secretary, American Association of School Administrators, and former superintendent of the public schools in Cincinnati, is the consultant for the workshop. The workshop is being sponsored by the School Management Institute of Columbus, Ohio. There will be space for forty-five at the workshop. Further details will be forwarded to the schools shortly. However, this notice is given so that interested persons can reserve the dates on their calendar for the coming school year.

The first of the three WORKSHOPS ON CONTEMPORARY RELIGIOUS LIFE will begin on June 21. The following Brothers will be in attendance: Midwest Province: Brothers Thomas Balthazor, David Baltrinic, James Bluma, Marcellus Bonen, John Barrett, Leon Gnewuch, Ronald LaLonde, William Mewes and William Wickham. South West Province: Brothers Wilbur Bierly, Michael Boyd, Robert Carberry, Raymond Fleck, Harold Essling, Richard Daly, John Perron and Stephen Walsh. Eastern Province: Brothers John C. Bylancik, Chester Chrusciel, Robert Falcone, Cajetan Holland, James Holland, Paschal Pesce, Dominic Petrucci, and Edward Sniatecki. Four places are still available for Midwest Province members for the August 17-26 workshop.

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